

NO LIGHTS AT EGERTON STREET NO LIGHTS ON SHUNTED CARS

Inquest Into the Death of
Miss Sarah Rowed
Begun.

ACTION BROUGHT
AGAINST COMPANY

Inquiry Is Postponed Because of
Illness of a Witness—Last
Night's Evidence.

The inquest into the accident at Egerton street crossing of the G. T. R. last Friday night, in which Miss Sarah Rowed, of Victoria Hospital, lost her life, commenced last evening before Coroner Ferguson.

Miss Rowed's relatives were represented by Mr. George C. Gibbons, who has entered an action against the Grand Trunk for unstated damages.

Mr. W. E. Foster, of Toronto, represented the company. Owing to the fact that Miss Susie Sutherland, one of the principal witnesses, is ill that she could not attend, the inquest had to be postponed indefinitely.

The jurors will take advantage of this fact to go out and see the crossing for themselves.

Mr. Cowan's Evidence.

Mr. Charles Cowan, who accompanied Miss Sutherland and Miss Rowed on the night of the accident, was called first, and stated that they were driving south on Egerton street.

When crossing the Grand Trunk tracks about 10 o'clock, Miss Sutherland was driving.

She was sitting on witness' knee on the left-hand side of the buggy. Miss Rowed sat on the right side.

The buggy was an open one. When near the crossing, the horse was stopped in order that they might see if it was clear of cars.

The crossing could be seen distinctly all the way across.

Witness said to Miss Sutherland it was clear, and to drive on quickly.

The Lights.

Witness could not say whether the city lights were lit or not. He did not see any watchman and no one at the crossing spoke.

No one gave any signals as far as witness saw.

The first intimation witness had of danger was Miss Rowed's scream. She just screamed and jumped.

As soon as she jumped witness noticed a car backing east. He saw the car pass over her when the buggy was clear of the track.

Witness said to Miss Sutherland: "The girl is killed."

Mr. Cowan thought there was only one car.

Nobody on the Car.

To Mr. Gibbons witness said there was no light or brakeman on the end of the car.

To Mr. W. E. Foster, who represented the Grand Trunk, witness said if Miss Rowed had not jumped she might not have been killed.

It was his (witness') opinion, however, that had she not screamed, all would have been killed, the horse leaped ahead when it heard the scream.

When the car was first noticed the buggy was within 25 feet of the track and Miss Sutherland saw the car and said: "What will I do."

Witness said, "Drive on fast," because the horse was going too fast to stop in time.

This was said when they were close to the track, as they had been going all the time.

Witness thought there was no engine attached to the cars.

Mr. George Watts.

Mr. George Watts, a county resident, who was on his way home when the accident happened, said he was standing on the tracks when the rig passed him.

Witness did not see Miss Rowed jump, as he was watching the cars. There were three cars and an engine.

The horse bolted and he thought it ran away.

There were more cars, but they were not cut off.

To Mr. Gibbons, witness said there was a brakeman standing on the shunting tracks with a lantern.

He shouted twice when the buggy approached.

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TOM PLATT WINS JAIL FOR MAE

Court Holds Senator's Accuser
on \$5,000 Bail, Charging
Her With Perjury.

New York, May 21.—The case of Mae C. Wood, the Omaha woman who sued United Senator Thomas C. Platt for divorce came to a sudden end this afternoon, when Justice O'Gorman, in the supreme court, dismissed the complaint and directed that the complainant be committed to the city prison under \$5,000 bail on a charge of perjury.

The climax followed the introduction of evidence of a deposition from the men who sold the blank upon which the Wood-Platt alleged certificate was written. The deposition declared that the blank form was not lithographed until three months after the marriage of Miss Wood to Platt is said to have occurred. The senator's son, Frank H. Platt, also had testified that no such letters ever had been written to Miss Wood by his father as was represented in alleged copies offered in court by the complainant.

The commitment on the perjury charges was made by Justice O'Gorman on his own initiative. He had personally questioned the complainant, who had been recalled to the stand, and when she reiterated her former testimony regarding the marriage the justice said:

"The court cannot believe there was a marriage. Being convinced of the plaintiff's guilt in committing perjury in the case, I commit her to prison until she furnishes \$5,000 bail."



HIS LORDSHIP BISHOP McEVAY,
Who Has Been Appointed Archbishop
of Toronto.

No Labor Candidate for Legislature Will Run a Man for the Commons

Convention Called for Last Night
Considered the Matter.

The convention called last night by the independent Labor party to consider the advisability of placing a candidate in the field to contest the constituency of London for the Local Legislature was well attended.

Every delegate present was called upon to express his opinion.

There was a strong feeling that a man should be placed in the field, but owing to the late hour of the calling of the convention, it was decided on a close vote, not to name a candidate for the Legislature.

Will Run a Man for Commons.

It was decided, however, to call a convention in six weeks to nominate a candidate to contest the election for the Dominion House.

The feeling being that a man should be placed in the field definitely before any other party took similar action and to at once commence the work of organization and preparation.

All Labor unions in the city will be asked to immediately elect delegates. It was also carried by a unanimous vote that a financial contribution should be forwarded to Hamilton to assist in the re-election of Allan Studholme to the Ontario House.

Thrilling Rescue of a Little Child On Bridge With Express Coming

Little Flora Farrell, of West
London, Had Narrow
Escape.

One of the most thrilling rescues ever attempted in London took place Wednesday about noon on the C. P. R. bridge at Oxford street.

Little Flora Farrell, the 3-year-old daughter of Mr. James Farrell, of West London, was snatched from the middle of the bridge just before the C. P. R. express came along.

The youngster was none the worse for her thrilling escape.

While Mrs. Stilson, of No. 5 Oxford street, was busy on her lawn on Wednesday, a lady drove by in a rig.

She suddenly stopped the horse and asked if there was a train coming along.

Mrs. Stilson told her that the express was due and was at the station.

The woman called to Mrs. Stilson, "Look!" and pointed up the track to the bridge.

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Publism Contract, Says Mr. McEvoy Let People Know Facts Re Power

Rousing Meeting of South London
Liberals Held Last
Night.

A splendid rally of South London Liberals was held last night in the clubrooms, when a very large number of Liberals were present.

Stirring addresses were delivered by Mr. J. M. McEvoy, the Liberal candidate, and Dr. McWilliam, of this city.

Mr. Angus Elliott, president of the club, presided.

Dr. McWilliam, an old warhorse from

East Middlesex, delivered a short but stirring address.

He dealt with the power contract, and congratulated the city on having one newspaper at least fair and honest enough to publish the entire contract, in order that the citizens might know exactly what they are doing when they enter into the agreement.

He severely scored the Whitney administration on the gerrymander, and declared it to be most unfair and dishonest.

Mr. Whitney was afraid of an honest expression of opinion of the electors of Ontario, and sought to force a favorable expression from the people.

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The Lusitania Breaks All Records

New York, May 22.—Trans-Atlantic records for average speed and for the shortest trip over the long course were broken by the Cunard liner Lusitania, which arrived here today. The big ship anchored off the Sandy Hook lightship in a heavy fog at 2:55 this morning just 4 days, 20 hours and 22 minutes after she had passed Daunt's Rock. This beats the best previous time for the long course made by her sister ship the Mauretania by 3 hours

and 37 minutes, and is only 1 hour and 12 minutes longer than the Lusitania's record of 4 days, 18 hours and 40 minutes over the short course.

The Lusitania's average speed for the voyage was 24.83 knots, and this time goes far toward securing for her owners the British mail subsidy of \$750,000 promised when the Lusitania and Mauretania each shall have averaged 24.50 knots per hour or better for a round trip passage.

BISHOP McEVAY APPOINTED TO SUCCEED BISHOP O'CONNOR

Official Announcement Was Made This Morning—Nothing Definite in Regard To Who Will Be Named Bishop of London
—Londoners Keenly Regret His Departure.

Right Reverend Fergus Patrick McEvay, bishop of London, has been appointed to the archbishopric of Toronto, to succeed His Grace Archbishop O'Connor, who retires.

Official word of the appointment was received at the Palace here today from Ottawa, whither Bishop McEvay went a couple of days ago.

The official appointment was received by the apostolic delegate in Canada, who resides in Ottawa, three days since.

No announcement is made as to who will succeed Bishop McEvay at London. There have been several names mentioned, but there is nothing definite.

No appointment to the bishopric will be made until such times as the bishops meet to name a successor.

Until a bishop is appointed, an administrator will be named to administer the affairs of the diocese.

Londoners and the Bishop.

The announcement of the appointment of his lordship to Toronto was heard with mingled feelings by citizens of London, Catholic and Protestant, this morning.

While pleased to hear of his well-deserved promotion, there was keen regret that he is to leave the city of London.

Since he assumed the position of head of the Catholic Church in London and the diocese, he has made

very many friends, among Protestants as well as amongst his own people. His broad spirit and genial manner won the admiration of all, and while congratulating him upon his appointment to such an important position, Londoners deplore the fact that he must leave the city.

In his administration of the diocese, he has shown a keen business instinct, which has resulted in much good to clergy and laity under his charge.

Never in the history of the diocese has it been so prosperous and united. It is said that His Grace of Toronto may retire to Sandwich College. His heart lies in the college, for it was he who built it up to its present efficiency.

Canon Dunn's Congratulations.

"I am very glad to hear of his promotion," said Canon Dunn, of St. Paul's Cathedral, when informed of the elevation of Bishop McEvay to the archbishopric of Toronto. "All that I have heard of Bishop McEvay has been decidedly to his credit. I am sure I congratulate him."

Rev. Mr. Lancelotti.

"I am pleased to hear of the great honor conferred upon Bishop McEvay," said Rev. E. B. Lancelotti, pastor of Dundas Center Methodist Church, "and also the honor conferred upon the Diocese of London. I regret the departure of Bishop McEvay from our city. I have enjoyed personal relations with him for some years and found him a most interesting character. He is a man of high principle and sound judgment, and had the well-being of the community at heart. Toronto is to be congratulated on securing so splendid a citizen, and the diocese so excellent an administrator."

THE EAST LAMBTON LIBERALS MAKE PRESIDENT NOMINEE

Big and Enthusiastic Convention at Watford Yesterday Selected
Mr. R. J. McCormick as Standard Bearer in Place of
the Late Montagu Smith.

[By Our Own Man.]

Watford, May 21.—In a very large and enthusiastic convention of the East Lambton Liberals held here today, Mr. R. J. McCormick, of Warwick, president of the association, was chosen the candidate of the party to succeed Mr. Montagu A. Smith, whose tragic death occurred last week. Mr. McCormick's name was the only name to go before the convention, and the meeting was unanimous in its selection.

A Tribute to Mr. Smith.

When the convention assembled at 1 o'clock, Mr. McCormick, the president, called it to order. He spoke feelingly of the unfortunate circumstances that had necessitated the calling of the convention. In the death of Mr. Smith, the party in East Lambton had lost an enthusiastic worker, an able businessman, and a splendid fellow. None could regret the loss of Mr. Smith more than he, declared Mr. McCormick. He had known him for many years, and had always found him square and true. He regretted exceedingly the death of Mr. Smith. The duty of the party at this time was to choose a candidate to contest the riding.

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TWO HURT IN A RUNAWAY SERIOUS ACCIDENT AT C. P. R.

Miss Laura Phoenix and Her Brother, Mr. A. Phoenix, the
Victims—Horse Became Frightened and Got Mixed
Up With Street Car and Other Vehicles.

Miss Laura Phoenix, of 40 Egerton street, in St. Joseph's Hospital with a broken ankle, and very serious bruises about the head, and her brother, Mr. A. Phoenix, is confined to his home with a sprained ankle, as a result of a runaway which occurred on Richmond street, near the C. P. R. tracks yesterday afternoon about half-past five.

Both young people had a remarkably close call from being killed. After the accident they were taken to St. Joseph's Hospital and attended by Dr. McArthur.

Crossing Blocked.

Mr. Phoenix stated to The Advertiser last night that the horse he was driving was a spirited one.

Not having been out for nearly a week, it was more so than ever.

While driving south on Richmond street, they had to wait at the C. P. R. tracks to allow a train to pass.

Several rigs and a street car also were waiting.

As soon as the gates were raised, all started to go across, when suddenly the horse driven by Mr. Phoenix jumped swiftly to one side, landing in front of the street car and tearing the fender from it.

One of the front wheels of the buggy was considerably damaged.

Animal Captured.

The horse continued to run until it was captured on Richmond street, near Central avenue.

Miss Phoenix passed a very quiet night, but this morning was suffering greatly from the shock.

No serious results are anticipated.

Big Plans Maturing for Labor Day

The meeting of the Trades and Labor Council last night was well attended.

President Secker was in the chair. Several of the delegates at intervals spoke before the carpenters' open meeting.

The three committees made interesting reports, the Labor Day committee making a good record, things being well advanced for a successful and record-breaking demonstration.

Labor Day business took up the

major part of the evening.

Reports of delegates showed that business as a rule was dull in the city, many craftsmen being unemployed and a large number working on short time.

Mrs. Cora F. Trow caused consternation in a meeting of the New York West End Women's Republican Club by saying that until women learn how to hold legal elections in their own clubs they have no right to demand the ballot.

EMPIRE DAY IN CITY SCHOOLS PATRIOTISM THE KEYNOTE

See Them Coming Back.

Guelph, May 21.—Hon. A. G. MacKay in an interview here on his return from Paris, stated the Liberal prospects were bright. "The old-line Liberals," he said, "are coming back, and they are enthusiastic. There were hundreds and hundreds of Liberal votes went Conservative last time, but they are now coming back. I have said quite often, and I am convinced that Liberals were never in better fighting trim."

Socialist in Port Arthur.

Port Arthur, May 21.—The Socialist has nominated Leo T. English as a candidate for the Legislature in Port Arthur. The nomination meeting was attended by about one hundred.

Mr. MacKay at Guelph.

Guelph, May 21.—Hon. A. G. MacKay, Mr. Hugh Guthrie, M.P., Mr. Neil Jeffrey and Mr. A. W. Tyson, the Liberal candidate in South Wellington, addressed a public meeting in the opera house last evening. Mr. Tyson told the audience that he was confident the riding would be redeemed on June 8. The Liberal leader dealt largely with agricultural affairs. The claim of the present Government, that they were dealing more liberally with the agricultural classes, he said, was not founded on fact. Mr. MacKay drew a contrast between the financing of Toronto University and that of the Agricultural College, criticising the Government because the university estimates did not pass before the Legislature, where they might be examined.

