EMPHATIC DENIAL TO MERGER STORY

Is Given by the Dominion People.

Radial Will be Extended to Toronto at Once.

Annual Meeting of the Local Company To-day

General Manager Hawkins treats the stories that have been appearing in the Toronto papers of a gigantic merger of the Dominion Power & Transmission Company with the Electrical Develop ment Company, of which William Mac kenzie is said to have secured control as a huge joke. Seen to-day after the annual meeting of the shareholders of the Dominion Power & Transmission Company held in the Terminal Station building, Mr. Hawkins said he had not read the stories, but when told what they hinted at he smiled broadly, and gave them a most emphatic denial. had no doubt, he said, that the Electrical Development Company would like to be coupled with the Dominion Power & Transmission Company, but declared

passed.
At the annual meeting of the Dominion Company to-day the annual statement was not prescrited, because it could not be prepared in time. It will be mailed to the shareholders shortly, however. It was stated that it was entirely satisfactory. The old officers and directors were re-elected.

were re-elected.

It has been practically decided to proceed at once with the building of the Radial from Oakville to Toronto, although no action was taken because it was considered this would be premature until the Senate dealt finally with the build be the recently was passed by the

barrelled shotgun to the home of his som though no action was taken because it was considered this would be premature until the Senate dealt finally with the bill, which recently was passed by the Dominion House. The road to Brantford will also be completed.

The Hamilton Street Railway will probably present to the city this afternoon the proposition, naming the conditions under which it will fix up its system, and a conference has been arranged for 3 o'clock between the Board of Works Sub-committee and Hon. J. M. Gibson and General Manager Hawkins, representing the company. Mr. Hawkins to-day declined to discuss the proposition. The company, he intimated, was prepared to buckle down to business and negotiate with the city over the matter until a satisfactory settlement was something that could not be done in a rush, but would require carriell consideration. It was also intimated that the company had no desire to delay the matter now that the Radial bill was out of the way.

It is generally believed in municipal circles here that the Dominion Power & circles here that the Dominion Power & Transmission Company will make a strong bid for the electrical business of Brantford. At the banquet of the Board of Trade there last week, Mr. John Knox, one of the directors, deciared that the company was prepared to give Brantford power at one-third the price quoted in Toronto for the future supply. Mr. Knox told them the consumer would pay for what he used, with 10 twenty minute peak load trick about it. Mr. Gibson also touched on Radial matters, stating he believed that with the new Radials between Hamilton, Brantford and Toronto the people of these cities would have quicker, cheaper and much better communication with (Continued on page 19.)

Circus Man Dead

New York, Feb. 17.-Wm. Sells, son of one of the three brothers who organized the famous Sells Brothers' circus combination, died suddenly in his apartments in West 35th street, early to-day. He had been ill for several weeks, but his condition had been improving steadily, and it was believed he was on the road to recovery. Early this morning he had a sudden change for the worse, and died before a physician reached the house. Gastritis was given as the cause of death. He was 42 years

SULTAN'S TROOPS

Moving Rapidly on the Persia and Russian Frontier.

Tiflis, Feb. 17. -Reports received here from Armenia declare that all the Redifs or Turkish army reserve forces in Van. Mush and the other Villayets of that there was absolutely no foundation for such a story.

"We are quite content the way we are," said Mr. Hawkins.

The Toronto Telegram on Saturday printed a story in which it practically charged a conspiracy between the Mackenzie & Mann interests and the Whitney Government to defeat the Hydro-Electric project, and calls on Hon. Adam Peck to declare himself. The Toronto World followed this up yesterday with a story in which it intimates that Chas. M. 'Hays, of the Grand Trunk; William Mackenzie and Hon. J. M. Gibson are in a deal to bring into existence a giant electric and transportation merger. It has been stated before by officials of the Dominion Power & Transmission Company that the time when the interests controlled by that company might hitch up with Mackenzie & Mann has passed.

At the annual meeting of the Dominio SHOT HIS SON that there was absolutely no foundation Asia Minor have been called to Tiflis

SHOT HIS SON.

Father Deliberately Kills His Son After Quarrel.

Whine, of this place, took a doublebarrelled shotgun to the home of his son John, in Locust Gap, near here, last

ful one, and the author and reader was tendered a vote of thanks. It was lis-tened to by quite a number of ladies, the meeting having been thrown open after routine business was transacted. Among the visitors present was Rev. Giles G. Brown, a missionary, of Ceylon.

MADE GREAT COMMOTION AROUND A BARBER SHOP

Gas Left Turned on While Connection Was Being Made Caused a Fire.

This morning the firemen were called to F. Woods' barber shop, 111 James street north, where a fire in the cellar was burning fiercely and threatening the whole line of stores with destruction. When the department got there holes were quickly cut in the floor, and the fire was soon under control. S. Gooderham, a plumber working for Rodgers, was changing the councctions of the store for natural gas, and by some mistake the natural gas was left turned on while he made the coupling. The was a caught of Fays and some took towels and clothes with them. The loss will total up to between \$200 and \$300. Shortly after this the department was buying a Tooth Brush.

Mr. McKelvey will likely look for the fat stock show in view of the stock show in view of the fat stock show in view of th he made the coupling. The gas caught fire and there was a report like the dis-charge of a gun. He was blown half way across the cellar; his bair was badly chimney did \$50 worth of damage. singed, and his face and hands burnt, but he managed to get out of the cellar and to the street. After the firemen had the blaze pretty well under way they way across the cellar; his hair was badly

NEARLY FATAL.

Children Had Close Call From Asphyxiation.

S. Schreiber, a tailor, living with his wife and three children, came near suffering the same fate as that of Mrs. Martin and her son Leonard in their house, on Hughson street north. Schreiber lives with his family at 15 York street, and yesterday morning he got up bright and early, and as the house up bright and early, and as the house was cold he lighted a natural gas stove which was in the children's bedroom. Some time after this the youngest child came tottering to his father and mother and said he was sick, and an investigation proved that their room was filted with the sticky atmosphere peculiar to a closed room in which gas had been burned in large quantities. The two older children were found to be unconscious, and Mr. Schreiber ran for help. Constables Yaxley and Hawthorne responded and the former saw immediately what was wrong. The two set to work to resuscitate the children. Mrs. Schreiber had been in the room for some time and she suddenly collapsed and had to be brought round by Dr. Davey; who soon arrived. All will recover, but they and she suddenly collapsed and had to be brought round by Dr. Davey; who soon arrived. All will recover, but they had an uncommonly narrow escape, and had not the policeman understood first aid to the injured, it is not improbable that death might have occurred in one

A SPORT'S SUICIDE.

Money and Luck Gone, He Turned on Gas.

Friday last the body of Herman Lancelot, aged thirty-five, said by his ac- known. quaintances in resorts of the neighborhad to have come for the Buffalo racing season from his home in Hamilton, Ontario, was found in a poorly furnished room on the top floor of 250 East Hous-ton street. He had ended his life by ton street. He had ended his life by turning on gas, the smell of which had disturbed a neighbor the night previous. disturbed a neighbor the night previous. This neighbor effected an entrance through a window after daylight and discovered the suicide. Lancelot, it was stated to the coroner and police, had quite a large bankrell won on the Buffalo and Fort Erie races when he arrived here and immediately began to play in local gambling houses until about a month ago, having lost all his funds, he became despondent and when in his cups threatened self destruction on several occasions, saying that luck was dead against him and he had no hope of winning again. He is said at one time to have had an interest in a hotel or road house in Hamilton, out of which he have had an interest in a hotel or oad house in Hamilton, out of which he cquired considerable money. His friends in the Bowery have offered to the coroner to chip in and give the body decent burial, provided no one claims the body from Hamilton. Nothing in his meagre baggage shows whether he had relatives at Hamilton or elsewhere.

Local race followers recall a Herman ancelot having been around this city a few years ago.

A DEFIANT ABBE

Loisy Well Go on Writing Proscribed Books.

Paris, Feb. 17.-The Archbishop of Paris has issued a decree condemning the last two works of Abbe Loisy's "Synoptic Gossis" and his reply to the papal encyclical against modernism. The

papal encyclical against modernism. The lecree forbids the elergy and laity under penalty of special papal excommunication from reading, keeping, printing or defending such books.

In an interview Abbe Loisy declared that he would continue the work. He had no intention, he said, to create a revolution in the church, but merely wished to instruct the elergy whose education was that of the seventeenth century.

NECKLACE STOLEN

German Countess Loses One Worth Thousands.

Berlin, Feb. 17.-A pearl necklace and pin of much beauty, valued at \$60,000, have been stolen from the Countess Von Wartensleben. Upon her return from the opera Saturday evening she placed the necklace and pin in a jewel case in the necessing room, and then went to supper. Returning in about half an hour she opened the jewel box to place other articles in it and found that the

other articles in it and found that the necklace and pin were missing. The po-lice were notified at once. The necklace was composed of excep-tionally darge pearls, the string measur-ing five feet in length.

