

FORMER LONDONER MURDERED BY THE VILLAGE BLACKSMITH

Mr. Albert McGarvey Says His Brother James Was Not Killed by Bandits in Russia as Had Been Reported—Man Who Did the Deed Was Executed.

Mr. Albert McGarvey, a former Londoner, now a resident of the Caucasus district in Southern Russia, arrived in the city Tuesday evening, and will spend a short time visiting Mr. Joseph W. Scandrett. He has just returned from the district where his brother, Mr. James McGarvey, was foully murdered a little over a year ago, and Mrs. McGarvey badly injured.

"The man who killed my brother has been executed," said Mr. McGarvey. "It was first thought that the deed was the work of bandits. The latter are generally Mohammedans from the mountains, bold, fierce fellows, but it was proved that such was not the case.

"The man who did it was a Russian, a blacksmith in the village where my brother superintended the oil operations. He was a thoroughly bad man, who had killed 21 people, it was estimated. He was proved guilty of killing my brother, but was executed for other crimes, although there was no doubt in the world who did the deed. There is no capital punishment in Russia under civil law, but as the province where we were located was under martial rule, the authorities were permitted to hang the man.

Robbery the Motive.

"The motive was undoubtedly robbery. My brother had been in the habit of paying the men, and the robbers knew that he had some money with him. So the blacksmith and his confederates went after it, and eventually killed Mr. McGarvey when he offered opposition. His residence was isolated, and was in an easy location for such a crime. My brother took too many precautions. He thought others took too many precautions, but it proved that he was not careful enough. It is a wild country, and human life is not considered very valuable. There are men who will kill for a surprisingly small sum of money, so that one has to be on the lookout all the time. The company I am with will not pay in cash at all, unless the money is turned over on the very day it is to be paid. Then it is taken to the oil fields, under a heavily-armed guard, and the

men are paid immediately. I never accompany my cashier on such a trip. One cannot reside outside the village at all, although there are many very fine situations for building purposes and residences.

The Oil Fields.

"Our oil fields are located near Baku in the Caucasus. The country is very fertile and rich, and is a good country. "There is a very great deal of oil there. It costs from \$50,000 to \$60,000 to drill one single well. We have to go down 3,500 or 4,000 feet, and the expense is very great. Of course, oil is abundant, a decent well running 500 barrels a day. Some of them run as high as 3,000 barrels. We have quite an extent of territory under our charge, and we expect in a short time to produce a million and a half gallons of oil a year. The expense is very great, but the returns are satisfactory, if one gets a good well. There are other companies in operation there.

Russia Going Ahead.

"Russia is making rapid strides. It is surprising the progress being made. The workmen enjoy many privileges. They have an eight-hour day, and good wages are demanded. Everything there is done through the government, and that often is slow work, but we have had no trouble of any account as yet.

"We have a Petrolia driller as superintendent, a man named Mallen, a very active, keen fellow. He has been in the country some years. He married a Russian woman, and has settled down to life in that country. He has been very successful. Russia, in the southern portion, is very rich, and in a few years will be producing great wealth.

Home Rule Agitation.

"Mr. McGarvey spent a short time in England before coming to Canada, and stated that the home rule agitation was creating a great deal of feeling in England and Ireland.

"I do not keep in close enough touch with the politics there to know much about the merits of the discussion," he stated. "However, it is creating much feeling. The impression is that there will be trouble."

Big Chief Glaubitz Will Hold Pow-Wow

The heads of the various departments under the control of the water commissioners will meet every Saturday at noon for luncheon, and at the same time discuss matters affecting the work of the city.

The idea originated with General Manager Glaubitz, and he considers that it will be of inestimable benefit to the water commission.

"The heads of every department will meet every Saturday at noon," he informed The Advertiser. "At this conference we will discuss everything of importance to the department. It will be a free-and-easy session, and every employee will be at liberty to say just what he wants to say, and offer any criticism or suggestion. The press will not be admitted, the conferences being merely little family affairs."

It is not known who will pay for the luncheon—the officials or Mr. Glaubitz.

CAUCUS OF LIBERALS DISCUSSES ORGANIZATION

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Jan. 24.—There was a caucus of the Liberals this morning which lasted from 11 until 1:30. At the close Sir Wilfrid announced that there had been a thorough discussion upon organization.

It is understood that the members gave their views of the feeling in the country on the great questions as they found it when home during the holidays.

There is no likelihood of the session going to an undue length, provided the Government shows some expedition in issuing the writ for South Renfrew.

PHOTOS OF INDIAN LISTERS FOR LOCAL HOTELKEEPERS

London Authorities Are Watching a New Move in Hamilton.

The proposal of the Hamilton license commission to furnish the hotelkeepers with a photo of each of the members of the Indian list is arousing much interest here, and if the proposal carries it is likely that local men will ask the London commissioners to adopt the scheme also.

"Who is going to pay for the pictures?" was the first question License Inspector Galpin asked, when told of the scheme. "I don't think the commissioners would want to do it. The listers themselves would, I am afraid, object very strongly to having their likeness in a group. It might be a big help to the hotelkeepers, though in many cases, if they could get such pictures."

A Good Idea.

"I think the proposition is a first-rate one," said a police official to The

Advertiser this afternoon. "We could get many of the pictures when the listers are summoned to court. The great majority of them come up before they are put on. There are a few whom it might be difficult to get pictures of, but it could be managed. Most of the hotelkeepers would be only too glad to have pictures of the 'listers.'"

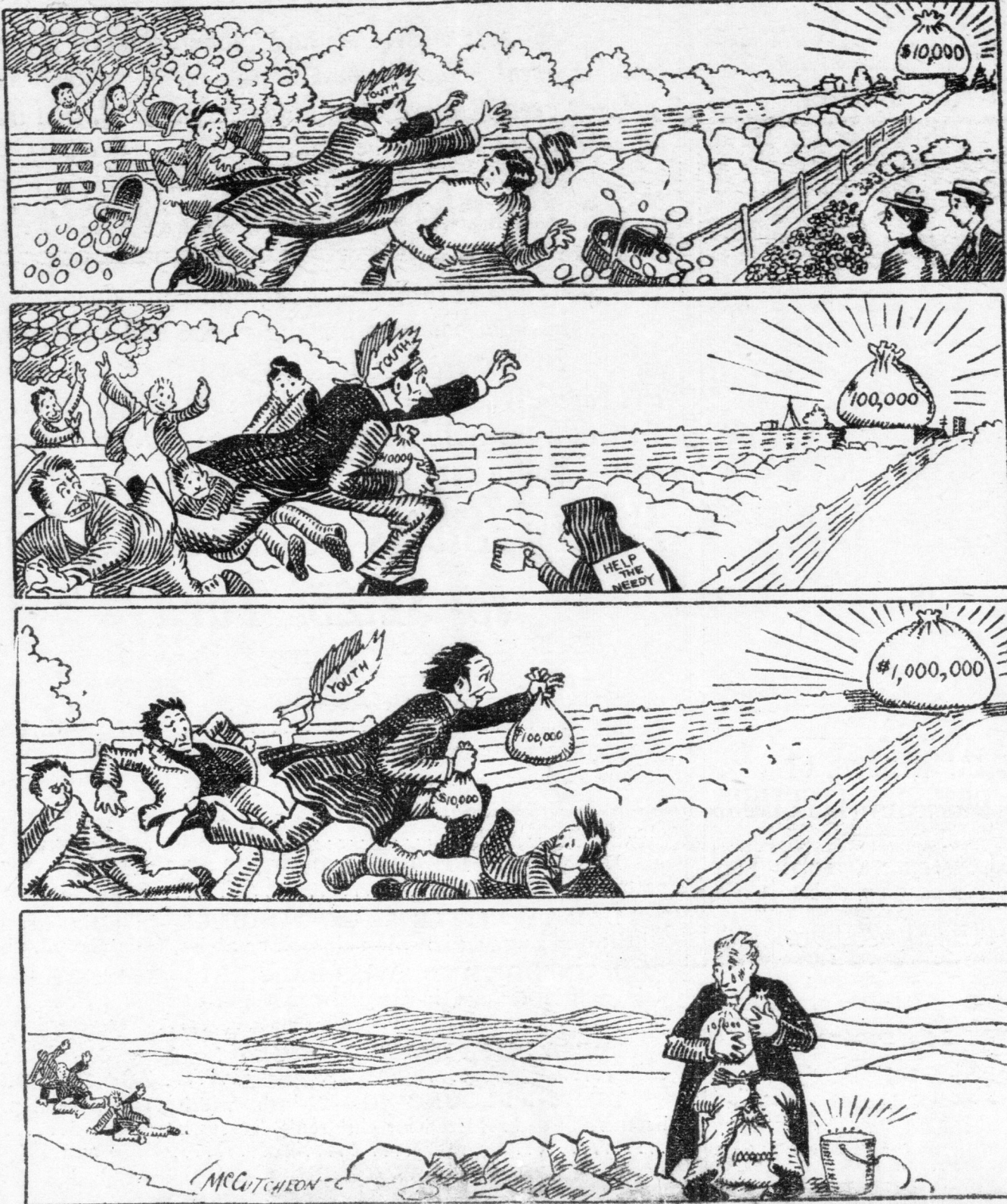
Favors the Scheme.

"I would be very strongly in favor of the scheme," said one of the big local hotelmen. "We have the greatest difficulty in keeping track of listers. There are a few dozen of the old-timers that we all know, but when some of those who only get on a drunk frequently come around and ask for liquor we don't know them. If we had photos it would help a whole lot to familiarize the bartenders with those to whom they must not sell. We don't want the trade of these listers, but often they resort to every scheme you can think of to get liquor. In many instances, of course, those who are not well known have little difficulty, and there have been many instances where hotelmen have been fined for selling to them when, had they had any doubts, they could have looked up a photo had they had one and saved trouble."

A PICTORIAL SERMONETTE ON THE PURSUIT OF WEALTH.

By John T. McCutcheon.

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The man whose sole object in life is money making.

CLAIM THAT BACON REWROTE THE BIBLE

Old London Literary Circles Are Stirred By a New Sensation.

[Canadian Press.]

New York, N. Y., Jan. 24.—The latest sensation in literary circles here and in London is the claim which has been suddenly brought forward by English Baconians that Bacon rewrote the Bible as it is translated, and that the King James version, as that term is now understood, is largely the work of Bacon.

According to T. W. Smedley, of the Bacon Society, the final revision of the authorized version was handed to King James in 1609, and returned by him completed in 1610. During that time a stylist had been at work, and it was not King James. It is Mr. Smedley's opinion that there was only one stylist in England at that time.

BRITISH AND FRENCH TO UNITE IN WELCOME

International Demonstration for Their Majesties Upon Arrival at Valetta.

[Canadian Press.]

Malta, Jan. 24.—King George and Queen Mary, on their arrival on board the Medina from India, will be accorded a great Anglo-French welcome here this morning.

Beside the British Mediterranean fleet, which will be present in virtually full strength, a squadron of French warships, under the command of Admiral Boue de Lapeyriere, will join in the greeting, and will thus mark the existing friendship between Great Britain and France.

The city of Valetta is thronged with British and French visitors, who have come especially to participate in the festivities.

The King and Queen intend to remain here until Jan. 27.

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW—FAIR AND COLD.

Forecasts.

Toronto, Jan. 24—8 a.m. Moderate to fresh northerly to westerly winds; fair and cold today and on Thursday.

Temperatures.

The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock this morning:

Stations	High	Low	Weather
LONDON	28.5	3.5	Clear
VICTORIA	30	46	Cloudy
CALGARY	38	22	Clear
WINNIPEG	4	-30	Cloudy
PARTY ARTHUR	6	-29	Clear
PARTY SOUND	20	4	Clear
TORONTO	28	12	Clear
OTTAWA	10	0	Snow
MONTREAL	8	0	Snow
QUEBEC	6	-6	Cloudy
FATHER POINT	6	-15	Clear

Minus (-) means below zero.

Weather Notes.

Cold weather prevails generally in the Dominion this morning, accompanied by light snow in the Ottawa and St. Lawrence valleys.

HAPPY HOMES IN THE COUNTRY REFLECTED IN MANY LETTERS

Farmer's Wife Glad Her Husband Is Not at Employer's Mercy, and That She Is Able to Feed Him "Good Farm Dinners"—Are City Folks Hospitable?

If the commission appointed by Theodore Roosevelt to seek light as to conditions on the farm were to investigate the country homes in The Advertiser's district, which means Western Ontario, its members would find nothing but happy homes, what ever else might be divulged. This statement needs no qualification, but it is well to say that the letters in the "City vs. Country Life" within the last few days are the criterion by which the general conclusion is come to. Upwards of a dozen communications from farmers and farmers' wives and sons and daughters have been received, and in them is set forth the general opinion of the contentment with rural home conditions. There are no grumblers at the excessive cost, no coveting of the city's glamor. Rather, it is a very self-satisfied tone of "We are glad to be on the farm" about all of them. The farmers claim that their health is better, that their enjoyments are natural enjoyments, but they may not have many of these, but they would rather be loyal to one, but the gramophone, the telephone and other modern contrivances have made for ease and comfort. They eat better food, they say, have an abundance of it, do not fear the land-

lord, the coal man or the employer. They are their own masters! They are ready to feed the city man and his horse should they happen out their way, and they say it is a rare thing that they know they are always welcome when it is fair time, or there's a circus in town.

The correspondence is regarded by The Advertiser as a splendid commentary on the good nature, hardihood and general progressiveness of agriculturists in the district.

Letters received are as follows:

CRITICIZES CITY'S HOMES.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

I read with much interest your description of life on the farm in your paper. It was written in such a happy vein and good humor that we all enjoyed the description.

But not so the letters in Saturday's paper favoring city life. If conditions in the city are as they describe them, God pity the city!

They write about the hardships on the farm and the trials of doctoring a sick calf in a cold barn. But there are no cold barns, and few sick calves, (in the country.) Then they speak of the city as follows:

"THE MYSTERY OF TWO GRIPS OR HOW ONE MAN MADE TROUBLE"

Humorous Mix-Up in North End With a Traveller's Outfit.

A young man with a generous disposition nearly started a riot Tuesday afternoon, and it was with the greatest difficulty that he and another gentleman in the city was saved from jail.

Mr. Walter Greenway, who lives near the corner of St. James and Waterloo streets, walked to Oxford street, to catch a car downtown. As he was going along, he saw a gentleman ahead of him with two grips. He turned his head for a moment, and when he looked again, the man had disappeared, and two grips were standing by the curb.

The car came along, and Mr. A. J. McGuffin came running out to catch it, belonging to Mr. McGuffin, and shouting, "I'll put your grips on," shoved the satchels on the platform.

Mr. McGuffin walked into the car and took a seat. Mr. Greenway stood on the platform, and when the car started he was reached, he alighted and went to his work. At King street Mr. McGuffin got off, and of course, the grips were left on the rear platform.

Police Notified.

The owner soon started trouble. It appears that he had gone into a house near the corner of Waterloo and Oxford for a third grip, and before he

PARSONS' APPEAL DISMISSED CITY HAD POWER TO SELL CITY HALL

Appeal in Famous Case Was Heard in the Divisional Court at Toronto Today and Was Dismissed—A Further Appeal Is Likely.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Jan. 24.—That the city of London could sell its city hall and market place, if it liked, was something settled by the divisional court at Osgoode Hall today.

John M. Parsons, of London, had entered an appeal from the decision of Justice Middleton, who declined to continue an injunction restraining the city of London from selling the property to the Royal Bank of the sum of \$100,000.

It was alleged by the appellant that there was a public thoroughfare through the arcade on the property,

which has a front of 110 feet square. Mr. Parsons' appeal was dismissed. The case of McDougall vs. London and Western Trust has not yet come up.

It is very probable that a still further appeal will be made to the supreme court.

In conversation with The Advertiser, Mr. Jared Vining, of the firm of Jarvis & Vining, solicitors for Mr. Parsons, stated that such a course was likely.

"There will probably be a further appeal," he stated. "That is as far as I care to go at this time. I have been informed that the appeal to the divisional court has been dismissed."

BIG INTERESTS OF MONTREAL FOR PRESENT HARBOR BOARD

File Protest With Govt. Against Any Change Being Made.

[Canadian Press.]

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 24.—The big interests of Montreal this morning filed a protest with the government against making any change in the personnel of the Montreal harbor commission.

Each member of the deputation was the bearer of a resolution asking that

political considerations should not be allowed to interfere with the development of the port of Montreal, and urging that in view of the fact that the present harbor commissioners had done splendid work, it should not be interfered with for party purposes, but that Messrs. Stephens, Ballantyne, and Geoffrion should be allowed to carry through the work which they have begun.