Mr. R. I. Towers, the Liberal candidate in West Lambton, is a Sarnia boy, son of Mr. Thomas F. Towers, secretary-treasurer of Mackenzie, Milne Company, Limited, and was born in Sarnia in 1876. He was educated at the public and high schools in Sarnia, and graduated with honors from Toronto University in 1896. He graduated from Osgoode Hall in 1899, and since that time has been engaged in practice at Sarnia.

Kelly-Evans Withdraws.

Mr. A. Kelly Evans, secretary of the Ontario Forest, Fish and Game Protective Association, who was an Independent Conservative candidate in South Toronto, announces that he has decided to withdraw from the contest.

A Call for Help.

Up in North Ontario Mr. Hoyle, who had such a big majority at the last election, is not finding the road an easy one, and he has again called on the cabinet to render him more help, for he finds that he has not got even all his Conservative friends behind him this trip. The Liberal candidate, Mr. Kesteven, is working night and day, and will poll the complete Liberal vote, as well as a good many dissatisfied Conservative votes.

At the Collegiate.

At the Collegiate, in the middle of the march past of the cadets, Drummer Stevely was much surprised and somewhat embarrassed when the head flew off his drum stick and he found himself trying to pound out martial music with the stick alone.

He was equal to the occasion, however, and the march past was played so splendidly that the cadets never missed the drum music at all.

Perhaps the biggest celebration of the day took place at the Collegiate. Yesterday flags and bunting were arranged artistically throughout the upper and lower assembly halls, and a number of patriotic pictures that were hung up gave the whole scene an air of considerable loyalty.

The Programme.

Both assemblies were crowded. The programmes were carried off simultaneously, the downstairs being presided over by Principal McCutcheon, while Vice-Principal Little took charge of affairs upstairs.

Stirring addresses were made by Rev. James Rollins, Rev. Jas. Livingstone, Canon Dunn, Vice-Principal Little, Trustees Tassell, J. Mogan, Rev. D. S. Hamilton and Rev. A. J. Vining.

Every speaker was accorded a splendid hearing and cheered enthusiastically.

Principal McCutcheon called for cheers for Mayor Stevely, who was present, and for five minutes the cheering was continuous.

The Cadets.

After the programme of speeches was over Mayor Stevely and Chairman Graham inspected the cadet corps of the Collegiate Institute, who under the training of Lieutenant Gregory, have developed into a most efficient body.

Captain "Jack" Greer put his men through their maneuvers in a manner that delighted everyone, and many congratulations were expressed both to Lieutenant Gregory and to Captain Greer.

Mayor's Address.

Mayor Stevely addressed the whole school from the front steps of the building, the cadets being drawn up in the foreground.

His worship read a patriotic address and also spoke with enthusiasm of the place London held as an educational city. In concluding, he complimented the cadets on their splendid appearance.

Chairman Graham also spoke dealing mostly with school affairs, and relating patriotic incidents.

The affair was brought to a close by the students being dismissed until this afternoon, when to their great regret they had to return and write an examination.

Princess Avenue School.

At Princess avenue school the celebrations were held outside, and the school flag was raised amid ringing cheers.

This was followed by the singing of "The Maple Leaf" and other patriotic songs.

During the morning Mrs. (Col.) Peters and Mrs. Joffrey Hale visited the school, and on behalf of the Daughters of the Empire, presented handsome volumes to Gertrude Williams and Maria Fisher, two pupils who were prizewinners in the recent essay competition.

A collection was taken up in aid of the Victoria Order of Nurses, and more than \$10 was realized.

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MR. R. J. MCCORMICK, WARWICK,
Nominated by the Liberals of East
Lambton yesterday. He is a strong
candidate, and is almost certain of
election.

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW—FAIR AND WARM.
FORECASTS.

Toronto, May 22—8 a.m.
Today—Moderate to fresh southeasterly to southwesterly winds; fair and warm today; a few scattered thunderstorms during the night.

Saturday—Fair and warm.
Local Temperatures.

The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the local observatory for the 24 hours ended at 8 p.m. yesterday were: Highest, 78.5°; lowest, 59.5°.

TEMPERATURES.

Stations.	8 a.m.	Min.	Weather.
Calgary	44	42	Fair
Winnipeg	40	38	Rain
Port Arthur	50	42	Fair
Parry Sound	68	62	Fair
Toronto	60	55	Cloudy
Ottawa	66	56	Fair
Montreal	64	54	Fair
Quebec	60	48	Cloudy
Father Point	44	38	Cloudy

The first column in the above table records the temperature at 8 o'clock this morning, and the second column records the minimum temperatures during the 24 hours previous.

WOODS' FAIR

Your Choice of 2 Big Soap 25c
Specials Saturday

No. 1 SPECIAL—5 bars Comfort Soap and 4 cakes of Variegated Castile. This lot for 25c
No. 2 SPECIAL—2 large bars of Our Own Laundry and 5 cakes Castile for 25c

Another Slide in Hose Prices 12 1/2c
on Saturday. 19c for Hose

Our sale of Hose last Saturday was a tremendous success. Over 1,000 pairs were sold; but we are still over-loaded, so we have decided to offer another lot at sale prices.

This line is a fine-ribbed Hose, stainless dye, spliced heel and toe—just the line for boys and girls. Sizes 8 1/2, 9, 10 and 10. Regular 19c. Sale price Saturday 12 1/2c

Ladies' \$1.00 Wrappers for 75c

Ladies' Wrappers—Colors, navy blue, black and white or cardinal. Fitted waist lining; full on skirt, and rolling collar. Sizes 34 to 40. New goods. Sale price Saturday 75c

Children's Duck Suits. Extra \$1.75
Special, per suit

Children's Fine White Duck Suits, with kilts skirts, straps over shoulder, double-breasted box coats, collars and cuffs, trimmed in blue; also pearl buttons; sizes 5 to 9. Extra value. Saturday price \$1.75

Men's 50c Neckties for 19c

Twenty dozen Men's Four-in-Hand Ties, all new shades, some reversible. Dealers sell the same ties for 50c. Our price on Saturday, each 19c

How Does This Catch You?—Silko, 2 Balls for 3c

120 dozen balls of best Challenge Luster, all shades, guaranteed fast colors, suitable for crochet work. Sale price Saturday, two for 5c

500 English Paper-Covered Copyright Books, by such authors as Pemberton, Annie S. Swan, Headon Hill and others. Sale price Saturday 10c

\$1.00 Waists for 75c

Ladies' Dotted Swiss Waists, fronts made of tucks and insertion, three-quarter length sleeves, sizes from 34 to 40. Special Saturday price 75c

WOODS' FAIR J. M. THOMSON

The Government May Investigate The Hotel Fire at Tillsonburg

And Will Inquire Into the Lack
of Fire Escapes in Hotels
Generally.

Toronto, May 21.—Premier Whitney intimated this morning that the Government will consider the advisability of holding an investigation into the Tillsonburg hotel fire. In the absence of the Provincial Secretary, no more definite information could be obtained.

In February last the Government sent out a special circular to inspectors in a sufficient quantity to provide one for every hotel in the Province. These were headed "Fire Escapes," and set forth the requirements for fire

protection demanded by the liquor license act. The circulars were sent out just prior to the annual inspection of hotels as a reminder that the act must be enforced. Another circular was sent out last year ago.

The act provides that there shall be at least one outside ladder or stairway on hotels more than two stories in height, and a rope in each room above the ground floor sufficiently long to reach to the ground. The inspector, however, has the power to grant a certificate for the hotelkeeper if there are such other sufficient fire escapes or appliances, as may reasonably be held to satisfy the spirit of the regulations. Notices must be posted up in every sleeping apartment, calling attention to the position of the fire escapes.

Major Hodgins Burned Letters After He Had Been Subpoenaed

Says He Was Requested To Do
So By Mr. Heaman, His
Assistant.

Ottawa, May 21.—The cross-examination of Major Hodgins before the special committee of Parliament which is examining his charges of over-classification and fraud, in the construction of the Transcontinental Railway, was begun yesterday afternoon by Charles Murphy, counsel for the Transcontinental commission, and continued today.

Mr. Murphy asked the witness this morning several questions relative to his military service in South Africa, and followed this by a series of questions

relative to the relations which existed between him and Mr. J. A. Heaman, his former assistant.

The witness, continuing, stated that at Mr. Heaman's request, he had destroyed certain letters in Toronto, after he was subpoenaed to attend this investigation in Ottawa.

Major Hodgins practically admitted that his sole authority for some of the charges he made of over-classification was based on Mr. Heaman's notes, and that if these notes were erroneous, then the charges could not be substantiated. He declared, however, that Mr. Heaman was a very reliable engineer.

The latter has been called as a witness later in the inquiry.

Major Hodgins' cross-examination will be continued this afternoon.

WITNESS THREATENED TO PUNCH FOWLER

Ottawa, May 21.—In the public accounts committee this morning J. W. Gendron, former inspector of dredging in Matchedash Bay, denied the statements made the other day by John Coghill, of Toronto, to the effect that Gendron had certified to excessive quantities of material taken out by the dredger. In the course of his cross-examination by Mr. George Fowler, M. P., Gendron managed to rouse Mr. Fowler's ire. One of his remarks was heard by Mr. Fowler in this way: "I think I could look after you outside."

The construction of a lighthouse on the Ar-Guack reef, off the French coast, near Ushant, is proceeding very slowly. During 1904 the swiftness of the currents prevented more than fifty-two hours' work on the foundation, more than 206 hours in 1905 and more than 152 hours in 1906. During three years, therefore, only fifty-one days of eight hours were available for the work.

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Relieves pain instantly, heals quickly without any scar. Dr. PORTER'S ANTI-SEPTIC HEALING OIL. The only Household Surgical Dressing. Druggists refund money if it fails to heal. 2c

WHY HURRYING HOME

Services Are Needed to Settle Trouble
With C. P. R. Men.

Montreal, May 20.—It transpired today that Wm. Whyte, second vice-president of the C. P. R., has been called home from the Mediterranean on account of the threatened strike and that he would be here by the end of the week.

Otherwise there is no change in the strike situation. The men in the Angus works are simply waiting.

They are holding no meetings and are taking no active steps to help their fellow-workers in the west, until the decision as to whether the board will deal with the west alone is handed down.

Refrigerator Car Service for Export Butter.

The Grand Trunk Railway system has made arrangements for a week-long service until Oct. 17, 1908, to run refrigerator cars to carry export butter to Montreal, as follows: Leave London, Thursday; arrive Montreal Sunday. Shippers should ascertain from station agent the probable hour of arrival at their station, so that shipments will not be brought to the station too early, and thereby be exposed to the heat of the day an undue length of time before arrival of train.

THE PREMIER ASKED DELAY

No Compromise Yet and It Is
Premature To Say What
Result Will Be.

Ottawa, May 21.—Another conference was to have been held today between the Prime Minister and the leader of the Opposition in regard to clause one of the election bill, but, at the request of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the meeting in question was put off in order that he might have an opportunity of talking matters over with some of the members of his own party. A caucus was accordingly held between Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Hon. W. S. Fielding, Hon. A. B. Aylesworth, the Manitoba Liberal members, and a few representatives of the Government's following from Ontario, at which an opportunity was afforded to these members to fully express their views in regard to the election bill, and the course which the Government should pursue in relation thereto.

In the meantime it is premature to say that any proposition has been made by the Premier to the Conservative leader in regard to the elimination or amendments of the contentious clause. No such proposition has been made, but the gossip is rather as to what will eventuate from the present conference than what has actually resulted from them already.

The course pursued by the Opposition yesterday in regard to the passage of supply would indicate that the Conservative side has relented to some extent from the position which it assumed a fortnight ago, concerning the passage of supply. This is undoubtedly prompted by a belief in the Conservative camp that the Government will consent to the amendment of the election bill. What the amendments will be, however, or whether there will be any at all, remains to be seen. What has passed, so far have been mere suggestions than anything else.

SHORT SHRIFT FOR DAMAGES CLAIMS

Board of Works Last Night Filled
Two, as It Is Alleged City
Is Not Liable.

There was nothing but routine business up before No. 2 committee last night.

Mr. Joseph Fox asked for the privilege of tapping a sewer. This was referred to City Engineer Graydon, and will be granted if the work can be done to suit Mr. Graydon and Mr. Fox agrees to pay for it.

The claim of John Friend for damages was filed.

The claim of Mrs. E. Quirk for damages for injuries received on Dundas street was also filed, as the city, it was said, is not liable.

Against Sewer.
Thomas D. Smith and others asked the council not to pass the bylaw for a sewer on Pall Mall street, owing to the fact that several of the residents of that street were out of work, and they could not afford to pay for the sewer at present. It was agreed to pass the bylaw, but the sewer will not be constructed for some time.

The petition of Mr. J. D. Martin and others to initiate a curb and gutter on English street, from Lorne avenue to Dundas street, came up, and on motion of Ald. Saunders, it was recommended that the request be granted.

The following petitions for cement walks were found to be sufficiently signed, and will take the usual course: North Trafalgar, from Oak street to Egerton street; North and South Surrey, from Wilson street to the breakwater; South Frances, from Ethel to city limits.

The following petitions for cement curb and gutter were found to be sufficiently signed and will also take the usual course: North and South Oxford, from Maitland to Coburne; North and South Lorne, from English to Ontario streets; North and South Lorne, from Quebec street to east end; East and West Quebec, from Princess avenue to Dufferin avenue.

Request Refused.
Mr. S. Crouch wrote, asking that his name be taken off a petition for a sewer on Grey street. The communication was filed.

City Engineer Graydon recommended that a sewer be initiated on Maitland street, from Grosvenor to Cheapside streets.

Mr. D. L. Taylor, West London, put in a claim for damages to his property, caused by the water being backed up on it.

The matter was referred to City Engineer Graydon, who will report at the next meeting of the council.

Those present were: Ald. Gerry (chairman), Ald. Stewart, Ald. Saunders, City Engineer Graydon and Secretary Bell.

THE COTTON MILLS STRIKE

Several Thousand Hands Return to
Work Upon the Company's Terms.