BENNETT'S GOLD.

Mr. McKelvey Has Gone to See the Sights In Guelph With It.

Mr. Hamilton McKelvey, bookkeepe for the Canadian Transfer Co., has gonto Guelph, Ont., on a sight seeing trip. Mr. McKelvey will likely look for the

Buying a Tooth Brush.

If you want a tooth brush you should

ALL THREE DISCHARGED.

Not Sufficient Evidence to Place Them on Trial.

Norman Chrysler Held on Two Old Charges.

Josie Freeman Pleads Quilty to Child Desertion.

Charles Yates, James Fuller and William Hennessey were all discharged this morning for want of evidence to connect them with the theft from Lee's butcher shop, on which charge they were up. Through Mr. M. J. O'Reilly, K. C. they all pleaded not guilty, and declined to elect. Lee said that the first he knew of the case was from the police, who awakened him and asked him to search the shop. They had three men in their charge then, but the three were putting up a grand argument as to their innocence. After looking through the shop he was unable to discover anything missing, and as the three insisted that they were innocent, the constables who had them in charge, Constables Tuck, R. Duncan, Brannon and Myers, allowed them to go. Next morning the complainant discovered that his store had been entered through the window. Two pieces of pork were gone. He notified the po-New York, Feb. 17. - (Special- On lice, and they went out after the three men again, with the result already

> Budimir Protich lives near the store and his wife saw some men in the vicinity on Thursday morning early. awakened Mr. Protich, and after watch awakened Mr. Protich, and after watching them he decided they were there for no good, and called up the store. Mr. Lee, however, was hard to waken, and after two or three futile calls he notified the police. He denied that he had spoken to the alleged burglars, as a local paper stated he had. He said that while ne was waiting he saw a light inside the store, as of somebody lighting a match. Constable Tuck said that he and the other three officers had been told to go to the store by the sergeant, and as they

> to the store by the sergeant, and as the were approaching it they saw three mer coming away from the store. They ar rested them, and then went to examine the store. They found, everything secur-as far as they could see, and after mir-ute inquiries allowed the three men t ate inquiries allowed the three men to go. He said that Lee was so sure it was all a mistake that he sold one of the burglars a plug of tobacco, and then wanted to treat the crowd to cigars. Next day he discovered his mistake.
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> The other constables corroborated his testimony. Mr. O'keilly said there was no evidence at all to connect the three

> no evidence at all to connect the three men with the burglary, and asked for their dismissal. The Crown Attorney admitted there was little to hold the prisoners for trial on, and the three were

prisoners for trial on, and the three were allowed their liberty.

March 27 of last year was the date that Constable Tuck got a taste of jiu jitsu wrestling at the hands of Norman Chrysler, a local wrestler he was arresting for theft. Tuck arrested him on James street north. While taking him to the City Hail Chrysler suddenly threw the officer, and, slipping off his coat, to which Luck was holding, he made good his escape. A few days ago a little oird went to the police office and told them that Norman was rusticating with his sister on the mountain top. Yesterday morning early Constables Myers, Tuck, morning early Constables Myers, Tuck John Clark and Thompson went to the house, about two miles from the brow of the mountain, and started to hunt for Norman. Tuck found him, and he nailed Norman. Tuck found him, and he nailed him hard and last. Unryser made no resistance, and was soon lodged in the jail. This morning the police asked for a remand till Wednesday, which was granted. There are two charges against him. Walter Anderson lost some copper kettles and pans on March 2 of last year, which the police accuse Chrysler of stealing, and the other charge is escaping from Tuck on March 2i. J. G. Farnur, K. C. obtained bail for the win Farmer, K. C., obtained bail for the pris oner in the sum of \$500 on each cl

oner in the sum of \$500 on each charge, charge.

Josie Freeman, 334 Hughson street north, who was arrested on Saturday for abandoning her infant, pleaded guilty this morning and elected to be tried by the Magistrate. His Worship requested the police to inquire into the details, to see what danger the child was in, if any, from being placed on the doorstep. In the meantime Josie will have to stay in jail. Josie is a domestic, and could not get a place while she had the child, so decided to leave it to the tender mercies of the first person who found it.

Hattie Delaney, charged with neglecting two children, agreed to turn the children over to a local society, and she was acquitited. She was remanded on a charge of vagrancy.

Jimmie Lindsny, charged with kicking

charge of vagrancy.

Jimmie Lindsay, charged with kicking in a door in the house of William Godden, said he did nothing of the sort. He den, said he did nothing of the sort. He was boarding there, and was turned out on Saturday. When he was told he could not go in he "knocked on the door with his knuckles and two panels fell out." The Magistrate ordered Jimmie to pay for the door. If he does so he will be allowed to go, but if he does not he will be brought up again.

MARTIN INQUEST. The Coroner's jury, inquiring into the death of Mrs. Robert Martin and her son Leonard, which met at noon on Saturday at the City Hospital, after viewing the remains, adjourned to meet again in No. 3 Police Station on Wednesday night, at 8.30 o'clock

The funerals of Mrs. Martin and her

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES.

To rent at \$2 a year and upwards, for the storing of deeds, bonds, stocks, wills, silver and other valuables. TRADERS BANK OF CANADA.

Labor Notes—Thomas C. Watkins early closing movement and Stanley Mills & Co's. co-operation deserve recognition

The fresh air won't hurt you. Have

*The Chief of Police should join the Citizens' League and get posted—also post it.

If you don't want to patronize the heatre send your sick children's hospital subscription to the Times office,

Club that it might be cheaper to move than to pay rent?

The fifteen members of the Legislature who stayed away from the Lieut. Governor's State dinner because Gamey did not get an invitation may just have taken this step with a view to getting their pictures in the paper. Here's a hint to Mr. Steele or the Hamilton Improvement Society—offer prizes for the best cleaned sidewalk af

Ald. Farrar's statement that this year's City Council is not as good as last year's may only mean that he is not enjoying himself as well this as last year. But wait until the sandsucker weighs anchor.

But the Citizens' League shouldn't ex-pect to get all the graces that adorn the human character even in a policeman. He's human just like ourselves.

If the School Board should refuse to add wings to the Sophia street school I wouldn't be surprised to see Trustee Allan go down in his own dip for the money. That's a way he has.

But the Citizens' Committee hadn't a' word of condemnation for the people who were fined for not cleaning the the sidewalks. How was that? I still think that the proposed new Y.

I still think that the proposed new Y. M. C. A. building could have an auditorium attachment that would please the most fastidious. I would mention the matter to Mr. Best, only I think I am still in his bad books.

If Mr. Allan Studholme would take time to think between his sallies of silence, he might find that it is not yet too late to speak a kind word to his con-

I have come to the conclusion that Col. ibson is a much over-worked man, and that it would pay him to hire a man to do his thinking for him while he takes a How is it that in Toronto the tariff

or a breach of the snow by-law is \$1 and \$2 in Hamilton?

Is Whitney going to hang on to the ABOUT BRIDGES.

Townships and Counties to Make

Agreements.

Toronto, Feb. 17 .- (Special)-J. H. Carnegie, M. P. P. for East Victoria, will ntroduce a bill at this session of the Legislature to make it legal for counties nd townships to come to an agreement for the building and maintenance of oridges. The law as it now stands sets

MORSE IN COURT.

Pleaded Not Guilty But May Change His Plea.

New York, Feb. 17 .- Charles W. Morse, the former banker and commer cial promoter, was arraigned before Jus tice Dowling to-day on two charges of grand larceny and misappropriation of funds of the Mercantile National Bank. He pleaded not guilty, and asked for a postponement of two weeks, with per mission to change his plea if desired. The court fixed the hearing for next Monday

1.000,000 CHINESE

To Drive Europeans From Country-The Coming Nation.

San Francisco, Feb. 17. -At a meet ing in the Young Mon's Christian Association headquarters the Rev. N. G. Poon Chew, editor of the Chinese World, told his audience that China was raising an army of 1,000,000 men to drive the

an army of 1,000,000 men to drive the European nations from the empire. "China," he continued, "is just awakening from her slumber and she is getting ready to go to arms. When she does she will send Germany, France, Russia, England and other grasping and thieving nations home in a hurry. If Russia ever tries again to grab any Chinese territory we will fill her full of gory holes—just as Japan did. China is deatined to be the greatest nation on earth."