Recently Conservative members for Quebec demanded that Premier Borden dismiss the present board because of its being a Liberal appointment.

ARE BIG LINES AFTER L. & P. S. RY.

Rumors Again Rife That There Will Be More Bids Than One for Road.

G. T. R. IS WATCHING

Story Also Says That the Latter Concern Has Been Looking Over the Situation—May Make Offer.

The rumor that the C. P. R. would take over the Pere Marquette lines in Ontario, is again rife, and at the city hall it is thought that something of interest to Londoners would come out of such an amalgamation. It would probably have a considerable bearing on the future of the London and Port Stanley Railway.

Some time ago the rumor was also in circulation, and although denied in certain quarters, it has again come to the fore.

This time it is said that the C. P. R., through the Pere Marquette, will make an offer for the lease of the line. There is said to be no intention to electrify it, but continue it as a steam road. This would give the C. P. R. connection with St. Thomas, and another feeder in the fruit district of Western Ontario.

The offer will be much more advantageous to the city than any yet made, it is stated.

The Grand Trunk will make an offer, it is said, but not for some time. Experts are looking into the situation, and when certain information will be in hand, it is foretold, they will make a bid for the lease.

INTERVIEWED BISHOP REGARDING A RECTOR

Committee of Memorial Church Waited On His Lordship Today.

A committee from the Memorial Church interviewed His Lordship Bishop Williams this afternoon in reference to a successor to Rev. Canon Hague, who has gone to Toronto.

A number of names were submitted to the bishop. In the list is included Rev. Mr. Jenkins, of Clinton, and a number of prominent clergymen both within and outside the diocese.

It is not known who will be given the position, but the claims of all the men will be urged to the bishop.

SAYS BILINGUAL SCHOOLS NOT A DEAD ISSUE

Hon. Dr. Reaume Declares the Question Must Be Settled Very Shortly.

[Canadian Press.]

Ottawa, Jan. 24.—"No bilingual schools are not a dead issue now that the elections are over, no matter what Dr. Reaume's report will say. The question will have to be settled." Thus spoke Hon. Dr. Reaume, of Windsor, minister of public works in the Ontario cabinet, interviewed here today. Dr. Reaume is in town in connection with the settlement of some differences of jurisdiction in regard to certain fisheries and public works matters.

"Some people are saying that nothing more will be heard of bilingual schools," that is not so," replied Dr. Reaume. "The matter will have to be settled, and it is just as necessary to settle it now as it was before the elections."



MR. JOSEPH T. BUTTREY, Strathroy Man Who Was Elected Warden of Middlesex.

"Did you ever hear of Sir James Whitney not keeping a promise?" he retorted. Dr. Reaume further stated that the Merchant school on the question of bilingual schools would be out soon, inside of a couple of weeks, in fact.

BIG COAL FERRY IS FAST IN ICE

Bessemer Will Not Make Any More Trips Until Winter Is Over.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Port Stanley, Jan. 24.—The big Marquette and Bessemer coal ferry is frozen fast in the ice here, and from present indications will make no more trips until spring. No effort will be made to release the car ferry, by cutting the ice, as the cost of doing so is estimated at \$15,000. The ferry and its crew are still on board, but the majority of the crew have gone to their homes.

SEVENTEEN SIGN DR. MACGREGOR'S BOND

Prominent Citizens of Uby, Mich., Show Their Faith in Physician.

Bad Axe, Mich., Jan. 23.—Dr. Robert Macgregor, formerly of London, Ont., was released from the Huron county jail this afternoon, after being 62 days awaiting trial. His bail bond of \$15,000 was signed by seventeen sureties secured among the friends of the doctor at his home in Uby. The names are: R. J. Hagen, Robert A. Donaldson, Darley Teach, George H. Griffiths, A. J. Coran, J. W. Douglas, F. L. Pettit, Leo Car, Valentine Rathbone, Fred H. Brown, Geo. A. Pletz, John H. Miller, Donald Gordon, R. C. Burroughs, Wm. Stambaugh, Charles Trathen and E. C. Hagen. Two of the bondsmen are Uby bankers and two are merchants.

Mrs. Carrie Sparling was arraigned this afternoon. She was admitted to bail in the sum of \$1,000, which was furnished by her husband's cousin, Peter Sparling. Her bond demands her appearance in the circuit court on March 20.

HELP FOR YAT SEN.

Portland, Ore., Jan. 24.—To enable President Sun Yat Sen, of the new Chinese Republic, to get a better understanding of the support the Chinese in this country are according the revolutionary movement, Prof. Wong Tai Toy, for the last seven months head of the Chinese public school in this city, will leave for China Feb. 1. He will go as the accredited representative of the Young China Association of the Pacific coast, comprising organizations in practically all of the larger Pacific coast cities.

MONTREAL VISITED BY LARGE FIRES

Branch of Hobbs Co., of This
City Swept By the Flames.

TWO HOTELS DAMAGED

Jacques Cartier Square the Scene of
Destructive Conflagration on
Tuesday Night.

Montreal, Jan. 23. — Fire which broke out in the Hotel Richelieu, Jacques Cartier Square, tonight spread to the premises of the Trading Publishing Company, C. D. Alcantara, Hector L. Dery, and the Hotel Riendeau. The estimated damage by fire, water and smoke to two hotels was given approximately at \$125,000. The fire was discovered at a few minutes before 7 o'clock by a bellboy in the Hotel Riendeau.

With the arrival of the first division of the brigade, shortly after the alarm was turned in at 6:50 o'clock, it was seen that the blaze was a dangerous one. The fire was apparently hottest in the establishment of C. D. Alcantara, and Hector L. Dery, dealers in seeds, and the flames spread above their premises to the annex of the Hotel Riendeau and immediately communicated with the front of the Hotel Richelieu, and did the greatest damage to the premises at the back facing on St. Vincent street, where about 50 rooms were completely burned and damaged by smoke and water done to the premises of the Cartier Club.

The flames soon burst through the roof of the Hotel Richelieu and the blaze had spread to a while it looked as if the buildings would be gutted, but the pressure was adequate, and at 8:45 o'clock the situation was well in hand.

Mr. Tanguay, proprietor of the Riendeau Hotel, explained that in the main building, 58 to 60 Jacques Cartier Square, there were 75 rooms and 50 rooms in the annex, the greatest damage being done in this section of the building on the third and fourth floors by fire, smoke and water. There were 85 persons in the hotel at the time, and they all made their escape.

While the first fire was still raging a second fire broke out at the warehouse of the Hobbs Manufacturing Company, 71 William street, and spread with great rapidity. Part of the brigade was withdrawn from the fire on Jacques Cartier Square and hurried to the spot, where the blaze had made great headway owing to the fact that the premises of the Hobbs Manufacturing Company were completely gutted. Damage by smoke and water was done to the premises of the P. C. Coal Company, the Canadian Cold Storage Company, and the Household Washing Company, occupying offices in the buildings at either side of the Hobbs warehouse. The estimated damage, it is estimated, will not exceed \$60,000.

GOVERNMENT ASKED TO INCREASE HOME GRANTS

Hon. Mr. Hanna Not Favorable
To Raising Sum From
Two to Six Cents.

[Canadian Press.]
Toronto, Ont., Jan. 24.—Hon. W. J. Hanna did not prove exactly sympathetic when a deputation representing the Children's Homes of the province today requested the Government allowance of 2 cents per day be increased to 6 cents.

"Better put the children out on the farms than encourage them to stay in homes in cities," he remarked. "This whole business is largely a matter of sentiment. I have as much sentiment as anyone, but in this case sentiment should not be allowed to rule. I fancy, by the former Government with the idea of wiping out the grant altogether, if so doing it would get the children out of public institutions into private homes. It is a very poor idea that is not better than an institution."

H. M. Mowat, K. C., was the chief spokesman for the delegation. He pointed out that it now costs \$117 to keep an adult and \$80 to keep a child in the homes, yet these children's homes only got a third as much from the province as the senior homes. It would cost but \$29,000 to raise the rate to 6 cents for the 2,100 children now cared for.

The deputation includes Mrs. R. A. Lucas, representing the Girls' Home, Hamilton, and Mrs. Leggett and Mrs. Pratt, representing the Boys' Home, Hamilton.



Skin-Tortured Little Ones

Mothers! Are your little ones suffering from itching, burning eczemas, or other torturing, disfiguring skin troubles? Are you, yourself, worn out with long, sleepless nights and ceaseless anxiety in caring for them? Then you should know that, in most cases, a warm bath with

Cuticura Soap

and a gentle application of Cuticura Ointment bring immediate relief, the little sufferers sleep, tired, fretted mothers rest, and peace falls on distracted households.

Although Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold by druggists and dealers everywhere, a postal to "Cuticura," Dept. 236, Boston, U. S. A., will secure a liberal sample of each, with full book on the skin and scalp, and treatment of their affections.

WESTERN GRAIN GROWERS DEMAND LOWER RATES

And Will Press for Government
Owned Elevators at Montreal
and Fort William.

[Canadian Press.]

Brandon, Man., Jan. 24. — The annual meeting of the Grain Growers' Association opened this morning with 455 prominent farmers present. The address of the president gave special emphasis to the demand for lower freight rates, which, he declared, were today most excessive, and a burden on the entire Canadian west.

Further, the address declared, the intentions of the grain growers was to press the Dominion Government for terminal elevators under Government ownership and operation at Fort William and Montreal.

The cement merger was also criticized for advancing the price of a necessary building material in the west. From the attendance and the enthusiasm displayed the organization is an all-powerful political force in the west.

HAPPY IS LONDON'S POSITION AT PRESENT

Despite the Severe Weather There is
Very Little Distress Reported
at the City Hall.

There is not much distress in the city, according to the statements of Inspector McCallum and Inspector Sanders, of the Charities Organization Society. Considerable building is being done and that is giving employment to many more men than is usually the case. In addition, all the factories are working overtime being the rule in the majority.

"We have not had many cases to deal with," said Inspector McCallum. "There is plenty of work, and the deserving poor are well cared for." "There is not much poverty," said Inspector Sanders. "We are looking after the needy, but they are not numerous. The demand on our funds is much less than in other years, and we are constantly on the lookout for bad cases. There is plenty of work."

TIGERS BEAT CUBS

First Game Played in the Y. M. C. A.
Basketball League.

The first game in the Y. M. C. A. Basketball League was played Tuesday evening, when the Tigers defeated the Cubs by the score of 19 to 4. The game was a fast one, the half-time score being 6 to 0 in the Tigers' favor. The next game will be played Thursday evening. The teams Tuesday night were as follows: Wells and Johnston; centre, Lewis; guards, Bailey and Davis.

Cubs—Forwards, Harris and Logan; centre, Dodine; guards, Cook and LeSueur.

OPERATORS WON

Warm Game of Hockey Played at the
Simcoe Street Rink.

The commercial telegraph operators defeated a picked team from the C. P. R. freight department in a fast hockey game at the Simcoe street rink last evening, by the score of 3 to 2. The game was fast all the way, the telegraph men having the best of the play, however. Old-timers like "Duff" Evans and Herb Easton were conspicuous on the operators' line-up. Referee Deane officiated just like a regular referee.

The teams lined up as follows: Commercial Operators — Goal, Bot- ton; point, D. Evans; cover, H. Easton; rover, M. Booth; centre, E. Ross; right, E. Wallace; left, R. Simpson.

C. P. R.—Goal, Milne; point, C. Simpson; cover, C. McHarg; centre, P. Martin; right, C. Goodfellow; left, R. McRiche.

DETROIT DECIDES AGAINST THE THREE-CENT FARES

Municipal Ownership Party De-
feated at the Polls On Street
Car Issue.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 23. — The Thompson-Hally street car ordinance, providing for three-cent fares and universal transfers, was decisively defeated at the polls here today. It was a very bitter fight.

At 10 o'clock tonight 121 precincts of the total of 155 show a majority of 4,633 votes against the ordinance, and at Mayor Thompson's office in the city hall, friends of the measure acknowledged its defeat. The third ward Mayor Thompson's "vic" district, which for years has rolled up majorities for him every time, today turned down the pet measure of its favorite son.

In order to carry the Thompson-Hally ordinance required to poll sixty per cent of the total vote. The figures at this hour indicate the percentage will not exceed 43.

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.

[Special to H. C. Becker.]

Open	High	Low	2pm
Amal. Copper...	64 1/2	64 1/4	64 1/2
Anaconda Copper...	35 1/2	35 1/4	35 1/2
American Sugar...	115 1/2	115 1/4	115 1/2
Amer. Beet Sugar...	57 1/2	57 1/4	57 1/2
American Foundry...	62 1/2	62 1/4	62 1/2
American Refining...	72 1/2	72 1/4	72 1/2
Amer. Cotton Oil...	48 1/2	48 1/4	48 1/2
Atchafalpa...	109 1/2	109 1/4	109 1/2
Brooklyn Transit...	79 1/2	79 1/4	79 1/2
Canadian Pacific...	231 1/2	231 1/4	231 1/2
Consolidated Gas...	140 1/2	140 1/4	140 1/2
General Electric...	160 1/2	160 1/4	160 1/2
Int. Metrop. Ed. Co.	31 1/2	31 1/4	31 1/2
Rock Island...	24 1/2	24 1/4	24 1/2
St. Paul & Northern Pac.	108 1/2	108 1/4	108 1/2
U. S. Steel...	66 1/2	66 1/4	66 1/2
Western Union Tel.	84 1/2	84 1/4	84 1/2

Mr. and Mrs. Elsie, of this city, attended the funeral of Mrs. C. R. Black at Port Huron on Tuesday.

LONDON CLUB'S BONSPIEL IS ON FOR THURSDAY

Mr. John Stevenson Has Donated
Four Gold Mounted Pens
as Prizes.

The regular fortnightly bonspiel of the London Curling Club will be played tomorrow, and great interest is being taken by the members of the club in the event. Many of those who were not in the running at the last bonspiel are anxious for revenge, and the games will be decidedly interesting. The draw will be made this evening, and the games will commence tomorrow afternoon. Lunch will be served at the rink at six o'clock, and the final games will be played in the evening. Mr. John Stevenson has kindly donated four gold-mounted fountain pens for the winning rink.

SIPPI MAY MANAGE LONDON BALL TEAM

Rumor Says He Will Be at the
Head of 1912 Organization.

It is understood that Mr. Arthur Sippi, known as "Doc" Sippi to local baseball fans, will be named manager of the London baseball team in the Canadian League.

Negotiations between the directors and Mr. Sippi have been under way for some time, and it is understood that the deal has been practically closed. He will take charge of the team as early as possible.

The appointment would be a popular one in this city. It is doubtful if there ever was a better liked ball player than "Doc" Sippi, who for years here was the idol of the fans. He has had a great deal of experience in the game. For years he played in the big leagues, making a name for himself. He played in the Pacific Coast League at one time, too, having the honor of taking part in a 24-innings game—the longest on record in professional ball.

OFFICIAL RESUME OF DOMINION ELECTIONS

The Conservative Total Vote
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Liberal 625,096.

[Canadian Press.]

Ottawa, Jan. 24.—The clerk of the crown in chancery today issued the official resume of the late Dominion general election.

The total vote was: Conservatives 669,557; Liberals 625,096; Labor 1,742; Socialist 2,912; Independent 7,177.

The vote of the two chief parties by provinces was:

Province	Conservative	Liberal
Ontario	269,930	207,078
Quebec	159,262	164,274
Nova Scotia	55,480	57,482
New Brunswick	38,880	40,192
Manitoba	40,356	34,781
British Columbia	25,822	16,350
P. E. Island	14,638	13,598
Saskatchewan	34,380	29,924
Alberta	29,675	37,208
Yukon	1,285	829

LONDON AND DISTRICT

Who Stole the Butter?

Thirty-six pounds of butter, the equivalent of an enormous sum of money this season, were stolen from the Granston store yesterday. Dr. Blackwell was away at the time, and before leaving he took off his heavy felt shoes and long leggings. When he returned the shoes and leggings were missing. The butter was in two crocks of ten and sixteen pounds, and there were ten pounds in rolls.

Shakespearean Lectures.

It is announced that Prof. Sidney Woollett will deliver a course of Shakespearean lectures at the Academy of the Sacred Heart in this city on Thursday evening, Jan. 25, at 7 o'clock, and on Friday evening, Jan. 26, at the same hour, and the Saturday morning at 11 o'clock. The subjects will include: "Much Ado About Nothing," "Julius Caesar" and "Henry the Eighth." A rare treat is promised all lovers of Shakespeare.

NORTHMEN SEE WHITNEY

Want Halleluyah Made Seat of New
Provisional Judicial District.

[Canadian Press.]

Toronto, Jan. 24.—A deputation representing the town of Halleluyah, all its interstates saw Hon. W. H. Hearst and Sir James Whitney today to request that the municipality be

COULD NOT SWEEP FLOOR

Was So Terribly Afflicted
With Lame Back.

