

Births, Marriages, Deaths

DIED.
COCHRANE—this city, at his late residence, Huron street, on May 6, 1901. Thomas Wm. Cochrane, aged 28 years and 4 months.
Funeral on Wednesday, at 9:30 a.m., to St. Peter's Cathedral; mass at 9 o'clock.

GORDON—Mary Ball, beloved wife of J. H. Gordon, and daughter of the late Alexander Mutchmor, of Ottawa, on Wednesday, May 1, 1901, at 97 Tupper street.
Interment at Ottawa.

GOWER—In this city, on May 5, 1901. Minnie, wife of Wm. Gower, and eldest daughter of Maxwell and Josephine Angus, aged 25 years.
Funeral on Tuesday, at 3 o'clock (service at 2:30), from the residence of the deceased's parents, 904 Ellis street. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

BRIDY—At the family residence, lot 7, con. 1, London township, on Tuesday, May 1, 1901, Mary, relict of the late James Bridy, in her 90th year.
Funeral on Thursday, May 9, at 8 a.m., for St. Peter's Cathedral; mass at 9 o'clock. Friends will kindly accept this intimation.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.
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TWO EXCURSIONS VIA THE ALLAN Line steamer, Scotland from Montreal to Glasgow direct, Wednesday, June 13, and Wednesday, July 17. Very low first cabin rates, to 13c. Richmond street, next Advertiser.

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MEETINGS.
STAR LODGE, No. 367, A. O. U. W., meets this (Tuesday) evening, Albion block, John A. Wilson, M. W., Thomas Woolley, Recorder.

TONIGHT—BELSHAZZAR CANTATA practice. Full attendance is requested.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an extra general meeting of the shareholders of the Canada Trust Company will be held at the office of the said company, Huron and Erie buildings, in the City of London, Ont., on Wednesday, the 29th day of May, A.D. 1901, at 4 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of taking into consideration an order to purchase the assets of the Huron and Erie Loan and Investment Company, of Goerick. Dated this 29th day of April, 1901. J. C. CRONIN, president. G. A. SOMERVILLE, managing director.

HEAR D. WATSON AT CHRISTIAN Workers, from May 12 to 19; afternoon 2:30; evenings, 7:30; Sundays, 11:30 and 7:30.

LONDON OLD BOYS—ALL M.F. committee are particularly requested to meet in City Hall Tuesday, May 7, 8 o'clock. Important business. Frank Love, president; J. S. Bell, secretary.

DOMESTICS WANTED.
WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED housemaid; also young girl to assist. Apply 50 Wellington street. 647

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DINING-ROOM GIRL WANTED—APPLY to Mrs. Wright, Office Hotel, 378 Richmond street. 647

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WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT and dining room girl. Apply Fraser House. 511

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GENERAL servant, references. Mrs. Chisholm, 473 Park avenue. 511

FEMALE HELP WANTED.
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ORGANS AND PIANOS FROM \$5 TO \$50; sewing machines from \$25 to \$20; bedsteads and all kinds of furniture and stoves taken in exchange for new. Remember the place, A. T. Park, 357 Talbot street, south market square.

STORE AND OFFICE FITTINGS—grill work to any design, or anything in wood that you require for your store, office, residence made to order. Call at the City Cash and Door Company, 207 King street. R. Howard, manager. 207 King street.

STOCK OF WALL PAPER WILL BE sold below cost in small or large quantities. 71 Dundas street. 61-k

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of style, neatness, beauty and symmetry of shape is reached in our superb stock of ladies' fine Walking Boots, ranging in price from \$2.50 to \$5.

No woman who lays claim to being "well dressed" should be without a pair of our fine American Oxford Ties or dainty Slippers, which we are offering at \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2, \$2.50, \$3 and \$3.50. For the very latest, up-to-date styles

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TO RENT—DOUBLE PARLORS, WITH bedrooms if desired; also kitchen. Apply 555 Maitland street. 58c ywy

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NEW FRAME COTTAGE FOR SALE—Six rooms; summer kitchen, city water. 115 Hamilton road. Apply on premises. 61c

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LICENSED HOTEL PROPERTY and furniture for sale; good location; doing a good business; must be sold; a snap. Address Box 13, Advertiser office. 647

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CL. T. CAMPBELL, M.D., M.C.P.S.—OFFICE and residence, 427 Queen's avenue, London. Office hours, 9 to 3:30 a.m.; 2 to 4 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. Skin diseases a specialty.

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CREDIT SALE OF HORSES, BUGGIES, harness, cutters, garden implements. 1200 York street, Toronto, and marked "Tenders for Coal" will be received up to noon on MONDAY, MAY 20, 1901, for the purchase of the sheds of the institutions named below, on or before the 15th day of July next, except as regards the sheds of the Hospital for the Insane, Brockville and Brockville Asylums and Central Prison, as noted:

ASYLUM FOR INSANE, TORONTO.
Hard coal—1,200 tons large egg size, 150 tons stove size, 150 tons nut size. Soft coal—150 tons lump, 150 tons soft screenings.

ASYLUM FOR INSANE, LONDON.
Hard coal—2,250 tons small egg size, 250 tons stove size, 60 tons chestnut size, 150 tons nut size. Soft coal—40 tons for grates. Of the 2,250 tons, 850 may not be required till Jan., 1902.

ASYLUM FOR INSANE, KINGSTON.
Hard coal—1,350 tons large egg size, 250 tons stove size, 100 tons chestnut size, 150 tons nut size. Soft coal—500 tons hard screenings, 500 tons soft screenings, 15 tons stove size (hard).

ASYLUM FOR INSANE, HAMILTON.
Hard coal—1,200 tons large egg size, 200 tons stove size, 100 tons chestnut size, 150 tons nut size. Soft coal—150 tons for grates, 15 tons for pump house, 20 tons for the sheds of the institutions named below, on or before the 15th day of July next, except as regards the sheds of the Hospital for the Insane, Brockville and Brockville Asylums and Central Prison, as noted:

ASYLUM FOR INSANE, MIMICO.
Hard coal—1,500 tons large egg size, 140 tons stove size, 10 tons coal for grates, 10 tons soft screenings, 50 tons green hardwood.

ASYLUM FOR IDIOTS, ORILLIA.
Soft coal screenings or run of mine lump, 150 tons hard coal, grate; soft lump, 10 tons.

ASYLUM FOR INSANE, BROCKVILLE.
Hard coal—1,750 tons large egg size, 200 tons stove size, 100 tons chestnut size, 150 tons nut size. Soft coal—1,500 tons may not be required until January and March, 1902.

ASYLUM FOR COLOURS.
Hard coal—300 tons large egg size, 100 tons stove size, 10 tons coal for grates, 10 tons soft screenings, 50 tons green hardwood.

INSTITUTION FOR BLIND, BRANTFORD.
Hard coal—400 tons large egg size, 150 tons stove size, 15 tons chestnut size, 15 tons nut size. Soft coal—150 tons for grates, 15 tons for pump house, 20 tons for the sheds of the institutions named below, on or before the 15th day of July next, except as regards the sheds of the Hospital for the Insane, Brockville and Brockville Asylums and Central Prison, as noted:

REFORMATORY FOR BOYS, PENETANG.
Eighty tons egg size, 57 tons stove size, 10 tons nut size, 30 tons small chestnut size, 15 tons for grates, 15 tons for pump house, 20 tons for the sheds of the institutions named below, on or before the 15th day of July next, except as regards the sheds of the Hospital for the Insane, Brockville and Brockville Asylums and Central Prison, as noted:

MERCER REFORMATORY, TORONTO.
Soft coal screenings or run of mine lump, 550 tons; stove coal, 110 tons. Tenders are to specify the mine or mines from which the coal will be supplied, and the quality of same, and must also furnish satisfactory evidence that the coal delivered is true to name, fresh mineral, and in every respect equal in quality to the standard grades of coal supplied to the Inspectors of Prisons and Public Charities.

Delivery is to be effected in a manner satisfactory to the Inspectors of Prisons and Public Charities. And the said inspectors may require advance payments, not exceeding 20 per cent of the quantities herebefore specified, for the above mentioned institutions at any time up to the 15th day of July, 1902.

Tenders will be received for the whole quantity above specified, or for the quantities required in each institution. An account of the bids, and the names of the bidders, will be furnished by each tenderer as he surrenders his bona fide bid, and sufficient securities will be required for the fulfillment of each contract. Specifications and forms and conditions of tender may be obtained from the Inspectors of Prisons and Public Charities, Parliament Building, Toronto, or from the bursars of the respective institutions. The contract will be awarded to the lowest bidder, and the contract will be accepted. Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the department will not be paid for. J. R. STRATTON, Provincial Secretary, Parliament Buildings, Toronto. May 6, 1901. 647

GRAVE SITUATION

France Sends a Cruiser to Tangier—Sultan of Morocco Must Apologize.

Paris, May 7.—The information cabled concerning the French designs in Morocco have been absolutely confirmed by the further measures taken preparatory to the subjection of Morocco. The cruiser D'Assas has been sent to Tangiers to enforce there by its presence the demands for an apology made by the ambassador of France upon the Sultan on the subject of the letter the latter wrote to the chiefs of tribes in the extreme south of Algeria. The tribes having addressed a demand for protection against France

to the Sultan, the latter replied with extreme violence and hostility to France, urging the tribes to oppose the occupation of the oasis region by the French, and saying that his tribes would make constant attacks on the French Moroccan frontier to prevent the French conquering Southern Algeria.

The importance of the situation can be realized when it is recalled that the conquest of Algeria was made by France upon the simple pretext that the Sultan of Algeria had insulted France.

The Qual d'Orsay is preparing to act with extreme vigor, and is backed up by Russia.

OWNERSHIP IN DISPUTE!

Two Claimants for the Flag Presented by Queen Victoria to the Maine.

London, May 7.—A dispute has arisen as to the ownership of the flag which Queen Victoria presented to the hospital ship Maine, Mrs. George Cornwallis West (Lady Randolph Churchill) asserts that it belongs to her, and Bernard Baker, owner of the vessel, declares that it is his property. The flag is now in Lady Randolph's possession. It seems that while the Maine was still in service as a hospital ship, Mr. Baker gave orders that the flag should be surrendered to no one without orders from himself. The officer in charge of the ship a few days later sent it to Lady Randolph upon her written request. He was dismissed for disobedience, and Mr. Baker requested Lady Randolph to return the flag to him, which she refused to do. Lady Randolph claims the flag as her own, but has intimated her willingness to send it to the United States Government to be placed as a relic in some museum.

AFTER THE RAIDERS.
Cape Town, May 7.—Sheepers and Kritzinger's commandos, which have been roving in the midlands of the Cape Colony districts for five months, are being sharply hustled. Kritzinger

recently burned a supply train near Roynor.

A DUTCH STORY.
It is reported at Brussels that the Delagoa Bay Railway has again been destroyed by the Boer forces under Commandant Beyer.

TO BE TREATED AS BOERS.
Replying to a question in the House of Commons, Mr. Brodick, the war secretary, said that among the prisoners captured in South Africa were 25 Americans, besides 13 claiming to be burghers. There was no intention of releasing any of the prisoners until the war should be over.