Montreal, May 21.—The backbone of the cotton operatives' strike has been broken. This morning the mills of the Dominion Textile Company at Magog resumed operations, about half of the employees returning to their places. It is thought that the others will return to work tomorrow, as no notice of the opening of the mills has been posted, and many of the employees did not know it.

About 1,200 of the employees of the Hochelaga mills of the same company also returned to work this morning, and it is expected that these mills will be in full swing tomorrow.

The men returned on the company's terms, the rate of wages being the same as before the strike.

LEADER MACKAY AND THE VARSITY

His Policy of Financing the In-
stitution a Sane and
Sound One.

Brantford, May 21.—A mass meeting of Liberals was held in Victoria Hall this evening, the big structure being packed to the doors. Mr. M. W. McEwen, the Liberal candidate, was given a tremendous ovation, and delivered a stirring fighting speech. Mr. T. H. Preston, the retiring member, also spoke. The Rev. J. A. MacDonald, editor of the Toronto Globe, was the principal speaker of the evening. He took up many issues, but was especially eloquent and aggressive in a criticism of the Whitney education policy, particularly as regards the financing of Toronto University.

Amongst other telling points he made the following:

"Premier Whitney in his campaign speech boasts that they are 'turning the educational system upside down.'"

"In one or two respects—in matters of teacher-training and text books—Premier Whitney may indeed be 'turning things upside down,' or be turning things right side up. The juggling back and forth with the model schools and the normal schools and the chaotic condition of the teacher-training work, all evidently intended to do political effect in the elections, does suggest that the department has been turned upside down. And the books, based on temporary bargain-day prices for remnants, are only digging deeper the pit in which one day the Premier may find himself standing on his head. It will then be in order for the Minister of Education, in his own classical language, to tell his enemies, as he did in Toronto the other day, that 'they can go to the devil and shake themselves.'"

The University Act.

Referring to Toronto University Mr. MacDonald said:

"With the main features of that university act the Globe was and is in full accord."

In the present campaign, however, there is a controversy on between the leader of the Government and the leader of the Opposition as to the method of financial support for the university. Both agree that the university must be supported with increasing liberality as its enrolment increases and its scope expands. Both believe that the people of Ontario wish to be generous to the provincial university. But they differ as to the method. Premier Whitney stands by the new university act passed two years ago, which apportions a sum equal to one-half of the annual revenue from succession duties for three consecutive years, and this sum is made available for the board of governors without an annual vote of the Legislature. Hon. A. G. MacKay, on the other hand, contends that the estimates for the university should be brought down each year, and the annual appropriations voted by the Legislature, as in the case of other public institutions.

"A principle of public policy is involved. The principle for which Mr. MacKay stands is thoroughly sound. It may or may not agree with its university opponents' view of conditions, but as a principle it is fundamental to responsible government."

"But because he argues for that principle Mr. MacKay is accused by the Premier as being 'an enemy of the university' and of having 'taken every opportunity to stab and injure the university.' I hold no brief for Mr. MacKay, and I may not agree with his contention, but I challenge the justice of Premier Whitney's accusation. No man can be called an enemy of the university for applying to its financial support the principle he applies to other public institutions."

BECK AT ST. THOMAS TALKS OF HORSES

Power Minister and Others Address
Meeting for West Elgin Nominee.

St. Thomas, May 21.—The Conservatives gathered here this evening in support of Finlay G. MacDiarmid, the Whitney candidate for West Elgin. The Hon. Adam Beck, E. N. Compton, president of the Trades and Labor Council, and ex-Mayor Lawrence were the principal speakers.

Mr. Compton said he supported the present Government, because of what it had accomplished for the wage-earners. He also lauded the Whitney education and power policies.

Ex-Mayor Lawrence spoke along much the same line, declaring that the Conservative Government had done great things for St. Thomas.

Mr. Finlay MacDiarmid, the present member, who is seeking re-election, viewed the situation preceding the return of the Whitney Government when, he said, the public domain was being frittered away. He dealt with the record of the Whitney Government in the management of the minerals and forest wealth of the Province, which, he said, had been profligately squandered.

Mr. MacDiarmid said he had secured for St. Thomas a \$3,000 grant toward a bridge, for which he had received a vote of thanks from the city council of St. Thomas, of which his present opponent was a member. He had introduced legislation which caused the income tax law to be operative against salaries over \$1,000, instead of \$700, as formerly. The removal of the poll tax had also been brought about by his action, because he regarded it as an injustice.

Mr. Beck's Defense.

Hon. Adam Beck defended the entire course of the Government. Mr. Beck spoke in regard to the statement which had been circulated concerning the transportation of his and Mrs. Beck's horses to the International Horse Show at London, England. Mr. Beck declared that he had not received one cent of Government money

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This is a clearance of all odd pieces and broken lines left from our spring assortment, and all are grouped and are marked at our usual sweeping reductions for a quick clearance.

LOT No. 1—29c Yard. About 200 Yards
3 pieces All-Wool Beize, dark gray, regular 50c, and 5 pieces Crepe de Chine, in brown, light green and gray, regular 50c and 65c quality. All one price, yard 29c

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LOT No. 3—59c Yard. About 500 Yards
2 pieces Cream Ninon Voile, one with brown and one with green hairline stripe, sold at \$1.35 yard.

2 pieces Lace Voile, gray and white effect, sold at \$1.00 yard.

1 piece Navy Chiffon Crepe de Chine, all silk surface; sold at \$1.25 yard.

2 pieces Brown Silk and Wool, small figure; sold at \$1.00 yard.

1 piece Navy, white check, with over-check of white, sold at \$1.25 yard.

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struck by a G. T. R. train yesterday and killed. A man named Larocque was struck by a C. P. R. train and decapitated. Ernest Morin fell into the river and was drowned.

Wm. Lumley, of Petrolia, was arrested yesterday, charged with perjury. He swore that Mary Ayrheart, the girl he was about to marry, was 18 years of age, while it is claimed she is only 14.

The jury at Hamilton yesterday brought in a verdict of guilty of murder against Giuseppe Greco, charged with the killing of a fellow-countryman in Dundas this spring. Sentence was deferred and an appeal will probably be taken.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.
May 21.—At New York—Carmania, from Liverpool; Koenigs Luise, from Naples; Majestic, from Southampton; Deutschland, from Hamburg; Etruria, from Libau; Republic, from Naples.

At Liverpool—Iberian, from Boston. At Southampton—Teutonic, from New York.

At Havre—La Touraine, from New York. At Sydney—Empress of Ireland, from Liverpool.

At Father Point—Pomeranian, from Havre.

CANADIAN
Henri Bourassa will probably be Premier Gouin's opponent in St. James' division, Montreal, in the coming Quebec elections.

The weather is still quite cool in the west, but no damage is reported from the frost of Wednesday night. Samples of winter wheat have been shown 22 inches in height.

The investigation into the meters of Toronto was continued yesterday. Six were tested, and all were found to be too slow, including the one in the residence of Ald. J. J. Graham, who brought about the investigation.

The body of Wm. Corbett, of Smith's Falls, who disappeared on Saturday last, was found in the river yesterday. His money and jewelry were still in his clothes. There was a bad gash in his head. The police are investigating.

J. Ecclestons, of Montreal, was

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MEETINGS.

LONDON COUNCIL, No. 223, ROYAL Arcanum, will meet this (Friday) evening, at 8 o'clock, in Duffield block. Samuel M. Jenson, secretary.

AN EMERGENCY COMMUNICATION of Union Lodge, No. 380, A. F. and A. M., will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock to confer degrees. Jas. Dean, W. M.; J. Ward, secretary.

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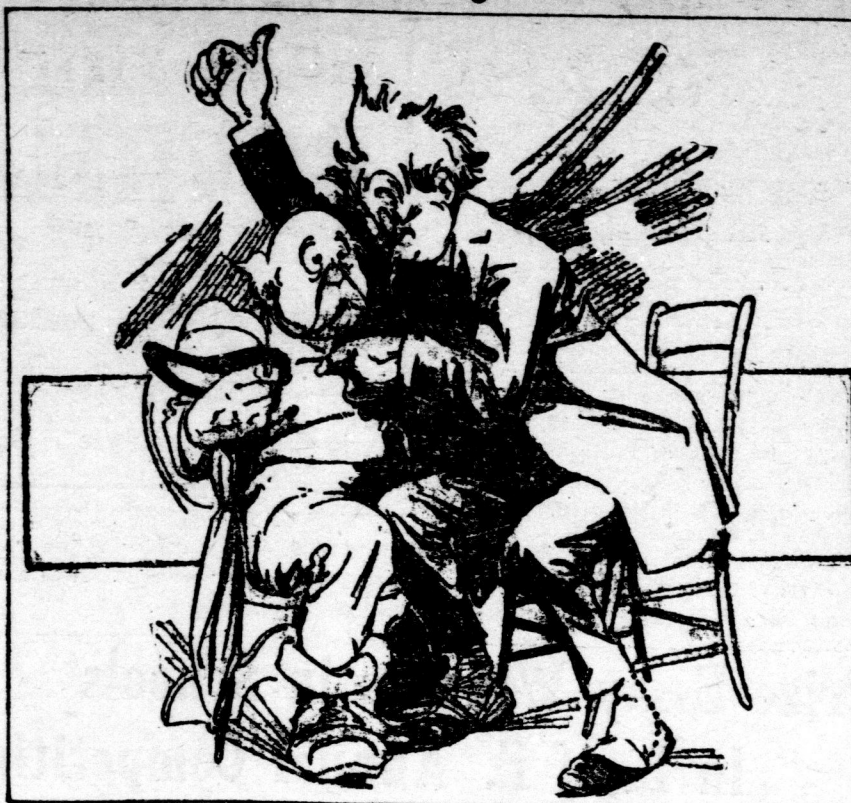
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Prominent Brooklyn Merchant a Victim of Hydrophobia.

New York, May 21.—Dr. Ira Van Gieson, expert on hydrophobia for the New York Board of Health, was inoculated with hydrophobia today while making an autopsy on the body of William H. Marsh, the British manufacturer, who died of that disease yesterday.

Dr. VanGieson scratched his arm with one of the bones from Mr. Marsh's body. Dr. VanGieson said he had been inoculated before and he expressed only annoyance at the accident. He went to the laboratory of the board of health for treatment and will go to the Pasteur Institute later.

The autopsy showed that Marsh died of hydrophobia. There was no sign of poisoning by drugs.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the regular annual general meeting of the shareholders of the Southwestern Traction Company will be held at the office of the company in the Bank of Toronto building in the City of Toronto, Canada, on Monday, the 1st day of June, A. D. 1908, at the hour of 1 o'clock in the afternoon, to hear the report of the directors and to elect directors and auditors, and to transact all such other business as may be lawfully dealt with at and by the meeting. By order of the directors, T. H. LUSCOMBE, secretary.

COURT OF REVISION

The Court of Revision on the Assessment Roll of the Township of London will open in the Town Hall, Arva, on Friday, May 29, 1908, at 1 o'clock p.m.

All parties having business with the said court will please take notice.

MARY GRANT,
Clerk, London Township.

May 29, 1908.

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LONDON, FRIDAY, MAY 22.

NEW LIGHT ON THE POWER
CONTRACT.Mr. Beck and his allies should not
object to any fair analysis of the Ni-
agara power contract.They should not try to stampede the
council into ratifying an agreement
before it is thoroughly understood,
and when even the city solicitor is
not clear as to the meaning of one
vitally important clause.They should not refuse to publish
a document which concerns every
ratepayer in the city.It now seems to be established be-
yond a doubt that the sum of \$31,578
estimated by the commission as Lon-
don's share of the cost of operating,
maintaining, insuring the power lines
from the Falls, is an annual charge,
which will amount in thirty years to
nearly a million dollars. Mr. McEvoy
has examined the contract closely, and
enumerates five distinct annual
charges, for which the ratepayers are
responsible.

- 1.—Annual interest at 4 per
cent on \$571,080—London's
portion of cost of construc-
tion of transmission lines,
transforming stations and
works \$28,866
- 2.—Annual cost of renewals,
maintenance, repairs, insur-
ance and operating as esti-
mated by the agreement 31,578
- 3.—Annual interest at 4 per
cent on \$235,000, cost of Lon-
don's distributing station 9,400
- 4.—Annual depreciation of the
local plant and for renewal,
repairs, maintenance and in-
surance at 10 per cent per
annum 23,500
- 5.—Cost of operating local
plant, including labor 6,300

Here is a total annual liability of
\$89,944, without provision for sinking
funds, which would considerably in-
crease the annual liability for some
years.To these statements of fact, Mr.
Beck replies that the city's liability
to the hydro-electric commission,
which would be \$60,444 per annum,
as set forth in items 1 and 2 in the
above table, is included in the price
of the power sold to the municipality
by the commission. Consequently, he
argues, the municipality will pay the
commission with the money collected
from users of power, and the ratepay-
ers will not be required to put up a
farthing.The problem for the city will be to
sell sufficient power to meet not only
its obligations to the power commis-
sion, but all the charges of the local
distribution plant. There will be an
annual accounting, and if the city's
receipts from the sale of Niagara
power fall short of the expenditure, as
outlined in the preceding table, the
ratepayers will be taxed to make up
the difference. Hence the unfairness
of telling them that they assume no
financial responsibility.The corporation of the city of Lon-
don would have an active and strong-
ly-entrenched competitor in the Lon-
don Electric Company, whose wires
cover every portion of the city. The
municipal plant, for which the citi-
zens recently voted \$235,000, is only a
partial one, covering a limited area.
The great majority of the users of
electric light would not be reached by
it at the outset. It would be extend-
ed gradually, if it could undersell the
London Electric, but it would prob-
ably have to fight for every inch of
the way, as the private concern would
strain every resource before being
driven from the field. There is no
means of estimating even approxi-
mately the revenue of the city from
such an enterprise. Mr. Beck pro-
fesses to be certain of its feasibility
and financial success. His faith is not
shared by the Government to such an
extent that it will guarantee the mu-
nicipalities against loss or assume any
responsibility whatever.

LAW REFORM DROPPED.