It is hard to do housework with a weak and aching back, and no woman can be strong and healthy unless the kidneys are well.

The weak, lame and aching back comes from sick kidneys and should be attended to immediately so as to avoid years of terrible suffering from kidney trouble. Mrs. Harvey W. Brownell, Northport, N.S., writes: "I now take pleasure in writing you, stating the benefit I received by using Doan's Kidney Pills. About a year ago I was terribly afflicted with lame back, and was so bad at times I could not sweep my own floor. While looking through your E.B.B. Almanac I saw Doan's Kidney Pills were a great remedy, so thought I would try a box or two. After using five boxes I was completely cured, and I am very thankful to have found so speedy a cure."

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First Showing New Regular Stock Spring, 1912, Embroideries.

Nainsook, Cambric and Swiss Edgings, Insertions,
Beatings, Galloons, Flouncings and All-Overs.

The sale of Seconds and Manufacturers' Stock Lots which our buyer picked up in St. Gall has been a notable event since the first of the month as well as profitable to our customers, as thousands of yards have already been disposed of at a quarter, a third, and in some cases at about half regular value, a full assortment of which are still to be had.

See Display of New Regular Stock

very latest effects in Eyelet, Filet, Solid and Conventional; also Eetz Lace Combinations.

Fashion points to a white season and every indication is that Embroideries will hold first place.

The patterns we are showing this season in the new regular lines are exclusive and have been personally and carefully selected, and we feel sure that the demands of the most particular purchaser will be satisfied here. We will list a few here taken at random from the numerous beautiful lines in the best assortment ever shown here. Mail orders will be given our careful attention.

Pretty Swiss Galloons, 15c to \$2.25 Yard

Great variety of patterns in these, a style of trimming that will be very popular for all kinds of wash materials. These come also in a great variety of widths, ranging in price from, per yard..... 15c to \$2.25

CORSET COVER STRAPPINGS—Fast edges, in pretty designs, from..... 15c yard up

WIDE SWISS INSERTIONS—Used as panels, bandings, etc., from..... 60c to \$1.25 yard

NAINSOOK RIBBON BANDINGS—Splendid range of patterns..... 8 1/2c to 25c

DAINTY LITTLE SEAM BANDINGS—In plain hemstitched or fancy designs, in nainsook or Swiss, from 5c yd. up

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SWISS EMBROIDERED YOKES for baby dresses, at each..... 10c and 20c

DIMITY FLOUNCING—27-inch width, small scallop, beautifully embroidered for children's dresses, at per yard..... 65c and 75c

DOTTED SWISS FLOUNCINGS—27-inch, hemstitch edge, embroidered in small patterns, at yard..... 85c and \$1.00

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EMBROIDERY FRILL FLOUNCINGS, 27-inch, at yard..... \$1.00 and \$1.25

ALL-OVER EMBROIDERY, 22-inch, in small designs on nainsook or Swiss. This material is very popular for blouses this season, as well as for yoke trimmings. Prices, 50c yd. up

FEATHER-STITCH BRAIDS—Nice fine quality, in white..... 12 1/2c to 35c per dozen yards

FEATHER-STITCH BRAIDS—White with pink, sky, navy or red stitching..... 25c per dozen yards

Bias Seam Tape in lawn or cambric, an excellent finish for undergarments, at..... 12 1/2c, 15c and 18c per dozen yards

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ROAST CHICKEN DINNER IN RESTAURANT TOMORROW.

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CHINESE REPUBLICANS GRAB MERCHANT FLEET

Company Must Hand Over \$700,000 or
Vessels Will Be Commandeered.

Shanghai, Jan. 24.—Huang Sing, the Republican minister of war, today made a demand upon the China Merchants' Steam Navigation Company for 10,000,000 taels (approximately \$7,000,000). In the event of failure by the company to produce the sum the company's vessels will be commandeered by the Republican Government and sold.

It was reported a few days ago that the Republican Government had secured control of the stock of the China Merchants' Steam Navigation Company and purposed mortgaging the entire fleet for 10,000,000 taels.

Mr. Harold G. Smith, of 118 Hamilton road, was trying out a new horse he had recently bought yesterday afternoon on the Hamilton road. When the animal bolted and threw him out. A street car was passing at the time, and Mr. Smith, hastily picking himself up, climbed on board, and a chase of the runaway began. After going a block or two the animal was stopped by a couple of men without much damage to the outfit.

THE BLACK HAND.

Belgrade, Serbia, Jan. 23.—The existence of a secret society known as the Black Hands has been discovered among the younger officers of the Serbian army. The object is supposed to be anti-dynastic, and a consequence of its discovery the Crown Prince has resigned his post as inspector-general of the army, which carries with it the duties of commander-in-chief.

PILES

Do not suffer from Piles. Dr. Chase's Ointment will relieve you at once and as certainly cure you. 60c a box; 2 boxes, \$1.00. Sample box free if you mention the paper and enclose 10c stamp to pay postage.

Sale of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Mantles Continues

All Winter Cloth Coats Selling Now at
Half Price

Make your selection now while the assortment is best and before your size is gone in the style you admire. All this season's styles included in this sale. We won't keep them over. It is our set rule that each season must stand upon its own footing, hence these new and fashionable coats at half price, that none may be left. New goods each season is the motto of this store.

Second Floor.

SALE OF MEN'S AND BOYS' WINTER CLOTHING.

intention is to bring the entire system, from the generation of the power to its application to the machinery, to the very best and latest standard of strength, power, practicality and economy.

LYING IN THE GUTTER LOADED WITH GEMS

With \$5,000 in Precious Stones in
Pocket, Man Found Drugged in
New York.

[Canadian Press.]

New York, Jan. 23.—With 108 unset precious stones valued at nearly \$5,000 in his possession, an unidentified man was found early today lying unconscious in the gutter in front of an apartment house on Twenty-seventh street. The police believe that the man was given a stupefying drug and collapsed while struggling with his assailants. Apparently the latter were frightened away before they could accomplish their intended robbery.

TO FIGHT HOME RULE

Manitoba Orangemen Have a Fund
of Over Five Thousand Dollars.

Winnipeg, Jan. 23.—The Orangemen of Manitoba have a fund of \$5,415 to fight home rule in Ireland. This has been subscribed as a result of the action by the grand lodge in Brandon last March. It is to be used for speakers and halls in England to oppose home rule.

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24, 1912.

Condensed Advertisements.

No Advertisements Accepted Less Than
Fifteen Words.

Amusements—Ten cents per line each
insertion, or two cents per word if set
solid.

Meetings—Where no admission is
charged, one cent per word each inser-
tion.

Articles for Sale, To Let, Help Wanted,
Situations Wanted, Board and Lodgings,
Lost and Found, Rooms to Let, and all
similar condensed advertisements—First
insertion, one cent a word; each subse-
quent insertion, one-half cent a word.
No advertisement less than fifteen words.

Births, Marriages and Deaths.

BIRTHS.

MACGREGOR—At Victoria Hospital, on
Saturday, Jan. 20, 1912, to Mr. and Mrs.
W. D. Macgregor, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

MILROY—LUTHERGROVE—On Tuesday,
Jan. 22, 1912, by the Rev. Thomas H.
Mitchell, Miss Alberta A. Luthergrove,
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Luthergrove,
to Mr. S. K. Milroy, both of this
city.

DEATHS.

MARLATT—In this city, on Jan. 22, 1912,
at the residence of his son-in-law, J. H.
W. C. Quantz, 31 Askin street, Jehiel
Marlatt, youngest son of the late Capt.
John Marlatt, in his 77th year.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

RICHARDSON—At her late residence, 755
Grey street, on Jan. 22, 1912, Elizabeth
beloved wife of James Richardson, who
died at the residence of her son, Mr. J. H.
Richardson, on Jan. 22, 1912, at 2:30 p.m.; service at
2 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances
please accept this intimation. Interment
at Woodland.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES.

GRAND
A. J. SMALL PROP.
SATURDAY MAT. & NIGHT.
THE ROSARY
Company, Production and Costumes
beyond comparison.
Special Prices Mat., 25, 50, 75.
SEATS TOMORROW 9 A.M.

"An Evening With Dickens."

Mr. F. M. Bell-Smith, under auspices
of Ladies' Aid Society, in St. Andrew's
Lecture Hall, Monday, Feb. 12. Admission,
25c; reserved seats, 50c at Malting's.
Posters, Mrs. W. O. Carson, secretary.

A MISSIONARY MEETING AT THE
Crown Hall. The children of St. Paul's
Cathedral are preparing to give a mis-
sionary evening to their friends in the
Crown Hall, on Thursday evening, Jan.
25. The entertainment will consist of
a musical programme, to be followed
by a presentation in support of mis-
sionary work to represent Canada,
Australia, Japan, China and India.
Twenty-five children will take part,
under the direction of Miss Matthews.
Parents, friends and the general public
are cordially invited to attend. The
proceedings will begin at 8 p.m.

SHAKESPEAREAN LECTURES—PROF.
FENNELL Sidney Fennell will deliver
a course of Shakespearean lectures at the
Academy of the Sacred Heart, this city,
on Thursday evening, Jan. 25, at 7
o'clock, and on Friday evening, Jan. 26,
at the same hour, and Saturday morn-
ing, at 11 o'clock. The subjects will
include: "Much Ado About Nothing,"
"Julius Caesar," and "Henry VIII."
Admission, 50c, or \$1 for the course, b.

TALENT TEA—HOME-MADE COOK-
ING, residence of Mrs. Nightingale,
342 King street, Thursday, Jan. 25,
to 7 o'clock, supplies ladies, 50c. First
Congregational Church.

LECTURE, NORMAL SCHOOL—MISS
Amelia Warnock (Katherine Hale, of
the Mail and Empire), on "The Music of
Literature," on Thursday, 4 p.m. Jan.
25.

SIMCOE ICE RINK—BAND TONIGHT.
Skating every afternoon. Phone 1608.

MASQUERADE BALL—DON'T MISS IT!
Dayton & McCormick's Dancing Acad-
emy, under auspices Ancient Order
Foresters' union, committee, Friday,
Feb. 2. Double tickets, \$1; extra lady,
25c. Masks may be secured at Dr.
Dayton & McCormick.

WESTMINSTER RINK—RUSSIAN
Band tonight and Thursday. Manu-
facturers' League, Thursday, 9:30. Guests,
2c. Lawson & Jones.

EAST END RINK—BAND TONIGHT
and Friday. Skating afterwards and
night. 10c and 15c.

CUNARD LINE

Commencing Feb. 28, the Lusitania and
Mauretania sail from New York on
Wednesdays at 1 a.m. Due London, Eng-
land, following Monday afternoon.

Lowest Rates

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Strictly private lessons any hour. Any
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The Bahamas or elsewhere that you may
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422 Park Avenue (London Loan Bldg.).
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MUSIC FURNISHED FOR PARTIES,
balls, banquets. Phone 1265. Tony Villa's
Italian Harpers, 122 Queen's avenue.

DANCING—PRIVATE INSTRUCTION,
public rates. Call and register. K. B.
Millard, 345 Princess. Phone 2481.

AGENTS WANTED.

WE HAVE AN UNUSUAL PREMIUM
product. Every person will be in-
terested. No outlay necessary. Apply
B. C. I. Co., Limited, 223 Albert street,
Ottawa, Ont.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST AT OR NEAR TALBOT AND
Carling streets—Purse. Reward at this
office.

LOST—WIRE-MAID FORTYFIVE;
answers to name "Paddy." Reward for
return, 345 King.

LOST, SATURDAY—PERSIAN LAMB
handbag; contained small gray purse,
with money and receipts bills. Reward
if returned to Metropolitan Life office.

MEETINGS.

ADELAIDE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

MID-WEEK SERVICE TONIGHT AT 8
Come, and you shall be blessed. Every-
body welcome.

LONDON SOCIETY OF SANITARY
and Heating Engineers meets Thursday
8 o'clock, Room 11, London Loan Bldg.
ing.

ST. JOHN'S ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER,
No. 3—Regular convocation this (Wed-
nesday) evening; M. M. M. degree.
Visitors welcome. W. R. Bishop, 741,
O. Edmond, S. E.

MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED AT ONCE—MACHINE HAND
and woodworker for body work. Apply
James Cowan & Co., 91 York street.

YOUNG MAN, GOOD WRITER, AND
who has had some counter experience,
weighing and tying up parcels. Apply
by letter, stating wages expected, to
Box 11, this office.

REAL ESTATE SALESMAN, TO SELL
lots in Alberta townsite; good propo-
sition to a live man. Box 14, this office.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS MACHINE
tool operator, capable of planing, boring, mill,
slotter and drill hands; steady work and
good wages. Apply Canadian General
Electric Company, Peterboro.

SMART OFFICE BOY WANTED TO
help in clerical work; must be a
man of mature age; must be
steady and hard worker; state previous
experience. Apply Box 5, Advertiser.

ACTIVE MAN WANTED TO SELL OUR
high-grade nursery stock; all trees
warranted true to name. We are the
largest growers of nursery stock in
Canada. This is a big demand for
trees for orchard plantings. Write for
terms. Brown Bros. Company, Ridge-
ville, Ont.

MEN WANTED, AGE 18 TO 35, TO PRE-
PARE for firemen or brakemen on rail-
road. In London vicinity, \$50 to \$100
monthly; experience unnecessary; no
strike; promotion, engineer or con-
ductor. \$150 per day monthly; good life
careers; state age; send stamp. Rail-
way Association, Dept. 58, 227 Monroe
street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

CANVASSERS WANTED TO SELL
wholesale to private families, what or
where time; a few to travel. Alfred
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LEARN AUTOMOBILE BUSINESS—WE
teach you at home; guarantee \$25 week-
ly job. Rochester Auto School, 2258,
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FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED AT ONCE—GOOD GENERAL
household help; apply to Mrs.
Harry Robertson, 85 Ridout south.

WANTED AT ONCE—DINING-ROOM
girl, household and kitchen girl. Apply
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GIRL OR WOMAN TO DO HOUSE-
WORK; anybody will do. Apply Box 17,
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EXPERIENCED HAND CHOCOLATE
Dippers wanted—Piece-work; good
wages; steady employment; apply
immediately. S. Perrin & Co., Limited,
107.

GOOD GENERAL SERVANT, MIDDLE-
AGED. Apply 387 Burwell street.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER AND OF-
FICE assistant, with some experience
Steno. State wages, etc., to Box
6, this office.

EXPERIENCED FEMALE STENO-
GRAPHER wanted at once; must be
quick, accurate and dependable; posi-
tion permanent; good wages; apply
to Thomas Brothers, Ltd., St.
Thomas, Ontario.

GIRLS FOR THE BISCUIT DEPART-
MENT. Apply at once, McCormick
Manufacturing Company, Limited.

EXPERIENCE GIRLS WANTED TO
work in bakery department. Apply
Advertiser Job Department.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

BARGAIN FOR QUICK SALE—BRICK
store and A1 stock in railroad village,
surrounded by first-class dairying com-
munity; turnover last year, \$13,000;
called to \$5,000 will handle; price rea-
sons for selling. Address Box 119, Ad-
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FIFTY-ACRE FARM FOR SALE, EK-
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land, good buildings. Apply D. L. Mc-
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AN HOUR OF YOUR TIME SPENT IN
our offices here, looking over what we
have to offer in the way of Western
farm lands, will convince you that you
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rich agricultural lands along the new
Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, in the fer-
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low prices and easy terms. Selected
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NEW FRAME COTTAGE, 55x40 FEET,
with foundation, 2 bedrooms, gas
hard and soft water; 570 Dame street;
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WANTED—TWO-TON LORRY SLIGH-
one horse. London Soap Company. 10c

WANTED—SEWING FOR CHILDREN,
from baby outfit to crochets to 12-year-
olds; all work guaranteed satisfactory.
Address inquiries Box 8, Advertiser.

MARCONI STOCK WANTED—WILL
pay highest price; state number of
shares owned and name and address of
owner. Advise later.

WANTED—A QUANTITY OF LAYING
eggs. Write or call 882 Waterloo street.
P. J. McCue.

VEGETABLE GROWERS, NOTICE—WE
wish to purchase 3,000 bushels beets for
early delivery. Address or call, Minister
aroom, 61 Bank of Toronto, London.
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LOGS WANTED—ELM, BASSWOOD
and hard maple; highest prices paid.
London and Petrolia, Barrell Company.

WANTED—DEAD HORSES AND
handbag; will send twelve miles for
it, necessary telephone 638 or 945, Ring 2.
London Fertilizer Works, East
street, corner Hamilton road.

ARTICLES FOR SALE.