GOLD MINES START UP.
Mr. Chamberlain, the colonial secretary, informed a questioner that no gold had been produced in the Transvaal since Jan. 1, but 50 stamps started on May 4, and 100 stamps started yesterday.

UTLANDERS RETURN.
Cape Town, May 6.—About 1,500 utlanders have returned to Johannesburg from Natal since the beginning of the year. This number will probably be considerably augmented during the next few months.

NOTHING IN THE STORY.
Washington, May 6.—It is learned at the state department that the president has made no statement through any of the usual channels to the effect that he would refuse to receive Kruger officially or unofficially. The government has made no statement to the character of his reception if he should come here.

COAL TAX PASSED BY COMMONS!

The Government Sustained by 106 Majority.

Impression Prevails That the British Miners Will Strike—Peril for Italy.

London, May 7.—There was unusual animation and attendance in the House of Commons today when the last installment of the coal tax debate was resumed by Sir Edward Grey (Liberal), who defined the measure as harsh and oppressive.

The house adopted the coal tax by a vote of 233 to 227.

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SMART CANADIAN NURSES

Constitute Half of the Graduating Classes
in All the American Cities This Year.

New York, May 7.—Canadian girls constitute one-half of the graduating classes of the leading training schools for nurses this year in New York and all the big cities from the Atlantic Ocean to the Rocky Mountains.

In the most noted training schools and the finest hospitals the Canadian trained nurses are in places of responsibility.

Probably the best known Canadian nurse in the United States is Miss Betsy Russell, a daughter of the head of the Hamilton, Ont., Insane Asylum. Other Canadian nurses in executive positions are Miss Burdette, who is superintendent in the lying-in hospital, built by J. Pierpont Morgan; Miss Rykert, who is superintendent of the training school at the Post Graduate Hospital, and Miss Richmond, assistant head nurse at the Kemp Memorial Hospital.

The Canadian trained nurse certainly is a greater feature of the profession than is appreciated in lay circles. For some years the classes of the New York Hospital, for instance, have contained on an average of 45 per cent of Canadian girls.

The heads of American hospitals assign as the reason for this remarkable proportion the fact that the Canadian applicants generally come from well-to-do families and are consequently better prepared than their American sisters, which gives them an inestimable advantage to start with.

Wills' English Pills

These wonderful and effective pills have a world-wide reputation for banishing the most obstinate cases of Constipation. One box guaranteed to relieve, four boxes guaranteed to cure or money refunded. Price 25 cents a box at all druggists, or by mail on receipt of price. The Wells & Richardson Co., Limited, Montreal.

THE SMALLPOX SITUATION.

Toronto, May 7.—The smallpox situation at Kirkfield, Ont., is now considered well in hand. There were three cases in the village, but they were removed to the country last week. There were 21 cases in the vicinity, but all are doing well, and no new cases have been reported for a week.

MANITOBA LIQUOR ACT.

Winnipeg, Man., May 7.—Yesterday formal leave to appeal the Manitoba liquor license decision was refused by the Manitoba full court of judges, who decided that the act to enforce total prohibition was ultra vires. The Provincial Government, nevertheless, will take steps to bring the matter before the Privy Council.

Simply Hutch!



"You know old chap, there was a time when I couldn't enjoy these little—er—refreshments as I do now. I had a very bad stomach, began to get accustomed to a pain there. Felt sometimes as though some one was boring into my entrails. I became pale and very weak. I positively detested my meals, food hurt me, I suffered excruciating agony until I became cured. What did the trick? Hutch—old fellow, simply Hutch. It gave me almost instant relief, and now I can take interest in life. It is without exception the most wonderful medicine going."

BACTERIA BEDS MAKE TROUBLE

Ald. Parnell Opposes Board
of Works' Plans.His Motion Defeated After a
Lengthy Discussion by the
Aldermen.Plank Walks May Be Laid—Dunnott
Property Will Not Be Sold to Fire
Engine Company.

The business before the city council had progressed last night in the quiet, methodical manner that is now customary to associate with this year's council, until the last clause in the board of works' report was read, and it dawned upon Ald. Parnell that he had not been given an opportunity to state his dissatisfaction with the bacteria bed proposal. This is the only question of any importance whatever that has caused Ald. Parnell and Mayor Rumball to change the Dam and Pythias attitude that they have borne to each other since the creation of the present municipal body.

Because of this, and because the subject is an extremely interesting one, the aldermen became vitiated the moment that sewage was mentioned, and thereafter dull moments were scarce. In his attempt to delay the construction of the beds, Ald. Parnell tried to make good the argument that the board of works was acting without its power, power to act having been granted only to last year's committee. Other aldermen agreed with him, that the power given to one year's committee was not a heritage for the next. The mayor and his supporters argued, contrariwise, that the committee, like the council, was a body that was not to be dissolved by the death of one of its members, but with the death of one enters the life of the other, not inheriting, but possessing the powers granted to the dead year's board. On this point, Ald. Parnell moved to reconsider the motion, giving power to No. 2 committee was justified in acting independent of the council, and when Ald. Parnell moved to reconsider the motion, giving power to No. 2 committee was justified in acting independent of the council, and when Ald. Parnell moved to reconsider the motion, giving power to No. 2 committee was justified in acting independent of the council.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The mayor and relief inspector were given power to deal with a Mrs. McIntyre's request for admission to the Aged People's Home.

A letter from Mr. H. S. Jones was received thanking the council, on behalf of the Lotus Club for the use of the city hall.

Assistant Inspector Lutman was granted an increase of \$50 on the recommendation of the board of health.

Messrs. Moore & Henry asked the council's support in their application for an up-to-date map of the city. Referred to No. 1 committee.

The citizens' committee interested in the erection of a new fire station were granted the free use of the hall for Tuesday, May 14, for a public meeting.

W. B. Bentley & Co. of Toronto, asked that inducements the city would offer a company now carrying on a manufacturing business in Toronto. The company would agree to employ 40 men on the site of the factory, and double the number within one year. Referred to the manufacturers' committee.

Mr. H. Taylor of South London offered a number of suggestions, re new industries for London, which also will be considered by the manufacturers' committee.

In a letter presented to the council, Engineer Graydon recommended that a cement walk be laid as a local improvement on the west side of Kingston street, between King and York; on the east side of Burwell, between King and York, and on the north side of Becher between the Highway and the Wharfside road.

Ald. Winnett explained that the walks had been petitioned against, and were now in such bad condition that the act of last year's council, as contained in the 17th annual report, be reconsidered.

To carry the motion required a two-thirds vote, but the division was as follows: Yeas—Cronyn, Beattie, Cooper, Garratt, Jolly, Parnell. Nays—Ald. Winnett.

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Ald. Gerry was supported by Ald. Greenlees, who said that the roadway was in a dangerous state, and the clause was referred back for further consideration.

The engineer was instructed to notify the contractor who laid the tar macadam on Queen's avenue to make such repairs to the same forthwith as he deemed necessary in order to put the pavement in a condition so that it will meet with his approval. A portion of the roadway was laid too late in the season, on the contractor's own risk, and he will now have to make it good.

Ald. GARRATT'S OBJECTIONS.

The application of the Salvation Army for Victoria Park on Sunday afternoons was favorably recommended to the council, but after some discussion it was referred to the committee.

Among the arguments that sent it back were these, from Ald. Garratt: "I wouldn't want any drum opposite my shanty." "I wouldn't want to go to heaven on a drum."

Upon the engineer's recommendation a Champion street cleaner was purchased, at a cost of \$137.40.

THE SEWAGE SYSTEM.

"Why hasn't a report about the bacteria bed been read?" inquired Ald. Parnell, when all the clauses of No. 2's report had been read, and in reply Ald. Winnett read the minutes of previous meetings showing that the matter had been referred to the board of works, with power.

"I would like to ask the chairman of No. 2 if the estimates were not based on the plans prepared last year?" Ald. Winnett said that they had, but it was explained that the plans had been approved by Engineer Chipman, though they were not.

Ald. Olmsted explained that the board of works had gone about the matter very carefully and had kept the expenditure within a limit. He had heard of threatened law suits if the system were not completed.

The city clerk told Ald. Beattie that the system had not more than the sum voted for the purpose.

"I would like to ask again," said Ald. Parnell, if the proposed filtration beds would dispose of anything more than one-half of the sewage, and how would that effect the threatened law suits?"

"I protest, your worship," interposed Ald. Cronyn. "But this is not an order. Such a question can only come up under inquiries."

The mayor agreed, and the matter dropped, though Ald. Parnell threatened, in conclusion, that he would get at them in some other way.

ALD. COOPER AND THAT POLE.

Ald. Cooper managed to get that famous pole down at the corner of York and Richmond streets, the discussion, and so many aldermen started talking at the same time that the mayor was forced to calm them with an authoritative Order, order, gentlemen. This matter, which had not been brought up at the time, and so Ald. Cooper was informed.

On the recommendation of the finance committee, City Auditor Jewell's salary was increased \$100, and Mr. Andrew Dale's \$50. No changes were made in the committee's report.

INQUIRIES.

"I would like to ask the chairman of No. 2," said Ald. Cooper, impressively, "where the city's road roller is."

Having been informed that it was in the repairer's yard, he brought to the chairman a picture of a forgotten roller that had formerly been so solicitously cared for, standing out in the open air rusting away.

The seriousness of the machine's situation was apparently not appreciated by the other aldermen, who appeared to be highly amused at the pathetic picture Ald. Cooper's motion.

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Nature intended you to be a strong man. You have the physique, the constitution, and yet you do not feel the vim, the sand, the ambition one would expect in a man of your age. What is it? Why, lack of vitality—the foundation of manhood. You have lost it, no matter how. Get it back! Feel young, look young, act young. Life is beautiful when you have health. I can help you.

Dr. McLaughlin's Electric Belt,

with attachment for weak men, has brought strength, ambition and happiness to ten thousand men in the past year. It is worth its weight in gold to every man whose strength and vitality are leaving him. It fills the body with nerve force, warms the blood, stimulates the circulation and restores all the mental and physical energy wasted in earlier years. It does this while you sleep.

My Electric Belt is a positive cure for weakness of every kind in men and women. It gives the vitalizing power of electricity direct to all weak parts, developing the full natural vigor and strength, and removing the cause of disease. I want every one who lacks the strength they should possess to use it, and to tell their friends of its surprising effects. Let me cure you and you can make arrangements and

Pay When Cured.

You run no risk, you pay only when cured, if you can offer reasonable security.