In no particular have Mr. Whitney
and his colleagues displayed a greater
lack of sincerity than in the matter of
law reform.They told the electors in the last
campaign that this was to be one of
the first questions to receive their ear-
nest attention, should they be re-
turned to power. For three sessions
they made no reference to the subject.
In the fourth and last session the At-
torney-General introduced a measure
which was incontinentally dropped after
the first reading. When Mr. MacKay
introduced a resolution outlining a
comprehensive measure of legal reformit was hurriedly shelved by the Gov-
ernment. Here was an opportunity
for the Attorney-General, who had
been foremost in crying for law re-
form, to show that he had not been
merely hoodwinking the electors. They
naturally expected he would welcome
this offer of co-operation in carrying
out his pre-election promises. But,
no, he had not the courage to pro-
ceed.Doubtless, if the Whitney Govern-
ment is continued in power, this is one
of the matters which, if ever attend-
ed to at all, will be referred to a com-
mission of favorite lawyers.

PYNE'S LAME APOLOGIST.

Mr. Whitney's organ, the Toronto
News, makes a labored effort to place
Dr. Pyne's school bumbling on Mr.
MacKay's shoulders. One part of its
wretchedness, the News says, was sug-
gested by Mr. MacKay, and it holds
him equally guilty for the other part
because he allowed it to pass.In the same column of special plead-
ing, the News asserts that Dr. Pyne
found the schools in a very "emascul-
ated and anaemic condition." Many
of the teachers were holders of "mere-
ly temporary certificates." In the last
report to hand, issued by Dr. Pyne
himself, the number of such certifi-
cates is given at 1,700, the largest by
far ever reported in the Province of
Ontario. For the first time in the his-
tory of the Province the number of
male teachers is below 2,000.The Toronto News' list of qualifica-
tions of Dr. Pyne and his official staff
really condemns them by advertising
the insignificance of the parts they
have played in relation to the public
schools. In respect to one of the staff,
Mr. Goggin, it should have spoken of
his experience in stumping against the
separate school clauses of the auton-
omy bill. But, in truth, if the reading-
books he is getting out are not of a
much higher merit than his tirades
against the school clauses of the
autonomy bill, the less the News says
of his record the better.

ONE "HIRELING" FEWER.

Mr. Whitney's abusive tongue and
reckless use of language, which are
habitual, led him to do a great injus-
tice to a number of public-spirited citi-
zens in his opening speech at Ham-
ilton. He tried to discount the attacks
of the Toronto Globe by stigmatizing
its president and editor as "hirelings"
of his own Government. Senator Jaf-
fray, the president, has been a member
of the Niagara parks commission for
many years, a post which carries no
emoluments. He wished to resign with
the change of Government, but con-
sented to remain at the request of
Mr. Whitney and Hon. Mr. Reaume.
The editor of the Globe also is one of
the governors of Toronto University,
appointed by the Whitney Govern-
ment, an office which likewise carries
no salary. Both of these men have
given freely of their time and services
to the Province, and their reward is
the epithet "hireling." Members of
both political parties, who serve on
the Niagara Parks and the University
boards, share in the Premier's abuse.Senator Jaffray has tendered his
resignation, and has thereby invited a
fresh insult from the Premier. The
latter professes that his use of the
word "hireling" was a joke and was
understood as such by the audience.
He says he is surprised to find Mr.
Jaffray "the wearer of so thin a
skin" in view of the conduct of his
newspaper in "vilifying and traducing
men who are at least your peers, and
who are also at least easily your
equals in every quality which goes to
make up good citizens and good men."
Senator Jaffray makes the following
rejoinder:"To your excuse for the use of the
word 'hireling' I reply that it was a
silly joke, and, let me say, quite
unworthy of one occupying your
position. You say it was regarded
as a joke by your Hamilton audi-
ence. This was not so, nor was it
considered even by some of your
own colleagues. Further, it was re-
garded as an evidence of that temper
and want of courtesy which you too
often exhibit in Parliament and out
of it.""You complain of the criticisms of
the Globe, particularly during the
last month or two. Compared with
the criticisms made by the organ of
your party on Liberal statements in
the House, they are certainly not open to
censure, and, to use your own term,
you must be exceedingly thin-skinned,
or you would not have referred to the
matter.""While I have left the commission
with regret, because of the splendid
work it has done for Ontario, I am
glad to know that hereafter I cannot
be cited as an official of a Govern-
ment which has forfeited all claims
upon the support of the people of
Ontario."Mr. Jaffray and Mr. Macdonald, as
honorable men, did not dream that
the Whitney Government would have
stooped so low as to try to make party
capital of their appointments. They
are now disillusioned. Times Daifios,
etc.Why doesn't Mr. Beck's organ pub-
lish that power contract?An unprincipled gerrymander could
be the offspring only of unprincipled
politicians.It is satisfactory to know that the
crops are in grand shape, and not
worrying about the election.If the Whitney Government had no
other sin than the gerrymander, itshould be kicked out of office for that
alone.The Conservatives are making a
savage onslaught on the Ross rifle.
Their pet aversion used to be the Ross
Bible.Imagine Mr. Beck's fool organ try-
ing to bulldoze the council into sign-
ing a contract, which even the city
solicitor could not unravel!It is reported that an \$5-pound
sturgeon was caught near Ottawa
yesterday, but it may be only another
of those Opposition fish stories.In Toronto five out of six gas
meters tested by the Government were
slow, or in favor of the consumer. The
morality of the gas meter may be
higher than its reputation.The Free Press rebukes The Adver-
tiser for referring to the power con-
tract as a million-dollar scheme. The million-dollar scheme.Prize Essay Winners in Schools
In D. of E. Annual CompetitionMrs. Leonard Greatly Pleased
With the Showing of the
Scholars.The prize-winners of the Daugh-
ters of the Empire essay competition
have just been announced by Mrs.
Leonard, regent.The winners in grade VII of the
public schools, are as follows:
Abbeville School—Harold Anau-
son.Colborne Street—velyn Bloomfield.
Chesley Avenue School—Evan
James.Empress Avenue School—Gussie
Taylor.
Grand Avenue School—Stella George.
Lorne Avenue School—Mattie Rob-
inson.Princess Avenue School—Gertrude
Williams, VII. (a), Marion Fisher,
VII. (b).Rectory Street—Helen Thompson.
Simcoe Street—Gladys Webb, VII.
(a), Frieda Webb, VII. (b).St. George's—Nelson Minchinick.
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Advertiser, like the city solicitor, was
misled as to its real cost. It is a two-
tract as a million-dollar scheme. The million-dollar scheme.The winners in the separate schools
are as follows:
Sacred Heart—Joseph Murray.
St. Peter's—Ralph Brennan.
St. Mary's—Lewis McCaughey.

Special Prizes.

Two special prizes were given Miss
Zimmerman's school and were award-
ed as follows:
Senior Prize—Miss Eunice Young.
Junior Prize—Miss Brown.The prizes were Canadian books of
history and fiction and poetry and
were very pretty indeed.

Mrs. Leonard Pleased.

"The essay contest evoked a very
gratifying interest," said Mrs. Leon-
ard. "The children entered into the
competition most enthusiastically, and
they did excellent work. I am sure it
is highly pleasing to the Daughters of
the Empire. The work is really a good
one. It creates an interest in one's
own country, and the stirring scenes
that have been enacted in the past, and
it is bound to have a great influence
on the boys and girls in the future.
Personally I am much pleased with the
contest."

Prizes Presented.

The prizes were all presented in the
schools this morning, with the excep-
tion of the domestic science prizes,
which will be given out at the annual
picnic.

Richard Powell Committed for Trial

"It was just a case of too much
liquor," said Richard Powell, of London
Township, a few days ago. It is
alleged, he walked off with a number
of blankets, and his employer's valu-
able collie dog.The blankets were recovered from
local pawnshops and the dog was
found in company with Powell, who
was picked up in a partially intoxi-
cated condition in Pottersburg.

Powell was employed as farmhand

Work Commenced.

Work has commenced on the Isola-
tion Hospital, so A. Stewart, chair-
man of the committee, reports. The
foundation work has been started by
Mr. Thomas W. Copp. "We will get it
through in time, if it is at all possi-
ble," said Ald. Stewart.

NO LIGHTS AT EGBERTON ST.

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The brakeman was south of the
cars.There was no light or brakeman on
the cars.The brakeman called out when the
buggy was about four tracks from
the one on which the accident oc-
curred.Witness did not see the cars until
after the rig passed him.It was a very misty night and hard
to distinguish objects.Witness saw the brakeman before
he saw the car.The cars cleared the street before
stopping.Witness was walking on the east
side of the street.

No City Lights.

The city lights on the south side
were not burning.The rig had crossed several tracks
before the brakeman called.Witness heard someone scream, but
did not know who it was.City Engineer Graydon stated that
on the night in question he had given
Mr. Hunt instructions not to light the
lights. These instructions were given
early in the evening about 5:45 o'clock.

The Switchman.

Ell Heatherly, a G. T. R. switch-
man, said the accident occurred at
10:05.There is fully as much switching
done at night as in the day time.There was no moonlight and the air
was very misty.On nights like that witness stands
at crossings to protect people.He had no instructions to do so. His
mate does the switching.Some night a great many people
cross, but on that night not very many
passed.He was standing south of the track
and saw the accident.The cars were then about 15 feet
back.He saw the rig when it was about
150 feet from the track.The cars were then about 40 feet away
from the crossing then. He warned
the people in the rig when he saw
they were going to try and cross.He swung his lamp, and called
"Look out there," twice and whistled.The cars were then about 15 feet
away and were moving about three
miles an hour.The cars were not "out" until after
the accident, and continued to run
nearly a car length.The cars passed over Miss Rowed.
Witness was supposed to be on the
end of the car, but was on the cross-
ing.

Witness was there as long as the

engine was there.

Cause of Death.

Dr. Seaborn, the company's physi-
cian, said death was due to the direct
violence sustained in being run over,
the body being severed between the
chest and abdomen, and both arms
being severed.Ellis Perry, another G. T. R. switch-
man, who was working with Switch-
man Heatherly, said that at the time
of the accident a train was being
made up.He offered similar evidence regard-
ing it.He had given Switchman Heatherly
orders some time ago to watch the
crossings.He heard Heatherly call out, but
did not know what for.There is no watchman on the shunt-
ing tracks particularly.The nearest electric light is about
80 feet south of where the accident
happened.Mr. Cowan told witness he did not
know who it was that was killed.Witness did not see Heatherly give
any signal with his lantern to stop.

The Engineer.

Engineer Thomas Stanfield, who was
in charge of the engine, also tes-
tified, and said he was going about
five miles an hour when the accident
happened. The bell was ringing.Fireman Lorenzo Brown also tes-
tified, giving similar evidence.Yardmaster John Cloghessy, who has
charge of the yards, said it was a
standing order that no night watch-
man was on duty after 7 o'clock. He
had never had any instructions to put
any other man on there.

The Jury.

The jury were composed as follows:
D. Tapp (foreman), George Leitch, J.
Whale, W. Webb, W. Fox, W. Will-
cox, E. J. Lortie, C. Fitzgerald, D. J.
Cantelon, Wm. Collins, A. Dayton and
M. Scarrow.

EAST LAMBTON LIBERALS

Continued From Page One.

The elections were close at hand,
and it was necessary to get to work
immediately.

An Appreciation.

Before the convention took up the
matter of nomination Mr. S. Bailey,
of Plympton, the vice-president,
moved the following resolution: That
the Reform Association here assem-
bled hereby puts on record its high
appreciation of the late Montagu A.
A. Smith, as a man, as a citizen, and
as a life-long and loyal member of the
Reform party, and president of this
association for 20 years. It profound-
ly deprecates his untimely end, and
hereby extends its deepest sympathy
to all other relatives and friends."The resolution was seconded by Dr.
Coghlan, of Wyoming. Both speakers
spoke feelingly of the late Mr. Smith.The resolution was carried by a
standing vote, amid profound silence.

The Nominations.

The vice-president of the associa-
tion then took the chair, and nomi-
nations were received. Among those
nominated were Mr. John Cowan,
K.C., Sarnia; Mr. Charles Jenkins, Pe-
trolea; Mr. H. J. Pettipiece, Forest;
Mr. R. J. McCormick, Warwick; Mr.
D. White, Bosanquet; W. J. McCor-
nick, Warwick; Dr. Coghlan, Wyom-
ing; W. Young and others.Mr. John Cowan was not a candi-
date. He made a feeling reference to
the late candidate, Mr. Montagu Smith,
with whom he had been associated for
many years. He had always found Mr.
Smith a gentleman of the very best
type, and a man it was a delight to
know. He regretted more than he
could express the untimely end of Mr.
Smith. It was a serious blow to the
Liberals of East Lambton. The speak-
ing then referred to the issues of the
day, and especially condemned the

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Watkins, St. Thomas.

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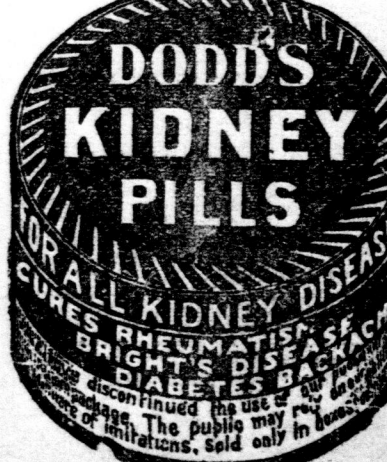
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three-fifths clause of Mr. Whitney's
temperance bill, in order to congre-
gate the party on its unanimity, and
predicted the election of the candidate
of the convention.Mr. Charles Jenkins, of Petrolea,
was not a candidate. He also spoke of
the devotion of Mr. Smith to the cause
of Liberalism, and was much pained
and shocked when he heard of his
death. He congratulated the party on
its unanimity, and predicted a most
successful campaign.

Mr. Pettipiece.

Mr. H. J. Pettipiece was given a
hearty reception on arising. He had
been urged by many to allow his name
to stand before the convention, but for
business and personal reasons he
would not stand. Mr. Pettipiece made
a most touching reference to Mr. A.
Smith, with whom he had been asso-
ciated most intimately for over twenty
years. Mr. Smith was a man who
would have redeemed East Lambton
beyond question. He was delighted to
note the unanimity of the convention,
and was confident that the nominee
would be successful on June 8. So far
as he was concerned, he would do his
very best to elect the nominee. Mr.
Pettipiece spoke on his railway tax-
ation bill, and referred to the duplicity
of the Whitney Administration in this
matter. When in Opposition Mr.
Whitney had avowed the bill, but
when he assumed power he refused to
maintain the promises made while in
Opposition, with the result that the
farmers and other taxpayers were
most unjustly discriminated against.
Mr. Whitney was no longer worthy of
the confidence of the people, and
should be defeated.The other candidates withdrew,
leaving only the name of Mr. McCor-
nick before the convention. On motion
of Mr. D. White, Bosanquet, and
Mr. H. J. Pettipiece, the nomination
was made unanimous.