ENGLISH BULL PUPS FOR SALE,
sired by English and Canadian prize-
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Twinbrook Kennels, Simcoe, Ont. 10c

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of house furniture, Saturday, Jan. 27, 13
Cynthia street, South London. 10c

ONE NEW MILCH COW, ALSO ONE
springer, extra good. Apply to Charles
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FOR SALE—BARN, 34x50. Apply JAS.
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FIFTY 40-ALLON HARDWOOD BAR-
RELS, 15c each; 50 20-gallon kegs, 25c
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and piping; first-class condition. Apply
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ONE UNDERWOOD TYPEWRITER,
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We carry a nice assortment of both
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ON HAND—SALE OF UNPAID COR-
SETS—Canadian Lady Corset Com-
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and chair (nearly new), one revolving
cane chair, one high desk. Apply to N.
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FOR SALE—BLACKSMITH'S ANVIL
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DELIVERY WAGONS BUILT TO OR-
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LONDON, WEDNESDAY, JAN. 24.

THE NEW TARIFF BOARD.

The duties assigned to the proposed
Tariff Commission are, broadly speak-
ing, those of inquiry into the cost of
production in Canada, particularly in
comparison with the cost in competing
countries. If the commissioners are
equipped for this work, and are honest
men, they will furnish a body of use-
ful information. If they are partisans
without any special qualifications,
ready to serve private interests or up-
hold certain fiscal theories, regardless
of facts, they will be a mischief and
menace to the country. An incompe-
tent or corrupt board can be used
to buttress every abuse of the tariff
system. A competent and upright board
can expose these abuses by merely
eliciting facts. If such a board can be
found it should be clothed with powers
of inquiry into the capitalization of
Canadian combines and mergers. It is
useless to deny that the stock specu-
lations of these corporations have been
bearing upon the tariff question. Cana-
dians might be surprised and shocked
if they knew what dividends were being
earned on the actual investments in
some of the great industrial con-
cerns, which take toll of consumers
through the tariff and cover up the ex-
tent of their profits by watering their
capital.

THE GOVERNMENT'S CLOSE CALL.

The scene in the House of Commons
while the Government's fate hung in
the balance was more entertaining
than edifying. Cabinet ministers in a
panic implored, conjoined, and coerced
recalcitrant members and gave the
public a glimpse of the naked machi-
nery of parliamentary management
and manipulation.

AMERICAN FARMERS AND RECIPROCITY.

American farmers are uneasy be-
cause the Canadian reciprocity agree-
ment is still on the statute books of
the United States. They cannot un-
derstand Canada's refusal of so great a
prize; they fear she will still seize it
if it is not put beyond her reach. The
vast quantity of unmarketable wheat
in the Canadian West, too great for the
storage facilities, has given them fresh
shivers. "Can anybody question what
would have been the situation in North
Dakota and Northern Minnesota today
if the duty on Canadian grain had
been removed, as the Taft reciprocity
measure proposed to remove it?" asks
the Minneapolis Northwestern Agricul-
turalist, adding: "Then the Canadian
wheat and other grain, instead of hav-
ing only the Fort William and Port
Arthur outlets, would have poured
south across the American boundary
and glutted the cars on the Great
Northern and Soo Railroads, demand-
ing every car possible. Then how
could our own farmers have gotten
cars for their own grain? Then would
the streets of Devils Lake, Grand
Forks, Fargo and Crookston, and other
cities and towns have been piled high
with grain, unsalable and valueless, no
matter what its grade."

"This farmers' journal grimly remarks
that Canadian farmers, not American
statesmen, are to be thanked for spar-
ing the American farmers such a de-
luge of competition. It has begun an
agitation for the repeal of reciprocity.
A formidable petition is to be pre-
sented to Congress asking for "instant
and decisive action" to that end. If Canada
once accepts the agreement "it will be
practically diplomatically impossible
for Congress to repeal it until after
some years of trial." "Every year of
that trial," says the Agriculturalist,
"will cost Minnesota and the Dakotas
\$50,000,000 on prices alone, besides
many millions on land values and on
immigration and development."

The American farmers were sincere
in their dread of reciprocity, which is
more than can be said for the Cana-
dian politicians who tried to frighten
Canadian farmers by the bogey of

American competition. The economic
arguments were all on the side of the
agreement from Canada's standpoint,
but argument had little or nothing to
do with the result in this country.

THE EMPIRE IN FIGURES.

One of the numerous statistical ab-
stracts issued by the British Govern-
ment gives a comprehensive view of
the British Empire. The growth of
population in the British Empire out-
side the British Isles is disclosed by
the census returns:

Year.	Population.
1891	307,474,000
1901	343,789,000
1911	371,102,000

The bulk of the population (314,955,000) is in India. Here are the figures for the dominions:

Canada	7,323,000
South Africa	5,958,000
Australia	4,449,000
New Zealand	1,008,000

Pages are also devoted to the value
of imports from and exports to British
India, the self-governing dominions,
crown colonies, possessions and pro-
tectorates. Summarizing the totals, it
is found that in 1910 these several
parts of the empire imported, with
bullion and specie:

From—	
United Kingdom	£133,868,000
British possessions	64,968,000
Foreign countries	177,224,000

Total

In the same year, including bullion
and specie, they exported:

To—	
United Kingdom	£195,003,000
British possessions	60,497,000
Foreign countries	185,977,000

Total

Considerably more than half the
trade consisted, therefore, of inter-
change between the different parts of
the empire itself. Trade with the
United Kingdom exceeded that with
all foreign countries combined.

Tables showing the acres under
wheat and the yield in bushels, are
also of special value. The following
figures are for a year ending in 1910,
except those for the Union of South
Africa, which have not been brought
down later than 1909:

Acres.	Bushels.
India	29,794,000 371,645,000
Australia	7,371,000 95,262,000
New Zealand	321,000 8,273,000
Canada	9,257,000 125,991,000
South Africa	554,000 3,574,000

The Transvaal is by far the great-
est gold-producing part of the empire.
The value of its output in 1910 was
no less than £31,973,000. Western
Australia came next with £6,246,000.
Following next were: Southern Rho-
desia, £2,568,000; Victoria, £2,422,000;
Canada, £2,101,787; and Queensland,
£1,875,000.

The Lancaster bill proposed to do a
right thing in a wrong way.

The Monetary Times says that "the
canning business in Canada is practi-
cally controlled by one company." Yes;
and the company tried to hide the
fact under the old flag at election time.

The spectacle of the Canadian Govern-
ment beseeching the United States
interstate commerce commission for
facilities for the entrance of Canadian
grain into the United States, is highly
illuminating to Canadian elections.

Dr. Burrell, minister of agriculture,
will stump against Hon. George Grah-
am in South Renfrew, the riding of
broken pledges. Hitherto Dr. Burrell
has been considered a fair-minded and
honorable man.

Troops will be ready to rush to Bel-
fast when Churchill and Redmond
speak there. Overseas Britons have
been taught that the British Isles are
the last country on earth in which the
right of public assembly would have to
be protected by bayonets. The North
of Ireland is on trial.

"The grant to the University of
Toronto has been increased from
\$143,715 in 1904 to \$489,547 in 1911. A
grant of \$12,000 is given also to
Queen's University to aid in estab-
lishing a faculty of education for the
training of first-class and high school
teachers."—Toronto Mail and Em-
pire.

In addition, Queen's gets a large
grant for its science department
through the medium of the School of
Mines. The Western gets only the
cold shoulder. There is no reason for
a grant to Kingston that does not ap-
ply to London.

THE LEPROSY OF NAAMAN!
[Contributed by a Conservative.]
Now Borden was wroth, and said
unto them, "Are not Bourassa and La-
vergne, citizens of Quebec, greater than
all the citizens of Ontario?" And his
followers drew nigh unto him and said,
"My father, if the Prophet of Lincoln
made thee do some great thing,
wouldst thou not have done it? How
much rather then when he saith unto
thee 'Wash, and be clean!'"

**AN UNFORTUNATE DISTINC-
TION.**
[Toronto Globe.]

Canada has the unfortunate distinc-
tion of the highest death rate from
mine accidents. This shows a lack of
care or of supervision and the defect
should be remedied.

THE SYSTEM WANTED.
[Hamilton Herald.]
What is wanted is a civil service
system which will put it out of the
power of any Government, Grit or
Tory, to cut off the official heads of
public servants in order to reward
party workers for party services.

**THACKERAY'S LAST HOUSE BUT
ONE.**
[London Daily News.]

The county council has not yet
marked all Thackeray's many London
houses. One of the little plaques is
now to be placed on 36, Onslow Square,
the last but one of his Kensington
residences. He moved from here in
1862 to the far more interesting house

in Palace Green, where he died, hav-
ing just passed these words in the
proof of "Denis Duval": "And my heart
throbbed with exquisite bliss." The
Onslow Square house is rather dull,
its sedateness, like most of the places
in that bit of South Kensington.
Thackeray spent seven years here, of
which the fruit, rich and full and mel-
low, was "The Newcomes," "The Vir-
ginians" and "The Four Georges."
Mrs. Ritchie gives us a glimpse of him
in the Onslow Square days. "I used to
look up from the avenue of old trees,"
she says, "and see my father's head
bending over his writing in the study
window which was over the drawing-
room." From here he went off with
"The Four Georges" in his pocket on
his triumphal American tour after the
famous dinner given to him at the
London Tavern, with Dickens in the
chair. Dickens' after-dinner speech
was reckoned a masterpiece, and
him, No. 36, Onslow Square has no
such interesting memory attached to
it as the party to Charlotte Bronte,
which belongs to Young street, the
party that Thackeray fled to the club
as soon as he could. "Esmond," "Pen-
dennis," and "Vanity Fair" were all
written at Young street.

WHY SUPPRESS HECKLERS.

[Ottawa Free Press.]
In a biography of Henry Labou-
chere, the famous free-lance politi-
cician and journalist of England who
died the other day, it was stated that
he liked to be heckled when address-
ing an election meeting, and felt dis-
appointed if he was not thus inter-
rupted. He explained that the men
he wanted was to hear the men who
held contrary views to his own rather
than those who were with him, and
whose votes would be cast for him.

Whatever may be the feeling of
Canadian political speakers in this re-
gard, there is no question that it is
the opposite rule which invariably pre-
vails at election meetings held in this
country. Let a man in the audience
at such a meeting express a ques-
tion or express a comment contrary
to the views of the speaker, and there
are immediately cries of "Throw him
out!" and uproar. The objector either
subsidizes or he is removed by the
force of the speaker. Surprise is expressed
if a Conservative is seen attending a
Liberal meeting and vice-versa.

THE COOLEST OF THE COLD SPELL.

[Manitoba Free Press.]
The suggestion of F. W. Thompson
that an export duty should be levied
on the higher grades of milling wheat
is a little cool, even for this kind of
weather.

FEW HESITATE.

[Chicago Record-Herald.]
Hardly any man puts off until to-
morrow the foolish things he wishes
to do today.

JUST RICH.

[Detroit Free Press.]
"Is he rich?"
"Yes, he owns a fur overcoat."
"But is he very rich?"
"No, I don't think so. He can't af-
ford a middleweight overcoat for mid-
winter."

300 GRAND PIANOS WILL BE IN FLAMES

Sacrifice to Modern Designs
Will Be Made at Piano
Dealers' Convention.

[Canadian Press.]
Atlantic City, Jan. 23.—More than 300
old square grand pianos will go up
in smoke here during the convention of
the National Piano Dealers' Association in
May.

The instruments will be shipped from
all parts of the country, placed in a heap
and high on the edge of the Mend-
ocinos and the torch applied.

MINERS TO ASK TEN CENTS INCREASE

No Recommendation To Be Offered as
to Calling of a General
Strike.

Indianapolis, Jan. 24.—Ten cents
ton increase in wages for bituminous
coal miners was the general basis of
demand upon which the scale committee
of the convention of the United Mine
Workers of America worked today in
preparing its report. It was expected
the report would be submitted to the con-
vention late today, preliminary to being
offered at the miners' conference with
the mine owners this afternoon.

No recommendation is to be made to
the convention as to whether a national
strike will be called in event the op-
erators refuse to accede to the miners'
demands, before April 1, it was under-
stood.

The scale committee will leave it to
the convention to determine if the miners'
district organizations shall be per-
mitted to sign wage contracts with their op-
erators as rapidly as they can be nego-
tiated.

NOVEL PUNISHMENT FOR WIFE BEATER

Ask Pardon at Wife's Feet and Seal
Promise to Be Good With Kiss.

[Canadian Press.]
Bygonne, N. J., Jan. 24.—The courts
here have adopted a new procedure for
the reform and punishment of wife beat-
ers. As tried in the case of Mrs. Frances
Levend, who testified that her husband
had beaten her several times, it provides
that the husband must first kneel at the
wife's feet and ask her pardon. This
done, he must express to the court his
penitence and good intentions, finally
sealing the compact by kissing his wife.

HAYWOOD IN THE EAST FOR TEXTILE STRIKE

Mill Workers at Lawrence, Mass., Plan
Monster Parade to Note
Labor Leader.

[Canadian Press.]
Lawrence, Mass., Jan. 24.—When the
various textile mills opened today
there was a general slight increase in
the number of operatives at work, al-
though the mills were enabled to carry
on operations only on a small propor-
tion of the regular scale, because of
about 20,000 employees who remain
firm in their strike.

Military authorities today stated
that the twelve companies of militia
would not be decreased today or to-
morrow, but would be kept here await-
ing possible development.

Plans of the strikers today included
a monster parade to welcome W. D.
Haywood, the western labor leader,
upon his arrival at noon, a mass meet-
ing on the common in the afternoon
with addresses by Leader Joseph J. Et-
ter, of New York, and Mr. Haywood,
and an executive session of the strik-
ers' committee, to consider plans dis-
cussed by Mr. Etter and representa-
tives of the mill owners at a confer-
ence held last night in Boston.

A Few Lines of Most Anything

Since a "Milton for Manitoba" agi-
tation has been started, the next an-
nouncement will be of a "Hundred for
Hamilton" Club.

These are the days when mother de-
rives seventh-seventh dollars in dress-
ing Genevieve for a dance every other
night.

Speaking of open winters, whoever
locks the gates of January must have
thrown the key.

Sir James Whitney had better be-
ware. There is a danger of that "ex-
traordinary creature," Mr. Joseph Pels,
becoming naturalized and joining the
Ontario Opposition.

What may be expected of a Govern-
ment that totters after being in power
some five months?

Upon being asked as to the state of
his health this week, Mr. Borden is
reported to have replied: "Poorly, very
poorly."

The "dark horse" operated success-
fully in the contest for the wardenship.

Stage scenery is like that of every-
day life. It needs to be shifted occa-
sionally to get better results.

Some women accomplish more with
a few pins than most men can with
yards of twine.

Caruso's income for phonograph re-
cords alone is \$100,000, which will
cause a renewed outbreak of ambition
among the amateur tenors.

As They Usually Do.
[Aylmer Express.]
There are three mad dogs at liberty
near the city hall, and the authorities are
acting accordingly.

Just Barely Moving.
[East Borneo Reformer.]
Richard Davidson moved the Huf-
man barn for Mr. Horton Draper last
week. It looked like a St. Thomas
traction car going down Talbot street.

Knigh Erer Smiff.
[Ridgeway Dominion.]
When the King desires to knight an
Ontario journalist we hope he will not
overlook Erer Smiff, of Bobcaygeon.

The Box-Stop Circuit.
[Ailsa Craig Banner.]
Melrose is going to have a real
genuine baseball team this season.
Enthusiasm is at fever-heat, and the
prospects are good for securing the
entirety. Possibly the half-
hearted success of last year will have
its good results, after all.

Why Bore Resin?
[Aylmer Express.]
One day last week a couple of kids
walked into Richards & Co.'s drug
store, and walking up to Mr. Richards,
said, "Say, mister, do you keep hand
freer?" "Hand freer?" said Ted.
"What is hand freer, that's a new one
on me." If he was surprised before
the answer surprised him still more.

"Why it's stuff you put on your hands
so a strap won't hurt you," said the
boy. Ted didn't have any, but if he
demanded keeps up he will order a bar-
rel at once.

HOMESTEADERS KILLED BY FUMES OF GAS

Two Men Found Dead in a
House Near Nokomis Town,
Saskatchewan.

[Canadian Press.]
Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 21.—A dis-
patch from Nokomis, Sask., states that
Fred Anderson and Stanley Hains-
worth were found dead on Monday at
Anderson's home near that place.
Death was the result of gas fumes.
Particulars as to the men have not
been received, but it is supposed they
were homesteaders.

TORONTO SUNDAY SKATING

The Lord's Day Alliance May Endeav-
or to Stop It.