These Grateful People Are Shouting Its Praise:

The terrible exhaustion from which I suffered has given away to the belt. I am well satisfied with my investment. ALLAN HAGGART, Richmond Hill. "When I got your Belt I weighed only 158 lbs., and now in that short time I weigh 174 lbs. I see lots of other Electric Belts advertised, but I will stick to Dr. McLaughlin's." George A. Wise, Wilfrid, Ont., Jan. 22, 1901. "I feel a different man entirely. I have been recommending your Belt to all my friends. Thanks be to your wonderful Belt for what it has done for me." James Staats, Birch, Ont., Feb. 28, 1901. "I can say that your Electric Belt has done all that you claimed it would do for me. I feel stronger, and am a healthier man than I have for the last three years." William Lees, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Feb. 11, 1901. "Dear Sir,—I am gaining in flesh and health and would not be without your Belt." Chas. J. Lewis, Arnprior, Ont., Jan. 28, 1901. "Dear Sir,—I had your Electric Belt all that you claim it to be. I am well pleased with the results obtained, and will write you more fully again. Yours truly, H. M. Donald, Deseronto, Ont., Feb. 28, 1901. "Dear Sir,—I feel better now than I have felt for seven years. Yours truly, Joshua Hicks, Sudbury, Ont., Jan. 6, 1901. "My health is fairly restored, and I have been thankful for the help procured in using your Belt. Spinal disease is something awful, but your Belt has cured it. I feel stronger, and am a healthier man than I have for the last three years." William Lees, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Feb. 11, 1901.

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Do not delay. Call to-day. If you can't call and test the Belt I will send you my beautifully illustrated book free. **Free Test**

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—Greenlees, Gerry, Campbell, Winnett, Olmsted and Mayor Rumball. It was negative.

In reply to Ald. Parnell's inquiry regarding the \$5,000 debentures it was proposed to give to the furnishing of the hospital the mayor explained that it had been too late to get it through the house, but he intended to do what he could to get the money.

At the mayor's suggestion, the reception of the National Council of Women, which convened here shortly, was placed in the hands of the reception committee, though Ald. Jolly moved that no action be taken. It is proposed to have the aldermen and their wives welcome the visitors at the city hall, which will be placed at their disposal, and among other things, a drive about the city is contemplated.

Ald. Cooper gave notice of motion to construct plank walks, where the bad condition of existing pavements warrants it, and Ald. Beattie gave notice of motion to have two poles instead of the present one placed at the corner of York and Richmond streets.

The passing of several local improvement bylaws completed the evening's business.

but does not press the abdomen. Correct in every line. See that it is branded: **N.C. TAILOR-KUT**

Two qualities, \$1.00, \$1.25. National Corset Mfg. Co., Quebec and Toronto.

45, of the Independent Order of Foresters, will attend divine service in the Front Street Methodist Church on Sunday, May 25, at 10:30 o'clock.

The Strathroy Collegiate Institute Cadet Corps have received their first shipment from the military department. In the way of arms, consisting of about forty Martini-Henry rifles, bayonets, belts, and all the proper accoutrements. The remains were interested at the Front Hill Cemetery on Thursday afternoon last.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Thomson, of the tenth concession of West Williams, have taken up residence in town.

The death took place in Caradoc on Thursday, April 30, of Elizabeth Ann, wife of William Field, aged 69 years. The remains were interested at the Front Hill Cemetery on Thursday afternoon last.

A Certain Remedy for Corns.

And one always to be relied upon is Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor. Safe, sure and always painless. Nearly fifty imitations prove its value. Beware of such. Get Putnam's at druggists, or if you cannot get it we will send it to you by mail upon receipt of 25 cents, post paid, to Canada or United States. N. C. Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

THE ICE BLOCKADE BROKEN.

Port Huron, Mich., May 6.—The ice in the upper parts of St. Clair River now offers but little obstruction to full-powered steamers. Today the Norwalk, Minneapolis and Effingham came up from below. Marine City and were not delayed in the ice after passing Marine City. The Sawyer and barges, Kearsarge, tug Favorite, Baltimore and Hutchinson, which have been bucking the ice jam, found it in good condition. What ice there is in the river is between Marine City and Lake St. Clair. There is little ice in sight from here in Lake Huron, and that is all on the Canadian shore.

TWO NEW COTTON MILLS.

Montreal, May 7.—The cotton business seems to be booming. The Montreal Cotton Company announces that it will build two new cotton mills at Valleyfield, which, when completed, will give employment to over 600 hands.

GREYNA GREEN BUSINESS.

St. Joseph, Mich., May 7.—Favored with summer weather for the past week, the marriage business has begun in earnest. During the week 32 couples were granted a license by County Clerk A. L. Church. He believes fully 40 couples will arrive from Chicago this week to wed.

Consumption

One of the best ways to cure disease is to prevent it. That is the best way to cure consumption and you can prevent that disease with Powley's Liquefied Ozone. It is splendid for the least throat or lung trouble. However, if you have lung trouble of an advanced type, like Wm. McKay, of Sutton, who was cured by Powley's Liquefied Ozone after he had been given up to die, take the preparation—the condensed oxygen kills the germs and builds up the system. Write us for details and procure a bottle. It does not cost much.

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THREE BUSY STORES.

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The cheapest hats here are good hats, well made, well trimmed, stylish. The lower prices than others ask are a natural consequence of organization—are the result of purchasing power made possible by one large outlet.

Have you seen our Specialty Trimmed Hats at \$3 and \$2.50?

Have you seen our RUSTIC SAILORS for ladies? Regular 40c and 50c. Sailors, our selling price 25c and 35c each.

Have you seen our Ready-to-Wear Hats for ladies, at 75c, 85c, \$1.10 each?

Just received, Special Line of 15 DOZEN of Ladies' FINE WHITE SATIN STRAW SAILORS, satin bands of blue, navy and white, regular 75c hat, our price 65c each.

SILK CHIFFONS, Double-fold, in colors and black, white and cream, 25c, 35c, 50c, 55c yard.

MOUSSELINE DE SOIE, in black and white, 48 inches wide, regular 50c yard, for 35c yard.

Ladies' Fine Serge

Tailor-Made Overskirts

Less than wholesale prices to clear. Ladies' Black Serge, Tailor-Made Skirts, worth \$3.50, price now \$2.75 each.

Ladies' Black Figured Lustre Skirts, worth \$2.25, now \$2.49 each.

Ladies' Plain Black Lustre Skirts, regular \$2.49, now our price \$1.97 each.

Ladies' Navy Blue Serge Skirts, worth \$3.50, our price now \$2.75 each.

SPECIAL LINE OF CHILDREN'S FANCY PARASOLS, 25c, 35c, 45c each.

No use paying more for goods than you can buy them for at the

THREE BUSY STORES

We know you do if you don't buy here.

DOUBLE MURDER!

Killed Man Killed the Wife of His Employer—Husband Fired and Killed the Assassin.

Little Falls, N. Y., May 6.—A double murder occurred in the town of Warren, near Richfield Springs, Saturday night. The victims were Benjamin Hoyt and Mrs. John C. Wallace. Hoyt murdered Mrs. Wallace, and was afterwards shot by Mr. Wallace.

Mr. Wallace is a wealthy farmer, and Hoyt was employed by him as a hired man. A year ago Mrs. Wallace, who was about 55 years old, eloped with Hoyt, who was only 35. They returned to Wallace's home last fall, and the wife was taken back by her husband and Hoyt again given employment on the farm. Recently Hoyt has been importing Mrs. Wallace to elope with him again, but she refused. A bitter quarrel started, and Hoyt was ordered to leave the house by both Wallace and his wife. He refused to go, and Wallace stepped into another room presumably to get a gun. As Mrs. Wallace, killing her instantly, Wallace then rushed into the room. As he did so, Hoyt shot at him, the bullet going wide. Wallace then shot and killed Hoyt.

SHOT HIS YOUNG BRIDE AND HIMSELF.

Belfast, Pa., May 6.—Jesse R. King, of Millheim today shot and fatally wounded his bride of two months, and when an officer attempted to arrest him, King shot himself through the heart and died almost instantly.

MAN ACCUSED OF MURDER HANGS HIMSELF.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., May 6.—Archie McLeod, who was under arrest charged with murdering his mother in order to secure her farm, at Rose Valley, committed suicide by hanging himself yesterday morning by hanging himself with a towel. McLeod, who was to have been examined this morning, leaves a wife and three children.

DESERTERS CAUGHT.

Cape Coast Castle, May 6.—The remainder of the deserters from the West African Regiment at Kumassi have been captured near Bayin by a force landed from his majesty's cruiser Forte and the Central African Regiment. About a dozen of the mutineers were shot, while 128 surrendered and delivered up their arms.

Lasts a Lifetime.

That is just what they say of Vapo-Cresolene. The vaporizer is practically indestructible, and the Cresolene is certainly not expensive. This way of treating affections of the throat is most economical, and is also most effective. Our little picture illustrates how it's used. You put some Cresolene in the vaporizer, light lamp beneath, and then breathe in the soothing, healing vapor. For whooping-cough and croup it's a perfect specific.

Vapo-Cresolene is sold by druggists everywhere. A Vapo-Cresolene outfit, including the Vaporizer and Lamp, which should last a life-time, and a bottle of Cresolene, complete, \$1.50; extra supplies of Cresolene 25 cents and 50 cents. Illustrated booklet containing physicians' testimonials free upon request. Vapo-Cresolene Co., 25 Fulton St., New York, U.S.A.

WHAT IT WILL COST TO SEE MIDWAY.

All the Shows and Inside Attractions at Pan-American May Be Visited for \$11.15.

Buffalo, May 6.—Exaggerated reports concerning the cost to visitors who take in the Midway during the Pan-American Exposition have been circulated throughout the country. Some reports have stated that it will cost the visitor \$75 to view all the sights. Others maintain that he can do it for \$40, provided that he leave the rest of his money at home. The subject has been taken up by Director of Concessions Taylor, who sends the following official list of Midway attractions, with the price of admission to each appended:

OFFICIAL LIST.	
Aerial Cycle	50c
African Village	10c
Alt Nurnberg	10c
Around the World	10c
Battle of Missionary Ridge	10c
Beautiful Orient	10c
Bostock's Zoological Arena	10c
Burning Mountain of Kalaua	10c
Captive Balloon	10c
Chimney	10c
Cleopatra	10c
Colorado Gold Mine	10c
Cyclorama of Jerusalem	10c
Darkness and Dawn	10c
Dawson City	10c
Dreamland	10c
Esquimaux Village	10c
Ghost of Charles	10c
Glass Factory	10c
Gypsy Camp	10c
House Upside Down	10c
Ideal Palace	10c
Indian Congress	10c
Infant Incubator	10c
Japanese Village	10c
Johnstown Flood	10c
Old Plantation	10c
Panopticon	10c
Philippine Village	10c
Scenic Railway	10c
Streets of Mexico	10c
Trip to the Moon	10c
Venice in America	10c
Wild Water Sports	10c
White City	10c

Total WHERE EXTRA ADMISSION \$1.75

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Grand total \$11.15

Some of the attractions have two prices, one for admission at the gate, and the other for some theater or amusement, like the Beautiful Orient and the Streets of Mexico. These are included in the above statement.

Chicago's homeopathic medical college will hereafter admit women.

Hon. George W. Ross will address the Liberals of Lincoln at St. Catharines on Thursday next.

Hawaiian legislators have passed a bill to make ex-convicts a present of \$25,000 from the public purse.

Twenty torpedo-boats and destroyers will be turned over to the government within the next few months.

Hill denies being interested in a great scheme to consolidate the great railroads of the United States.

Sons of Benjamin, in convention in New York, have decided to admit wives of members to the order.