An Ovation.

Mr. McCormick was given a tre-
mendous ovation on arising. He
thanked the convention for the honor
done him, and considered it a great
honor indeed to be the nominee of the
Liberal party in East Lambton. The
time was very short for the campaign,but he trusted that all the Liberals in
the party would do their best to elect
him. He would do his best, and was
confident of success."The party was never in better
shape than it is at present," declared
Mr. McCormick. "I am confident that
we will win, and East Lambton will
once more be enrolled among the Lib-
eral constituencies."Mr. McCormick said he could not
hold many public meetings, but would
do his best to meet all the electors in
the riding.The nominee is a farmer, and has
lived in Warwick for many years. He
was born in Ireland, coming to Can-
ada while quite young, and had gone
into farming and brickmaking, and had
soon amassed a considerable fortune.
He is considered one of the most sub-
stantial citizens of Warwick Town-
ship. Mr. McCormick has had a wide
municipal experience and was coun-
cillor and reeve of Warwick Township
for many years. He ran for the pro-
vincial House against Mr. P. D. Mc-
Callum in the nineties, but was de-
feated by a small majority. Mr. Mc-
Callum is a splendid canvasser and
organizer, and should redeem the rid-
ing.The convention broke up with cheers
for Mr. McCormick, Hon. A. G. Mac-
Kay, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and the
King.

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THE CRIMSON BLIND

BY FRED M. WHITE

"Why not?" Miss Lee asked. "When an attempt of that sort is made it is usually followed by another, sometimes after the lapse of years. Anybody getting through that window could easily get the frame from its two nails and take out the paper."

"Do you think so?" Littimer asked, uneasily. "I am certain of it. Take my advice and make it secure. The panels behind are hard wood—thick black oak. Lord Littimer, I am going to get four brass-headed stays and drive them through some of the open ornamental work into the panel, so as to make the picture quite secure. It is an iron frame, I suppose."

"Wrought-iron, gilt," said Littimer. "Yes, one could easily drive four brass-headed stays through the open work and make the thing safe. I'll have it seen to."

But Miss Lee insisted that there was no time like the present. She had discovered that Littimer had an excellent carpenter's shop on the premises; indeed, she admitted to being no mean performer with the lathe herself. She fitted down the stairs light as a thistle-down.

"A charming girl," Littimer said, cynically. "I wonder why she came to this dull hole? A quarrel with her young man, perhaps. If I were a young man myself I might—But women are all the same. I should be a happier man if I had never trusted one."

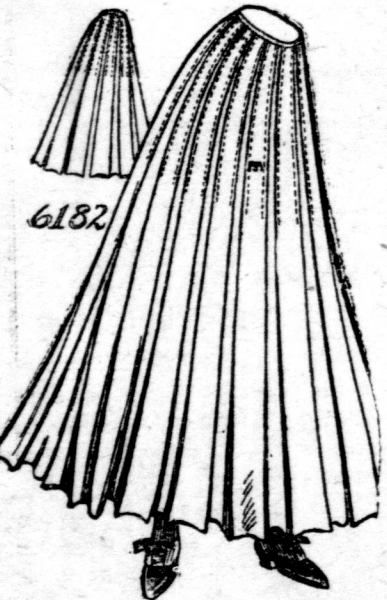
The face darkened; a heavy scowl lined his brows as he paced up and down. Christabel came back presently with hammer and some brass-headed stays in her hand.

"Don't utterly destroy the frame," Littimer said, resignedly. "It is reputed to be Quentin Matsy's work, and I had it cut to its present fashion. I'll go to the end of the gallery till the executioner's axe."

"On the contrary," Miss Lee said, firmly, "you will stay where you are told."

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Littimer spoke evenly and quietly, with his eyes full upon the girl. He was deceiving himself, but he was not deceiving her for a moment. His calmness seemed to be all the more marked because the servants were in the room. But Christabel could see clearly what an effort it was.

"You love your wife still," she said, so low that only Littimer heard. His eyes flashed, his face flamed with a sudden spasm of passion.

"Are we to quarrel so early as this?" he whispered.

"I never quarrel," Christabel said, coolly; "I leave my antagonist to do that. But I have met your son, and I like him. He may be weak, but he is a gentleman. You have made a mistake, and some day you will be sorry for it. Do you grow those orchids yourself?"

Littimer laughed, with no sign of anger remaining. All at once, said, Christabel could see that his thin brown hand was shaking. She noticed the lines that pain had given under those shrewd black eyes.

"You must see my orchids," he said. "Most of the specimens I obtained myself. They tell me I have at least three unique kinds. And now, if you will permit me, I am going to smoke. The drawing-room is at your disposal, though I rarely enter it myself. I always retire at 11, but that need not bind you in any way. It has been altogether a most delightful evening."

But Christabel did not dally long in the drawing room. As she went up stairs and along the corridor she heard the snapping of the electric lights all over the house as the servants were preparing to retire. She paused just a moment in the alcove where the precious Rembrandt was and looked carefully at the position of the switch there. Then she retired to her own room, where she changed her dress for a simple black gown. A big clock somewhere was striking 12 as she finished. She looked out of her door. The whole house was in darkness, the silence seemed to cling like a curtain.

She paused for a moment as if afraid to take the next step. If it was fear, she shook it aside resolutely and crept into the corridor. She carried something shining in her hands—something that gleamed in the dim, uncertain light from the big window. She stood just for an instant with a feeling that somebody was climbing up the ivy outside the house. She felt her way along until she came to the alcove containing the Rembrandt and then she stopped. Her hand slid along the wall till her fingertips touched the switch of the electric light.

She stood for a long time there perfectly motionless. It was a still night outside, and there was nothing to account for the rustling of the ivy leaves. The rattling came in jerks, spasmodically, stopping every now and then and resuming again. It was no longer a matter of imagination, it was a certainty. Somebody was climbing up the ivy to the window.

Leaning eagerly forward, Christabel could hear the sound of labored breathing. She seemed to see the outline of an arm outside, she could catch the quick rattle of the sash, she could almost see a bent wire crooked round the beaded edges of the casement. She was right. The window swung noiselessly back and a figure stood poised on the ledge outside.

With a quick breath and a fluttering of her heart Christabel felt for the switch.

"It will be all right," she murmured; "the other one will fancy that the light is necessary. Courage, my dear, courage, and the game is yours. Ah!"

The intruder dropped inside and pulled the window behind him. Evidently he was on familiar ground, though he seemed to be seeking an unfamiliar object. Christabel's hand stole along to the switch; there was a click, and the light was bathed in brilliant light. The intruder shrank back with a startled cry. He rubbed his dazzled eyes.

"Why not come in through the front door, Mr. Littimer?" Christabel drawled, coolly.

Frank Littimer had no words for a moment. He was wondering who this woman was and what she was doing here. American, evidently, by her accent, and also by the revolver that she handled so assuredly.

"That is the way you used to enter," Christabel proceeded, "when you had been out contrary to parental instructions and the keepers expected to have a fracas with the poachers. Your bedroom being exactly opposite, detection was no easy matter. Your bedroom has never been touched since you left. The key is still outside the door. Will you kindly enter it?"

"But I assure you that I cannot—"

"Take the Rembrandt away. You cannot. The frame is of iron, and it is fastened to the wall. It would take an experienced carpenter quite a long time to remove it. Therefore your mission has failed. It is very awkward, because it puts the other man in a very awkward position. The position is going to be still more awkward presently. Please go to your room."

"My father knows that I am in the house—"

"He is not going to know that you are in the house, at least not for some little time. And when you see him it will be better not to say more than is necessary. Later on you will recognize what a friend I am to you."

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A LEGACY FOR ROOSEVELT

\$10,000 of Reclus's \$500,000 Estate Left the American President.

Boston, May 21.—Upon the authority of a new will and two codicils, which have just been discovered and which provide for the bequest of \$10,000 to President Roosevelt, depends the distribution of the \$500,000 estate left by Benjamin Hadley, an eccentric recluse, who was found dead in his home in Spemerville last December.

If the new documents are genuine, and that point is to be determined by the courts, all of the estate, with the exception of the \$10,000 bequest to the President, will be distributed among the English relatives of the testator.

Mr. Hadley, who died alone in his home as the result of a fall down stairs, had never ridden on a train or attended a church or theater.

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A DRASTIC DECISION

Cut Tolls in Half and M. C. R. Must Refund Excess Charges.

Toronto, May 21.—The board of railway commissioners dealt drastically with the Michigan Central Railway Company yesterday, after hearing a complaint from the John Campbell Milling Company, of St. Thomas, that the railroad company were charging a rate of \$6 per car for interswitching cars from the G. T. R. over 400 feet of track to their mill.

Mr. Chairman Mabey said the company had been given every opportunity to justify the toll, but had failed to do so, and made the following order:

"The order of the board, therefore, will be that the charges for switching cars by the Pere Marquette from the Grand Trunk shall be three dollars per car, and the tolls of the Grand Trunk for handling cars from the point of connection with the Pere Marquette, or cars delivered to the Michigan Central by the Pere Marquette, shall be two dollars per car."

The board further feels that in view of the large amount which has been paid in tolls by the complainants, it would be only just for the railway companies to refund to the complainants the difference between the tolls they have been charged and the figures indicated by the board from the date when such large tolls were put in force down to the date of the order."

TOBACCO TRUSTS' DEFENSE

Counsel Says Is Not a Parallel Case to the Northern Securities.

New York, May 21.—Counsel of the American Tobacco Company continued their arguments today before the judges of the United States circuit court in the suit of the Government against the company for alleged violations of the Sherman anti-trust law. Delaney Nicoll took up the argument today and devoted much time to an explanation of the contention of the defense that the facts in the Northern Securities case and the Tobacco Company action are quite different in their purport. The Securities Company was a mere holding company, he said, while in the Tobacco case the corporation became the bona fide purchasers of the properties of the constituent concerns, and engaged substantially and in good faith in accordance with their chartered powers in the business previously conducted by the smaller concerns.

It is likely that the arguments will continue at least through the remainder of the present week.

BORN IN A FREIGHT CAR.

Mooselaw, Sask., May 21.—Wishing to avoid having to pay railroad fare, a settler secured his wife in a car-load of household effects, which he was shipping from Cupar to Regina. When the car was opened it was found that the woman had given birth to a child.

The woman and child were removed to the hospital at Regina, and at last reports are getting along well.

EXCHANGED FLAGS.

St. John, N. B., May 21.—School children at Sydney, Australia, and Sydney, Cape Breton, some little time ago sent each other British flags to float over their respective school houses. Tomorrow three thousand Cape Breton schools will assemble to salute the Antipodean present, while in far-off Australia thousands of other children will observe Empire Day by a similar tribute towards the Cape Breton flag.

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Temperance League and Camp Statement Issued To the Press

Chap. Hodgins Criticised for His
Recent Letter Published
in London.

At the annual meeting of the London Temperance League held on Tuesday evening, the president and treasurer were requested to issue a statement in reply to what had appeared in the press regarding the league's responsibility for the removal of the camp from London to Goderich. The following has been handed out.

Removal of Camp.
The effort to place a large share of the blame for the removal of the camp from London to Goderich upon Mr. D. A. McDermid, the honored secretary of the London Temperance League, calls for a statement on the part of his fellow-workers. It is well that the public should know that the removal of the camp from London to Goderich, which appeared in a local paper of May 18, entirely misrepresents Mr. McDermid's course in relation to the camp. The unseemly bitterness of Mr. Hodgins leaves the writer open to the suspicion that he wilfully closed his eyes to facts that are incontrovertible, and seeks by abusing Mr. McDermid and the league, and by childish complaint against citizens and press reporters, to evade the real issue.

Didn't Write Letters.
Mr. McDermid did not "write letters to the press from year to year, charging the officers and men of the camp with drunkenness and other misconduct," as falsely stated in Mr. Hodgins' letter. What Mr. McDermid did was to point out that the Government regulations relating to the sale of liquor in camps were being violated. These regulations are as follows:

"Nothing in the King's regulations and orders for the army, so far as they relate to the establishment of canteens, is to be understood as permitting the sale within the limits of camp grounds, during the annual training of the militia of Canada, of liquors of any kind; their sale within such limits being strictly prohibited."

Officers Responsible.
"Officers commanding camps of instruction will be held responsible that the above order is carried out, and they, together with officers commanding units of active militia, will, in these districts where the law so directs, be liable to prosecution, in respect of any liquor sold in tents or any other premises, subject to their control, in addition to such other penalty as may be inflicted for a breach of military discipline."

Alleged Violation.
If Mr. Hodgins is as conversant with facts as he claims to be, he will know that these regulations have been violated at the London camp. He cannot deny it in face of the finding of a board of officers assembled during one of the camps, and concerning whose report the acting deputy minister of militia and defense wrote as follows:

"I may say for your information that the report of the board of officers was that beer was being sold, and that immediately upon receipt of their report, the minister issued instructions requiring that the regulations respecting the sale of liquor, including beer, should be rigidly enforced. I may say further for your information, that the minister of militia and defense is doing all he can to prevent the sale of liquor in camps."

Abolish Canteen or No Enlistment Methodists Take Drastic Action

Strong Resolution Passed By
District Council at Hyatt
Avenue Church.

At the annual meeting of the London District Methodist Church which closed yesterday at Hyatt Avenue Church the following resolution regarding the liquor traffic was brought in by Rev. Geo. McAllister, of the Centennial Methodist Church, and unanimously adopted. It will be sent to the Dominion Government.