[Canadian Press.]
Toronto, Jan. 24.—There are
rumors in police circles that now that
the Lord's Day Alliance has succeed-
ed in closing the slides at the city
parks on Sunday they will extend
their operations to prevent ice-boat-
ing and skating on the bay on Sun-
day. An inquiry at the office of the al-
liance elicited the remark of Rev. Mr.
Rochester, that there was no reason
to expect that they would take such
action. He did not say, however, that
there was not a possibility of an effort
being made to stop skating on the
various sheets of ice in and adjacent
to the city, and the police are of the
opinion that both ice-boating and
skating can be stopped in event of a
demand being made.

KILLED BY EXPLOSION.

Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 24.—Two men
are reported to have been killed and
several injured in a dynamite explo-
sion this morning on the barge canal
contract, one mile west of Newark.

DON'T LET THAT COUGH ROB YOU OF SLEEP

You probably know all too well
how it goes. Just as you doze off,
the tickling starts in your throat. A gentle
cough, still asleep. A harder cough, and
then another. First thing you know,
you're wide awake, coughing your head
off.

A few nights of that and you're so
worn out and weakened that the cough
takes a tight grip on you.

Let it weary endure it?
No—Dr. Co's Syrup of Linseed, Licor-
ice and Chlorodyne will soothe that
exasperating tickling, loosen the phlegm
and cure the inflammation of the mem-
branes. It not only stops the cough
quickly, allowing you to get sound, re-
freshing sleep, but it goes to the root of
the trouble and drives out the cold com-
pletely. Children willingly take Dr.
Co's Syrup of Linseed, Licorice and
Chlorodyne, because it tastes so good.

Your Druggist has it or can quickly get
it for you in 25c. and 50c. bottles. The
National Drug & Chemical Co. of
Canada, Limited.

J. T. BUTTREY WAS ELECTED WARDEN

A Dark Horse Won the Plum
of the Middlesex County
Council.

ELECTION WAS KEEN

R. W. Jackson Was Compelled to
Break a Tie Vote—Personnel of
New Council.

Joseph T. Buttery, reeve of Strath-
roy, a Liberal, was yesterday after-
noon chosen warden of Middlesex
county council for 1912, after a re-
markably close contest, in which
Reeve Robert Jackson, of London
Township, was called upon to cast the
deciding vote.

Mr. Buttery was a "dark horse" in
the "running, although for some time
he has been vaguing quietly. Previous
to the organization session of yester-
day he had written to his fellow mem-
bers of the council and had been prom-
ised support.

The successful candidate was made
the unanimous choice of the Liberal
caucus previous to the first meeting of
the council, although the names of J.
C. McDonald, John McGugan and
others were mentioned prominently.

The Conservatives, who are in the
majority in the council by 17 to 15,
chose Mr. A. K. Hodgins, of Biddulph
Township, as their candidate for the
wardenship, and showed the keenest
disappointment at his defeat.

The Voting.

There was an even division of the
house on the first ballot, the vote
standing 16 to 16. Those who stood
for Mr. Buttery were Councilors
Jackson, Linden, McDonald, Morgan,
Kennell, McGugan, Mozier, Buttery,
Beach, Hardy, McDougall, Graham,
McTaggart, Blaikie, Laidlaw, and
Switzer, while Mr. Hodgins' support-
ers were Noyes, Barter, Roberts, Hod-
gins, Hawkeshaw, Ulen, Murdy,
Fitzgerald, Banks, Boyes, Munro, Ben-
stead, Toohill, Topping, Curry and
Mair.

County Clerk Robson, who was in
charge then read from the statutes to
show that the reeve of the municipali-
ty, having the largest qualified as-
sessment according to the latest official
return, should have the casting vote.
London Township being undoubtedly
in the lead with over \$7,000,000, the
matter was left in the hands of Reeve
Robert Jackson, who did not appar-
ently entirely misinterpret the situation.

Mr. Buttery Named.

Another vote was asked for, but the
rules were explicit, so Mr. Jackson was
compelled to solve the question. After
some deliberation and consultation
with Mr. Hodgins, who sits beside him
in the council he named Mr. Buttery
warden.

He then took the oath of office, and
was installed with the usual ceremony.
Mr. Buttery, although a new man in
the council as compared with some of
the other aspirants to the wardenship,
has a record of five years as repre-
sentative of his constituents. During
his first two terms he served as town-
ship councillor, but since that time he
has been reeve in the county council.

He is a temperance man, and has
won at the polls when the liquor traffic
was made an issue.

The New Council.

The new council is made up of the
following: Municipality, Reeve, Deputy,
Aldermen, A. Topping, Deputy,
Aldermen, K. Hodgins, Deputy,
Aldermen, Henry Hardy, J. W. Beach,
Delaware, John Switzer, Deputy,
Donchester, Richard Banks, Frank Boyes,
Elkridge, J. C. McDougall, Deputy,
Lobo, John McGugan, W. A. Robson,
London, Robert Jackson, Jas. Barter,
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of No. 1 committee of the board of
education, held Tuesday evening, it
was decided to do away with the po-
sition.

Cynthia Grey and EVERY WOMAN'S Page

Winter Complexions

PRESERVING YOUR GOOD LOOKS IN BITTER WEATHER

A LITTLE BEAUTY TALK BY MRS. ANITA NORRIS.

At this time of year it is expedient to guard the skin with the utmost care. During midwinter the complexion is apt to get a setback from which it will suffer during the rest of the year.

Jack Frost paints satiny cheeks a vivid rose color and brightens the eyes until they twinkle and glow in a fetching way. Unfortunately he does not stop there. He is responsible, too, for chapped lips, enlarged pores and a host of beauty ills.

It is not to be wondered at that one's skin becomes coarse, red and rough, if one literally courts disaster by salting out into the wintry breezes without creaming the face and preparing it for its contact with the icy atmosphere.

Before going out in the wintry midday should go over her pretty face with cold cream, rubbing it thoroughly into the pores of the skin. Then she should wipe off the surplus cream. An oily skin is not to be tolerated for a single minute.

Next the maid or matron who is bent upon preserving her strawberries-and-cream complexion from the bad influence of the cold air, seizes a powder puff and thinks it over the face until the skin is concealed from view beneath a snowy covering. Is this all? Certainly not! It still re-

mains to swathe the face in a filmy chiffon veiling. Perhaps you would be interested in obtaining the formula for a dainty winter cream that is much in favor on the continent. My advice is to make up large jarsful, as it will prove invaluable during the months of cold weather.

French Winter Face Cream.

Oil of violets ½ pint
Violet water ½ pint
Wax ½ ounce
Spermaceti ½ ounce
Oil of bitter almonds 2 drops
Prepare this cream in the usual way, first warming the wax, spermaceti and

This beautifying treatment should be promptly followed by a ten-minute massage with a soothing non-hair-growing cream. This will cause your erstwhile unruly skin to become delightfully smooth and exquisitely tinted.

Don'ts for a fine skin:

Do not go out immediately after bathing the face.
Do not fail to daily massage the face.
Do not forget to wear a veil when on a constitutional.
Do not court a crop of enlarged pores by cuddling against the radiator all day long.

The skin that is sprayed daily during the winter with a stimulating wash will never become torpid. This means that open pores will be spared you. The very best possible tonic for a sluggish skin, or so I think, is made by mixing together one ounce of rose water, one ounce of orangeflower water, one-



violet oil until they mingle smoothly, then slowly pour in, drop by drop, the perfumed water, stirring mixture steadily with a fork or spoon. Last of all add the bitter oil, then beat cream until it becomes hard.

Once a week during the trying times of wintry breezes and uncertain sunshine, give your face, just before retiring, a thorough steaming. This will soften the stiffened skin and cause it to become flexible.

There are many methods of steaming the face. The best way is to wring cloths out of hot water and apply them to the face, patting them into place gently with the hands.

Five minutes of this steaming will suffice, as it is folly to make the cuticle too tender.

CYNTHIA'S CHAUFFEUR

[BY LOUIS TRACY.]

"No use, my lord," was the stubborn answer. "I am very much obliged to you, but I would not dream of detaining you."

"Simmonds, you are positively cantankerous. I can spare the time."

"The first race is at 1:30, my lord," muttered Dale, greatly daring.

Medenham laughed. "Someone has given you a tip, I suppose."

Dale flushed under this direct analysis of his feelings. He grinned sheepishly. "I am told that Eytot can't lose the first race, my lord," he said.

"Ah! And how much do you mean to speculate?"

"A sovereign, my lord."

"Hand it over. I will lay you starting price."

Somewhat taken aback, though nothing said or done by Viscount Medenham could really surprise him, Dale's leather garments creaked and groaned while he produced the coin, which his master duly pocketed.

"Now, Simmonds," went on the pleasant, lazy voice, "you see how I have comforted Dale by taking his money; won't you tell me the real obstacle that blocks the way? Are you afraid to face this imperious young lady?"

"No, my lord. No man can provide against an accident of this sort. But Miss Vanrenen will lose all confidence in me. The arrangement was that today's spin should be a short one to Brighton. I was to take the ladies to Epsom in time for the Derby, and then we were to run quickly to the Metropole. Miss Vanrenen made such a point of seeing the race that she will be horribly disappointed. There is an American horse entered."

"By gad, another gambler!"

"I don't think Miss Vanrenen knows much about racing, my lord, but while she is in a fix of sorts, Simmonds."

"Yes, my lord."

"And what is your plan? I suppose you have one."

"I have sent for a boy messenger, my lord. When he arrives I shall write—Oh, here he is."

Viscount Medenham descended leisurely and lit a cigarette. Dale, the stoic, folded his arms and looked fixedly at the press of vehicles passing the end of the street. Vivid memories of Lord Medenham's chivalrous courtesy—his lordship's dashed tenantry, he called it—warned him that life was about to assume new interests.

The boy messenger, summoned telephonically by a sympathetic maid servant in a neighboring house, guessed that the gentleman standing on the pavement owned the motor car to which he had been directed. Here were two cars, but the boy did not hesitate. He saluted.

"Messenger, sir," he said.

"This way," intervened Simmonds curtly.

"No, I want you," said Medenham. "You know Sevastopol's, the cigarette shop in Bond Street."

"Yes, sir."

"Take this card there and ask him to dispatch the order at once." Medenham was writing. "Kindly send 1,000 Solonikas to 91 Cavendish Square."

Simmonds looked anxious. He was not

a smooth-spoken fellow, but he did not wish to offend Lord Medenham.

"Would your lordship mind if I sent the boy to the Savoy Hotel first?" he asked nervously. "It is rather late, and Miss Vanrenen will be expecting me."

"What time are you due at the Savoy?"

"We were to start at twelve o'clock, but the ladies' luggage had to be strapped on, and—"

"Ah, the deuce! That sounds formidable."

"Of course they must stow everything into the canvas trunks I supplied, my lord."

Medenham stooped and examined the screws which fastened an iron grid at the back of the broken-down vehicle.

"Whip open the tool box, Dale, and transfer that arrangement to my car," he said briskly. "Make it fit somehow. I don't approve of damaged paint-work, nor of weight behind the driving wheels for that matter, but time presses, and the ladies might shy at my request to repack their belongings into my kit-bags, even if I were carrying them. Now, Simmonds, give me the route, if you know it, and hand over your road maps. I mean to take your place until your car is put right. Wire me where to expect you. You ought to be shipshape in three days at the utmost."

"My lord—" began the overwhelmed Simmonds.

"I'll see you hanged as high as Haman before I hand over my Mercury to you if that is what you are thinking of," said Medenham sharply. "Why, man, she is built like a bomb. It would take you a month to understand her. Now, you boy, be off to Sevastopol's. Where can I buy a chauffeur's kit, Simmonds?"

"Your lordship is really too kind. I couldn't think of permitting it," muttered Simmonds.

"What, then—do you refuse my assistance?"

"It isn't that, my lord. I am awfully grateful."

"Are you afraid that I shall run off with Miss Vanrenen—hold her to ransom—send Black Hand letters to her father, and that sort of thing?"

"From what little I have seen of Miss Vanrenen, she is much more likely to run off with you than I am."

"You're growing incoherent, Simmonds. For goodness sake, tell me where I am to go, and we can safely leave all the rest to me, and we haven't a minute to lose if I am to secure any sort of a decent motor for my lord before I turn up at the hotel. Pull yourself together, man! Action front and fire! Guns unlimbered and first range-finder dispatched in nineteen seconds—ah, what?"

Simmonds squared his shoulders. He had been a driver in the Royal Artillery before he joined "Viscount Medenham's troop of Imperial Yeomanry. There was no further argument. Dale, Oriental in phlegm now that Eytot was safely backed, was already unscrewing the luggage carrier.

Half an hour later the Mercury curled with sinuous grace out of the busy Strand into the courtyard of the Savoy Hotel. The inclosure snorted with surprise, the air was petrolised, all the world of the street was agitated, or already had gone, to Epsom.

One quick glance at the lines of traffic showed Medenham that the Swiss Rear-Admiral on duty would not allow him to remain an unnecessary instant in front of the actual doorway. He swung his hat to the exit side, crept in behind a departing taxicab, and grabbed a hurrying boy in buttons.

"You listen to me, boy," he said.

The boy remarked that his hearing was perfect.

"Well, go to Miss Vanrenen and say that her motor is waiting. Seize a porter, and do not leave him until he has brought two canvas trunks from the lady's rooms. Help him to strap them on the grid, and I'll give you half a crown."

The boy vanished. Never before had chauffeur addressed him so convincingly.

Medenham, standing by the side of the car, was deep in the contours of a road map of Sussex, when a sweet if somewhat plaintive voice, apparently at his elbow, complained that its owner could not see Simmonds anywhere. He turned instantly. A slim, straight-figured girl,

fourth ounce of tincture of benzoin and five-eighths of a drachm of borax.

This lotion not only has astringent and tonic properties, but gives the skin a fresh and healthy appearance.

HUMAN KINDNESS

It is observed that many of the girls behind the counter are much neater than some of their customers.

Of course, one must remember that the business girl is on view, while the shopper may have on a soiled shirtwaist under her seal-skin coat and no one is the wiser but herself.

I made it my pleasant business to go through a department store just a few hours and observe the conduct of customers and clerks under the trying circumstances of holiday shopping. I must give the tribute to the clerks. I rarely heard a girl speak rudely. In fact, they seemed to try to help their customers in their selections, in spite of the uncertainty of the customers as to what they wanted.

I heard one well-dressed woman say to a pretty girl:

"You are too much dolled up to know anything."

Quite the contrary, this girl was uncommonly pretty and doing her best to help the woman. I asked the girl if she heard many remarks of that kind. She replied that it was a rare thing to have anyone speak to her like that. She also said that pretty women never seemed to dislike her.

This should be a double lesson. I would not tell girls to try to look one bit less pretty. But I would advise them to save their ribbons and ornaments for their private use and let cleanliness and neatness be their chief attraction.

To the shopper I would say they should not forget that all women are their sisters, and that human nature is universal. Today they may be the buyers, and tomorrow they may be the sellers.

The woman who expects to get just what she wants without giving out any encouragement or sympathy may find herself left without even one kindly thought directed toward her. Her face will take on a hard look that will repel everyone. It's give and take in this world.

Remember: Human kindness is the salt of the earth, so season your thoughts freely.

wearing a dust-cloak and motor veil, had come out from the Savoy Court doorway, was scrutinizing every automobile in sight. Near her was a short, stout woman whose personality seemed to be strangely familiar to Medenham. He never forgot the face of his companion, in all likelihood Miss Vanrenen, might quite reasonably attract his attention. Indeed, she would find favor in the eyes of any young man, let alone one who had such cause as Viscount Medenham to be interested in her appearance. In her amazingly lovely face the haughty beauty of an aristocrat was softened by a touch of that piquant familiarity which the well-bred American girl seems to bring from Paris with her clothes. A mass of dark brown hair framed a forehead, nose and mouth of almost Grecian regularity, while her firmly modelled chin, slightly more pronounced in type, would hint at unusual strength of character were not the impression instantly dispelled by the changing lights in a pair of marvellously blue eyes. In the course of a single second Medenham found himself comparing them to blue diamonds, to the azure depths of a sunlit sea, to the exquisite tint of the myosotis. Then he swallowed his surprise and lifted his cap.

"May I ask if you are Miss Vanrenen?" he said.

The blue eyes met his. For the first time in his life he was thrilled to the core by a woman's glance.

"Yes."

She answered with a smile, an approving smile, perhaps, for the viscount looked very smart in his tight-fitting uniform, but none the less wondering.

"Then I am here instead of Simmonds. His car was put out of commission an hour ago by a brutal railway van, and will not be ready for the road during the next day or two. May I offer my services in the meantime?"

"(To be Continued.)"

Correspondence

Edited by Cynthia Grey

Nut Bread Recipe.