The building of the Osgoodo Glove Works, Preston, was burned early Monday morning. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Kansas City, Mo., went dry all day Sunday for the first time in six years—closing laws were enforced for once by the mayor.

Four hundred and sixty immigrants, bound for Manitoba, arrived at Halifax yesterday. They consist of Austrians, Galicians and Hungarians.

Lyman Abbott, in a Sunday sermon, said New Yorkers at large were tolerant of vice, hence the corrupt condition of the police force and the city.

A bylaw to purchase the electric light plant for \$27,000 was carried at Parry Sound, Ont., yesterday by a majority of 57, only 124 voting against.

At Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., John McGee, aged 62 years, took a dose of carbolic acid in mistake for medicine, and died within an hour. McGee came from Chesley.

Mrs. McKinley will touch the button which will launch the new cruiser Ohio in San Francisco and Desher will smash the wine bottle on the new fighting machine's nose.

Harry Burns, aged 9 years, was drowned Saturday while playing on a boat at Ogdensburg, N. Y. Chas. Aldrich tried to rescue him, and was pulled out of the river unconscious.

The Prince of Wales Fusiliers will not make the trip to Boston that was at first proposed, because antiquated Massachusetts legislation prohibits the admission of foreign armed corps into the States.

Bylaws to install a waterworks system and to take over the electric light plant from the present owners were voted on at Midland, Ont., yesterday. Both bylaws carried by majorities of 158 and 122 respectively.

Capt. Chas. D. Sigbee, who was on the Maine when she was blown up in Havana harbor, has made formal application to be given command of the new battleship Maine, when completed and ready for service in 1903.

Herman Bear, a German farmer, aged seventy years, living in the suburbs of Albany, N. Y., committed suicide by hanging himself in his barn at an early hour Monday morning. He was worth over \$70,000, and is believed to have been insane.

The deputation of Quebec, appointed Tuesday week, to wait upon Sir Wilfrid Laurier in connection with the desired purchase of the Plains of Abraham has been notified of the premier's readiness to receive it today, and they consequently left for Ottawa.

JACKSONVILLE'S FIRE STILL BURNING.

Jacksonville, Fla., May 6.—Two bodies, both negroes, were found floating in the St. James River today. They were evidently victims of Friday's fire. It is generally believed other bodies shortly will come to the surface. It is impossible to ascertain who is missing, however, as thousands have left the city.

Thousands of people worked yesterday and last night. The firemen have not been relieved. The debris is still burning and streams of water are being poured into the flames and embers night and day.

STUART'S CATARRH TABLETS

HAVE SUPERSEDED



POINTMENTS,
INHALERS,
WASHES,
SPRAYS,
SNUFFS,
SALVES.

Surprising
Results.

A Simple Internal Remedy Makes
Remarkable Cures of Catarrh.

People who have used sprays, inhalers, salves and washes for catarrh and have found how useless and inconvenient they are, will be agreeably surprised at results following the use of a pleasant, internal remedy in tablet form; druggists everywhere admit that Stuart's Catarrh Tablets which they sell at 50 cents for full-sized treatment is the safest most effective and popular of all catarrh remedies.

Nearly all cheap cough mixtures and throat lozenges contain opiates: these cheap medicines give a temporary relief, especially with little children by destroying nerve sensation; the irritation in throat, which causes coughing is temporarily removed, not by removing the cause but by deaden in gthenerves of feeling, the irritation is not felt although it is still there and will promptly return.

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets is the best remedy to remove catarrhal secretion, whether in the nose, throat or stomach because they are composed of wholesome antiseptics like Eucalyptol, Guaiacol, Sanguiaria and Hydrastin; when you use these tablets you know what you are putting into your system and not taking chances with cocaine, opiates or similar poisons found in so many catarrh cures and cough medicines.

Dr. Ramsdell in commenting on catarrh cures says: "I can heartily recommend Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, because they contain no cocaine nor other dangerous drug found in so many advertised catarrh cures. I have known of many cases of long standing catarrh of the head and throat completely cured by the daily use of these tablets for several weeks. One case in particular, which I could not reach with an inhaler or spray and where the catarrh caused daily headaches and a noticeable loss of hearing was entirely cured by this harmless but effective remedy."

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The Recent Stupendous Consolidation of Capital.

The recent stupendous consolidations of capital in the United States in the shape of industrial and railroad amalgamations, have startled and almost dazed the world. What may grow out of them remains to be seen, but the whole subject is the biggest that mankind has today before it for consideration.

Andrew Carnegie, interviewed the day before yesterday, holds that all these consolidations are steps in advance of a great movement which will distinguish the twentieth century. "Hereafter," he says, "American railway lines will be of one interest from Atlantic to Pacific, and one man in New York can fix through rates. In a short time trunk railways will own steamship lines on the Atlantic and Pacific."

J. Pierpont Morgan claims that the United States has entered upon an era of unprecedented prosperity; that the United States can supply all the markets of the world; but that it needs carrying power, and, accordingly, he is reported to be buying everything in sight in the shape of steamship lines, presumably to work in connection with the big steel trust and the big railway trust.

These gigantic ideas receive elucidation in a series of remarkable articles in the May number of the North American Review, just published. The editor may well claim that the group of articles on "Industrial and Railroad Consolidations" constitutes the most thorough and practical exposition of the subject of the so-called "Trusts" that has ever been given to the public; at all events, from the point of view favorable to the "Trusts."

The symposium in the North American Review opens with an article by the venerable financier, Russell Sage. Mr. Sage regards with grave suspicion the business methods of the present time, in accordance with which a number of concerns are combined into one great corporation. They may, he thinks, lead to the brink of disaster, if they do not precipitate over the brink. The uneasiness with which the public regards the formation of the so-called trusts, and the hostile attitude of the general press, constitute a danger signal which should not be ignored by those who are responsible for the organization of these powerful combinations. Mr. Sage comments upon the great increase which has taken place in requests for loans based on industrial:

"No one can even estimate the amount of money that has been advanced on securities of this class; but it is a conservative estimate to say that industrial loans are as ten to one compared with conditions a few years ago. This is apparent from the business offered at my office from day to day. The volume of money in the country is entirely inadequate to meet anything like the demands that are made on collateral of this class. In fact, we have gotten entirely away from the old idea of making the money of the country the basis of our trading. Instead, there is thrown into the business world, to be used as a trading medium, millions upon millions of new stocks, the real value of which is yet to be determined. As soon as this is thoroughly realized, we may look for trouble, pending a readjustment. This can be predicted with perfect safety."

James J. Hill, president of the Great Northern Railway, contributes to the symposium an article in which he sets forth the advantage which the community derives from these great combinations. Operating expenses are reduced; useless officers and unproductive middlemen are cut off; the systems of purchasing and distributing are simplified; economies are effected by the direct purchase of material in large quantities. Mr. Hill condemns the opposition to the new industrial order as unreasonable. He says:

"There are a few men—that is, comparatively few—in the community who can advance good reasons for their opposition. They are the ones who have been caught between the upper and the nether mill stones; they are the middlemen and the small competitor who was unable to meet the larger concern in the open market. To them consolidation has been a distinct injury. This is apparent, and, under our social and business system, inevitable. The aim in business, as in politics, is to do the greatest good to the greatest number; and the greatest number—so far as we can now see—is apparently benefited by the consolidations. Almost every improvement that helps the masses brings injury to individuals here and there. The building of a railroad into a new territory puts the owner of the stage coach out of business. Trolley cars that have sprung up all over the country have done grave damage to the local hackmen and livery stable keepers. But the community which is brought into touch with the outer world by a new railroad, and the village or town that gains the advantage of cheap and quick transportation by means of the trolley car, are benefited so much more than the stage owners and hackmen are injured, that the balance is easily in favor of the improvements."

C. M. Schwab, president of the United States Steel Corporation, participates in the symposium. The era of business consolidation has been brought about, in Mr. Schwab's opinion, by the recognition of the principle that the larger the output, the smaller, relatively, is the cost of production. One of the greatest advantages that will come of the concentration of industries is the development it will bring to the latent resources of the country. Where each step in the process of production had to yield a distinct profit to a certain class of men, the margin was not sufficiently large to warrant the exploitation of many fields rich.

This has been especially true of the iron business; but when a consolidation was formed which owned and controlled the coal mines, and the iron mines, and the factories in which the various processes were carried on, vast economies were effected, and the American iron industry began to dominate the markets of the world. Mr. Schwab looks upon industrial consolidation as a great advantage to the country:

"There is danger to the state in the combination is a preposterous idea. On the contrary, the well-managed combination is a distinct advantage to the state. Anyone who doubts this need only consult the foreign newspapers. Everywhere he will find a cry of industrial alarm leveled not at the individual American manufacturer, but at the American nation. This is because the combination has done for the American state what the individual was never able to do—put it in industrial control of the world. A system that in a few years can do this ought certainly to be encouraged, and, as it benefits the state, it necessarily benefits the individuals who make up the state. The capitalist and the laborer are equal sharers in the advantages the new scheme offers. Capital finds it more easily protected, and labor finds an easier route to a partnership with capital. To the workingman the combination offers the most feasible scheme of industrial co-operation ever presented. Without waiting for anyone's invitation, he may secure a partnership in the combination for which he works by investing his savings in the open market in the stock of the concern. Under the individual system the ordinary workman, the plodder, could not aspire to a share in the profits of the business he helped to create; but he could aspire to a coach and four. As soon as the advantages of the new scheme are understood, the workingman may be relied on to improve the opportunities offered, and in a comparatively few years, will be in a position to see that a very large percentage of the stock in industrial enterprises is held by the workers. Already ownership in these enterprises has become tremendously enlarged. Where a comparatively few men held interests in our factories and mills a few years ago, the number is now increased a hundredfold. The process of distribution is continuing steadily."

One of the most interesting articles in the symposium in the North American Review is one by Charles R. Flint, showing what these consolidations have accomplished for capital and labor. Mr. Flint has collected in the form of tables, to show that there is no foundation for the popular impression that industrialists are composed principally of water, and that their stocks present a very hazardous investment. These consolidations, he contends, instead of concentrating the wealth of the country in the hands of a few, distribute it among a multitude, there being today a thousand or two thousand stockholders where there used to be a hundred. The workingman benefits through the low prices at which the products of consolidated industries can be purchased, and by the high wages which they are enabled to pay efficient hands. His relations with his immediate employers are also improved:

"The workmen and their employers, instead of being separated by the application of the new ideas of consolidation, are coming closer together. A manager, or superintendent, who is responsible to a large body of stockholders, is more likely to be a big plant, is, on the whole, more likely to treat with his men on friendly terms, where differences arise, trading in the popular impression that industrialists are composed principally of water, and that their stocks present a very hazardous investment. These consolidations, he contends, instead of concentrating the wealth of the country in the hands of a few, distribute it among a multitude, there being today a thousand or two thousand stockholders where there used to be a hundred. The workingman benefits through the low prices at which the products of consolidated industries can be purchased, and by the high wages which they are enabled to pay efficient hands. His relations with his immediate employers are also improved:

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To the symposium Mr. F. B. Thurber contributes a paper, in which he considers "The Influence of Trusts Upon Prices." Taking his figures from United States Government reports, Mr. Thurber finds that the rates for transportation on consolidated railroads, and the prices of goods manufactured by consolidated industrial concerns, have shown a steady tendency downward, while, in both cases quality has advanced. Mr. Thurber enlarges upon the part that the new machinery has played in facilitating the cheap production of merchandise:

"A thousand paper bags could formerly be made by hand in six hours and thirty minutes; they are now made in forty minutes with the aid of a machine. To rule ten reams of paper on both sides by hand required 4,800 hours; with a ruling machine the work is done in two hours and thirty minutes of one man's time. In shelling corn by hand sixty-six hours and forty minutes would be required to shell a quantity which can be handled by a machine in thirty-six minutes. A moving machine cuts seven times as much grass per hour as one man can cut with a scythe. These examples might be extended indefinitely; but a more forcible illustration will be found by considering the total horse-power applied to

machines in this country and calculating how many men it would require to do the same work. For such calculations the census figures of 1890 must be used. One horse-power is equivalent to the power of six men. Thus, if the work of 63,481 men in the flour mills of the United States is supplemented by the use of 753,385 horse-power, the power is equivalent to the work of 4,514,190 additional men. That is, it does 72 times as much work as the employees."