DR. NELSON NOT NOW A PRESBYTERIAN

Foul Murder

Birmingham, Ala., Feb. 17.-Spe cial Agent J. P. Crawford, of the Southern Railway, was shot by unknown persons and the body placed on the tracks at Twentyseventh street, where it was run over by an in-coming passenger train last night. No clue has been found as to the perpetrator of the

OPENED THE LINE

Harvester Cars to Run Over Wilson Street Track.

eited when a gang of about a hundied men started to work on Saturday at midnight to clear the old Radial tracks on Gore street, which have been blocked with snow nearly all winter, and which have not been used since the Terminal Station was opened. Superintendent Miller said this morning that there was no mystery about it. At the time of the big snow storm the tracks were covered to such a depth that the company did not think it would pay to have it removed. Since the fire at the car sheds, when a number of cars were destroyed, the company has had to use one of the Dundas cars for the Decring line. It has been obliged to send these cars down Main and King street to Sanford avenue. It was not thought advisable to take them down James and Barton street and it was decided to clear off the old Radial tiacks. The thaw was doing the work nicely until it began to freeze again on Saturday. When the company noticed the change in the weathed. Superintendent Miller said this pany noticed the change in the weath er they put the men to work.

THE BLACK HANDS.

Nearly 300 Men Captured by Police in Pensylvania.

Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. 17.—With 270 en captured in 32 raids conducted by the state police department in its war against black hand bands that have been terrorizing the foreign population various sections of the commonwealt the authorities count on crushing the out before the operations can extend

intericans. Lately there have been signs of the errorizing being extended to Northum erland County people of native birth. A GROWING CHURCH

Charlton Avenue Methodists Had Very Prosperous Year.

At the third quarterly meeting of the Official Board of Charlton Avenue Methodist Church, held during the past bridges. The law as it now stands sets forth the size of the bridges which townships should assume, and in many counties agreements have been made with certain townships whereby each party pays a portion of the cost of bridge maintenance, and in some cases the counties have held that such agreements are illegal. Mr. Carnegie's bill will give townships and counties the sole right to make such agreements.

**The membership is now over the 400 mark, while the average Sunday contributions have reached a point about \$10 in advance of any quarter in the townships and counties the sole right to make such agreements.

**The membership is now over the 400 mark, while the average Sunday contributions have reached a point about \$10 in advance of any quarter in the church's history. The popular paster, Rev. R. H. Bell, was unanimously invited to continue his pastorate another according to the continue his pastorate another according to the

Nestle's Milk Chocolate.

Kindly call and sample any of the following lines: Nestle's milk chocolate. Peter's milk chocolate, Macking tosh's toffee. The above lines will be demonstrated all of this week at our store. Bring your friends and sample them.—Bain & Adams, 89, 91 King street east.

GOT 60 DAYS.

Tornoto, Ont., Feb. 17.—Because the Magistrate believed that she had led her was sentenced this morning to 60 days in jail for shoplifting. The Magistrate alsemence.

And His Closest Friends Are Surprised.

Minneapolis Church is a Congregationalist

And Its People Are Very Much Pleased.

rised to learn that when Rev. S. Banks Nelson, D. D., left Knox Church, this ity, to go to Minneapolis, he also left the Presbyterian Church. It was announced in the papers at the time that he was to become pastor of Park Ave-

nue Presbyterian Church, at Minneap lis. When the matter was before the The curiosity of some people was ex- | Hamilton Presbytery the | Minneapolis Church was referred-to as the nue Presbyterian Church and the members of the Presbytery certainly under-

bers of the Presbytery certainly understood it to be such. But it is not. It
is a Congregational Church, and the
Congregationalist, the official organ of
that denomination in the United States,
thus alludes to the matter:
At Park Avenue, Minneapolis, now
with a membership of 625, from which
Dr. G. S. Rollins was recently called to
Hope Church, Springfield, there is great
rejoicing over the coming of Dr. S. B.
Velson as pastor. He comes to Congregationalists from the Presbyterian denomination, and has filled important
pastorates in that body in Rochester,
N. Y., and Hamilton, Ont., resigning the
latter charge to undertake the work of
Park Avenue. Born in Ireland, where
his mother still resides in the old home,
Dr. Nelson received his education at
Princeton, Uniting with fervid oratory
the research and broad preparation of
the scholar, he has already attracted
attention in the city and promises to
mentain the high traditions of Park attention in the city and promises to maintain the high traditions of Park

When spoken to to-day, Dr. Fletcher, clerk of the Hamilton Presbytery, said he fully understood. the Minneapolis Church to be Presbyterian, but the fact that it was not could not have made any difference. Dr. Nelson simply resigned his church here and withdrew from the Hamilton Presbytery. It was not a case of the Presbytery transfering him, and he had the right to where he pleased.

NOT TILL MARCH

Will the Theaker Arbitration Be Proceeded With.

Mr. Wm. Bell, the Street Railway ompany's arbitrator, stated this mornng that Mr. J. G. O'Donoghue had asked the Minister of Labor to appoint the the Minister of Labor to appoint the third arbitrator in the Theaker arbitra-tion, as the two had not been able to agree on the third man. He said that the union's representative had held out for Prof. Shortt, of Queen's University, but on Saturday, when the Kingston pro-fessor said he could not act, Mr. O'Don-owher stated he would request the Minster to make an appointment, the time allowed by the Act for the two arbitratallowed by the Act for the two arbitrators to agree on the chairman being up.
As Col. Gibson, who will present the
company's side of the case, will be engaged this week, and Mr. O'Donoghue
will be engaged in a labor arbitration
in Montreal next week, the arbitration
here cannot be gone on with until the
week after next. It is not thought more
than two days will be taken up in hearing the evidence.

Judge Monck stated this morning that

vited to continue his pastorate another year, and greater things are confidently looked for by this enterprising congregation.

Judge Monek stated this morning that he had been asked by the Government to act as the third arbitrator. He has not given his decision, whether he will

accept the post or not

GOT 60 DAYS.

WANTED TO CHASE OUT THE SPOONING CONDUCTOR.

But Younger Car Men Thought It Was a Job and Stood by Him.

At the meeting of the Street Railwaymen's Union on Saturday night there was
a lively time for a few minutes when
some of the older men asked to have the
conductor who was caught the other
night by Superintendent Miller at the
north end of the James street line making love to a maid in his car, with the
of the Tracker case, dropped off at Hamilton on his return from Buffalo, and attended the meeting with President Bird,
of the Tracker case, dropped off at Hamilton on his return from Buffalo, and attended the meeting with President Bird,
of the Tracker and Lagrage a night by Superintendent Miller at the north end of the James street line making love to a maid in his car, with the lights out, dismissed from the union. They said they thought it was a reflection on the whole association, and that they did not want any members in the union who could not behave. The conductor who was doing the spooning act in the dark was a married man.

It is also said that he was one of the men who took around a petition for the younger men asking for a new schedule of hours, because the young men had to work every night. The younger members of the union thought it looked like a put-up job to get even with the conductor, and they fought so hard on his behalf that the matter was dropped.

For a long time there have been oming rumblings about dissatisfaction

toring of deeds, bonds, stocks, wills, and other valuables.

RADERS BANK OF CANADA.

English Smoking Mixture.

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PAUL VANE'S WIFE

Annie Seasholtz had taken the liberty of sitting down unasked in a rustic chair beside Mrs. Lisle, and she gazed into the old lady's face with such truthful eyes that no one could doubt her honesty.

But Mrs. Lisle looked at her with piteous eyes, as if wishing that everything she had asserted might prove to be false. Her feeble voice was almost a moan, as she cried:

"Loraine not my completed."

"Yes, John Howard is still here, Annie,"

"Is he married vots."

her maid!" the gentle old lady observed with suspicion.

"La, Mrs. Lisle! you don't suppose she told me. Not a bit of it! I may as well own the truth. I was listening behind the library curtain."

"I know it wasn't right, but la! I never meant no harm, ma'am!" Annie Seasholtz exclaimed, airly. "You see, it was this way: When the man came and called for her I seea he was one of them rough-looking gypsies that were I plucked up heart again. them rough-looking gypsies that were camped in the woods of Arcady, and thought my mistress had got him to come up here, private-like to tell her fortune. I wanted to hear what he said, and just for a lark I hid behind the curtain. And no harm done neither! For I never opened my mouth to a living soul about anything I heard that night," conuded the bright little maid, intelligent

Mrs. Lisle sat a moment in grave elence, while her tearful eyes wand-red to the far-off sky with a patient,

etic gaze. nnie waited a little while, then, king herself forgotten, ventured tim-

"La, ma'am! she took Mrs. Vane's

Ta, maan; she took Mrs, van's husband from her, they do say; and, worse than that, or as bad, she and Mr. Vane have stolen Mrs. Vane's child and run away to unknown parts with her. If all that ain't wicked—well, I do say

It all that aim t wieses well, to say it beats my time!"