"Whereas the citizens of every province in the Dominion are engaged in a hand-to-hand contest with the liquor traffic and are indicating in unmistakable fashion their enmity to this practical business. Under these circumstances it is not too much to ask that our National Government shall make diligent effort to avoid all direct complicity with this banned traffic. In this connection we ask your careful consideration of the following:

"Despite loud and long continued protests on the part of the people, our citizen soldiers are still regularly educated to look upon intoxicants as an inseparable accompaniment of the military profession. The handbook of instruction for officers abounds with the etiquette of their course. The sale of liquor is an integral part of military school life. Consequently, while the raw recruit is being taught to handle firearms, he is at the same time being trained into the drink habit by the example and precepts of his superiors, and by the insidious temptations of the handy and government-owned bar. What wonder if this deadly intoxication—gunpowder and rum—occasionally shocks the public with a tragedy such as that recently enacted at the Woileys Barracks."

The Moir Case.
"I was drunk," says Pte. Moir. "He got his liquor at an outside resort," say the officers.

"But how did he and hundreds of other young soldiers, have their drink appetites fostered, and in many cases, created? The answer is not far from the press reports (that were never cor-

Comment the Minister.
Is it not strange that in view of such a law and the acknowledged violation of it, Mr. Hodgins has the boldness to heap abuse upon those who are seeking to aid the Minister of Militia in his commendable efforts to prevent the sale of liquor in camps. How different the attitude of the minister himself, who has expressed his hearty sympathy with the league in its desire to see the regulations enforced.

The thinking public will not be misled by Mr. Hodgins' rash statements concerning what temperance people did not do, and his silence regarding what they actually did, viz., prove to the satisfaction of a board of officers and the militia department that liquor had been sold at the London camp contrary to the King's regulations. If Mr. Hodgins will let this fact sink into his mind, he will probably be more careful in his statements in future.

What Was Seen?
But the chaplain of the Thirty-third does not stop with his abuse of the secretary of the Temperance League. His letter goes on to say: "I have no doubt, too, that none of your citizens who have been on the grounds, and have had an opportunity of seeing for themselves, ever came to our defense." This is an unintentional compliment to the citizens of London, who evidently did not care to come to the defense of law-breaking. Scores of citizens who have visited the grounds are convinced that the regulations have been flagrantly violated and have too high a sense of honor to attempt a defense of what the Government regulations forbid and right-thinking people condemn.

Press Blamed.
Even the press reporters do not escape Mr. Hodgins' censure, but are blamed for not coming to the rescue. The reporters doubtless were aware of actual conditions, and the silence on their part complained of by the chaplain was most significant.

The chaplain concludes his letter with an unbecoming complaint that the citizens of London have not shown the military officers the slightest courtesy and assumes that London has been highly favored by the presence of the camp. Doubtless a few merchants have profited by the coming of the camp from year to year, and all will regret the loss of any legitimate business. If, however, the removal of the camp is due to the request that the King's regulations be observed, and the feeling on the part of the officers that London has lacked in hospitality as Mr. Hodgins' letter indicates, then, as Mr. Hodgins has stated to the press by Rev. James Rollins, the officers desire a free hand in the conduct of the camp. While sworn to defend the law the first to countenance its violation, which is anything but a wholesome example to place before the young men of the country.

Stand of the League.
The London Temperance League, which includes in its membership workingmen, manufacturers, business and professional men, representing all religious denominations, has for one of its objects, law enforcement. In his efforts to carry out the policy of the league, the secretary has had the cordial approval of the membership and the commendation of citizens generally who have had the facts placed before them. The officers and members of the league will therefore continue to serve the best interests of the city by seeking the enforcement of all laws which have for their object the moral welfare of the community. (Signed)
D. S. HAMILTON, President.
J. H. BOWMAN, Treasurer.

seek and has already been indicted. "Therefore, resolved that we, believing that there is no more reason (and much more danger) for a bar at a military school than at Toronto University, of the Agricultural College, or any of our medical institutions, call upon the Government of this country to cut the connection now existing, by Government regulation, between the profession of arms and the drink traffic."

London and the Military.
"We would further call attention to the singular and very strange relations prevailing at London between the military authorities and the temperance people."

"The Government regulations forbidding the sale of intoxicants at summer encampments have been each year openly violated on Carling's Heights. Ever since 1902 the churches and temperance organizations of the city have been directing public attention to this abuse, which was perfectly well known to the citizens, which had been established in the civil courts, and which was admitted by the verdict of the military court of inquiry held in 1906. Again, last year, while a similar court was in session, witnesses of undoubted veracity testified that they had personally seen beer sold to privates, and that such sale was matter of common knowledge throughout the city."

"During all these years of effort at law enforcement, the community was treated to the spectacle of the military representatives of the Government, publicly denouncing and deriding the enactment they were called upon, by their voluntarily assumed obligations, to uphold and enforce."

The Camp.
"Again and again the officers at the London camp declared that if not left in peace to override the regulations, they would see that the camp was removed to Goderich."

"At the close of the 1907 camp these gentlemen—so completely out of sympathy with the sentiment of this country as a whole—united in a petition to the department at Ottawa, to place the 1908 camp elsewhere. By press reports (that were never cor-

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THE C. P. R. WITHDRAWS

Deadlock at Winnipeg in Effort To Settle Difficulty With Employees.

Winnipeg, May 21.—After occupying several days in a vain attempt to reach an understanding in regard to the area of jurisdiction, the arbitration board, appointed under the Le-mieux act, to adjust differences between the Canadian Pacific Railway and its mechanical staff, this morning presented a majority report declaring that the board had jurisdiction over the entire system, both east and west of the great lakes. This view was taken by Chairman McDonald, the master-in-chambers of King's bench, who was appointed by the department of labor after the other two had failed to agree on a chairman, and by Mr. Somerville, representative of the men.

On delivery of this decision, Grant Hall, superintendent of motive power on the C. P. R., addressed the court and announced on behalf of the company that they would withdraw.

Mr. Pullerton, K.C., representative of the C. P. R. on the arbitration board, said that when he was appointed to represent the company it was on the understanding that only the grievances of western employees would be considered. He then left the court.

"The master and Somerville are continuing the sitting and hearing evidence of the unions interested. It is impossible to say whether a strike will be precipitated or whether the C. P. R. will accept the situation and appoint another representative representing interests for the whole system."

Wm. Anderson, ex-M.P.P., for East Peterboro, is dead. He was not a candidate for re-election. He was a Liberal.

TRAVELERS' GUIDE

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

SARNIA TUNNEL TO SUSPENSION BRIDGE AND TORONTO.

Arrive from the east—*3:50 a.m., *10:56 a.m., *11:12 a.m., *11:23 a.m., *6:25 p.m., *7:48 p.m., 10 p.m.
Arrive from the west—*2:09 a.m., *3:15 a.m., *11:13 a.m., 1:10 p.m., *4:10 p.m., 6:25 p.m.

Depart for the east—*12:14 a.m., *3:20 a.m., 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m., *11:23 a.m., 2:05 p.m., *4:25 p.m., *6:53 p.m. (Eastern Flyer).

The trains leaving at 7:30 a.m. and 2:05 p.m. stop at all stations.

Depart for the west—*3:55 a.m., 7:40 a.m., *11:18 a.m., *11:35 a.m., 1:40 p.m., *8:05 p.m.

The 7:40 a.m. and the 1:40 p.m. trains stop at all stations.

LONDON AND WINDSOR.

Arrive—10:40 a.m., *4 p.m., *6:50 p.m. (Eastern Flyer), 11 p.m.

Depart—6:25 a.m., *11:27 a.m., 2:20 p.m., *7:55 p.m. (International Limited).

STRATFORD BRANCH.

Arrive—*3:15 a.m., 11:15 a.m., 1:30 p.m., 6:35 p.m., 11:10 p.m.

Depart—6:10 a.m., 11 a.m., 2:50 p.m., 5 p.m.

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Arrive—10 a.m., 6:10 p.m.

Depart—8:30 a.m., 4:50 p.m.

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Those not so marked run daily except Sunday.

PERE MARQUETTE RAILWAY.

Depart—5:40 a.m., *6:50 a.m., 9:45 a.m., 2:30 p.m., *3:40 p.m., 7:35 p.m.

Arrive—3:45 a.m., *12:15 p.m., 1:50 p.m., 4:40 a.m., *9:20 p.m., 10:30 p.m.

*To and from Walkerville, without change. Trains not "starred" to Port Stanley. Between London and St. Thomas only.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY.

Arrive—6:55 a.m., 11:10 a.m., 5:10 p.m., 9:50 p.m.

Depart—7:15 a.m., 2:20 p.m., 5:35 p.m., 10:25 p.m.

*Runs through to Waterford.

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Arrive—From the east *11:30 a.m., 8 p.m., *11 p.m. From the west—*4:30 a.m., *8:20 a.m., *5:20 p.m.

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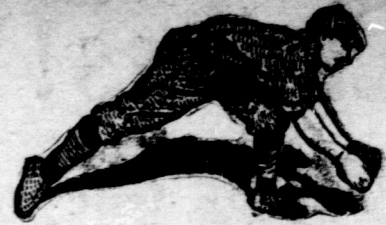
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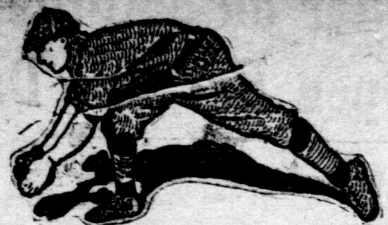
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CRISPIN TAKES SECOND RACE

Defeated Jack Davidson at Jubilee Rink Last Night By Fifteen Feet.

The tables were turned last night when George Crispin, of London, and Jack Davidson, Toronto, met in the second of the match races between the pair, Crispin winning by about fifteen feet.

It was nip and tuck all the way, though, and the Londoner had to extend himself to defeat the visitor. Jack Harper, St. Thomas, acted as judge for Crispin, while J. Campbell, St. Thomas, officiated for Davidson. W. Woods, London, refereed the contest, which was witnessed by a good sized crowd.

Tonight Crispin and Davidson meet in St. Thomas in the third and deciding race, the winner taking down a \$100 side bet and a purse.

Crispin dropped into The Advertiser office today and stated that he was confident of trimming Davidson, but admitted that he was a foeman worthy of his steel.

Y. M. C. A. HANDICAPS FOR VICTORIA DAY

Entries for the Y. M. C. A. handicap to be run on Victoria Day at 10:30 a.m. close tonight, and the work of allotting handicaps will begin as soon as the last entry is in.

Messrs. Mel Brock, C. Wickert and Walter Bryce will do the handicapping, and it is certain to be done well. The entry list promises to be a big one and with liberal handicaps to the green runners the experienced men will have to go all the way to get within the prizes. The course will be about two miles and a half in length.

CURRENT SPORTING GOSSIP

BY SOUTHPAW

The feature of this afternoon's sport at Tecumseh Park will be Mayor Stevely's spittball and Magistrate Love's miff of the same. According to the programme, this excellent battery is scheduled to be derided in the first inning.

For the first time this season the Detroit Tigers were yesterday treated to a taste of kalsomine. The best of 'em got it at times.

From the fans' standpoint, though, Waddell is funny, and each new erratic move on his part brings forth the query, "What next will that that fellow be up to?"

Waddell's latest move is to jump the St. Louis Americans. Rube says he wasn't treated right and that they can blacklist him if they want to. If they do he will starve to death, for he barely manages to live on the fat salary that baseball brings him in, and \$150 a day in a sewer would hardly keep him in seltzer.

The opinion that Tommy will beat the big black man is growing in favor. Burns is fast and clever and has a punch. Johnson has all of these things—added to his great bulk. But Burns

LONDON TAKES ONE FROM GUELPH

The Royal City's New Pitcher Hammered for Six Hits in Two Innings.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.				
STANDING OF THE CLUBS.				
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Guelph	1	1	.500	
London	1	1	.500	
Niagara Falls	1	1	.500	
Hamilton	1	1	.500	

Games Today.

Guelph at London.

Niagara Falls at Hamilton.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Guelph, Ont., May 22.—By allowing six hits in two innings, Pitcher Kehoe, who joined the local Internationals from Toronto, gave the Londoners the second game on the local grounds this season. Two of the runs were made in the fourth on two hits, and three others were added in the sixth, when four more hits were made.

Pitcher Shea took the box in the eighth, and in two innings struck out four men, allowing no hits, and in the last inning the side without a run, after allowing the first two men to get to first base. Score as follows:

GUELPH.				
A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.
McGuire, s. s.	4	1	1	0
Ames, 2 b.	4	1	1	0
Murray, c. f.	4	0	2	2
Paatz, 1 b.	4	0	2	1
Brusard, 3 b.	4	0	2	1
Bennett, f. c.	4	0	0	1
Murray, r. f.	4	0	0	1
Moran, c.	3	0	0	0
Kehoe, p.	2	0	0	0
Shea, p.	1	0	0	0
Totals	34	2	7	24

LONDON.				
A.B.	R.	H.	O.	A.
Keenan, 2 b.	5	1	2	4
Bird, s. s.	4	1	1	0
Johnson, 2 b.	3	0	0	1
Shortman, r. f.	4	1	1	0
Shantz, 1 b.	4	1	1	0
Kilneke, 1 b.	3	0	0	1
Jeffries, f. c.	3	0	0	1
Gates, c. f.	3	0	0	1
Payne, p.	4	0	0	2
Totals	30	4	6	27

Guelph.....002000000-2
London.....000020300-6

Umpire—Mullin.

Time—1:30.

Errors—None.

Stolen bases—None.

Left on bases—Washington 6, Detroit 3.

Struck out—By Burns 4, by Siever 3.

Time—1:30.

Umpire—Evans.

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DETROIT LOSES SOUTHPAW DUEL

Siever Loses To Burns in a One-Nothing Game—Big League Contests.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.				
STANDING OF THE CLUBS.				
	Won.	Lost.	P.C.	
New York	17	9	.652	
Philadelphia	13	12	.519	
Cleveland	12	13	.476	
Chicago	14	13	.519	
St. Louis	12	14	.462	
Detroit	11	15	.423	
Washington	11	15	.423	
Boston	9	17	.346	

Games Today.

Detroit at Washington.

Cleveland at Philadelphia.

Chicago at New York.

St. Louis at Boston.

Yesterday's Results.

Chicago 9, New York 2.

Washington 1, Detroit 0.

Philadelphia 1, Cleveland 0.

St. Louis-Boston game postponed; rain.

Washington, May 21.—It was strictly a struggle of southpaw side-wheelers, Siever vs. Burns, and Burns won by one, Washington shutting out Detroit, 1 to 0.

Only three Tigers reached first.