James Logan, the general manager of the United States Envelope Company, in his contribution to the symposium on industrial and railroad consolidations, undertakes to prove that these combinations are the unavoidable results of the ignorant and reckless competition from which the business of the country has heretofore suffered. Every industry has been infested with companies whose managers disregarded the most elementary business principles and sold their goods at prices which were often much below the actual cost. The consequences of such course were ultimate ruin to the concerns which followed it and grave injury to well-conducted houses which did business on intelligent and conservative lines. From these unfortunate conditions, consolidation, so far as it has gone, has rescued the industrial and commercial interests of the country. Says Mr. Logan:

"The consolidation of industrial has made it possible to ascertain how business has been conducted by competing firms, and the methods, or lack of methods, of some have been a revelation. It has been my pleasure to form the acquaintance of the managers of no less than six consolidations in different industries, and the experience of one is the experience of all. In some of the companies consolidated they had never known the cost of manufacturing their goods; they had never been an intelligent attempt to learn the cost. The principle on which they appear to have acted was this: If one manufacturer quoted for an article a dollar, they knew that they could make it for less than he could, and so quoted 90 cents. There was an absolute lack of system in everything save in one particular—their system of price-cutting without regard to cost was perfect. Another fact has been discovered in every one of the six consolidations referred to. The firms or corporations consolidated were successful, prior to the consolidation, just in proportion as they adhered to a fixed standard for their goods, giving to the trade exactly what they agreed to give. In other words, the firms which made the best goods had the most satisfactory trade, and their help the highest wages, and made the most money, and those who made the poorest goods paid their help the lowest wages, and made the least money."

So much from the remarkable symposium prepared by the North American Review for May. The New York Journal thinks the gigantic modern trusts are unconsciously preparing for something different from what they imagine. "Of course," remarks our contemporary, "the great organizers of industry get an undue share of the profits of organization for themselves. That seems to be inevitable. But it is only a temporary evil. The benefits will filter down through the community. If they do not do so of themselves, the community will find a way to make them. It would have seemed a staggering task to nationalize a thousand independent railroads. It will be a simple matter when all the roads are administered by a smoothly working corporation."

Electric Railways Through the Country—London to Woodstock—London to Port Burwell.

We have called attention to the part electric railways are almost sure to play in the near future, with reference to the traffic on the roads through the country. An electric road has been built from Woodstock to Beachville, and it is said it will soon be continued to Ingersoll, and probably on to Dorchester, and be joined by an extension of the London, Aylmer and Port Burwell Railway from Niles town to Dorchester. This, if done, would complete an electric railway from London to Woodstock, and an electric railway from London to Port Burwell. Both roads would no doubt carry a great deal of local traffic.

It is said that the railway to Port Burwell is being financed by the stockholders of the London Street Railway Company. This is probably so, and, if so, will make London the business center of the railway. Doubtless London will have a more extensive belt line than it now has, and other electric railways will branch out in other directions.

What the action of the county and township councils should be, it is not easy to determine; because it is not easy to foresee how great a part electric lines may play in the traffic of all roads, including those now operated by horses. It may be that the traffic by steam will be driven off the streets upon which now or in the future electric railways are constructed, and that all railways will be electric. We favor the making of conditions for these railways by the Provincial Legislature, instead of by the local councils, so as to secure uniformity, and so as to safeguard the public safety and the public rights.

Electric railways belong to the present time. They are a part of the rapid scientific progress now being made. To the extent to which public rights are now protected, will the evils of the future be prevented. Level crossings by steam railways have been too freely granted, and many lives have been sacrificed as the cost; and so will there be many lives paid as the cost of electric railways being run on our rural highways, side by side with the part reserved for horses to travel on. Take a horse unaccustomed to cars, and let it in the night meet or be overtaken by an electric train, moving at 30 or 40 miles an hour, and it would be a wonder if an accident did not happen. We grant the great convenience of the

new agent. We point out the necessity for public safety. Cannot both the convenience and the safety be secured?

The Pay of M. Ps.

Our local contemporary, the News, does not think there should be any increase in the sessional indemnity of members of the Dominion Houses of Parliament.

But there may be another point of view. Mr. A or Mr. B becomes a candidate. Let him run an election in the most legitimate way it is possible to imagine; it means in most cases a considerable expenditure.

Then, in the Dominion House, at all events, the tendency is toward six-months sessions. Apart from this, the member's time is seriously sliced by people who want all sorts of things attended to; this goes on all the year round. A public man, too, is a mark for many kinds of expenditures, big and little, solely because of his position.

It is no answer to say some one else would take the position for the same pay. You would find people on the street who would not hesitate to take Lord Salisbury's place as First Minister of the British Empire at half his lordship's official salary, but that proves nothing to the purpose of the present discussion.

What strikes us as one of the strongest arguments against a too-low indemnity, is that it is undemocratic; that is to say, the representation is apt to be too much thrown into the hands of the rich. The possessors of money are not even now deficient in influence.

The fact is, we have got far away from the fundamental idea of the representative system. What self-government means is this, that we—all of us—the people of Canada, have the right, like the old Romans, were it now practicable, to assemble all together at one place in Canada, and there transact the business of the country by show of hands or popular acclaim. But as that is impracticable, we are supposed to seek out and select from among ourselves a certain number of persons to do for us what it is impracticable for us to do en masse. Now why should those we ask to do our public business, be expected to do it at their own charges? Those who are called on thus to sacrifice oftentimes their time, and health, and means, and home life, and not infrequently business itself, at the shrine of what many times proves but a phantom honor after all, are called on to sacrifice too much. An adequate indemnity is the least return that should be made for the sacrifices inevitably and invariably exacted by public life.

A Chicago man is working along comfortably without any stomach, that article of faith having been eliminated by skillful surgeons. The doctors prudently suggest that "he may never be able to do heavy manual labor because his digestion is limited."

Some Brooklyn public school teachers, together with other women interested in educational work have organized a club, the object of which is to instruct public school girls, after school hours, in bedmaking, sewing, table-setting, mending, millinery, and designing. Considering that such important matters in connection with a girl's training are often neglected, an hour or so put in systematic training in these branches might be helpful to future housewives.

No Luck at Breaking.

[Exchange.] "Clara, that is a hideous vase." "Yes, it is; it was one of our bridal presents—but we never have any luck at getting ugly things broken when we move."

Doubtful.

[Exchange.] Dr. Parkhurst expresses the fear that the best citizens are too busy making money to look after the moral welfare of New York. Are the people

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to whom Dr. Parkhurst thus alludes really good citizens?

Aesthetics in Hamilton.

[Hamilton Post.]

Why spit on the sidewalks when there are such fine holes in all the asphalt pavements?

Off Her Guard.

[Boston Courier.]

He—"Is your memory good for a girl of twenty years?" She (off her guard)—"Well, I guess I can think of things that happened nearly fifty years ago."

At a Disadvantage.

[Washington Star.]

The wild flowers are in bloom once more. But thoughtlessly we flout them. If they were purchased at a store we'd care much more about them.

Speculation.

[Toronto Star.]

Outsiders should remember that one great source of wealth to those who understand the game and find success in it is the folly of men with limited capital, who venture beyond their depth and get drowned financially. The men who make a pile are heard of; those who lose straight along keep quiet about it.

Loss of Appetite.

A person that has lost appetite has lost something besides vitality, vigor, and tone. The way to recover appetite and all that goes with it is to take Hood's Sarsaparilla—that strengthens the stomach, perfects digestion and makes eating a pleasure. Thousands take it for spring loss of appetite, and everybody says there's nothing else so good as Hood's.

A new ordinance in Atlanta, Ga., prohibits the sale of cocaine except by druggists on physicians' prescriptions. The use of the drug has become very prevalent among the negroes. A TONIC FOR THE DEBILITATED.—Farnell's Vegetable Pills by acting mildly but thoroughly on the secretions of the body are a valuable tonic, stimulating the lagging organs to healthy action and restoring them to full vigor. They can be taken in graduated doses and so used that they can be discontinued at any time without return of the ailments which they were used to allay. The United States Government gives its sailors only 30 cents a day each to live on, but it is claimed that the American navy is better fed than any other navy in the world.

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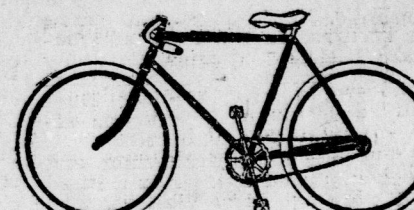
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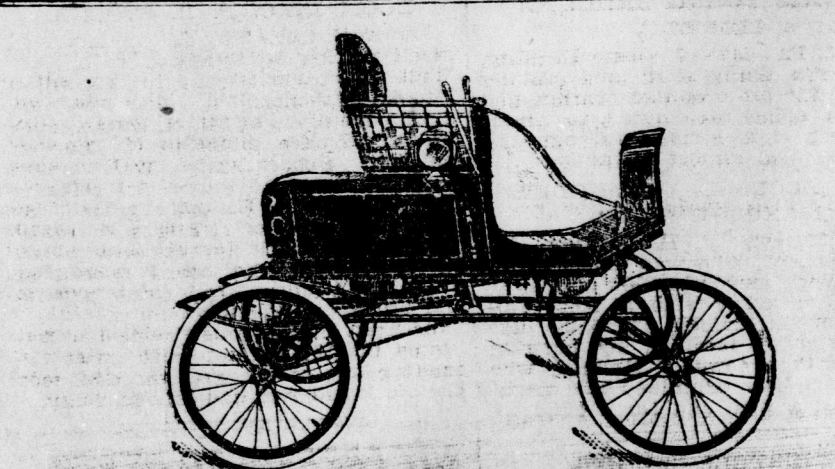


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AROUND THE CITY.

From Yesterday's Last Edition.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Dart, of Ridgeway, are in the city.

—Judge Edward Elliott disposed of two jury cases in the first division court today.

—For causing a public nuisance Robert Hill was fined \$20 in Squire Lacey's court this morning.