Dear Miss Grey—I am sending you a recipe for nut bread, which I have found very satisfactory.

Butter size of an egg, 1 cup of yellow sugar, 3 cups of sour milk, in which 1 teaspoon of soda has been dissolved, 1 pound of dates cut fine, quarter of a pound of walnuts chopped, salt. Mix quite stiff with Graham flour about 4½ or 5 cups. Put this in shallow pan and cook about 45 minutes.

Could you please suggest a way to make a black voile dress. There is silk stripe in the voile. I am short and quite stout, and must have the water care for a pleated skirt, and would like it trimmed with fringe. Thanking you in advance.

INEZ.

A—I am very much obliged to you for sending the recipe. If you care to send me your address, I will mail you the illustration of a pattern which should be suitable.

Hop Yeast Recipe.

Dear Miss Grey—J. C. asks for recipe for hop yeast. I have found this way very satisfactory. Take 1 cup of hops, simmer in 3 pints of water for 1 hour, then strain the water, while hot into 1 quart of flour, stirring the flour briskly at the time. Stir until a smooth, thick batter. Let cool, and add 1 Royal yeast cake previously softened in water. Keep warm for 6 hours to raise, after which keep in a cool place. Use 1 cup of this yeast for a making of bread.

Please give me recipe for oyster patties, also chicken patties.

PATSY.

A—Thanks, for sending the recipe for J. C.

To make chicken patties, mince cold chicken very fine, mix with salt and pepper to taste. Boil a cupful of milk containing a small onion chopped fine; when scalding hot, stir in a thickening made of one teaspoon flour wet with cold milk, and finally add two cupfuls of the chicken. Let it boil about two minutes; have the tart shells ready baked; fill with the chicken and sauce, and serve hot, at once.

To make the oyster patties, prepare the sauce, adding pepper and salt; wash the oysters in warm, salted water; drain them, and drop just for a minute into the hot sauce, before putting into the shells.

Dear Miss Grey: 1. Give recipe for bean puree. 2. Tell how to stuff cabbage with cream sauce. 3. What can I serve at a room wedding dinner just for relatives and near friends?

LASSIE.

A—Simply cook and season the beans, press through a sieve and serve. 2. The most common method of serving cabbage with cream sauce is to quarter the cabbage and steam until tender, drain, lift out on dish carefully to keep in shape, and cover with the sauce made in the usual way.

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Macaroni and Cheese.

Cereal Muffins. Creamed Beef.

Coffee.

LUNCHEON.

Bouillon—Clear.

Cheese Omelette. Bread and Butter.

Apple Sauce. Gingerbread.

MILK.

DINNER.

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DESSERTS

Hot Water Sponge Cake.

Beat thoroughly two eggs and add one cup of sugar, one cup flour sifted with one teaspoon baking powder and a pinch of salt. Flavor as desired. Lastly add half a cup of boiling water. Mix quickly and bake in a slow oven. Use a shallow pan and place a greased paper in the bottom to prevent burning.

Potato Cake.

Two-thirds cup butter, three cups sugar, four eggs, one and a half cups nut meats, half a cup grated chocolate, half a cup sweet milk, one teaspoon vanilla, two and a half cups flour, one-third teaspoon each of cloves, nutmeg and cinnamon, two cups hot mashed potatoes. Cream butter and sugar, add well-beaten eggs one at a time; next add one cup nut meats and chocolate, then milk and flavoring, and flour, baking powder, salt and spices sifted together twice. Lastly add potatoes. Pour in a shallow, well-greased pan. Sprinkle remaining nut meats over top and bake in a moderate oven 45 minutes. Ice with powdered sugar moistened with sweet milk and a few drops of vanilla.

Raisin Filled Cookies.

Cream one cup sugar and a half cup shortening. Add half a cup sweet milk, one beaten egg, three and a half

cups shortening. Add half a cup sweet baking powder and a pinch of salt. Flavor as desired.

Filling.

Mix three-fourths cup sugar and boiling water and stir over a low fire until thick. Cook until thickened. Cool.

Roll cookies very thin. Place a teaspoon of filling on top of each and cover with another cookie. Press down edges and bake in a quick oven.

TWO RECIPES.

Hot Biscuits.

ALL THE NEWS
THAT IS NEWS

Canadian League Teams Are Getting Busy

LOCAL AND
OTHER SPORTSGUELPH SITUATION IMPROVING---
WATERLOO WILL GET BERLIN TEAM

Brantford and Berlin Sign Up New Players—Needham Will Manage Guelph—"Sammy" Smith Now a Fight Manager—All the Latest News of Canadian League.

Berlin, Ont., Jan. 23.—Town Solicitors Millar and Sims have given an opinion to Mayor Schmalz on behalf of the board of parks commissioners that the proposed agreement to be entered into by the board and Geo. O. Philip for the lease of the athletic grounds at Victoria Park on condition that a new grandstand, band-stand and quarter-mile track be constructed, is illegal and cannot be entered into.

It is contended that no fee or rental can be charged for admission to lands acquired under the parks act, and entrance must be absolutely free. This decision will result in grounds being acquired by private interests for athletic and amusement purposes, but it is doubtful whether it will be done this year. It is practically assured that the Berlin Canadian League team will play in Waterloo this season.

WHAT BRANTFORD IS DOING.
Brantford, Jan. 23.—Manager Kane, of the Brantford Club, has signed up a number of new players for this year. The signed contracts were received today of Harold Alden, Randolph, Mass., third baseman; Daniel Elgo, Watertown, N. Y., pitcher. Others signed are as follows: Vincent Cassini, shortstop; J. J. Slattery, second base; Hart and Burdell, outfielders, all from New England. The Red Sox team will play almost entirely new this season and players will report here May 1.

THE GUELPH MANAGEMENT.
Toronto Globe: In spite of unfavorable reports from Guelph, it is confidently expected in well-informed Canadian League circles that President Mahoney will go to the post on opening day with a good team to represent the Royal City. Guelph has one of the premier baseball cities of the Dominion. Mr. Mahoney and those associated with him have earnestly endeavored to give their patrons good ball. The citizens of Guelph should not be slow to recognize the value of the advertising which accrues from a ball team, and it is not unlikely that they will allow themselves to be outdone by smaller towns of the Canadian League. Geo. Needham, the Buffalo manager, recently named as manager of the Guelph team, will bring to his new position an experience that cannot but be helpful to the league, and of particular benefit to the club. Needham has had plenty of experience in developing youngsters, and since his appointment has been besieged with applications from young players who want to break into the game and show their worth. It is from such material that the stellar lights of the game are developed, when the good is sifted from the mediocre and it would occasion no surprise to see Needham develop some stars.

Needham first learned to play ball in that best of all schools, the back lot. He played with the Travellers at Elks, semi-pro team, of Buffalo, and was grabbed by Utica, of the New York State League. The next year he jumped to Lancaster, Pa., in the Tri State League. Next season he went to Columbia, S. C., as manager, and landed his team in third place. The year following he was back as a player at Birmingham, Ala., and his team won the pennant. He was drafted by Montreal, of the Eastern League, and played with the Royals for three years. He managed New Britain, of the Connecticut League, the following year, and finished fourth. He then went to St. Joseph, Mo., where he was forced to come east, with a broken wrist, late in June. He recovered rapidly, and was able to get back into the game with Worcester, of the New England League, his team finishing second, with two games to play with a week to go, that surely would have landed them in first place. Needham has a fine knowledge of inside baseball, is a good judge of players, thinks fast in a pinch, is a crackjack second baseman, and a corking hitter of the long-distance clouting variety.

BERLIN SIGNS A NEW PITCHER.
Hamilton Herald: On recommendation of Secretary Rhodes, of the Berlin Canadian League Ball Club, Teddy Brown, a highly-recommended southpaw, has been

DRIVER DAN M'EWEN
FIGURES IN MIX-UP

Collision of Wick Brino and Lesa Vale Nearly Results Seriously For Drivers.

Ottawa, Jan. 23.—Excellent heats again characterized the events at the Hull ice races today. After six great races, The Undertaker, owned by Charlie Barrett, of Parkhill, won the 2:25 trot and pace. Natapirne, an added starter, being second, and Topaz Wine third.

In the 2:22 trot stake first money went to New Wilkes, owned by V. Collins, of Sunderland, Ont., he winning the third, fourth and fifth heats after Wick Brino and Lesa Vale had taken one. In the fourth heat Wick Brino and Lesa Vale collided. Drivers Dan McEwen and Russ McEwen both having narrow escapes. Wick Brino passed over McEwen, who got up with a few bruises. McEwen succeeded in holding Wick Brino, but Lesa Vale escaped and trotted a mile before being caught in sensational style by McEwen. The latter, although badly shaken up, threw himself at Lesa Vale, caught the reins, and brought her to a standstill, injured after being drawn fifty yards. Lesa Vale was not hurt, but her sulky was wrecked. McEwen was one of the worst collisions he had ever been in. The judges ruled that the accident, however, was unavoidable, and that horses were allowed to start again. Driver Barrett was fined \$50 for laying up in the fifth heat with The Undertaker. The Brantford Red Sox. This will make the third southpaw to whom contracts have been sent by Berlin.

HACKBUSH SIGNS WITH GUELPH.
Hamilton Herald: Boyd Hackbush, the Hamilton boy who played with Guelph last year, has signed to play for the Maple Leafs again this year. He says that the Guelph management is signing players right along, and that he does not think there is anything in the story about Guelph not going to have a team. Harvey Muir, the local pitcher, has not signed for the coming season, but has had two or three offers, one of which was to go to the Western Canadian League.

HOW THE SITUATION LOOKS.
Hamilton Herald: What cities will figure in the Canadian League this year? It looks as though both Berlin and Guelph were going to stick, and Ottawa has been awarded a franchise. Down Peterboro they are thinking of having a team, so it looks as though the Canadian League will be an eight-club organization. With Peterboro in, the jump to Ottawa would be broken considerably. Shagheeny will manage the Ottawa team, and claims to have several good players signed already. With all the clubs off to a much earlier start than last year, the race should be an even one all through the season.

"SAMMY" SMITH BOBS UP.
Toronto News: "Sammy" Smith, the irrepressible pitcher, has bobbed up now as a fight manager. In a letter to Andy Kyle, who played last season with him on the London team, he writes that he has a featherweight and a middleweight boxer on his staff, and he asks the former to come to Ottawa in securing bouts for them in Toronto.

Smith also writes that the report that Rudolph was negotiating with an outlaw team is all a bluff. He says that a reporter asked Dick, in his hearing, if he would like a little notoriety, and the latter replied, "Sure." This was followed by an interview in a New York paper to the effect that Rudolph had received a big offer from the outlaw league.

TROUBLE EXPECTED AT
MONTREAL GAME TONIGHT

Ottawa Will Play Taylor and Wanderers Will Not Permit Him on the Ice.

[Canadian Press.]
Montreal, Jan. 24.—It looks as if there would be trouble at tonight's game here between the Wanderers and Ottawa, over the latter's decision to play Taylor.

President Lichtenheim said this morning that Taylor would not be allowed to play.

"Why he was suspended for not reporting when told to," said Mr. Lichtenheim. There will be a number of changes on the Wanderer line-up tonight. Baker and Molinix, the two Sherbrooke importations, will both be on the forward line.

The management will not decide who they are to replace until the meeting that will be held immediately before the game.

It was learned this morning that the Wanderers are making strenuous attempts to get Glass back from the Canadians. To do so they will have to pay him the salary he is getting from the French team, which is twice the price the Wanderers originally offered him, and also give the Canadians' management a bonus.

TAYLOR WILL PLAY
FOR OTTAWA TONIGHT

Trouble Now Appears Inevitable in N. H. A. Circles—Ottawa Team Defies Association.

Ottawa, Jan. 23.—Serious trouble in the N. H. A. now appears inevitable. The Ottawa Club held a meeting at the Russell House tonight, and definitely decided to play Fred Taylor in tomorrow's game against the Wanderers at Montreal. The announced that it was impossible to secure Taylor's release from President Lichtenheim, and decided, after a stormy session, to defy the National Association, and to start out in tomorrow's match with Taylor at point. They will drop Lake for the first half and Shore for the second, Taylor moving up to coverpoint when Shore goes off.

As matters stand, the Ottawas are greatly dissatisfied with affairs in the National Association. The six-man system has demoralized what was once a great team, and the abolition of the penalties has also displeased them. They are ready, in fact, to turn the N. H. A. upside down in order to secure Taylor and a return of the seven-man team.

"We are tired of being dictated to by the Montreal clubs," said Mr. Bate, "and we are going to play Taylor tomorrow night. If the N. H. A. does not like it, it can lump it. Any league that keeps a man of Taylor's ability on the fence doesn't deserve to exist."

Taylor practiced with the Ottawas tonight, and is in good shape.

WILL MANAGE CANTON.

[Canadian Press.]
Canton, Ohio, Jan. 24.—Ed. Greninger, former National League, last year's manager of the Canton, Ohio, Pennsylvania League team, has been appointed manager of the 1912 Canton Central League team.

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TORONTO'S WELCOME

Visiting Curlers Having Great Time Between Games, Banquets and Long Journeys.

Toronto, Jan. 24.—The Scotch curlers arrived in Toronto yesterday and were given a hearty welcome at the city hall by the board of control and civic reception committee, and duly presented with the freedom of the city.

They arrived from Peterboro about 10:30 a.m. and were met at the Union station by President C. W. Cartwright and Secretary J. A. Macdonald, of the Ontario Curling Association, and representatives of the local curling clubs. Entertaining motor cars, in waiting, they proceeded to the city hall, where, in the absence of the mayor, they were received by the board of control. Col. Robert Kenne, of the Queen City Club, introducing them. Controllers Church and McCarthy tendered them civic greetings, to which Col. Robertson-Alkman, captain of the team, responded. The addresses were short and of a felicitous nature. These formalities over, the visitors were entertained at luncheon at McConkey's by the Ontario Curling Association.

Mr. C. W. Cartwright presided, supported by Controllers Church, McCarthy, and Hocken, and Aid. Maguire, chairman of the reception committee. The latter again welcomed the visitors, and expressed the hope that their stay in the city would be most enjoyable. Col. Alkman responded. He said the team had been overwhelmed with hospitality every since they put foot on Canadian soil. They certainly were having a strenuous time, between banquets, games and long journeys. However, they hoped to give a good account of themselves in the games they have yet to play.

Tonight the visitors will be entertained by the mayor and corporation at the Hotel King Edward Hotel. Covers will be laid for about two hundred.

TORONTO CURLERS
WIN FROM VISITORS

Scottish Curlers Now Playing in the Queen City Were Defeated Both Afternoon and Evening.

Toronto, Jan. 24.—The Scottish curlers had a busy day yesterday, playing six outside clubs at the Granite Rink in the afternoon, and the Queen City Club in the evening. The visitors were beaten in both games, in the first, 6 to 4, and in the second by 3 to 2.

Afternoon Scores.
Scotland, 6 to 4, over Collingwood 6, Midland 6, Niagara Falls 1, 4, St. Catharines 1.

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[Special to The Advertiser.]
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Harrison was defeated here tonight by the score of 12 to 3.

Referee Ward officiated capably.

CANADIENS EXCEED
N. H. A. SALARY LIMIT

As Result, Meeting Will Be Held to Have Them Heavily Fined—Trouble Expected.

Montreal, Jan. 23.—Great indignation is being expressed among the supporters of the Canadian Athletic Club, since the management has been quietly informed that a move is on foot to have a meeting called of the National Hockey Association of Canada to have them heavily fined for exceeding the salary limit. The limit is \$5,000, and it is charged that the club has gone far beyond that. "Is it true that you have exceeded the salary limit?" Geo. Kennedy was asked. At first he did not seem very anxious to reply, but finally he said: "Well, I suppose so," and then he added, defiantly, "And if some of the other clubs paid better salaries and had done so from the first the public would have seen better contests from the first of the season."

MONTREAL JOCKEY CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS.

[Canadian Press.]
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The reports presented by the president and treasurer proved most satisfactory. It was announced that the Duke of Connaught had consented to become a patron of the club.

The following officers were elected: President—Sir H. Montagu Allan, C.V.O.

Vice-Presidents—Hon. J. E. Robitoux, A. E. Ogilvie and William P. Rogers.

Secretary-Treasurer—W. Northey.

The following were then elected as an executive committee—Sir H. Montagu Allan, A. E. Ogilvie, Bartlett MacLennan, Col. Campbell, James Carruthers and Hartland B. MacDougall.

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HOCKEY

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point; Dennison, coverpoint; Weir, rover; Hall, centre; Kennelly, right wing; Clancy, left wing.