Mrs. Lisle had heard all about the wonderful restoration of Vivian's child in a letter that Vivian herself had written to her old friend—a letter that Mrs. Lisle had never answered, for she felt that it would be most embarrassing for locating in her grandunther were to acthat it would be most embarrassing for Loraine if her grandmother were to acknowledge the identity of Paul Vane's wife. In her loyalty to beautiful Loraine, who had always been most cold and indifferent with her gentle relative, Grandmere Liste had slighted and ignored Vivians' letter, although her heart bled with remorse over this cruel act that she felt to be a necessity. Family pride was a strong point with the old Virginia gentlewoman, and she knew that it was imperative to her to uphold Loraine in her reckless course. So she must ignore Vivian Vane, who had come back from the grave to claim her hus-

she could not foot her own heads the had been fostering. She had loved sweet winning Vivian tetter, to, than proud, coquettish Loraine, and she rejoiced in secret that little Star had been given to other's arms to save her heart

"But I must dissemble. I must not acknowledge Vivian, for that would be to condemn my granddaughter and her husband. And surely they must be honest in declaring their disbelief in her. Loraine was to proud for such a six, and Paul Vane was too godly. What Loraine was to proud for such a sin, and Paul Vane was too godly. What grand sermons he used to preach in Forest Church! The new rector does not do half as well. Ah, I wish all these terrible happenings could fade away like a dreadful dream, and I could wake and find myself in Forest Church with Paul Vane reading the litany from the high pulpit, and Vivian sitting near, with the sunshine on her white dress and golden head!" she sighed to herself every day; and only Heaven knew how many years she shed, or how many prayers she offered up that the tangled web of fate might be made straight and smooth again.

"I do not believe that with Paul and Loraine."

"Annie Seasholtz told me that Gordon Hall has haunted Rose Villa for months. You remember the man, Mrs. Lisle? I always thought he had an evil nature. He

worshiped Loraine, and she coquetted with him, as she did with many others, only to laugh him to scorn. He tried

man still follows Lorame—that she had-a private interview with him the even-ing before she disappeared so strangely from the villa. The suspicion is strong upon me that Loraine used her power over Gordon Hall to induce him to steal

little Star and make away with her in some mysterious fashion."
"Could Loraine really be so wicked?" asked the tremulous old voice, wonder-

So when Annie Seasnottz toda about the disappearance of little Star Mrs. Lisle started and caught her breath in agony. Stolen! Vivian's chile—the sole comfort left to her desolate

She made Amer knew, which was but little, after all. Vivian had come to Italy with some friends—a Miss Point that Annie did not know, and two others that she did. They had been friends of Miss Loraine and visitors at Arcady—Mr. Willie Benners and Miss Beryl Meadows. They were married now, and had come abroad on their bridal-tour. With them had the halve Star, and Mrs. Vane had were married now, and had come abroad on their bridal-tour. With them had come the baby Star, and Mrs. Vane had brought it to Rose Villa, but her hus-hand and his second wife had driven her away in seorn. The next morning they were gone, and a few hours later the child was stolen.

"And you knew nothing of their go-ing. Annie? Are you quite, quite sure?"

"And you knew nothing of their go-ing, Annie? Are you quite, quite sure?"
"My mistress had told me that she wanted her trunks packed, as she would go to 'Switzerland soon'. But, dear, I hadn't half finished, and she must have done it herself, after I was asleep, so as to get away without me. And my quarter's wages not paid, either," indig-rently.

"I will attend to that, Annie,' said the

he thought with silent wrath of Loraine's guilty career—of her many sins.
How long would God delay her punishment, he wondered.

(To be continued.)

RINGWORM STUBBORN CASE

HEALED BY ZAM-BUK.

But Mrs. Lisle looked at her with piteous eyes, as if wishing that everything she had asserted might prove to be false. Her feeble voice was almost a moan, as she cried:

"Loraine not my grandchild? Loraine an impostor, smuggled into the place of Edgar's child. Where then, is the true heiress of Arcady. What is her mame?"

That is more than I can tell you, madame, for I do not know any more.

"Perhaps you are deceiving me, girl. If you know so much you ought to know more!" cried Mrs. Lisle, impatiently.

"No, Mrs. Lisle, for all the rest was written down in the paper that the man gave Miss Loraine. He only told her a part, and said that she would find the rest in Mr. Lisle's confession—the lady's mame, and all, and the reason for the ore maid!" the gentle old lady observed ith suspicion.

"La, me, but that was mean!" cried Annie Seacholts. Then she continued, a little timidly "Have you got the same bluter, Mrs. Lisle?

"Yes, John Howard is still here, Annie." No, in dead, child! Why, what are you bushand."

"So, indeed, child! Why, what are you bushand."

"Is a maxing for you to come back." Well, he is a clever fellow, and will make you a good husband."

"I hank you, ma am," with a shy little courtesy, "If you are done with me may back of what did my—what did for a part, and said that she would find the rapart, and said that she would find the down in the paper that the man gave Miss Loraine. He only told her a part, and said that she would find the down anything about it, ma'am." I'd like to go and see the graph of the cortical properties of the paper where the down anything about it, ma'am." I'd like to go and see the down anything about it, ma'am." I'd like to go and see the graph of the paper where the graph of the paper w The most troublesome and obstinate of scalp trouble is ringworm. Mrs. H. dlestone, of 100 Rawdon street, Brant

"Very likely," Mrs. Lisle.
The old lady sighed as if the answer had quite crushed her; but presently she

BIG FOUR PASSENGER TRAIN STRUCK ELECTRIC CAR.

struck electric CAR.

"Perhaps she only hid it," she said, hopefully. "You shall search for the paper, Annie. Begin to-morrow, and never give up the search until you find it."
"But she may have carried it away with her, Mrs. Lisle."
"There is a chance that she did not, and we will act on that chance. To-morrow you will begin the search, Annie. Now, you may go."

Annie courtesied and went. The mistress of Arcady leaned back in her chair with close shut lids, under which big tears trickled down upon her pale, worncheeks.

"Oh, cruel, cruel!" she sighed, indignantly. "Not even to tell me that Edgar was dead! Oh, my boy, my boy, whom I have waited for so long, hoping and praying for your return! You are dead, dead, and I am never to know how you died, nor where your lonely grave is made! Heaven pity me, I have nothing left to live for now! Yes, yes, I have! It is to do what you wished, Edgar—to oust the usurper from her proud place as heiress of Arcady, and find the rightful claimant. Who is to help me The best man I know, the man I hoped Loraine would marry—Colonel Fairlie! I will write him to coine, and tell him all."

STRUCK ELECTRIC CAR.

A Dozen Injured, Two Fatally—Conductor Saw Train Coming and Ordered Car to Stop, But Motorman⊅id Not Obey Signal.

Toledo, Ohio, Feb 15.—Eight people were killed and a dozen injured when a Big Four passenger train struck a Toiedo & Western electric car at the Michigan Central crossing in West To-ledo, to-night. The dead:

James Myers, motorman: Mrs. William Fisher, Roy Fisher, Clarence Beech, Hiram Parker, Mrs. John W. Nelpp and her two sons, Lincoln and Theodore.

The injured included: Mayor Jones and wife, of Sylvania, Ohio; Joe Boehnever, Trilby, fatally; George Bradion, Toledo, fatally.

According to an eye-witness, the conductor stopped at the crossing to flag the car across. Seeing the train coming, he motioned to the motorman to stop, but the signal was either misunderstood or not heeded for the car came ahead and the collision followed.

COMPANY DENIES FRAUD.

in Mutual Reserve Life in the Hands of

nud cold and unkindness somewhere in this wide, cruel world. I look up offen to the sky, almost believing that she is CHAPTER LNIV.

Colonel Fairlie was thinking seriously of sailing for Europe when the letter from Mrs. Lisle reached him. Within twenty-four hours he was in Virginia, driving up the broad main street of Lisle, past the closed rectory, with its tangled, weed-grown garden, past Forest Church with its haunting memories and its lying grave-stone, toward Arcady.

Mutual Reserve Life Is.—Receivers were appointed to-night for the Mutual Reserve Life Isurance Company afrom of Gould & Winstow, and Archibald C. Haynes, President of the Mutual Reserve Life Insurance Company. Each receiver was put under a bond of \$100,000. Mr. Russell and Mr. Haynes qualifying immediately, Mr.

and its lying grave-stone, toward arcady.

"I could think of no one so likely to help me in my trouble as yourself, Colonel Fairlie. You always seemed to me so wise and strong," the sad-eyed old lady said to him as he held her tremulous hand in his firm, sympathetic clasp, and he assured her that he would be giad to serve her in any way.

"I am going to confide a secret to you, Colonel Fairlie, a strange, dark secret," she said, and told him unreserved by all that she had heard from Annie Seasholtz.

"Does it not sound incredible? Ought I to believe this strange tale;" she asked him, nervously.

"I should like to see the girl and question her myself, before I decide," he answered, cautiously. But Annie's honest story impressed him with its truth. It believe her, he said to Mrs. Liske. But I think that Loraine most probably destroyed the paper. Still, it may be as well to keep up the search for it a few days longer. If we can find the man we may learn everything from him. Mrs. Liske, I will attend to it for you, and I think you from my heart for your confidence in me, for through my conversation with the maid I have gained what I believe to be the clue to another mystery."