—Mrs. J. Billings, Metcalfe street, St. Thomas, who has been visiting friends in London, has returned home.

—Mr. John Wilson sang "The Holy City" very acceptably in the Southern Congregational Church yesterday.

—Mr. W. J. Mcintosh, a London Old Boy, was in the city today, from Chicago, looking very well indeed. His old friends were glad to get a grip of his hand.

At yesterday's services in St. Peter's Cathedral Rev. Father Aylward took occasion to express his gratification at the unusually large Easter offerings. The collections were the largest in many years.

—Seventy-one bylaws for cement walks, which have been prepared by Clerk Jolly, of the assessment commission's office, will be presented at the council tonight. They represent an almost equal number of new sidewalks to be constructed this year.

—Mrs. Mary Scott died yesterday at the family homestead at Delaware. She was in her 82nd year, and her death was due simply to the weakness of old age. Mrs. Scott was highly esteemed by all who enjoyed her acquaintance. The funeral will be held at Lambeth Cemetery, tomorrow.

—The East Middlesex Teachers' Association will meet in this city on Thursday and Friday next. On Thursday evening a public meeting will be held in the Collegiate Institute, at which Mr. S. J. Radcliffe, B. A., the principal, will deliver an address on "Romantic Poetry in the Nineteenth Century."

SICK ONLY THREE DAYS.

Thomas W. Cochrane, an employee of the street railway company, died this morning at his mother's home on Huron street. He became ill on Thursday evening, and during the days that intervened before his death, he suffered with a severe internal illness. He was in his 25th year.

DIESBOURG-McGUIRE.

A pretty wedding took place at St. Peter's Cathedral this morning, when Mr. T. P. Diesbourg, formerly of Belle River, was united in marriage to Miss Susie McGuire, of this city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Aylward, after which high mass was celebrated. Miss Anna Nuttall acted as bridesmaid, while Mr. P. McGuire, brother of the bride, supported the groom. After a festive wedding breakfast at the residence of the bride's mother, the happy couple left by the C. P. R. for Detroit and points west.

DEATH OF FORMER LONDON RESIDENT.

Mrs. Gordon, wife of James H. Gordon, formerly of this city, died at Montreal on May 1. The remains were interred beside those of her father, the late Alex. Muchmor, at Ottawa. Both Mr. and Mrs. Gordon were well known in London, Mr. Gordon having at one time been connected with the firm of John B. Laing & Co., wholesale dry-goods merchants, of this city. Mr. Walter Simpson, of London, attended the funeral at Ottawa.

A PEERLESS SPRING HEALTH BUILDER.

PAINE'S CELERY COMPOUND

The Wonderful Curing Medicine.

Wherever men and women work, strive and battle with life's duties and responsibilities, Paine's Celery Compound is regarded as a true friend and helper. In shop, office, factory, and among the weary wives and mothers who bear the burden of domestic work, Paine's Celery Compound is prolonging life by strengthening the body's function and driving out disease.

Paine's Celery Compound is a peerless Spring medicine in all cases of enfeebled nerves, foul blood, kidney disease, rheumatism, neuralgia, and dyspepsia. The virtues of the great medicine subside and banish the most obstinate cases of disease.

Mr. R. W. Daniels, Lawrencetown, N. S., writes thus: "I feel constrained, for the benefit of suffering humanity, to add my testimony to the wonderful effects upon Paine's Celery Compound. I was induced to try your Compound through its wonderful effects upon a Mr. Parks. I had previously used a vast quantity of patent and doctors' medicines, only to find myself growing weaker. After using your Paine's Celery Compound, to the number of five bottles, I gained 43½ pounds, and I am able to work hard all day as a mason with comfort to myself. I put like a new man, which condition I owe to the blessing of God and your Paine's Celery Compound."

MORE SMALLPOX CASES.

Toronto, May 6.—Dr. Bryce has received a report of a case of smallpox in Glenora county. This is a district hitherto free from the disease. Two cases are reported from Camden township, Victoria county, where about twenty already exist as a result of the attendance at a dance of a person with the disease.

A RARE COMBINATION.—Not often can you get such a pleasant, thirst-quenching draught and at the same time such an efficient regulator of the stomach, kidneys, liver and bowels, as you will find in Paine's Laxative Fruit Granules. A teaspoonful in a glass of water makes a delicious drink. 75c a bottle. Sold by Cairnes & Lawrence, 216 Dundas street, London.

GAVE HIM A SOLDIER'S FAREWELL!

No. 1 Co., R. C. R. I., Says Good-Bye to Lieut.-Col. Buchan.

Gallant Officer Banqueted at Wolseley Barracks on the Eve of His Departure for Toronto.

Lieut.-Col. Buchan, who served with such conspicuous gallantry with the special service battalion of the Royal Canadian Regiment of Infantry throughout the South African campaign, was given a soldier's farewell by No. 1 Company, R.C.R.I., yesterday morning on the occasion of his departure for Toronto, where he will take command of the entire regiment. The company paraded on the barracks square, at 9:30 a.m., marched to the drill shed, and from thence, headed by the 7th regiment band, to the Grand Trunk depot where they were drawn up to await Lieut.-Col. Buchan's arrival. The company was in charge of Major Septimus Denison, the bronze veteran of Lord Roberts' staff, and presented an unusually smart appearance.

At the depot, where a great crowd had assembled, the 7th regiment band played "The Girl I Left Behind Me," "Home, Sweet Home" and other airs dear to the soldier's heart. When Lieut.-Col. Buchan appeared at the door of the railway carriage, the soldiers sent up a cheer such as only soldiers' lungs are capable of uttering. The colonel bowed his thanks, and as the train pulled out the band again struck up "Home, Sweet Home."

OFFICERS' BANQUET.

Saturday evening Major Denison and the officers of Wolseley Barracks tendered Lieut.-Col. Buchan a banquet at the barracks. Among those who sat down to the repast were Lieut.-Col. Peters, O.C., Lieut.-Col. Smith, commanding officer of the 7th Regiment, Major Septimus Denison, Capt. Carpenter and Major Bell, R. C. R. I.; Major H. Cronyn, 7th Regiment; Judge Elliot, and Messrs. G. C. Gibbons, K.C., Adam Beck, P. W. D. Brodick, G. Harris, Campbell, Beck, G. H. Brown, Kildoug, Inglis, H. Carling, Leonard and Smallman.

After the dinner was over and the tables had been cleared, Major Denison proposed the gallant colonel's health, referring, in so doing, to the latter's splendid record in South Africa, when in command of the Royal Canadian Regiment of Infantry, more especially at Paardeberg, and expressed the deep regret everyone in London felt at parting with so good a friend and so gallant a soldier. He wished him, at the same time, every success in Toronto, where he is also well known.

Col. Buchan feelingly replied, expressing the keen sorrow he felt at leaving London, more especially No. 1 regimental depot. He had made many friends in London and the memory of the city and its people would remain a green spot in his life. He was repeatedly cheered during his remarks, at the close of which the entire company sang "He's a Jolly Good Fellow," with three times three, and "Auld Lang Syne."

Lieut.-Col. Peters, D. O. C., also expressed his regret. Lieut.-Col. Buchan and he were old friends, and he could only say that a better officer and man he had never met. He wished him every success in his future home. The company broke up with the singing of "God Save the King." The dinner was served under the supervision of the mess caterer, Sergt. Harry Kibbler, and needless to say, was excellent in every detail. Lieut.-Col. Buchan is one of the most popular officers with the rank and file ever connected with the R. C. R. I. He is worshipped by his men and respected by his fellow-officers, and his departure for Toronto occasions general regret, not only among his military associates, but among the citizens of London at large, among whom he had many warm friends. Col. Buchan's record is too well known and his recent achievements in South Africa are too recent to require comment. On the memorable morning of Feb. 27, 1900, when the Canadians were ordered to attack Cronje's laager, Col. Buchan led the half battalion in that terrible but glorious charge, in which so many brave young Canadians gave up their lives for the empire. He came through the arduous campaign without wounds and with great distinction. When honours were being distributed by the imperial war office, Col. Buchan was not forgotten. He was made a C. M. G., a distinction which few Canadians, comparatively, enjoy.

WALL STREET FEVERISH!

Sharp Advances Followed by Declines and Marked Irregularity.

New York, May 6.—Wall Street—The market opened in a state of wild excitement, and with blocks of from 1,000 to 25,000 shares taken on a rapidly rising scale in a large number of the principal stocks. The grangers, Pacific, trunk lines and southwesterners were notably affected, and there were striking gains in the southern group and among the leading industrials. The rise was foreshadowed in the London market, where St. Paul had been advanced 4½, Union Pacific 2½ and other prominent stocks from 1 to 2 points. A number of the leading industrials advanced 1 to 2 points. There were further advances after the opening in many stocks, but the heavy volume of realizing invited by the sharp advances was large. The market became very feverish and irregular and the volume of dealings was large.

London, May 6.—Americans were the chief center of attraction on the stock exchange today, which was increasing in excitement with active buying. Beside the sensational advance in St. Paul, Northern Pacific, common reached 113. After a strong opening irregularity developed with rapid fluctuations.

A rumor has it that the Standard Oil interests, now uppeering in the Central, will build a chain of luxurious hotels in Mexico to attract tourists.

THE HAPPINESS OF HEALTH.—Exhaustion is the ripple and danger of pure blood as it courses through the veins. South American Kidney Cure drives out all impurities and ensures the richness and purity that is essential to perfect health—successful because it merits it—popular because it fulfills every promise—a kidney medicine solely and purely. It never fails. For sale by C. McCallum & Co., 125.

RIGO WAS BOUGHT OFF.

Princess Chimay's Family Pays Him to Keep From the Stage.

The King's Carriage Coming to Canada—Will Be Used by the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall.

London, May 6.—Princess Chimay, with Rigo, leaves London today for Carlsbad, returning here in June, to stay till September. Negotiations for Rigo's appearance on the stage, either in London or America, are all owing to an arrangement concluded the other day before Consul-General Osborne.

"I had an offer to play in private houses in New York, at a salary of \$1,000 for each appearance. This meant \$100,000 for the season for certain, but out of deference for the wishes of my wife's family I have declined all engagements now and forever. We signed an agreement to this effect before the consul. I myself never to appear at a public performance again."

"This means a big loss for me, but the family was very generous, making settlements to compensate for the loss. We are anxious now to avoid all publicity, and to live quietly in the future. I love playing the violin, but shall do so only in private in the future."

COMMENT ON MCKINLEY'S TOUR.

London, May 6.—Commenting editorially upon the "exceptional circumstances of President McKinley's tour and its party objects," the Times refers to his "use of language" in New Orleans, which, in a liberal sense, might be adopted by the Cobden Club, and adds: "If by seven weeks of unrelenting toil he has been able to win acceptance for these principles among the American people, he will be able to look back upon them as the best spent weeks of his political life."

THE KING'S CARRIAGE.

London, May 6.—In reply to a request from the governor-general of Canada, one of the King's carriages will be sent over to the Dominion for the use of the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall during their approaching visit, and it is possible that two or more royal servants will be sent also. The vehicle will not be one of the semi-state conveyances, similar to that sent to the Antipodes, but a plain landau, such as the late Queen ordinarily used when driving privately in London.