Cobourg—Peachy, goal; Penwarden, point; Hornbeck, coverpoint; Freeman, rover; Gray, centre; Cunningham, right wing; Hinman, left wing.

Referee—F. H. Sproule, Toronto.

COBALT DISTRICT HOCKEY LEAGUE STANDING.

Cobalt, Jan. 23.—The standing of the Cobalt District Amateur Hockey Association on the completion of the first round of games is as follows:

W. Won. Lost.

McKinley-Darragh Mines 2 1

O'Brien Mine 2 1

Nipissing Mines 2 1

Silver City of Cobalt 2 2

Two more rounds will be played. Great crowds are attending the games this winter, the play being as close and exciting as when the professional game was played here.

EATONIAS DEFEATED MARKHAM.

Toronto, Jan. 24.—Eatonias won their intermediate game from Markham at the Excelsior Rink last night by 5 to 3. The teams:

Markham—Goal, Summerfield; point, Day; cover, Stewart; rover, Farley; centre, Beier; right wing, Robb; left wing, Sanderson.

Eatonias—Goal, Rolis; point, Rescor; cover, Seiler; rover, Meek; centre, Smith; right wing, Leroux; left wing, Moffat.

COLLINGWOOD WINS AT MIDLAND.

Midland, Jan. 23.—Collingwood intermediates defeated Midland here tonight. The half-time score was 4 to 3 in favor of Collingwood, who got away in the second half and scored four straight goals. The home team fought hard all the way, but could not get up. The final score was 8 to 6 in favor of Collingwood. The line-up:

Midland—Goal, Scott; point, Lavigne; cover, Gould; rover, Chase; centre, P. Beatty; right wing, W. Beatty; left wing, Nicholls.

Collingwood—Goal, Cook; point, Dault; cover, Hall; rover, Lawrence; centre, Fryer; right wing, Teller; left wing, Burns.

Referee—Fern, Stratford.

DUNNVILLE LOSES TO NIAGARA FALLS.

Dunnville, Jan. 23.—West Ends of Niagara Falls defeated Dunnville here tonight by the score of 7 to 5, the half-time score being three all and full time five all. Considerable dissatisfaction prevailed just before full time over the goal scored by Dunnville. Parkes followed the puck down the ice and stopped in front of the nets. The goal was scored without Parkes touching the puck, but the referee would not allow it, as he claimed Parkes was offside. Line-up:

Dunnville—Vosburg, goal; Knight, point; Clarke, coverpoint; Parkes, centre; Barrie, left; Nichol, right; Munroe, rover.

Niagara Falls—Williams, goal; Speck, point; Flynn, coverpoint; Nelson, centre; Barton, left; Farrell, right; Neil, rover.

Referee—E. Cooke, Toronto.

SIMCOES WIN FROM ST. MICHAEL'S.

Toronto, Jan. 24.—Simcoes juniors defeated St. Michael's Juniors in a scheduled O. H. A. game last night at Ravina between Peterboro and Cobourg resulted in a score of 6 to 4. The line-up:

Peterboro—Dwyer, goal; Milroy,

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News From Western Ontario

MUCH SPECULATION REGARDING RAILWAY

Kincardine Citizens Greatly Interested In the West Shore Electric Proposition.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Kincardine, Jan. 23.—There is a good deal of speculation here regarding the West Shore Electric Railroad. So many assertions, apparently in good faith, have never been realized, that the citizens are somewhat impatient at the tardiness of the work, which was to be completed to Kincardine last year. The road has been made for steam locomotives as far as Kintail, a distance of 16 miles from Goderich.

From the village of Kintail and surrounding country, most of the farm produce has been taken to Goderich this fall.

A Dark Cloud.

Every farmer from Ambleton to Goderich is delighted with the prospect of getting railway facilities convenient, but a dark cloud hangs over the scheme. The township of Colborne, never promised any help, and seems determined to stop the road by steam power, as the bylaw distinctly says: "An electric road." Owing to this, all traffic was stopped six weeks ago.

It is believed that the opening of this road to Owen Sound, would make a fruit section of the whole of the tract of country between the two points named, especially for apples, plums and cherries, which for productiveness and flavor cannot be beaten.

The projected improvement of the harbor will probably give a strong impetus to the crowds of visitors spending their summer vacations here.

A Valuable Suggestion.

If, as was suggested recently, a new harbor is made to the north of the pier to Horton's Point, there could be a harbor of refuge, which would be a great boon to the shipping interests of seafaring men. This tract of water comprises upwards of twenty acres, partly inclosed by the point referred to and extending by a short distance to the end of the north pier. Only a small part of this need be dredged to accommodate fair-sized vessels. The money voted by the Government (\$25,000) would be ample in making a better harbor than is here at present, and it would not be subject to filling up with the debris of mud and matter which fills the harbor and channels every spring, necessitating an outlay of from two to five thousand dollars every year before the first vessel can enter.

Woodstock Meeting.

Agricultural Society Receives Reports Indicating Most Prosperous Year and Elects Officers.

Woodstock, Jan. 23.—At the annual meeting of the Woodstock Agricultural Society, held here today, the reports presented were most gratifying. A report for the year 1911 was presented, showing receipts of about \$700 in excess of expenditures. The following officers were elected for 1912: President, J. E. Fidler; first vice-president, Dr. Williams; second vice-president, P. J. Farrell; secretary, Alderman W. S. West; treasurer, John D. McKenzie; directors, C. Otterbein, W. J. Taylor, T. E. West, W. A. Dent, Dr. McKay, E. Burgess, Jas. Blow, J. D. McKenzie and A. B. Cornack.

BARN BURNED.

Harwich Farmer Loses Cattle, Tobacco Crop and All His Implements.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Chatham, Jan. 23.—The fine barn and big stable of Dan Gray on con. 7 of Harwich, was completely destroyed by fire today. Nine head of cattle were burned to death. A quantity of tobacco which Mr. Gray had recently baled up, along with hay, grain and farm implements, was destroyed. The animals burned were five milch cows and four head of younger cattle. Evidently the barn was the first building to take fire, as it was pretty far gone before the stable was enveloped.

FACE WAS LITERALLY COVERED WITH PIMPLES.

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WANT HYDRO FIGURES TO DETERMINE COST

St. Marys Committee Asks Council for Information Regarding Power Installation.

[Special to The Advertiser.] St. Marys, Jan. 24.—At the meeting of the water, light and heat commission, the secretary presented a communication from the Traders' Bank, showing a credit balance of \$1,522.13. Accounts were passed totalling \$1,041.16. The superintendent was instructed to inspect trouble made by lights on Wellington street bridge. The matter of having a generator at the powerhouse repaired and the appointment of a secretary and treasurer was left over until Mayor Sanderson returns from Winnipeg.

Chairman Weir suggested giving each of the staff at the powerhouse a day off once a month. The matter was left over until a further meeting.

Upon resolution of Commissioner Currie, the secretary was instructed to write the town council to provide the board with a report with the inside and outside cost of hydro power, new installation, and request this information in order to enable the board to determine prices to be charged for electric energy. Hydro power has already cost the town \$5,769.55.

DEMONSTRATION CAR WAS AT INGERSOLL

People Were Much Interested in Exhibition From Northern Ontario.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ingersoll, Jan. 24.—The Demonstration Car of Northern Ontario, sent out by the Colonization Department of the Ontario Government, visited Ingersoll yesterday, remaining for a number of hours on the C. P. R. siding. The coming of the car had been well advertised, and many citizens turned out to view the exhibits collected from the much-talked-of clay belt. The exhibits included practically everything in vegetables, grains and grasses that are produced in Old Ontario. The visitors to the car, without exception, were surprised by the excellent standard of quality. This was particularly true of vegetables, some of the potatoes shown being taken from crops which yielded from 450 to 600 bushels per acre. The timothy seed shown was also of superior quality. One settler had realized \$2,000 from fifty acres, and at present prices the revenue would have been \$3,000. On the whole the exhibits emphasized the fertility of the clay belt.

The children of the Baptist Sunday School were treated to their annual sleigh ride yesterday afternoon. They were driven about the town for some time, and their merry voices indicated the keenest appreciation. The turnout was very representative, and the outing will not soon be forgotten.

The final meeting of the board of education for 1911 will be held in the council chamber next Monday evening. As a rule very little business, in addition to the passing of accounts, is transacted at these meetings.

Prompt attention is given all matters presented at the meeting, and the session hurried along, as the members are afterwards entertained by the retiring chairman.

FRUIT GROWING COURSE

Special Class at Guelph Attended by Many From District.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Guelph, Jan. 23.—Eighty-five students from all over Ontario are in attendance at a special short course in fruit growing, which opened here today. Dr. G. C. Creelman, president of the O. A. F., will give an address on "Agricultural Education" to the Orangeville board of trade tomorrow evening.

HELD FOR THEFT

Chatham Youth Alleged to Have Broken Into Meat Market.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Chatham, Jan. 23.—Harry Sallsbury, a local youth, is under arrest on suspicion of having a hand in breaking into the King Edward meat market, Thames street. Another young fellow who is suspected to have aided Sallsbury is now being looked up by the police.

Newly-soled shoes, that left a vivid impression in the soft, fresh snow last night, gave the police their clue.

SOUTHWOLD DEATH

Mrs. Jane Joiner Never Recovered From Effects of Paralysis.

[Special to The Advertiser.] St. Thomas, Jan. 23.—Mrs. Jane Joiner, relict of the late Henry Joiner, is dead at her home on the River road, Southwold. She sustained a paralytic stroke some time ago and never recovered. Mrs. Joiner was born in Devonshire, England 74 years ago. When 3 years of age she came to Canada with her parents, who settled in Southwold, where she had since lived.

Mrs. Joiner is survived by four daughters, Mrs. William Harris, of Thamesville, and Misses Mary, Jennie, and Edith, at home. Mr. Joiner died three years ago.

The funeral will be on Wednesday to St. Thomas Cemetery.

FANSHAW.

Fanshawe, Jan. 23.—The quarterly service for the Zion church will be held in the Methodist Church here on Sunday, Feb. 4, at 2 p.m. The Zion choir will conduct the singing.

The Zion Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs. Snell, concession 3, London Township, on Thursday afternoon. There was a good attendance and a busy and pleasant time was enjoyed. The next meeting will likely be held at the home of Mrs. Valentine Guest, 7th concession, London Township.

Mr. Reginald Hudson, from here, is training The Grove choir twice a month.

BIG GRAVEL BOAT FOR PORTS ON LAKE ERIE

Cleveland Firm Is Building New Steamer Which Will Cost Eighty Thousand Dollars.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Leamington, Jan. 23.—Pelée Sand and Gravel Company, recently organized in Cleveland, has contracted for a steamer which will ply between Point Pelée and South Shore ports. The American Shipbuilding Company, of Cleveland, will build the ship at its local yards. The craft will cost \$80,000, and will be equipped with a self-unloading device, electric generating plant and other modern machinery. The contract calls for delivery early in May.

FOX HUNT AT ARVA

Members of the London Hunt Club Had an Enjoyable Run.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Arva, Jan. 23.—A live fox hunt was held at Arva yesterday. Members of the London Hunt Club were in attendance. The fox was liberated at the ninth concession.

The funeral of the late Miss Breen was held this morning to Elginfield Cemetery.

Mrs. Cross, of Chicago, has been visiting in Arva for the past week. The Epworth League of Arva Methodist Church will hold a social Thursday evening. There will be a musical programme and refreshments.

HOLD SPRING FAIR

Mitchell Agricultural Society Decides to Have Exhibition.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Mitchell, Jan. 23.—At the annual meeting of the Fullarton, Logan and Hibbert Agricultural Society, the officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: John Skinner, president; first vice-president, D. McCourcy; second vice-president, W. Walkom; directors: Mitchell, T. Vivian, T. Roney; Fullarton, G. Kemp, W. Jacobs; Logan, G. Hillebrecht, W. A. McKendzie; Hibbert, R. Norris, R. Hodgson, J. Skinner; auditors, W. Rabb and C. Woodger; secretary-treasurer, A. D. Cameron.

President Skinner addressed the meeting at some length, reviewing the work of the past year and the good showing made. It was decided to hold the spring fair as formerly, and instead of Government judges, in all probability local judges will act.

SPRINGFIELD.

Springfield, Jan. 23.—Miss E. Firby is able to be out again after a few days' illness.

Mrs. John McClintock entertained a few of her friends at her home recently.

Mr. Duke Clunas, of Courland, spent Sunday with his parents here.

Miss E. Howe, of Avon, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. James Newell.

Mr. A. Atkin is confined to the house through illness.

CLANDEBOYE.

Clandeboye, Jan. 23.—Mrs. M. Williams, who has been very ill at her home here, is improving steadily.

Mr. W. Colwell, of Centralia, has been shipping large quantities of hay from this district lately.

Mrs. Walter Lewis is recovering rapidly from her recent illness.

Mr. T. Hennessey, the local doctor, is setting in his ice for the season from Elginfield.

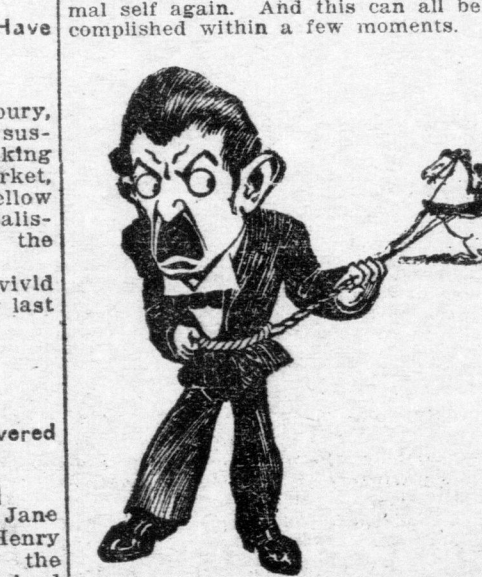
Mrs. Ell Bice has gone to Detroit to see her sister, Mrs. J. Seale, who is critically ill in Grace Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hamilton, who have been visiting here for a few days.

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| 18.00 Ladies' Tweed Coats | | 15.00 Marmot Caperines |
| 20.00 Evening Gowns | \$8.95 | 15.00 Persian Lamb Muffs |
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have been visiting his parents and friends here for the past month have returned to Regina.

The funeral of Mrs. Haskett, which was held yesterday, was largely attended. Interment was made at St. James Cemetery.

M. W. Boyle, of Adare, is visiting here for a few days.

LAMBETH.

Lambeth, Jan. 23.—Mrs. Wm. Woodhull, of Detroit, is visiting Mrs. A. Routledge.

A very exciting game of hockey was played in Simcoe rink between Delawares and Lambeth Rockets, the score resulting in a tie, 1 to 1.

ALISA CRAIG.

Alisa Craig, Jan. 23.—Last evening a large number of young people from Parkhill drove down to skate on the river here.

Edwin Chapman returned from Toronto yesterday after visiting friends there for a week.

Rev. Wm. Lowe, of Kenilworth, addressed two large audiences in the Methodist Church on Sunday.

AYLMER.

Aylmer, Jan. 23.—Thomas Wooster has secured a good position with the Dominion Cannery as building inspector of factories to be erected by that company this year.

Mr. Barnes, of St. Catharines, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. W. C. Bingham.

A. G. Johnson, of Montreal, spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Ellen Johnson, St. Andrew's street.

Mrs. Thomas Wooster is visiting relatives in St. Thomas.

PETROLEA.

Petrolea, Jan. 23.—John Bickle has sold his handsome residence on Petrolea street, west to John Shepherd, who purposes starting a stock farm near town.

Dr. McNair, of the Presbyterian Church and Rev. H. Moyer, of the Methodist Church, exchanged pulpits on Sunday evening.

Miss Bessie Gleeson, of the public school staff of Petrolea, is in St. Joseph's Hospital, London, to undergo an operation for appendicitis.

Matthews, of the Dispatch office, Strathroy, spent Sunday here.

BRUCEFIELD.

Brucefield, Jan. 23.—Mr. Robert W. Jones is making a good recovery from the serious attack of pneumonia that he has been suffering from the past week.

Mr. John A. McEwen, con. 2, Standley, underwent an operation in Clinton Hospital on Thursday afternoon last for recurring appendicitis. The operation was successfully performed by Dr. Gunn, assisted by Drs. Rogers and Gandler. Mr. McEwen is making a good recovery and will soon be able to be out.

Mr. Alex. Mustard has four teams busily employed laying in logs for his sawmill.

Mr. James Ross, London road, is improving steadily after his recent severe illness.

The public library has already 105 members for the current year, and it has been open only two weeks. This is the best record since the library started. It costs only 50 cents to become a member for the year.

Mrs. John Cameron, who is home from the west, underwent a serious operation in the Clinton Hospital on Saturday, and at last reports she was doing nicely.

WALLACEBURG.