"Another mystery!" she echoed, in

the maid I have gained what I believe to be the clue to another mystery."

"Another mystery!" she echoed, in alarm.

"You know of the loss of Mrs. Vane's child—Annie told you?" he asked.

"Yes, I know," the old lady answered, flushing at her secret consciousness of her cruel treatment of poor Vivian's letter.

Colonel Fairlie continu.

her cruel treatment of poor Vivian's letter.

Colonel Fairlie continued:

Colonel Fair

M. Kirby, of Chicago, was elected President, and J. N. Spencer, Cleveland, ecretary-Treasurer.



DRUNKEN SAILOR'S ANTICS.

only to laugh him to scorn. He tried to take revenge on her at the time of her marriage by bringing Vivian forward during the honeymoon to blast her happiness. Well, you have heard all that; but Annie Seasholtz tells me that this man still follows Loraine—that she had and Received Fatal Injuries.

Victoria, Feb. 15.—In a spirit of bravado a half-intoxicated sailor at an early hour this morning undertook to walk the telephone wires between two of the 100-foot posts on Government street. When discovered in mid-air by the police, who were attracted by the man's singing, an alarm was turned in for the fire brigade, who spread the fire escape nets in order to save the man's life should he fall. He, however, made the trip all right and had descended to within 25 feet of the pavement when he missed his footing and fell with a crash on the sidewalk, fracturing his skull, with the result that he died a few hours later at the hospital.

Halton Liberals haye nominated Mr. R. D. Warren, editor of The Georgetown levels for the Levelsture. asked the tremulous out voice, ingly.

"I could tell you of many wicked things that she has done," Colonel Fairlie answered, with flashing eyes; then he paused in pity for her feeings. She had reared this wicked girl, Possibly she still cherished some affect on for her, and while there remained a single doubt, if Loraine were really her granddaughter

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G. T. R. SANITARIUM.

Property on Gull Lake Has Been Pur-

Toronto, Feb. 17.—It is rumored that officials of the Grand Trunk Railway Company intend to erect a large sani-tarium on the shore of Gull Lake, near Gravenhurst, in the near future, where persons suffering from tuberculosis will be given the most up-to-date treatment. The sanitarium will be modelled after the institutes at Battle Creek and Mount Clemens, Mich. Officials of the Grand Trunk Railway visited Gravenhurst a few months ago, and since that time the company has purchased several blocks of land on Gull Lake. The lake, which is only a few miles from Gravenhurst, will be beautified in every way, and a model resort for consumptives will be laid out. Gravenhurst, in the near future, where

JANUARY LAKE LEVEL.

Lake Ontario Shows Highest Stage in Twenty-two Years.

rding to the report of the Unit-According to the report of the Unit-ed States Lake Survey the stage of the water for Ontario for January was 246.73 feet above tide water, New York. Lake Ontario was nearly three feet higher than in January, 1896, three and a half inches higher than last year, and eighteen and one-half inches higher than the average January stage

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inches lower than i stage in twenty-two years. With heav ice in the St. Lawrence River to chec the outflow, the coming season should show exceptionally high water for this

ALMOST VICTIM OF COAL GAS. Family of Rev. N. B. Topping Have Narrow Escape.

the institutes at Battle Creek and Mount Clemens, Mich. Officials of the Grand Trunk Railway visited Gravenhurst a few months ago, and since that time the company has purchased several blocks of land on Gull Lake. The lake, which is only a few miles from Gravenhurst, will be beautified in every way, and a model resort for consumptives will be laid out. It is also stated that the Gravenhurst station will be moved from its present location to a site near the proposed sanitarium.

THE COWBOY BARONET.

Montreal Man Mistaken for Him on Steamer Celtic.

London, Feb. 16.—Mr. H. E. Cave-Brown-Cave, of Montreal, who was a passenger on the Celtic, has been mistaken for Sir Genille Cave-Brown-Cave, the missing cowboy-baronet. In an interview he laughingly disclaimed the honor, and said he did not know the whereabouts of his cousin On the Celtic has received reverent attention from a passenger who had read glittering stories about the wandering baronet and the untold millions he was coming home to inherit.

Narrow Escape.

Smith's Falls, Feb. 15.—The family of Rev. N. B. Topping, of Perth, had a narrow sescape from asphyxiation by coal das we mights ago. Mrs. Topping and one of her daughters awakened about the same time. Miss Topping and one of her daughters awakened about the same time. Miss Topping and one of her daughters awakened about the same time. Miss Topping and one of her daughters awakened about the same time. Miss Topping and one of her daughters awakened about the same time. Miss Topping and one of her daughters awakened about the same time. Miss Topping and one of her daughters awakened about the same time. Miss Topping and one of her daughters awakened about the same time. Miss Topping and one of her daughters awakened about the same time. Miss Topping and one of her daughters awakened about the same time. Miss Topping and one of her daughters awakened about the same time. Miss Topping and one of her daughters awakened about the same time. Miss Topping and one of her daughters awakened about the same time. M Smith's Falls, Feb. 15 .- The family of

Woodstock, Feb. 16 .-- While his father Wm. Gerrie, was lying dead and await-ing burial, the son, David Gerrie, a prom-inent young farmer, who resided at Gov-ernor's road, three miles north of Ingersoll, passed away yesterday mornin The cause of death was blood-poisonin which is said to have originated from

The Winnipeg Police Commission has decided to ease off in the enforcement of the Lord's Day Act, and in future prosecutions will be made for only the more flagrant infractions.

FOUR MEN ARRESTED.

Kingston, Feb. 16 .- Late last night

onely places by young men and at time ecosted by strangers, so that few have been willing for some time to go out of the streets alone.

EIGHTY THOUSAND IDLE. Distress Becoming Acute in Berlin-Socialists Demand Relief.

Berlin, Feb. 15.- More than 80,000 Berlin, Feb. 15.— More than 80.00 workingmen in this city are withou employment, and a council of minister was held a few days ago to provid measures for their relief. The Social istic party in the Reichstag is very in sistent that something shall be done, an the Ministry had to face the situation No practical conclusions were reached.

BIG SCOTCH FAILURE.

Had Contracts for Street Railways in Athens and Moscow

London, Feb. 16.-The firm of Br Co., Peebles, Scotland, ha Among its current contracts are tho for the building of the great dock : Shanghai and a street railway syste

Shanghai and a street railway system at Athens.

It also lately contracted to construct a street railway system at Moscow, the amount involved being \$10,000,000.

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Financial Items.

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week in the United States, as reported by R. G. Dun & Co., are 336 against 356 last week, 418 the preceding week and 229 the corresponding week last year. Failures in Canada number 38 against 48 last week, 38 the preceding week and 28 last year. Of failures this week in the United States, 125 were in the East, 103 South, 73 West, and 35 in the Pacific States, and 136 report liathe Pacific States, and 136 report lia-bilities of \$5,000 or more against 124 last week. Liabilities of commercial faihures thus far reported for Feburary are \$6.628.782, against \$2,264.649 for the same period the previous year. New York, Feb. 15 .- On the Stock

New York, Feb. 15.—On the Stock Exchange during the week there were a number of important fluctuations which contributed more or less activity in special stocks, but a comparatively quiet market in others. The recent panic, however, is gradually becoming a matter of history, and its effects in the financial district are disappearing by degrees. Confidence has certainly recovered considerably, and the money market has settled down into more normal conditions. Loanable funds on good collateral are plentiful, and good borrowers find no difficulty in securing all the accommodation they need at comparatively low rates.

The relief developed in the

Tow rates.
The relief developed in the money arket has been the result of unimped-l workings of natural forces. In the ock market a fair degree of activity revails. Transactions were somewhat mited by the holiday; also by the dis-osition to await results of the city more favorable than at the time plentiful, but confidence is stronger and -3.000 barrels selfing; market firm, with good demand at last quotations.

M. Isaacs & Sons/ Limited, London, cabled:—Baldwins, 15s to 20s; Greenings, 15s to 20s; Spies, 16s to 22s; bet-

Following are the closing quotations in Winnipeg grain futures to-day: Wheat-Feb. \$1.04-1-4 bid, May \$1.08-Stocks and Bonds (From A. E. Carpenter, Stock Broker,

102 King street east.)
New York, Feb. 17.—The market durng the morning dragged lower under oferings from London and influential local The New York banks gained \$396,000 hrough sub-Treasury operations on riday. interests, with the best buying in Nor. Pac., U. P., and Smelters. The Govern-ment rebate case against So, Pac, and talk of Atch. difficulties in the same di-General cutting of wages in New Eng-land cotton mills expected.

Pennsylvania in Jonuary reduced pay rolls east of Pittsburg, 81,500,000.

Bradstreet's says conservation and caution and buying small and frequent rather than in larger volume.