BLACKS AND GRAYS.

London, May 6.—Though public mourning for the late Queen is supposed to be over, the people seem loath to leave off their sombre garments too suddenly. In society circles there will not be much brightness in clothing. Gray, black and white, with touches of mauve, are all that are to be seen in ladies' dresses in the parks, the stands, at race meetings, and the restaurants. The men are all in black and grays, without a touch of color, though in the city the sombre black and dark grays will give way to light treads and fancy waistcoats, but even in these there is no indication of anything startling. In fact, rather quiet colors will be used by those few who affect them.

It seems to be taken for granted that the single-breasted frock coat, which enjoyed a very limited popularity last year, is to be discarded.

Among the smart set it is pretty evident, judging from displays in West End shop windows and the stocks provided by society tailors of the first rank, that blacks and grays will continue to be worn right through the summer.

DEWET LOCATED.

But He Has Few Followers With Him—Cave of Ammunition Discovered—Merritt's Offer.

Harrismith, May 6.—Dewet has been located in the vicinity of Kroomstadt. He has but a few followers with him, and he is reported to be unable to raise a sufficiently large force to again assume the offensive.

The outlook is regarded here as being much brighter than it has been since the war began. Many Boers are surrendering daily. A large number are in a state of destitution, and looking thoroughly sick of the war. It has transpired that Louis Botha had very narrow escapes both on his march to join Dewet and on his return to the Transvaal. The British scouts peppered him hotly on the two occasions when he crossed the Vaal.

Standerfont, May 5.—It is reported that a cave has been discovered in the northeast corner of the Orange River Colony, which has been used for some considerable time back as an arsenal by the Boers. It is here that Dewet has three times replenished his stock of arms and ammunition. The military authorities had hitherto been greatly mystified at the source of Dewet's supply.

Ottawa, May 5.—The militia department has received a cable from the colonial office, asking that Major Merritt's offer to raise a regiment of men for South Africa be kept open until the end of the month. From this it is inferred that the imperial authorities are still considering the offer.

ARTHUR COLEY LIVES

Not Dead, as Many of His Friends Thought He Would Be.

Swan Lake, Man., May 6.—A young man is living here today whom many people in this and other parts of the province do not think to be in the grave. His name is Arthur Coley, and when he left Somerset in 1894 he was in the last stages of Bright's disease and diabetes. "Many will be surprised, I am sure, to find that I am alive," says Mr. Coley, "for I was utterly prostrated with Bright's disease and diabetes. I did not expect to live. Now I am able thankfully to say that pain and weakness are unknown to me. I am a farmer, and can now do as hard a day's work as anyone, whereas before using Dodd's Kidney Pills I was given up to die with Bright's disease and diabetes. This was in 1894. I am well today. Dodd's Kidney Pills saved my life. They cure to stay cured."

Nothing looks more ugly than to see a person whose hands are covered over with warts. Why have these disgusting growths on your person, when a sure remedy is at hand? Try Dodd's Corn Cure! It is found in Holloway's Corn Cure!

CHATHAM WOMAN'S NERVE AND BRAVERY.

Saved Her Little Child From Being Killed by a Runaway Team.

Chatham, Ont., May 6.—Mrs. Coleman, at the risk of almost certain death Saturday afternoon, rescued her baby from under the hoofs of a runaway team of horses.

George Emery, of Dover, was driving past the market, when the white horse, the legs of the horses, and they bolted along King street at a terrific rate. The tongue slipped from the neck-yoke in front of Turrill's store, and the horse came to a halt. The jar caused by the suddenness of the stop threw Mr. Emery headlong to the pavement. The horses dashed on the sidewalk and plunged into the large plate-glass window in front of Turrill's store. Mrs. Coleman at the time was in the store making some purchases, but had left her two-year-old baby sitting in its carriage outside.

Hearing the crash of glass, she, with a mother's instinct, ran for her child, and in some marvelous manner, succeeded in getting her babe from under the horses' feet. She then ran into the doorway, and had barely time to throw the carriage into the street, when she was thrown to the pavement, was rendered unconscious, and lay for some time motionless on the head and body. Mr. Turrill estimates his loss on the stock in the window at \$200.

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ANNUAL CAMP BEGINS JUNE 4!

Cavalry May Pitch Their Tents in Queen's Park This Year.

The first annual militia camp of instruction for No. 1 military district, will commence at Carling's Heights on June 4, and the second camp on June 11. The camp of 1901 promises, for a variety of reasons, to be a highly important one. To begin with, it is to witness a radical reform in the matter of dress. By a district order, the commanding officers of regiments are instructed to select such material as they may deem best suited to the needs of their men for drill purposes. Then, again, there is likely to be more attention paid to shooting and less to complicated movements that have little practical bearing on actual warfare. The resources of returned South African veterans in nearly all the regiments will add materially to their efficiency.

It is not improbable that the cavalry corps will this year camp in Queen's Park instead of on Carling's Heights with the infantry. Lieut.-Col. Peters, D.O.C., understood the situation in favor of the change, and it is likely that, if suitable arrangements can be made, it will be carried out.

A LONDON BOY IN THE U. S. ARMY.

How Sergt. Howell Won Promotion Over the Heads of His Superiors.

That Canadians can succeed quite as well in the United States army as in other walks of life across the border, has been demonstrated by Percy C. Howell, of Company F, 42nd Regiment, U. S. A., at present on service in the Philippine Islands. Mr. Howell, who is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Howell, Grand avenue, South London, and a brother of Howell Bros., jewelers, Windsor, left London two years ago and joined the American army at Detroit. Writing from Malabon, under recent date, Mr. Howell announces his appointment as first sergeant of his company, the highest rank that can be held by an enlisted man. In receiving this appointment he jumped over the heads of ten non-commissioned officers. Sergt. Howell is attached to the paymaster's department, and in that department is responsible for the accuracy and neatness of the company's books. It is significant, as showing how successful he has been, in his work, that on the occasion of the inspector-general's visit to regimental headquarters, Sergt. Howell was commended for his work.

The advertiser is indebted to Sergt. Howell for several Manila exchanges giving detailed accounts of the capture of Aguinaldo by Gen. Funston.

"AN OUTRAGE," SAID THE ENGINEER

Mr. Graydon Scores the Street Railway Company for Mismanagement.

Big-sized blessings of a rather peculiar kind were being showered upon the street railway company by the city engineer yesterday. It was apparent that Mr. Graydon thought the company was just the meanest kind of a soulless corporation.

"They ought to have their franchise taken away," was his introduction to an angry speech delivered at the city hall yesterday afternoon, when he was addressing a meeting of the city council, and when his audience inclined its head negatively, he added, "They put on three extra Springbank cars Saturday afternoon, and made half-hour trips. I don't know how many people they had down there, but there was a crowd. Then, when the people were waiting for the extra cars, they were hanging on the cars like flies, and lots had to wait more than two hours. It was a shameful thing to do. It was an outrage, that's what it was, and I mean to let the company know it, too." And he did.

The reported purchase of the Dominion Line by J. J. Morgan is denied by the management.

CURE PILLS IN A WEEK. With Trask's Magnetic Ointment. Guaranteed at C. McCallum & Co., 25 and 40 cents.

Fire in Brandon, Man., destroyed the west wing of the government immigration building, Friday night. The loss is about \$1,200.

PROMISED TO MARRY HER

Harry Wilkinson Gained Young Woman's Confidence, Then Stole Her Money.

Harry Wilkinson was convicted in Magistrate Love's court yesterday of stealing from Miss Isabella Cockburn, the young woman whose confidence he gained under a promise of marriage. He was remanded until today for sentence.

According to the evidence of Miss Cockburn, Mr. Wilkinson ever possessed any many instincts he has forgotten them long since. He first met her at a boarding-house in 1899, and inside of a month their acquaintance had ripened into a warm friendship. Under a promise of marriage, Wilkinson induced her to give him money at various times. When he finally left town he had succeeded in getting his hands on over \$100 cash, a gold watch and chain and a silver watch. After that Miss Cockburn heard nothing from her prospective husband, and it was not until she complained to the police that he was located.

New name of Manager C. E. A. Carr, of the London Street Railway Company, appeared on the court blotter this morning. The company is charged with the breach of a bylaw in having left their cars standing in the street at the East End over Sunday. The case was enlarged until Wednesday.

Maurice Baldwin, who seems to have a penchant for police court proceedings, was charged with leaving a wagon on the street. He was allowed to go on suspended sentence.

Three sidewalk riders were fined and four drunks were discharged.

IMPORTING SMALLPOX

A Number of Cases Discovered Among Passengers Newly Arrived at New York From European Ports.

New York, May 6.—The unusually large immigration from Italy this spring is responsible for a number of smallpox cases on board incoming steamers. The resources of the quarantine station at this port are being taxed to the utmost. There were 600 detained passengers on Hoffman Island last night; this morning the quarantine boat is transferring 300 more from the steamer Verba, which arrived yesterday from Naples with three smallpox patients. The Vincenzo Florio, which arrived this morning from Naples with 508 steerage passengers, also brought a case of smallpox. Almost every steamer which arrived this month from Naples brought smallpox to the port.

New Canal Treaty.

London, May 6.—The Associated Press has been officially notified that Lord Pauncefoot has received from Secretary Hay the draft of a new Nicaragua Canal treaty. It is understood that it advises neutrality.

AT THE CAPITAL

Two Vacant Seats in the Senate To Be Filled—More "Conscience Money" Comes In.

[Special to Advertiser.] [Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, May 6.—The death of Senator Ross of Quebec leaves two vacancies to be filled. The other one is for Halifax, to fill the place of the late Senator Almon. The Conservatives' majority after these vacancies have been filled will be reduced to nine, and three of these are found frequently supporting the government. If the Liberals would attend they have now a sufficient number to outvote their opponents. Because there are a number of Conservatives on account of failing health who cannot attend. The voting in the senate shows that when the Liberals reached 25 they would virtually control the upper chamber.

MORE CONSCIENCE MONEY. A cable received at the customs department announces that the same London woman who a few days ago sent \$250 conscience money to the high commissioner's office, has sent another \$25 for the same purpose.

HE WILL STAY IN LONDON

Mr. C. R. Sayer Refuses the Offer of the South Bend, Ind., Association.

Secretary C. R. Sayer's many friends in London will learn with satisfaction that he has decided not to accept the very flattering offer made him by the Y. M. C. A. directors of South Bend, Ind.

BASEBALL. In the list of baseball players who are expected to bring the Canadian League pennant to this city, published in Saturday's Advertiser, the name of Outfielder Thomas Carroll was inadvertently omitted. Mr. Carroll is one of the strongest men on the team, and, like the majority of his fellow-players, is a London man. He played last year with the Pastimes, a crack amateur organization which won so many hard-fought battles.

The Pastimes have reorganized for the season, and are having steady practice. The team is composed of the following well-known amateurs: W. Clarke, first base; R. Carroll, second base; F. Vanderburg, third base; W. Ward, shortstop; F. Mault, G. Neilson and W. Wilson, outfield; Denner, Laundry and Lepper, battery.