Wallaceburg, Jan. 23.—The funeral of Mrs. Glendinning, held yesterday afternoon from her late residence on Wallace street, was largely attended. The service was conducted by Rev. G. Howson.

Mrs. A. Parker, of Baltimore, is visiting Mrs. C. B. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Rose, who have been

spending a few months with Mr. W. Heap, have gone to Toronto.

Miss Josie McCallum, of the school staff, is ill. Miss A. Mickle is teaching in her absence.

Mrs. A. Ribble, of Dresden, was a recent guest of Mrs. H. Morgan.

Mrs. J. Scott gave a dinner party to a few of her friends on Friday evening.

Mr. J. B. Cousins started this morning on his new duties as policeman. Rev. M. C. Tait was able to take the service in Knox Church on Sunday after being all with a gripe for some time.

The Laymen's Missionary Society held a united meeting of all churches in Knox Church at the close of the evening service.

Mrs. C. Crummer sang a solo in Knox Church on Sunday evening.

Mrs. G. Robertson was called away very suddenly on account of the illness of her sister, in Sharon, Pa.

A new drygoods store is to be opened in the Taylor Block, formerly occupied by R. Thompson as a restaurant.

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LONDON LADY'S FATHER DIES IN SOUTHWOLD

Frederick G. Hayne Was One of the Best Known Fruit Growers in District.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
St. Thomas, Jan. 24.—Frederick George Hayne, for 24 years a resident of Southwold, and one of the best-known fruit growers in the district, is dead at his home here. Mr. Hayne came from Simcoe in 1888. He had been suffering for a number of years from heart disease, and it was that ailment which finally caused his death. He is survived by his wife, three sisters and one brother: Mrs. (Dr.) A. W. Smith, Simcoe; Mrs. Wm. Gauld, London; Miss Lizzie Hayne, London; and Albert Louis Noel Hayne, of Alberta.

FARRAR INCAPABLE

Former Chaplain to King George Barred From Holding Preference.
[Canadian Press.]
London, Jan. 24.—The Bishop of Norwich, under the provisions of the clergy discipline act, has declared the Rev. F. P. Farrar, formerly rector at Sandringham and domestic chaplain to King George, incapable of holding preference.

The Rev. Mr. Farrar, who was domestic chaplain to King George and the Queen Mother Alexandra, was recently deposed from his office by order of the King. His wife, who is a sister of Mr. Richard Harding Davis, returned to Sandringham a short time ago, disposed of their effects and joined her husband on the continent.

TROOPS ARE READY FOR BELFAST ROW

And Merchants Are Barricading In Expectancy of Rioting When Churchill Speaks.

Belfast, Ireland, Jan. 23.—Several regiments of cavalry and infantry have been ordered to hold themselves in readiness to come to Belfast at short notice in consequence of the inflamed stage of passion awakened among both Nationalists and Unionists by the announcement of the coming demonstration concerning home rule. The manoeuvre of the Unionists in threatening to block Ulster Hall, where the home rule demonstration is to take place, has incensed the Liberals and Nationalists and trouble looms up distinctly. Brigadier-General Count A. E. W. Glen, the commanding officer of the district, is returning from Switzerland, where he has been on vacation. The merchants of the city are arranging to barricade and board up their properties in the vicinity of Ulster Hall.

CHATHAM'S CROSSINGS

Coroner's Jury Demands Better Protection From the Railways.
[Special to The Advertiser.]
Chatham, Jan. 23.—We strongly recommend that the city take the most stringent means of forcing the rail-

ways to supply proper protection at their crossings in this city.

The above was a recommendation brought in by the coroner's jury who last night found that David Henson came to his death on a level crossing of the C. P. R., through accidental causes. It was shown by evidence that the engineer had blown his whistle and taken every precaution to warn Henson to get off the tracks.

BIG DAM SCHEME NOT QUITE READY

D. A. Stewart May Ask for a Special Meeting of the County Council.

MANY WORKS IN SIGHT

Much Money Appropriated for Needed Improvements—Striking Committee Was Named.

Mr. D. A. Stewart, promoter of the London and Northwestern Radial Railway Company, which proposes to generate power for its line at Rock Glen, in the Aux Sable River, and which was to have submitted its scheme definitely to the Middlesex county council at this session, has found it impossible to be on hand with the necessary data at this time. In a communication to the council yesterday afternoon Mr. Stewart asked permission to delay the matter for a short time, but it is pretty generally understood that he will ask for a special session of the council to consider the question before the next regular meeting in June.

Mr. Stewart presented a portion of the scheme to the council at the final session of 1911, but did not desire that the council take action at that time although the councillors were ready and willing to endorse the plan.

The county engineer's report was received and contained a number of recommendations regarding works in the different townships throughout the county. This matter was referred to the board of road directors, who will report back.

The Appropriations.

The appropriations required for the different townships, according to Mr. Taylor's statements, are: Lobo \$2,688 12, Carleton Place \$2,788 56, Mosa \$1,713 98, Metcalfe \$1,583 15, Adelaide \$1,803 88, Eglar \$2,269 08, Delaware \$1,153 64, Westminster \$4,588 20, London \$7,141, Dorchester \$2,933, Bidolph \$2,115, Nissouri \$3,041, McGillivray \$3,086, East Williams \$1,698, West Williams \$1,358.

Standing Committees.

A committee to name the standing committees for the year was appointed on motion of Frank Boyes and A. G. Linden. Those who will have charge of the work are W. T. Ulen, John McGowan, R. Banks, John Laidlaw, Richard Fitzgerald, Robert Jackson, C. W. Hawkshaw, John Morgan, William Toohill, L. L. McTaggart and Thomas Munro.

BORDEN ACTED ON COUNSEL'S VIEW

The Lancaster Marriage Bill Was Submitted to I. F. Hellmuth, K. C.

BEYOND FEDERAL POWER

Says That Form of Marriage Ceremony is Entirely Under Control of Local Legislatures.

Ottawa, Jan. 23.—The Premier laid on the table this afternoon the opinion of the eminent counsel mentioned last night in the marriage debate. He is I. F. Hellmuth, K. C., of Toronto, and his opinion is as follows:

"The following questions have been submitted to me:

1. Has the Parliament of Canada legislative competence to enact bills number 3 (being an act to amend the marriage act)?
2. Has the Parliament of Canada power to validate a marriage, which has been solemnized in the Dominion in accordance with the formalities or before the person prescribed by the law of the province?
3. If the law of any province requires that such marriage is legal and valid in order to be valid must be celebrated before the parish priest, or before a Catholic priest, has the Parliament of Canada power to declare that such marriage solemnized before some other clergyman, or officer, shall be valid, notwithstanding the law of the province?

"In my opinion the answer to each of the above named questions should be 'No.'"

Effect of the Amendment.

"The effect of the amendment to the Marriage Act, R.S.C. 105, proposed by bill number three, is that a marriage ceremony performed by a person authorized only to perform certain marriage ceremonies is duly performed notwithstanding that the marriage ceremony in question was outside or beyond the limit of authority of the person who performed it, and that such marriage is legal and valid. In other words, if the province should authorize a person to perform the marriage ceremony only between two Catholics, and such person should perform the marriage ceremony between two Protestants, the act in question would make such marriage legal."

For Province Alone.

"This legislation appears to me to go beyond the powers of the Dominion. It is true that, under the British North America Act, section 91, marriage and divorce belong to the classes of subjects within the exclusive legislative authority of the Parliament of Canada. But it is equally true that, under section 92, the solemnization of marriage in the province is within the exclusive jurisdiction of the Provincial Legislature. It is necessary, therefore, to harmonize, if possible, these two apparently conflicting powers. This may be said to be a canon of construction adopted by the Judicial committee of the Privy Council, when dealing with federal and provincial rights, although it may also be said to be laid down that if there is a real conflict of rights the Dominion will prevail."

"In the matter now under consideration, however, the conflict is, in my view, only apparent."

A Former Case Cited.

"In the case of the Citizens' Insurance Company vs. Parsons, 7 A. C. 96, Sir Montague Smith, in delivering the judgment of the board, says at page 108:

"Notwithstanding the endeavor to give pre-eminence to the Dominion Parliament in cases of a conflict of powers, it is obvious that in some cases where the apparent conflict exists the Dominion could not have intended that the powers exclusively assigned to the Provincial Legislature should be absorbed in those given to the Dominion Parliament. Take as one example the subject of marriage and divorce, contained in the enumeration of subjects in section 91. It is evident that solemnization of marriage would come within the general jurisdiction of the Provincial Legislature among the classes of subjects in section 92, and no one can doubt, notwithstanding the general language of section 91, that this subject is still within the exclusive authority of the legislatures of the provinces."

Other Views Quoted.

"The distinction between marriage and divorce" and "the solemnization of marriage in the province" has been commented on in the judicial utterances of late Mr. Justice Gwynne, in the city of Fredericton vs. the Queen, 3 S. C. R. 505, at page 508, et seq., although other are instructive. He there says: "Solemnization of marriage, that is to say, the power of regulating the ceremony, the mode of its celebration, is a particular subject expressly placed under the jurisdiction of the local legislatures. This matter has always been considered to be purely of a local character."

"And he points out that all other matters connected with marriage, vesting in the Dominion Parliament, are of a general character, and that the contract to enter into it; the effect upon the status of the children if presumed to be de facto entered into by persons not competent by law to enter into it; the obligatory force when entered into; the power of dissolving the tie when entered into."

"Solemnization of marriage is then a matter outside of the term 'marriage and divorce' in the 91st section, and the result is that the application of the rule (in perfect conformity with the theory of the act as passed) defined leaves the power of legislating as to the form of the ceremony as a purely local matter, under the control of the local legislatures, and places all other matters connected with marriage, including divorce, under the control of the Dominion Parliament."

"This, also, apparently was the view of the law officers of the crown in England in the communication from Lord Granville, secretary of state for the colonies, in a letter to the Governor-General, dated the 15th day of January, 1870, appearing in volume 16, number 2, of the sessional papers 1877, pages 339-340, under the group of papers known as No. 89. In this letter he states that the law officers are of opinion that 'marriage and divorce' reserved by the 91st section to the Parliament of Canada, signify all matters relating to the status of marriage between what persons and under what circumstances it was to be created and at all destroyed. There are many reasons ex-

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isting throughout the Dominion, which have no application as regards the uniformity of the procedure whereby this status is created or evidenced. Convenience, indeed, and reasons would seem alike in favor of a difference of procedure being allowed in external and internal circumstances as those of which the Dominion is composed, and of permitting the provinces to settle their own procedure for themselves.

"While there does not appear to have actually been a concrete case for the determination by a legal tribunal, drawing the line between the powers of the Dominion Parliament and those of the provincial legislatures in this respect, the opinions above cited appear to me to be sound and likely to be followed when such a case does arise."

What Solemnization Means.

"If, then, the solemnization of marriage in the province is a matter with which the Dominion Parliament cannot interfere, the question arises: 'What is covered by and comprised in the expression, 'The Solemnization of Marriage'? Solemnization means with ritual ceremony or according to legal forms. It would, therefore, be within the purview of provincial legislatures to prescribe such ritual or forms as they might deem advisable, and it would not appear to be ultra vires of one provincial legislature to declare that all marriage ceremonies should be performed by a Catholic priest according to Catholic ritual, for another to declare that the ceremony should be performed by a lay registrar or a justice of the peace, according to a form prescribed, and such legislation could not, I think, be overridden by any act of the Dominion Parliament."

What Federal House Can Do.

"On the other hand, the Dominion Parliament can legislate as to the persons between whom marriage is competent, the degrees within which marriage shall be prohibited, the causes which may entitle a married person to a divorce, and with none of these subjects can the province interfere."

"I am not dealing in any way with the question of rules or regulations of any particular church or sect. Some of these in themselves can affect the legal solemnization of marriage nor the status of married people, but it is, in my view, competent for the provincial legislature, and for that body alone, to prescribe how and in what form and by whom marriages shall be solemnized in the provinces. Nor in this opinion has the question of existing legislation of provinces in regard to the solemnization of marriage or marriage itself been considered."

"It may be that some of this legislation is ultra vires, in that it does more than provide for the solemnization of marriage in the province, but considerations such as these do not touch the abstract question as to the right of the Dominion to invade a field set apart for the province."

BORN IN SAME YEAR AS QUEEN VICTORIA

William Yule, Pioneer of Downie Township, Dies at His Home.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
St. Marys, Jan. 24.—One of the pioneers of this district, William Yule, of the Yule farm, on the town line of Downie, north of the town, passed away yesterday afternoon at the advanced age of 93 years. He was born in the same year as the late Queen Victoria, 1819.

THREAT OF VIOLENCE IF RICHESON PARDONED

Boston Authorities Receive Letter Demanding That Accused Clergyman Be Executed.

[Canadian Press.]
Boston, Jan. 24.—A letter, threatening the governor and his council with violence, if the Rev. C. V. T. Richeson is pardoned, is in the hands of the police here today. It was mailed to Lieut.-Gov. Robert Luce, president of the governor's council, which acts in an advisory capacity in connection with pardons. The letter, which is signed "Justice," also demands the pardoning of Silas Phelps, the Monroe Bridge murderer, to whom the governor recently refused clemency.

The letter says in part: "Phelps must be saved and Richeson must die. If Phelps is killed, one man will be shot. If Richeson is saved from the electric chair, two men will be shot. Beware of the Black Hand."

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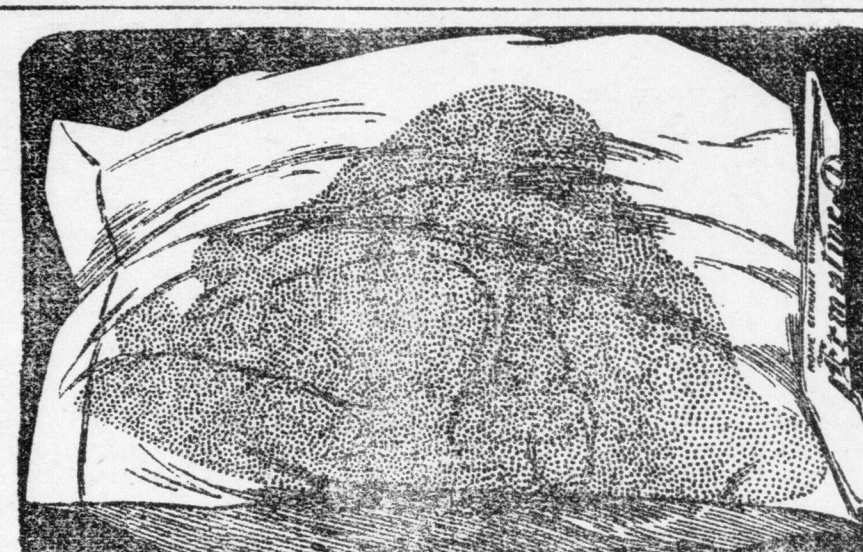
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This afternoon he will demonstrate how to cook breaded veal chops in The Advertiser bags, and tomorrow he will make another specialty of fish.

The office of the Gas Appliance Company, corner of Dundas and Clarence streets, was crowded from 2:30 to 5 p.m. yesterday, and expressions of delight with the results of the demonstration were not lacking on the part of the ladies attending.

The demonstration will continue every afternoon for the remainder of this week.

SAVING THE SEAL

United States House Committee Has Plan to Preserve the Animals.

[Canadian Press.]
Washington, Jan. 24.—Representative Edward E. Townsend's plan for the preservation of the seal herds in the Pribilof lands in Alaska has been accepted by the committee on foreign affairs, and will be presented to the House as an amendment to the bill recommended by the state department. The bill would limit the slaughter of male seals to 5,000 a year for five years, 7,500 a year for the next five years, and 10,000 annually for five years following. At the end of fifteen years new regulations are to be adopted.

The belief is expressed by experts and the committee that at the end of fifteen years the depleted seal herds will be restored to their former size.

HAD CLOSE CALL

Ben Hough, of Port Stanley, Went Through Ice Into Lake.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Port Stanley, Jan. 24.—Benjamin Hough had set through the ice. On the experience when they walked out on the ice on Lake Erie a distance of about three miles to look at some nets he had set through the ice. On the return trip and while still a considerable distance from land, Mr. Hough walked into an air-hole, and a moment later was struggling in the water. With the assistance of Mr. Busby he managed to get back onto solid ice, with difficulty, but had he been alone he would have been in a desperate plight. Beyond being thoroughly soaked and chilled, Mr. Hough suffered no apparent ill effects.

WED AT MOOSOMIN.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
St. Thomas, Jan. 23.—The wedding took place in Moosomin recently of Miss Mabel Atherton, of Weyburn, Saskatchewan, and Mr. Frank Parker, formerly of Yarmouth.

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