Dan's Review says reports are still irregular, some setions recovering much more rapidly than others. reduced pay rection were effective influences. A di-500,000. ed as stating that affairs would improve it there was certainty as to exact extent of knowledge of the administration relative as to dates. The Copper situation continues unsatisfactory, with prices tending lower, and foreign statistics show mereased stocks. It is reported that our electrical concerns have recently taken foreign orders for supplies valued at five millions, but the large local consumers of copper"metal have no incentive to load up under present conditions. Some interests say the city bonds should have brought a better price, and the discrimination against collateral and scrutinizing of credits now clearly in evidence is an item of moment. There was heavy selling of Inter-Met, bonds, The October statement of Mo, Pac, shows net decrease of \$228,500. The January ed as stating that affairs would improve 10 25 Could Rocks, A petition for a winding-up order 7 25 A petition for a winding-up order 8 35 against the Larder-Lake Proprietary 9 25 Goldfields, Limited, has been filed by 0 30 Mr. Thomas Henry Brooks, a creditor net decrease of \$328,500. The January stagment of foreign trade is excellent, with a sharp falling off of imports, ac-ompanied by notable increase in exports. —Emuns & Stomeni

| INDUSTRIALS. | American Care Foundry | 257a | American Cotton Uli | 255a | American Locomotive | 415 | American Locomotive | 415 | American Steel Foundries | 415a | American Steel Foundries | 415a | American Woollen | 157a | American Woollen | 157a | American Woollen | 157a | 257a | 257 Dun's Report.

Industrial plants steadily decrease the percentage of idle machinery, especially in the steel business, which increases the size of pay rolls, and by raising the purchasing power of the wage earner improves retail trade. Thus far progress is slow in whole-ale and jobbing departments, but as retail stocks are depleted there is more disposition to place orders for spring goods. Reports are still irregular, some sections of the country recovering much more rapidly than oth

OVER THE DIVIDE.

Death of Mrs. Miles--Other Deaths and Funerals.

end of this city, passed away on Satur-day afternoon at her late residence, 447 day afternoon at her late residence, 447 Catharine street north. For the past 35 years she had been identified with life in Hamilton, and has been a member of Simcoe Street Methodist Church since its inception, and was an ardent worker in its many societies. She was the president of the Women's Missionary Society, in which she held a life membership, and was also president of the Ladies' Aid Society. She is survived by five sons and one daughter. They are: Geo. F., of Society. She is survived by five sons and one daughter. They are: Geo. F., of Columbus, Ohio; Robt. J., of Indianapolis, Ind.; Chas. E., of Bremerton, Wash.; W. H. and T. Francis, of this city, and Clara E., of Beaver Falls, Pa. Deceased lent Society and Concord Circle, Compan ions of the Forest. The funeral take place on Tuesday at 2.30 p. m.

Mrs. Elizabeth Savage passed away of Mrs. Elizabeth Savage passed away on Sunday after a very short illness, with pneumonia, being ill only a few days. She was 75 years of age and had lived here for the past 34 years. She was born in Guelph Township. She was the wife of Edmund Savage, and leaves a grown up family of seven. The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon from her late residence, 282 Main street west.

The funeral of Morley Robinson took place this morning from his late residence, 28 Park street south, to the T., H. & B. station. The remains were taken to Wyndham Centre for service and interment. Rev. F. W. Hollimake conducted the services at the house. The pall-bearers were members of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen. Thomas Jones, died at her residence, 230 Hunter street east, on Sunday afternoon after a brief illness. She leaves three sons, Patrick, of this city; James,

of Woodstock, and Thomas, of this city, and one daughter, Miss Jones, at home. The funeral will take place on Tuesday morning to St. Patrick's Church, thence The funeral of Eddie, the infant son of

was in her 72nd year and leaves three sons, Frank and John, of White Plains, N.Y.; James, of Nevada, and Miss Helen his mother, 394 MacNab street north, to

St. Mary's Cathedral. Father Weidner said mass and Father O'Leary officiated at the grave in Holy Sepulchro Ceme-tery. The pall-bearers were F. Kelly, F.

20% years of age and was a son of Mr. John 110:26 Welsh, of the Post Office,

The funeral of Mrs. William Berry took place from her late residence, L58 Market street, on Saturday afternoon 20% at 2 o'clock. Archdeacon Forneret conducted the obsequies at the house and cemetery. There was an unusually large number of floral tributes from relatives and friends, among them being, gates ajar, from the family; wreath, mount-ed on easel, from Trades and Labor Council; wreath, Northern Roller Rink 16935 Council; wreath, Northern Roller Rink
Co., Barrie; wreath, Meadows Wire Co.
employees, Toronto; wreath, Pressmen's
Union; basket, Frank E. Walker. The
pall-bearers were Messrs. Walter R.
Rollo, Alf. W. Wilkes, W. Murdoch,
Thos. Bradley, Alex. Henderson and
Wm. Vedder.
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The funeral of Miss Bella Henry took place from the residence of her brothersin-law Mr, Wm. McCurdy, 28 Wellington street north, on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Rev. Dr. Tovell conducted the services. The pall-bearers were Messrs, John and Richard Henry, William Smith. James Miller, Charles Morrow and William Connell. The interment was in Hamilton Cemetery.

Mrs. Aaron Bradford, 565 John street north, died on Saturday evening, after a very painful illness of nearly one year. The funeral will be held at two o'clock on Tuesday afternoon at Simcoe Street Methodist Church. She leaves to mourn her departure a lussband, four sons, Stephen, of Toronto; Albert and Arthur, of this city, and William, of Or-illia, and two daughters, Misses Beatrice and Eleanor, residing at home.

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Mrs. Hand (Grimsby), Frank and Mrs. Hand (Grimsby), Oliver and Mrs. Pasel, Mrs. Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Friday, Irene Harper; sheaf of wheat, Mrs. Alice Doyle; spiritual bouquets, Miss Maggie Roach, Miss Mary Williamson and Frank O'Neil.

Mrs. Elizabeth Miles, one of the most widely known residents of the north end of this city, passed away on Saturday afternoon at her late residence, 447 Catharine street north. For the past 35 years she had been identified with life lates of the control of this city, passed away on Saturday afternoon. Deceased was 32 years of age, and was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William S. Almas. She leaves a husband, one years she had been identified with life lates and one daughter, Gladys. The function of the most of the most street, after a brief illness of four hours' duration. Yesterday afternoon at the late residence, 447 so that the lates of the most street, after a brief illness of four hours' duration. Yesterday afternoon. Because duration was a daughter of Mrs. Cecilia Taylor died at her home, 38 Steven street, after a brief illness of four hours' duration. Yesterday afternoon. Because duration was a daughter of Mrs. Cecilia Taylor died at her home, 38 Steven street, after a brief illness of four hours' duration. Yesterday afternoon duration was a daughter of Mrs. Cecilia Taylor died at her home, 38 Steven street, after a brief illness of four hours' duration. Yesterday afternoon duration was a daughter of Mrs. and Mrs. Cecilia Taylor died at her home, 38 Steven street, after a brief illness of four hours' duration. Yesterday afternoon duration was a daughter of Mrs. and Mrs. Cecilia Taylor died at her home, 38 Steven street, after a brief illness of four hours' duration. Yesterday afternoon duration was a daughter of Mrs. and Mrs. Cecilia Taylor died at her home, 38 Steven street, after a brief illness of four hours' duration. Yesterday afternoon her hours' duration was a daughter of Mrs. and Mrs. All was a daughter of Mrs. and Mr funeral will take place on Tuesday at

> The funeral of Mrs. Bennett took place at Carlisle yesterday afternoon, and was very largely attended. Rev. Mr. Morris conducted the services at the Carlisle Methodist Church, and also at the burying ground. The pallbearers were five sons and one grandson.

A LARGE MEETING.

Rev. John Young on Temperance, In Wesley Church.

At a recent meeting of the Ministerial Association it was suggested that the Central Temperance Executive would do well to hold a meeting occasionally in city churches after the evening service. Accordingly the meeting of last evening t stereopticon affair, the platform did not afford the necessary facilities, and recourse was had to the Sunday school, which was so crowded that adjoining rooms had to be opened. T. S. Morris presided. T. J. Shanks led in the open-ing prayer. H. A. Martin led the congregational singing. A vocal solo was given by Miss Annie Sutherland, and an anthem by the choir, including a solo by Mr. Garthwaite. Woodstock, and Thomas, of this city,

Rev. John Young, pastor of St. John Presbyterian Church. He based his rerrespection three sets of slides, each telling a temperance story. In the first a young carpenter was becoming unsteady, and falling under the craving for liquor, when, yielding to the influence of a little

norths, from the beginning of November till the end of February, hence that of next Sunday evening will be the last for the season. It will be held in Associa-tion Hall, and the attraction will be a ton Hall, and the attraction will be a series of stereopticon cartoons, displayed and commented on by the Rev. T. L. Wil-kinson, including those which he was not permitted to throw upon the screen on a previous occasion.