Only seven Senators arrived there in safety.

Only six hits were made, two by Detroit and four by Washington.

Only four walked.

Nobody was hit.

There were no errors on either side.

For those who like that kind of a game this was a peach. Still, if Jennings does not bring so many scalps home he certainly will reach Detroit with a sack full of money.

In spite of a sky black with threats and an occasional drizzle the bleachers were packed, while the other stands were almost all filled.

Never Even Threatened.

The champions never even threatened to score. In the first engagement Crawford singled cleanly to center, with two out, and the best Cobb could do after the audience had generously applauded his arrival at the plate was to pop a high one to short.

Second Coughlin walked and from that point to the ninth no inning saw more than three Tigers come to bat. In the last season Detroit raised the cry, "It's not too late yet—Mullin to bat."

And Mullin did go to bat for Siever, but he only mortified himself and apparently gratified a whole lot of people by striking out. After that McIntyre beat out an infield fly to McBride, but Schaefer and Crawford, although they both hit the ball almost to the fence, sent it directly into the fielders' hands.

Washington's lone tally was honestly earned. In the second inning Ganley singled and Delehanty sent him home with a two-base drive to the clubhouse in center field.

The fielding, though flawless, was not particularly striking, save in the fourth, when Delehanty made a high jump and bare-hand catch of one of those celebrated line drives of Ty Cobb's, a catch good for a column description in any Washington paper.

Jennings, in a neat blue serge suit, set in the front of the grandstand and passed the time in an occasional smiling exchange with the fans near him.

"Pretty sweet boy, that Burns, eh, Hughey?" said one of the gloating Washingtonians.

"I can't tell in one game," replied Jennings ineffectually.

"Why not?"

"Because to be the real thing he has got to go nine innings against us every time we face him for the season, and there are few of them who have done that. You know that, don't you?"

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Liberals, Register on Saturday Booths Open But One Day More

Up Till Last Night Seventeen Hundred and Seven Names Added To The Lists.

The registration vote yesterday was not so large as the day before, but nevertheless 558 voters were added to the list.

The grand total to date is 1,707.

The registration for the three days is as follows:

Tuesday, 536.
Wednesday, 613.
Thursday, 558.

The registration by divisions yesterday was as follows: No. 1, 77; No. 2, 122; No. 3, 78; No. 4, 79; No. 5, 57; No. 6, 82; No. 7, 62.

The registration booths will not be open today. They will be opened on Saturday, the last opportunity for registration in the campaign.

Registration on Saturday.

The booths will then be opened from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. and from 7:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. Let everybody register.

The attention of every Liberal is called to this fact.

Telephone 781 or call at Hyman Hall and see whether or not your name is on the list. If it is not, get it on, for every vote must be counted.

Take nothing for granted.

Take no chances, but find out.

The Qualifications.

The qualifications are as follows:

Twenty-one years of age.

A British subject.

A resident of Canada for one year.

A resident of London for three months prior to the last day of registration.

Get your name on the list.

Let every Liberal look to his franchise.

Queen of the Mardi Gras Festival

The London old boys will shortly start their election for the queen of the Mardi Gras festival.

Down south in New Orleans, the most popular ladies are selected as candidates and the voting starts and is kept up until the day fixed.

When the members go to have their tickets marked off, they will be given a ballot paper numbered the same as their tickets, which will entitle them to vote for the lady of their choice as queen of the carnival.

The election will last about three weeks and each Saturday paper will contain the standing of the polls up to that time. The winner will not only be queen, but the old boys will present her with a magnificent diamond ring.

For Londoners Only.

One of the pleasant features of the Mardi Gras is that only Londoners and their friends will participate and take part in the affair. None of those taking part are hired, and no Mardi Gras would be successful unless all the citizens joined in with the guests and entered into the spirit of the time.

Nearly every society and social club will be given some part to take charge of, and in that way it creates a kindly feeling and makes it necessary for nearly everybody to join in and make the occasion a success.

That is one reason particularly, why the old boys are so anxious to have something that would give so many citizens a chance in joining in the procession and in the pleasures of the week. One night will be devoted solely to a procession of those in costumes. Every society and club in town will be asked to take part. Prizes will be given for the best costumes. Everybody is supposed to come out in costume or wear masks on this particular occasion and judges will be selected to choose the winner.

The extent of the ladies' injuries, some special costumes with them, will enter heartily into the spirit of the occasion.

Ballot Boxes in Stores.

Ballot boxes will be placed in stores in different portions of the city and several prominent men will shortly be selected to supervise the whole election. The judges will have very little trouble, as each ballot will be numbered the same as the tickets purchased.

During the holding of the carnival, the queen will be crowned with all the honors that can be showered upon a person of such high rank. She will be accompanied by her ladies-in-waiting, and everything is strictly carried on with all the formality that

Boy Run Over By Cab, Uninjured Accident on Queen's Avenue Today

Fenton Glenz, of the Hamilton Road, Had Most Unpleasant Experience.

To be run over by a heavy cab and to escape without any broken bones or other serious injuries was the remarkable experience of Fenton Glenz, 12-year-old boy residing at 624 Hamilton road, this morning.

The boy was on his wheel and going in a westerly direction on Queen's avenue, near Wellington street, when the accident occurred.

Coming around the southeasterly corner of Wellington street and Queen's avenue and heading east, was a heavy cab.

Young Glenz was coasting at the time and had his feet on the forks of the wheel.

He was riding on the south side of the street, and apparently was unable to stop before he had crashed into the cab which was being driven close to the curb.

Beneath the Wheels.

The force of the collision threw the boy beneath the wheels of the cab, which ran in a slanting direction over his right arm and his back. The bicycle escaped injury.

The hackman, it is said, kept on going, without attempting to determine the extent of the lad's injuries.

Eye-witnesses to the accident quickly ran to the youngster's aid, expecting to find him badly injured.

However, it was found that apparently beyond numerous bruises and a few cuts, the lad was uninjured, and after remaining in a nearby house into which he had been carried, for a few moments, Glenz jumped his wheel and kept on his way.

Preparing for Old Boys' Reunion

At the meeting of the Veteran Fireman's Association held last night in the city hall, the following officers were elected for the year:

Honorary President—Reuben Short, President—Walter Fairbairn, Vice-President—Richard McBride, Captain—Patrick Gleason, Treasurer—Squire Chittick, Secretary—S. H. Craig, Marshall—H. Pratt, Standard-Bearers—Jerry Collins and Harry Vincent, Branchmen—William Carter and George Germain.

The following committees were appointed to make preparations for the old boys' reunions:

Uniform Committee—Messrs. Pratt, Hyslop, Cater, Gleason and Fairbairn.

Grounds Committee—Messrs. Tozer, McBride, Wonnacott, Benson and Bragg.

Refreshment Committee—Messrs. Hyslop, Germain, Pratt, Chittick, Short, Gleason and Wonnacott.

The secretary was instructed to write and ask Master Caribulder Treleven of the Grand Trunk for the use of the old city fire engine for old boys' week.

The engine is at present used in the carshops.

The veterans are most enthusiastic and will make a great showing at the reunion. Another meeting will be held four weeks from last night when further arrangements will be made for the reunion.

Soldiers' Clothes Were Too Tight

A rather humorous situation developed recently at the armories in regard to the men's uniforms.

In anticipation of the outing at Galt and Quebec it was decided to have the suits cleaned.

They were sent to a local firm and it is stated, that orders were given that they should also be shrunk.

The cleaner carried out his orders in the latter particular very thoroughly, it is alleged, and the consequences was that there was hardly a pair of trousers or a tunic in the regiment which would fit the larger men.

Some of the big fellows tried on or attempted to try on, dozens of coats and trousers.

It is said that all the garments were shrunk so badly that if anyone had attempted to march in them there would have been a series of rips at the first step.

Many of the tunics would not come within six inches of buttoning over the broad chests of the big fellows.

It is an ill wind that blows no one any good, however, and the loss of the

big men was the gain of the little fellows in the regiment, who might be seen trying on coats and trousers ever so much too big for them.

The irrepressible small boys who at times frequent the armories in large numbers had much fun, and said some funny things about the suits' having when some of the little men came out wearing clothes that were once intended for big men.

The affair, in view of the trip to Galt being so close at hand, would that a circumstance of new clothes are, have been serious but for the fact that had not been shrunk and from these the big men chose garments that would fit them.

The Late Luke O'Keefe.

In regard to the drowning of Luke O'Keefe, whose body was found in the Thames near the pumping station at Springbank, it appears that Mr. O'Keefe had dinner on Wednesday afternoon with friends on Maitland street, after which he started for Springbank to see other friends there, so that the accident by which he lost his life occurred on Wednesday afternoon of Tuesday evening, as first stated.

Spray and Raise Fruit

This is the time to spray your trees and shrubs if you would protect them from the ravages of hungry insects. We can supply all necessary materials for spraying, and if you need information in regard to using them, we will gladly give it. Our prices are very low on spraying materials.

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Local Items

—Mrs. T. C. Hewitt, of Detroit, is visiting Mrs. F. H. Heath, of 288 Dufferin avenue.

—Mrs. Waterman, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Catemole, has returned from the south, where she has been for several months past.

Conservatory Recital.

Last evening the advanced students of Miss Lotta Francis gave a recital at Conservatory Hall, which proved a great credit to the students, to the teacher and to the London Conservatory. The various numbers on the programme, many of which were senior grade, were artistically rendered. The performers were Misses Grace Turnbull, Ethel Finch, Myrtle Shannon, Gertrude Morrow, Dorothy Harner, Muriel Draper, Lulu Ashplant, Amelia Danglefield and Hilda Stuart. Violin numbers by Miss Goulay and Master Douglas Fetherston, pupils of Mr. Pouré, were much enjoyed.

Visitor From Indiana.

Mr. James Matheson, of Rensselaer, Indiana, is in the city. He is a former Canadian, but has lived 35 years in Indiana, where he has put in some years as a postal clerk, but is now a prosperous farmer. He says that the best times he ever knew were not being enjoyed in Indiana. Farmers are exceptionally prosperous, good prices prevailing. As an example, he quotes corn at 78 cents a bushel. Mr. Matheson speaks well of "Uncle Joe" Cannon, whose name is now in the limelight in Canada, from the fact that Cannon's son is under arrest in Hamilton, and is fighting extradition on a graft charge from Ohio. Mr. Matheson knows the elder Cannon very well.

EMPIRE DAY IN CITY SCHOOLS

Continued From Page One.

St. George's School.

Celebrations were held in each room of St. George's school, and programmes, consisting of patriotic songs and reading were rendered by the pupils.

In Miss McKinn's room, Nelson Minihinnick was presented with a volume by Mrs. Fisher.

Master Minihinnick won the prize offered by the Daughters of the Empire for the best essay on "Brook at Detroit."

St. Peter's School.

St. Peter's school was attractively decorated with flags and bunting, and many patriotic songs were sung throughout the morning.

Mrs. F. E. Leonard, regent of the Daughters of the Empire, presented Ralph Brennan with a prize book for writing the best essay on "Wolf and Montcalm."

This afternoon addresses were given by Dr. Muggan and Inspector Sullivan.

Wortley Road School.

At the Wortley road school, under the direction of the principal, Mr. W. B. Wyatt, the scholars marched into the yard at 9 a.m., and while singing "God Save the King," raised the flag, after which they went back to their respective class rooms and listened to 30 minutes of talks by the teachers on "The British Empire."

The afternoon session was spent in patriotic songs, recitations and orations.

A large number of parents were in attendance and evinced much interest in the proceedings.

At the close of the singing and reciting, the pupils formed in line and marched around several blocks and back to the school.

Askin Street.

The morning exercises at Victoria or Askin street schools were confined to singing. This afternoon the flag will be raised, while the scholars group around the flag staff and sing patriotic songs.

The remainder of the programme at the Victoria school is as follows:

Song—"The Empire Flag," grades V to VIII.

Song—"The Maple Leaf Forever," entire school.

Drill.

Physical Exercises—Grades VII and VIII.

Callisthenics and Folk Games—Girls of Grades VII and VIII.

Mr. Alex. McQueen, principal, assisted by the various teachers, will conduct the exercises.

King Street School.

Speeches by the Rev. Canon Dann, Mr. G. W. Weekes and others, and patriotic songs by the pupils formed the programme this afternoon at the King street school, of which Mr. D. J. Ferguson is principal. This morning the scholars sang patriotic songs and gave recitations of a patriotic nature.

The West London school children rendered an interesting programme out of doors this afternoon. Among other events were: Saluting the flag, patriotic songs, recitations and speeches.

The programme in part was as follows:

Reading—"The Olden Flag," pupils of the fourth grade.

Recitation—"The Color of the Flag," Three pupils of grade VI.

Patriotic Solo—Miss Cochrill.

Folk Games—Pupils of sixth, seventh and eighth grades.

Song—"The Maple Leaf," entire school.

Recitation—"The Union Jack," pupils of grade V.

Canadian Anthem—Grade VIII.

Speeches by visitors, including the West London clergy.

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That Million Dollar Miscalculation A Surprise for the Citizens

Mayor and Aldermen Discuss the New Phase of the Power Contract.

The fact that the city is responsible for a million dollars more than was estimated when the power contract was first read to the special committee, has caused a great deal of comment on the streets this morning.

It was taken for granted that the city would not become liable for more than the amount of power used, but now it develops that the city is responsible for a greater portion of the transmission line and the other expenses.

The first sum, nearly a million dollars for transmission line and local distribution plant seemed large enough, but now that \$950,000 for thirty years for line loss, repairs, etc., has been added, the average man does not know just exactly what to think of it. The news came as a great surprise to the citizens generally.

"Mr. Beck had ample opportunity last night at St. Thomas to have explained it," said Mr. McEvoy. "However, he never alluded to it. Neither has his own gone into any explanation of it whatever. There is no doubt whatever, that the sum of \$1,658 is an annual charge. I defy any person to say that it is not. That totals nearly a million dollars. These things should be explained, and they must be explained by Mr. Beck. We want no more deception. Let the truth be known."

"I have nothing further to add since I was seen yesterday," said Mayor Stevely. "I have seen no explanation of this matter, as I expected. In thirty years it would amount to nearly a million dollars. This is a big undertaking, and should be thoroughly investigated before any action is taken."