Angelina Duval, a servant, fell from a third story window of a house on St. Catharines street, in Montreal, and was killed.

TO PREVENT IT BETTER THAN TO REPAIR IT.—A little medicine in the shape of wood-textured pellets which are known as Paine's Vegetable Pills, administered at the proper time and with the directions adhered to, often prevent a serious attack of scalds and save money, which would go to the doctor. In all irregularities of the digestive organs they are an invaluable corrector and by cleaning the blood they clear the skin of imperfections.

Jameson & Co., 169 La Salle street, Chicago, one of the largest stock-broking firms in the west, have suspended.

LIFE SAVED.—Mr. James Bryson, Cameron, writes: "I was confined to my bed with inflammation of the lungs, and was given up by my physicians. A neighbor advised me to try Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, stating that his wife had used it for a throat trouble with the best results. Acting on his advice, I procured the medicine, and less than half a bottle cured me. I certainly believe it saved my life. It was with reluctance that I consented to a trial, as I was accustomed to such a state that I doubted the power of any remedy to do me any good."

"ALWAYS THE BEST OF EVERYTHING FOR THE LEAST MONEY."

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Every woman knows what the R & G Corset is. It is the corset of comfort with the essence of style. It is the only corset that will not, can not, and does not stretch. If you buy an R & G Corset that does stretch or proves unsatisfactory in any way, bring it back to us and we will give you a new one. We have in stock the famous No. 397, moderately straight front, which is popular with most women who do not demand an extreme straight front. Those who do will find it in the new straight front shown in our illustration.

We sell No. 397 for \$1.25. Our corset stock is large and well selected.

Summer Corsets—Special Linen Summer Corsets, per pair.... 29c

Straight Front Corsets—In pink, blue, ecru and gray, tailor cut, all sizes, per pair only..... 50c

Girdle Corsets—In white only, the latest French idea, very comfortable for the summer, per pair.....\$1.00

D & A Linen Batiste Corsets—In white, straight front, perfect fitting, per pair.....\$1.00

Straight Front Summer Corsets—Very short on hips, made of fine net, per pair only..... 75c

We sell the E. T. Corsets—In black satin, steel filled, long waist, per pair.....\$1.00

The Crest, D & A Corsets always kept in stock, per pair.....\$1.00

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HARRIET'S HABIT

New York Woman is the Mother of a Trio of Triplets.

Paris, May 7.—Mme. Desboges, formerly Harriet Lancaster, of New York, on Sunday gave birth to triplets. This is the third time that the same thing has happened to her. She was married exactly three years and three months ago, and has nine children, all boys, and healthy. The father joyfully hopes that the next arrival will complete the dozen and break the record.

Harriet Lancaster studied painting in New York till she was 18. Then she came here and married three years later. M. Desboges is an architect. Mme. Desboges herself continued to paint, but when she saw how her family was growing she abandoned art to devote her whole time to her family.

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Meteorological.

Meteorological Office, Toronto, May 6.—5 p.m.—The weather continues quite calm in the Maritime Provinces and has turned much cooler in Manitoba. It continues warm in Ontario, and there has been a considerable rise in temperature in Quebec. Rain is falling immediately to the westward of the lake region. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 38-48; Kamloops, 48-58; Calgary, 30-38; Edmonton, 32-44; Qu'Appelle, 26-40; Winnipeg, 34-46; Port Arthur, 46-62; Parry Sound, 42-56; Toronto, 48-67; Ottawa, 40-74; Montreal, 40-55; Quebec, 38-48; Halifax, 35-43.

Local temperatures, Monday: Highest, 73 above; lowest, 41.5 above.

Today (Tuesday) the sun rose at 5:02 a.m. and sets at 7:26 p.m. The moon rises at 11:01 p.m. and sets at 7:47 a.m.

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A LOCAL BUDGET.

—Mr. Harry Milling, late of New York, has accepted a situation as steward in the London Club.

—Miss Gertrude Hislop and Miss Cora Pickard, of London, spent Sunday with Miss Mab Wilson, St. Thomas.

—Mr. W. E. Saunders gave his interesting illustrated lecture on "Our Native Birds" in the lecture room of the First Methodist Church last evening to a large audience.

—Toronto Star: Mrs. Holmes, wife of Col. Holmes, of London, who has been staying in town with her sister, Mrs. Spion, has gone to Vancouver, accompanied by Miss Holmes, who was Mrs. Lister's guest during her stay in the city.

—Shortly after midnight yesterday Patrolman W. H. Irwin, of the Elmwood precinct, Detroit, found two boys trying to climb over the Detroit United Railway Company's power-house on Atwater street. When brought to headquarters the boys confessed they had run away from

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their homes in this city. They gave their names as Perry St. Clair and William Abell. Both are 14 years of age, and among other things in their pockets carried soap and other toilet necessities.

—Mr. J. P. McLeod, of Hamilton, grand chancellor of Ontario of the Knights of Pythias, paid an official visit and delivered an address to the members of Court Myrtle, No. 2, and Prospect, No. 10, at a joint meeting held in the Knights of Pythias' Hall last evening. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

—The regular meeting of the Wellington Street Church Epworth League was held on Monday night, when the newly-elected officers assumed their duties, the president, Mrs. Thos. Snell, in the chair. The topic, which was "Decision of Character," was taken by Mr. Jos. Rooke. The league is in a very prosperous condition, and is looking forward to a very successful year.

—Rev. J. H. F. McElnay, D.D., Port Dover, is visiting in the city for a short time, and the pastors of St. James' and Knox Presbyterian Churches took advantage of his presence to have him preach for them on Sunday, at St. James' in the morning and Knox Church in the evening. This the doctor did with his usual effectiveness to help his brethren and to the great delight of pastors and people. His theme was "The Happiness of those whose God is the Lord," he handled with ability and clearness.

THE WATER COMMISSIONERS.

At the regular meeting of the water commissioners yesterday afternoon the chairman was given power to see that the Springbank pavilion is thrown open to the public this year. It is intended that Springbank visitors shall have access to every part of the building.

The street railway company will be asked to erect time boards at their Springbank stations.

Engineer Moore was instructed to build a foot bridge at the dam. Inspector Plastow reported that the new sewage system was responsible for the great increase in the quantity of water being consumed.

The right to operate a merry-go-round at the park was granted to Mr. Hall at \$50.

Chairman Wm. Jones, Mayor Rum- ball, Major Little, Engineer Moore and Secretary Elwood were present.

ST. ANDREW'S CENTURY FUND.

At a meeting of the century fund committee of St. Andrew's Church last evening, it was announced that the fund now amounts to \$13,500. Several other sums already subscribed will be received in the course of a few days, which, it is expected, will bring the total up to \$14,000. It is very probable that before the meeting of the General Assembly in June the \$15,000 which Dr. Johnston asked the congregation to raise will be realized.

The offering has been a general one from the whole congregation, and no personal pressure has been brought to bear upon any one member of the church.

It has been decided at the commencement that after the object of the fund had been stated every subscription should be voluntary. Several individual subscriptions of \$500 have been received in response to the appeal.

AN INTERESTING ENTERTAINMENT.

Referring to the closing meeting of the Woodstock Music Club, at which Mr. W. Caven Barron, of this city, had charge, the Express says: "Mr. Barron was accompanied by Miss Francis, A.L.C.M., a pianist whom the club is always glad to welcome, and a vocalist, Miss Agnes Templeton. Of Miss Francis' playing one can only say what has been said on former occasions. Her brilliancy and strong technical powers have lost none of their charm, and too much praise cannot be given to this talented young artist for her clever, earnest work. The perfect freedom with which her different numbers were rendered won the admiration and applause of the entire Woodstock audience. Miss Agnes Templeton has a voice of fine, flexible quality, and her sweet singing was much appreciated. This is her first visit to Woodstock, and should she return she is sure of a cordial welcome. Mr. Barron introduced a new feature by playing his own compositions exclusively. His recital was preceded by a talk on "Music as a Language." The paper, from beginning to end, was full of interest and feeling, such a paper as might be expected from a musician to whom all the sounds of nature and inanimate nature have a rhythm and a language of their own. Mr. Barron's playing is so well known to the Woodstock musicians to require much comment. His playing always pleases. His own

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compositions, although not familiar to musicians here, were played as only the composer could interpret them."

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In one of the large rooms of the Auditorium Building tonight a lecture will be delivered by the Rev. J. Idriysyn Jones, of Northampton, England, on the subject of Britain's Imperial Destiny as Based on Its Hebrew Origin.

The lecturer is spending six months in the Dominion, and has spoken with clearness and acceptance to audiences in various parts of the country. He is firmly convinced of Britain's permanent greatness as in the line of providential determination now in the process of fulfillment.

The meeting is free and open to all, but a free offering towards expenses will be made at the close. Rev. Dr. Johnston will take the chair at 8 o'clock.

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CONDITIONS OF THE LAND GRANT.

Settlers Will Be Allowed All Timber But Pine, and All Minerals Not Under License.

The secretary of the London Veterans' Association is forwarding the names of all the members on its rolls who are entitled to the land grant.

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The 7th Regiment, which played No. 1 Company, R. C. R. I., to the Grand Trunk depot and back to the barracks on the occasion of Lieut.-Col. Buchanan's departure for Toronto, yesterday, was addressed on the barrack square by Major S. J. A. Denison, C. M. G., who complimented Bandmaster Hiscott and the men of his organization for their most creditable appearance and their excellent playing. He also thanked them for their kindness in turning out, their action showing the good feeling existing between the two corps, a feeling that had been of long standing in this city, and one that he hoped would continue.

Bandmaster Hiscott thanked Major Denison for his kind remarks. Before leaving the barracks the band was entertained to refreshments by Major Denison.

The kindest of feelings have always existed between the officers, non-commissioned officers and men of the 7th Regiment and the Royal Canadian Regiment at London. It is on occasions such as these that the friendship is still further cemented.

Deaths of a Day.

Donald A. Lathshaw, an editorial writer on the Kansas City Star, died last night of consumption, aged 41 years. He had been sporting editor of the Chicago Tribune.

Rev. Harry Scadding, D.D., is dead, aged 82. He was the most venerable figure on the streets of Toronto in recent years. His father was factor on Governor Simcoe's English estate, and came to Canada shortly after the foundation of the Province of Upper Canada by Simcoe. Dr. Scadding was born in England in 1813, and came to this country a lad of 18. He was the first "head boy" of Upper Canada College. Completing his education in England he became rector of Holy Trinity Church in Toronto, and retaining the post until advancing years compelled his resignation. It is as an author, however, that Dr. Scadding was best known.

In the death of Mr. George Fletcher, Monday morning, at Hamilton, an old and highly esteemed resident of that city passed away. Deceased was in his 74th year, and came to Canada from England in 1854. For many years he carried on a crockery and glassware business. The late Mr. Fletcher was a prominent figure in Methodist Church circles, and for many years a trustee of Wesley Church. He was a lifelong Liberal.

Edward Redhead, who wrote the tune of the "Rock of Ages," is dead. For years he was known as the champion of Gregorian music. He had been organist of St. Mary's Church, Paddington, England, since 1854, set many well-known hymns to music, and composed various pieces.

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