HOTEL BURNED. Dresden, Ont., Feb. 17.—At 2 o'clock this morning a big fire broke out in the second storey of the Clifford Hotel, corner Main and St. George streets, and completely gutted the building. The occupants had barely time to escape, and everything was destroyed. The cause of the fire is unknown. The insurance is said to be \$5,000 on the building and \$2,500 on the contents.

Biddeford, Me., Feb. 17.—The cotton mills of the Pepperill Mfg. Co., of this city, and of the York Mfg. Co., in Saco, went back on to full time to-day. About 6000 corrections are affected.

FULL TIME AGAIN.

FALL OF HOUSES. Pittsburg, Feb. 17.—Two brick houses at 22 and 24 Pennsylvania avenue, weak-ened by the high water, collapsed early to-day. One man was injured and fifteen others narrowly escaped being crushed

GOT A CALL. Belleville, Ont., Feb. 17.—Rev. J. A. Hilts, of Arnprior, has been called to the pastorate of Victoria Avenue Baptist Church, of this city, and has signified his acceptance. He is 31 years old, married, and a graduate of McMaster University

nium; San Francisco, \$1 premium

THE HAMILTON TIMES

MONDAY, FEB. 17, 1908

OTTAWA'S FUTURE. The Ottawa Journal is trying to solv the problem as to whether Ottawa should be content to remain merely the political capital of the country, or if she industrial and commercial centre. With this object in view the Journal sent a special commissioner to Hamilton to trially. It devoted over a page to this Hamilton for factory sites, the means very fairly summed up the whole situader several heads, such as Does Ottawa she wants them? If so, are the city to undertake the necessary work to get If we understand the matt aright, the people of Ottawa are not should go after factories and other in the growth and prosperity of the city should do her best to extend her borders ent of her position as the capital of the npatible with her being a big manu facturing centre as well as the Capita city and the Washington of the North Others again have an idea that Ottawa mercialism or money making. That she should be not only the political, but the ters to less favored cities. Well, we ad of opinion here. Factories, of course Business would increase. But there more people to share the in crease. Then Ottawa is comparatively m the foreign element, and with its influence would come conditions with a large factory class, the danger

leave Toronto in the rear. DON'T BLAME THE POLICE.

It is of no avail for Mayor Stewart laws as they are framed by the Council. The police should know no man in per ed. and it has every co forming their duty, and when they see a by-law of the corporation violated, the Herald, instead of seeking to make it one course open to them is to take action according to the terms of the by-Liberals from Mr. Borden's Halifax platlaw. An oppressive and annoying snow form (which, by the way, appears to by-law leads the Mayor to suggest that have been hidden in the party woodaround and warn them, and give them regulation-not o a certain number of hours' grace, beyond

day, the suggestion that the police warn ship and operation. result in less unpleasantness; doubtles less ones to be notified by an officer than to be hauled into court. But there tice it would prove fatal to the efficiency of the by-law as a measure to ensure an sidewalks.

When the period of immunity the aldermen. under the by-law arrived, scores and a work is surely enough to stagger the pipe-laying. e in contemplation. To say nothing of the immediate effect of such a paravastly magnify the work of official that the yearly money cost to the people

warning, as suggested. And there is of the United States growing out of the another view not to be neglected, in considering the matter. To say that nearly ducts by the rodents amounts to the all the residents on a certain street who cnormous sum of \$100,000,000. get up early and toilsomely remove the after a fall, should then be forced to not allowing the grass to grow under wade through snow or slush on the side- his feet. He has wires out in all direclimit of the time given by the by-law for the removal of the snow, but for an aides are busy digging up awful examas will carry out the purpose thereof, develop backbone?

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a question of time when she will the community. Liberalism looks to those who ignore it should not be sum-shed), would be better employed in ex moned, but that the police should go plaining how a policy of Government

-could be reconc I d with Borden's platwhat the by-law specifies, before exer. form declarations, so warmly welcomed cising their functions, as they would in by the Toronto World and its ilk, as an As the Times pointed out the other out and out advocate of public owner

EDITORIAL NOTES.

his own valuation and concluded that the remedial effect of the proposal ends. his room was preferable to his company.

Of course the insurance agents may think that the City Hall is a hazardou risk, when they consider the red-hot Pause to think what the proposal speeches and fiery oratory of some of

ndreds of householders in all parts of Now there is a demand for another the city would have to be visited, and inspector-an inspector of morality. How have notices served upon them; and if would it do to combine the offices of they neglected further the removal of morality inspector and plumbing inspec obliged to again make the rounds. Such hint to those who are doing a much

With a view to get rid of the buboni lyzing amendment on the snow by law, plague, the San Francisco health autho the remoter effect would be to educate ities are paying fifty cents a head for the public to a laxity in snow removal female rats and twenty-five cents for that would be almost equivalent to the males, and rat-hunting is now an es repeal of the by-law, and would, at least, tablished industry there. It is stated

snow from their sidewalks, immediately . That would be plumbing inspector is walks opposite the property of a few careless or dilatory ones, not only to the —with a capital P. Keep your eye open extension of time beyond that, for "official warning," is not a proposition that ing inspector. And the would be official smacks of justice toward the people is sure to the extent of a fat salary who make an honest effort to comply that the ratepayers urgently need him with the law, and to do it in such a way Will pull succeed? Or will the aldermen

pleted their probationary periods 81 per cent. of juveniles and 67 per cent. of adults had improved in conduct. It is

OUR EXCHANGES

Where the Saloons Are. (Charleston News and Courier.) In Augusta, Gt., rents are proportion-ed to distance of houses from North

Gibson at Brantford Banquet. (Brantford Courier.)

Hon. Mr. Gibson was in a very happy nood, and although he described him-led as "politically defunct," he is most lecidedly not that when it comes to an after dinner oration. His remarks were happily conceived and delivered.

(Toronto Globe.)

reside are the most antagonistic to ach other that can be found in Ontario

Provide Employment.

The Federal, Provincial and municipal The Federai, Provincial and municipal Governments may at this time fairly be asked to undertake and proceed with necessary public works. The proper time to push such enterprises is when private industry is suffering from depression. This is one way to solve the unemployed problem.

A LITTLE SEED.

ts only a tiny thing.
All dry and hard indeed,
But wonderful secrets hide away
In the heart of a little Seed.

When we hold it to the ear,
We cannot hear a sound,
And yet within this crinkled shell,
Are life and beauty found.

There are wee brown restlets there, And shining leaves of green, And beautiful slender, graceful stems, And flowers to please a queen. Do you think it is not true? Well! Plant a seed and see. Then day by day with wonder The lovely mystery.

DEVELOPING LAW.

Report of the Railway Commission of Canada.

(Montreal Gazette). The report for the fiscal year ending with March 31 last of the Board Railway Commissioners of can ada contains some interesting state-ments showing the working out of the Railway Act and its amendments under the direction of the commissioners. In a general way matters brought before the board divide into three with the law, and to do it in such a way as will carry out the purpose thereof, and give comfort to pedestrians.

As it is now, there are far too many localities in the city where, for some reason or other, residents, or those in charge of public institutions, seem to be privileged to ignore the existence of a snow by-law, and where, for extended periods, people who clean their own walks, regularly and early, are forced to tramp through snow, or over ice-hummocks. This has been considerable of a scandal, and has done not a little to bring the snow by-law into greater contempt. The Mayor's proposition, it is to be feared, is eminently calculated to aggrevate this evil, and to incurgreater invidiousness in the by-law's incidence.

The solution of the snow by-law problem is not to be found in that direction. As a matter of right, a household. classes, those between the public, as

contrast with that of their predecessors, or contrast with that of the people's might. Mr. Flavelle, of Toronto, express, ed the hope that our Government would be not borrow a dollar of the people's more in the borrow a dollar of the people's more in the strongly argued that our local funds were all needed for the commercial purpose of the country. That is a view meriting consideration. It is probably true that Provincial and municipal borrowing of local currency has had not a little to do with contributing to produce or intensify the money tightness, which is to get it on reasonable terms, we must make investment secure, and keep good faith with those who conduct the enterprises of our country.

The board found it necessary several

The points, An order 'as made that the railways concerned should reduce passenger rates to 3 cents is mile as the first of a case of the counter which have been formed in this country within the last twenty-five years. Thence he consumptions and any part of the heighter charges in the following cable despatch from Paris: Alarmed at the growth of the delivent of the most mark Fronch as for the most made that the railway to review the following cable despatch from Paris: Alarmed at the growth of the delivent of the most marks twenty-five years. Thence the consumptions and any part of the higher charges it had made on the concerted blocks and the five order nor order the railway to review orders and any part of the higher charges in the following cable despatch from Paris: Alarmed at the growth of the Alarmed at the growth of

times to point out that it is not in the on the ordinary sense a court of law, and could paris count undertake to remedy grievances any oth arising from alleged over-charges, and that if parties had a right to relief they must seek it in the courts. Neither can it give compensation to parties for de-lays in forwarding traffic. The board Toronto Commercial Traveller Found

of rural life, he filled his knapsaci and decamped via a Grand Trun freight train. 'Arriving at Stratfor the boy attempted to leave the trai while it was moving at the station an in so doing fell underneath the cars Conductor Hayne, who stood on the platform of the caboose, is authorit, for the statement that at least eigh cars passed over the boy. When the trained of the feed with supervised from vice cars passed over the boy. When the tail end of the freight disappeared from yiew the precocious Eli slowly rose from his crouching position and with merely a sprained arkie made a hasty retreat. He was captured by the station officials and arraigned in police court on a charge of vagrancy. He was remanded to jail.