"The sum of \$1,658 is an annual charge," said Ald. Ferguson. "There seems absolutely no doubt about that. It will have to be met by the people of London every year. In the thirty years it will amount to practically a million dollars. That is a large sum, and before any action is taken the people should be thoroughly conversant with this fact. The contract should be published and every citizen of London should be given an opportunity of deciding on its merits. No man's word should be taken absolutely when there is so much at stake."

"We had not had time to study the contract yet," said Ald. Stewart. "It is a big affair, and I am not yet in a position to give an opinion."

Several other aldermen were seen, but would not give a decided opinion any way.

City Solicitor Meredith has not yet received the opinion of Solicitor Lobbs, of the hydro-electric commission, on the contract, but it is expected early next week.

In view of Mr. Beck's statement, there is no doubt that he will declare that the charge is an annual one.

This opinion will be ready for the next meeting of the special power committee of the council.

Manager King Will Issue New Rules Re Use of Street Railway Transfers

Company, It Is Alleged, Is Being Flimflammed By Patrons.

Manager C. B. King, of the London street railway, is working on a new set of rules governing the issuing and accepting of transfers, and which he expects to have ready for inauguration about the 1st of June.

The management has discovered that the fraudulent use of transfers has become so widespread that it becomes necessary to change the rules so as to restrict the use of transfers to the minimum.

A number of cases have been discovered where people who, Mr. King says, certainly ought to know better, are in the habit of obtaining transfers and then giving them to others, the company thereby getting only one fare for two rides, which, it is quite obvious, is against the company's interest.

These cases are now in the hands of the company's solicitors for prosecution, if the evidence obtained with regard to them is sufficient.

It sounds somewhat paradoxical that transfers are not transferable, but such seems to be the case with street car transfers.

At any rate, it is understood that a

great number of people are in the habit of taking one line to the center of the city, obtaining a transfer to another convenient line, doing their shopping in the time allowed on the transfer, and then going back on the transfer, thus obtaining two rides for the same fare.

If their business cannot be done in so short a time, it is usually claimed that the transfers are mispurchased or that the cars are late, but the company has such a check on the issuing and accepting of transfers that they can readily tell when such mistakes are made, whenever a claim is presented at the office, that such a mistake has been made in the issuing or accepting of transfers, these details are checked up, and if the mistake has been made the passenger is reimbursed for the extra fare which the mistake may have acquired him to pay.

It will thus be seen that in case of a dispute between a passenger and a conductor regarding a transfer, that another fare should be paid, and the matter reported to the office for correction, if the conductor is wrong.

The new rules will put a stop to considerable transferring now done at the corner of Dundas and Richmond streets, which change will help to relieve some of the congestion which is sometimes quite considerable at this point.

Indian Listers Before Magistrate Love

Magistrate Love had a busy time this morning disposing of drunks.

Yesterday afternoon Officers Macrae and McNulty came upon a bunch of "Indian listers" on the river bank down below the powerhouse.

Great was the rejoicing until the officers appeared, and then great was the "scatation."

Fortunately, the officers were able to recognize all the men, and although some of them ran away, they were arrested later.

The "bunch" rounded up included William Howard, William Coyne, John Redmond, J. Tait and William McKenna.

Howard was fined \$10 and costs, amounting to \$2; Redmond was re-

manded for a week; Coyne was placed on the Indian list and let go, and William McKenna was allowed to go.

Other Cases.

The case against Roddy Semple, an Indian lister, charged with "breaking the liquor bylaw," was enlarged for a week.

Chris Morlarity, charged with using abusive language, was also told that his case would stand for a week.

William Corbett, for being drunk and fighting, paid \$2, and John Dempsey, who was wanted on the same charge, failed to put in an appearance, and a warrant was ordered for his arrest.

Robert Ward, charged with assault-

ing an aged man, was bound over in the sum of \$100 to keep the peace.

Case Dismissed.

Layton Pidd, charged with obstructing the sidewalk by leaving a house there all night, explained to the satisfaction of the court that it was impossible to move the house, as some of the tackle had broken, and the case was dismissed.

Ten bicycle riders paid \$1 each for riding on the sidewalk.

Thomas Sullivan was fined \$10 and \$2 costs for being drunk.

Not having the spare cash, he will sojourn at the jail as Governor Carleton's guest for a period of 21 days.

TWENTY PEASANTS HANGED	
Were Members of Association To Drive Out the Landed Proprietors.	
Kherson, Russia, May 22.—Twenty peasants, who took part in recent agrarian disorders, in the Yekaterinoslav district, were hanged here today, after being condemned to death by a court-martial. They belonged to a peasant association, the avowed object of which was to drive out landed proprietors by the burning of their estates.	
Laurelville Paper, pfd.....	110
Mackay, pfd.....	65 1/2
Mexican Light & Power.....	53 1/2
Minneapolis & St. Paul.....	113
Niagara Navigation.....	110
Niagara, St. C. & T.....	75
Nipissing Mines.....	7 1/2
Northern Navigation.....	84
N. S. Steel, common.....	86 1/2
Prairie Lands.....	180
Rio de Janeiro L. & P.....	37 1/2
Sao Paulo Tram.....	129
St. L. & C. Navigation.....	127 1/2
Toronto Electric Light.....	115
Toronto Railway.....	99 1/2
Tri-City, pfd.....	99 1/2
Winnipeg Railway.....	144
Bank of Commerce.....	150
Dominion Bank.....	225
Imperial Bank.....	212 1/2
Merchants' Bank.....	157
Bank of Ottawa.....	218
Standard Bank.....	230
Traders' Bank.....	128
Agricultural Loan.....	119
Canada Landed Proprietors.....	121 1/2
Canada Permanent.....	151
Central Canada.....	160
Colonial Investment.....	70
Dominion Savings.....	107
Hamilton Provident.....	118
Huron & Erie.....	70
Landed Proprietors.....	122
London & Canada.....	108
London Loan.....	106
National Trust.....	150
Ontario Loan.....	120
Ontario Loan, 3% paid.....	120 1/2
Real Estate.....	86
Toronto General Trust.....	143
Toronto Mortgage.....	110
Electrical Development, bds. 85	
Mexican Electric, bonds.....	77 1/2
Mexican Power, bonds.....	81 1/2
Rio bonds, 1st mortgage.....	81 1/2
Sao Paulo, bonds.....	87 1/2
Morning Sales: Mackay, common, 25	
and 25 at 65 1/2; Sao Paulo, bonds, 7 and	
2 at 82; Dominion Coal, 50, 25 and 50 at	
52 1/2; Toronto Railway, 10 at 99 1/2; Twin	
City, 25 at 90 1/2, 25 at 90 1/2, 10 at 91; Rio	
de Janeiro, 10 at 37 1/2, 5 at 37 1/2, 5 at	
37; Canada Permanent, 10 at 150 and 50 at	
120, 22 1/2 at 120 1/2, 100 at 120 and 10 at 121	
at 121, 10 at 120 1/2, 10 at 120 1/2, 10 at	
120 1/2, 25 at 120 1/2; do. bonds, 5,000 at 81 1/2;	
at 82 1/2, 25 at 83 1/2; Dominion Bank, 2	
at 22 1/2; Traders' Bank, 10 at 127 1/2;	
the Woods, 10 and 25 at 85; General Electric	
at 4 1/2, 25 at 4 1/2; Nipissing, 5 at 117 1/2;	
hipps, 5 and 4 at 18.	
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1 1/2 per cent; Bank of Hamilton,	
2 1/2 per cent.	

LATEST STOCK MARKET REPORTS

[Special Wire from Harris, Winthrop & Co., to H. C. Becker.]

Reported by C. N. Spencer, Stockbroker, Market Lane, for The Advertiser.

New York, May 22.

Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Amalg. Copper.....	65 1/2	65	65 1/2
American Sugar Co.....	130 1/2	128 1/2	128 1/2
American Locomotive.....	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
American Foundry.....	87 1/2	87	87 1/2
Brooklyn Union.....	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2
Aitchison Co.....	74 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio.....	90	88 1/2	88 1/2
Brooklyn Trust.....	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
C. P. R.....	160 1/2	160 1/2	160 1/2
Chicago & North Western.....	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Colorado Fuel & Iron.....	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Chicago & North Western.....	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2
Distillers.....	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
Erie, pfd.....	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Great Northern Pref.....	131 1/2	131 1/2	131 1/2
Illinois Central.....	138 1/2	138 1/2	138 1/2
Kansas & Texas.....	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
Kansas & Texas, pfd.....	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Louisville & Nashville.....	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
Mexican Central.....	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
Missouri Pacific.....	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
New York Central.....	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2
Norfolk & Western.....	136 1/2	136 1/2	136 1/2
Nat. Lead.....	64	63 1/2	63 1/2
Ontario & Western.....	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Pacific Mail.....	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2
Pennsylvania.....	123 1/2	123 1/2	123 1/2
Peoples Gas.....	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2
Prescott Steel.....	78	78	78
Republic.....	111 1/2	111 1/2	111 1/2
Rock Island.....	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Southern Railway, pfd.....	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Southern Railway, pfd.....	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
St. Paul.....	138 1/2	138 1/2	138 1/2
Texas.....	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Union Pacific.....	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
Central Leather.....	26	26 1/2	26 1/2
U. S. Rubber.....	50	50	50
U. S. Steel, common.....	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2
U. S. Steel, pfd.....	107 1/2	107 1/2	107 1/2
Wabash, com.....	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Wabash, pfd.....	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2

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City and District

—Mr. W. H. Hunter, of Buffalo, representative of the Barber Asphalt Company, is in the city.

—Friends of Mr. E. J. Ensty will regret to hear he is confined to his room with appendicitis. A speedy recovery is hoped for.

—Mr. William Ellis and daughter, Ismena left yesterday morning for an extended visit to New York City, Troy and other eastern cities.

—Victoria Day will be observed by the Wyton Methodist Sunday school on Sunday, May 24. Special services will be preached by Mr. C. E. German, of London, at 3 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. A good attendance is expected.

—Invitations are out for the marriage at Niagara Falls on June 3 of Miss Winona Beatrice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles I. Johnston, to Mr. William Norman Humphries, of this city, son of Mr. A. W. Humphries, of Parkhill.

Bank Clearings.

The clearings for the week ending May 21 reported at the London Clearing House, amounted to \$1,143,960. The total for the corresponding week last year was \$1,245,927.

A Special Collection.

A special collection will be taken up in the city churches on Sunday next in aid of the Victorian Order of Nurses. The object is to further the work that the order is doing in the city. Special envelopes will be distributed in the pews in which the offering may be placed.

Wood-Clark.

A quiet wedding took place at the parsonage of Wellington Street Methodist Church on Wednesday when Miss Lillian E. Olark, of this city, was married to Mr. Samuel Alexander Wood. The groom was supported by Mr. George Garfath, while Miss Carrie Wood assisted the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Wood will reside in this city.

Late Walter Robison.

The funeral of Walter Robison, son of Mr. James Robison, was held from the family residence, 779 York street, on Wednesday afternoon at Woodland Cemetery. Rev. A. Bowen conducted the services, assisted by Rev. T. T. Shields. The pallbearers were Messrs. John and Fred Robison, brothers of

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and J. A. Tancock, visited Leamington on Wednesday, where they instituted a preceptory of the Knights Templar. The work was done by the Windsor Sir Knights in excellent style. The preceptory promises to be a strong one.

WOODSTOCK VISITORS.
Fire Chief Alex. Borland and Ald. Phillips, of Woodstock, chairman of the fire and light committee were in the city Wednesday inspecting the new hose wagon being built by H. G. Abbott & Co. of this city for the Woodstock brigade. They were taken in charge of by Chief Clark and were shown through all the local halls here," said Ald. Phillips.

QUOTTERS TO PLAY ON VICTORIA DAY

At a meeting of the Forest City Quotting Club last night all arrangements were completed for the opening of the club's new grounds on Horton street, Victoria Day.

At 1 p.m. a team of eight Forest City Club quotters will meet in a match game a team from the South London Heather Club.

At 2 o'clock an open tournament will be held, and entries are expected from Sarnia, Exeter and other places.

The Forest City Club will send a team to Toronto in September to compete with the experts there in the Dominion championships.

LONDON LADY WEDS IN CALIFORNIA

Marriage of Miss Annie B. Wall to Ontario (Cal.) Barrister.

The Los Angeles Times of May 15 contained the following:

"At the home of the bride's uncle, Mr. Wm. Pollock, No. 124 East Thirty-fifth street, an interesting wedding was solemnized at twilight yesterday, when Miss Annie B. Wall, trained nurse, of London, Canada, and J. R. Pollock, barrister, of Ontario, Cal., were united in marriage.

Burdette officiated. The bride presented a pretty picture, dressed in a beautiful white silk gown, with baby Irish trimmings, and carrying a shower bouquet of bridal roses. For traveling she wore a jaunty brown suit, with hat, gloves and shoes to match.

"Immediately after the ceremony an elaborate dinner was served in the dining-room, which was gay with quantities of Cecilie Brummer roses, and showers of pink sweet peas. The drawing-room was massed with the same kind of roses, while in the library white roses, with a background of greenery, formed an attractive arrangement. Mrs. F. H. Wall, mother of the bride, was present, having recently arrived in the city from London, Canada.

"Upon a request of the bride that the party be not showered with rice, the friends instead threw great quantities of rose leaves into the happy company as they left for the depot in an automobile, with a bundle of old boots quaintly bringing up the rear.

"After an extended trip to several points Mr. and Mrs. Pollock will receive their friends at their home in the pretty little town of Ontario, Cal."

Miss Annie Wall, mentioned in the above, having always lived here, has many friends in London. After graduation from Victoria Hospital three years ago, she left for the Canadian West, and later for California, where she is making her home.

Miss Wall was at one time actively engaged in the work of the South Baptist Church, where she rendered valuable assistance in the choir and Young People's Union.

Victoria Day Excursions.

On account of Victoria Day the Grand Trunk Railway system will between all stations in Canada, also to Detroit and Port Huron, Mich.; Buffalo, Black Rock and Suspension Bridge, N. Y.; good going May 23, 24 and 25, returning on or before May 26, 1908. Secure tickets from any Grand Trunk ticket agent. 58-c

With the announced intention of awarding a greater love for art among wage workers, a series of informal lectures will be given by painters and sculptors next week at the Chicago Art Institute.

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