Discarded.

We have discarded our old prices to suit the occasion. Working shirts 35c, cashmere socks 19c, working pants 81, overalls 50c, oil clothing, rubber boots and shoes at cost.—M. Kennedy, 240 James street north

Tuesday, Feb. 18 1908

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Women's Skirts \$3.50

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COMFORTERS—Full double bed size, worth \$3.00, filled re cotton batting, silkoline covered, on sale for, each \$1.95
BLANKETS—Pure Wool Blankets, 66x68 and 64x84, 7
and 8-lb, weight, fast colored borders, worth \$7.00, for
\$5.50, \$6.30, for
TABLE COVERS—Splendid quality of Tapestry Table
Covers, in a great variety of colors and designs, worth
\$2.95 to \$3.50, on sale for
\$1.95

Samples of Flannelette Underwear on Sale at Half Price

Gowns, Drawers, Corset Covers, etc., white and coled, trimmed with torchon lace and embroidery, 35c, 120c; 50c for 25c; 90c for 4

Silk Waists Worth Up to \$4.50 for \$1.95 A grouping of Japanese, China and Louisine Waists, nearly all samples, and beautifully gotten with emboridery and lace trimmings, tucked and plea open back and front, \$3.50 to \$4.50 values ... \$1

Children's Dresses at \$1.95

Made of Cashmere and Mohair, navy, cardinal mixed colors, sizes 5 to 9 years, worth up to \$3 sale for, each

Dressing Sacks at \$1.25 Worth \$2.00 A splendid lot of them in fancy and plain color of good quality of eiderdown, wide collars and full worth \$2.00 and \$2.25, for

Staple Department Bargains

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Flannel Shirtings on Sale

English Flannel Shirtings, light and dark stripe checks, on sale at the following cut prices: 29c for 35c for 25c, 50c for

Plants, like men, are obliged to get rid even of those well acquain rend were and westand westand westcannot assimilate. These residues reach in tea plants they are alkabolids, and are into tin the integrated and could and could and could grievances on the system. Nevertheless, feminine and could ray other hour that it feels like it, and regioning with the lines; and to drink tea.

GAS WAS TURNED ON.

Dead in His Bed.

in Mississippi.

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at Moyamensing prison to-day, having John Moore's fame was pub committed suicide by hanging himself with strips of bed clothing to the bars of his cell.

NOVELS.

All novel writing is a fake, This product of the brain doth take Responsibly—our thoughts from God, Which he requires so through His word.

seeks to draw far from the mind All thoughts of God, for those inclin ho wish a future happy day, Where pain and sorrow never stay.

t only whiles the time away, Whilst man's rule on this earth doth sway jiverts his thoughts from Christ alone, Whose blood can for his sin atone.

It seeks to charm the human mind, Of some that's thoughtlessly incline Those who do write them, it is clear For money, their thoughts inscribed, mes 'tis fiction based on facts, he real truth is not exact, best it is an alluring plan o draw away God's thoughts from man.

Some write with a poetic strain, Ficticulous stories to obtain A little of this world's wealth By either honesty or stealth. Poor man, to this chief end, was born To glorify and God adorn With truth that's frue, about His son, Who victory by His death hath won.

Hamilton, Canada, Feb. 14, 1908.

SIR JOHN MOORE In New York at the Time of the Revol-

The purchase and preservation Fraunces Tavern by the Society of Sons of the Revolution constitute on the most notable of the achievement the hereditary patriotic associat which have been formed in this coun within the last twenty-five years. To organizations have done much to diff

As his corse to the rampart we hur-

Dead in His Bed.

Toronto, Feb. 17.—In his room at a queen street east hotel at noon yesterdard appreciation of this position and of others set out may tend somewhat to lessen the number of appears to the board, by enabling parties with grievances to understand beforehand what position is likely to be taken in regard to them.

CARS PASSED OVER BOY,

Who Emerges Unscathed—A Runaway's Adventure.

Stratford, Feb. 16.—To lie beneath the rails near the Grand Trunk station here while eight cars thundered by was it, the unique experience of Eli Diou, a 1st, the unique experience of Eli Diou, a 1st year-old lad of Penetang, who has recently, been released from St. John's Inductional transportation of the bottle hadron seen from the react of the Duke of Hamilton's regiment to the proprietor of the hotel had not seen Fuller, and he had not seen Fuller. And he had not seen full transport of the hotel had not seen Fuller. And he had not seen full transport of the British combination in Eli Dune distribution is likely to be taken in re

A PRISONER'S SUICIDE.

Karl Rapp, Arrested After Ten Years' Hunt, Hanged Himself.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 15.—After being pursued for more than ten years by detectives, the search taking them three times around the world, Karl Rapp, who was being held here to await a further hearing, charged with setting fire to a factory and dwelling in Rosswag, Germany, in 1898, was found dead in his cell

The poem which has perpetuated Sir PHONE 348

been quoted and eulogized in educational works on rhetoric and English literature as a perfect model of elegiac poetry. Wolfe's poem has served, as far as any poem can, to immortalize its subject in the memories of men, it has made the name of Sir John Moore known to hundreds and thousands of persons to whom otherwise that name known to hundreds and thousands of persons to whom otherwise that name would have been as unfamiliar as are those of hundreds of gallant officers who served their country as bravely and as well; and it has created an interest in his character which leads us to wish that the Sons of the Revolution would discover and mark the location of the coffee house in New York where he and his brother met in the dark days of 1781.—N. Y. Sun.

"Hark!" exclaimed the man. "Per-

"Hark" exclaimed the man. "Pe hap, it is Opportunity knocking; suggested his wife. But **u**pon in vestigation the man disc**cve**red tha

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THE AWFUL **SWEATSHOPS**

PATHETIC PLEA OF PRIEST FOI THE POOR WORKERS.

How They Work and Live in the East End of London-Bill in the House of Commons-Box and Cox in Real Life

London, Feb. 17 -- Rev. Father Bernard Vaughan, a brother of the late Cardinal Vaughan, preaching in the Jesuit Church here yesterday, during the course of a powerful plea in behalf of the bill which will come before the House of Commons this week against "commons to the below the before the House of Commons

will come before the House of Commons this week against "sweatshops," gave a graphic illustration of the manner in which the poor workers in the east end of London are compelled to live.

In a small room, he said, that ought to be occupied by no more than two persons, there were twelve machines working all day and late in the evening. Then the machines were removed and straw mattresses laid on the floor, men being admitted to sleep. At 2.30 in the morning the men were turned into the streets and the room re-let to another set of sleepers, who were also driven out at 6.30 a, m. on the return of the machine workers.

WORK IN CEYLON.

Missionary From That Island Preached Here Yesterday.

Rev. Giles G. Brown, a Congregationa missionary who is home on furlough from Ceylon, occupied the pulpit in the First Ceylon, occupied the pulpit in the First Congregational Church yesterday morning, and preached to a large congregation. His story was a simple one and plainly told of the needs and conditions for the Christianization os the Island of Ceylon. In his capacity as missionary, he has won his way into the heart of the dark-skinned man of that region, and has found him to be true as steel. He is, of course, a hard man to deal with, as his religion differs greatly from the Christians, and it takes some time before he can see the light of civilized the work as like the clearing of the jungle. It is slow, but it is nevertheless sure in its results, and every missionary sure in its results, and every missionar on the island has reason to reel encouraged at the good work that, is being
accomplished. In bringing the people of
Ceylon to see the religion of Jesus Christ
in its right light, the missionaries are,
at the same time, raising them to higher life of usefulness. Mr. Brown gave ser life of usefulness. Mr. Brown gave several incidents of his life as a missionary in that country, and spoke enthusiastically of the country and its life. The brown was of the island. The brown man of the island,

FEAST OF BLOSSOMS.

Contracts Awarded By the Daughters of the Empire.

At the meeting of the combined Chap ters of the Daughters of the Empire, held in the Board of Trade rooms on Saturday morning, Mrs. P. D. Crerar presided. The estimates for the Fesst of Blossons were received and the work was let to the following: Carpeatry, P. E. Rousell: electric light decorating and wiring. Porter & Broad. Many of the merchants have donated goods for the use of the different chapters. Lucas, Steele & Bristol will look after the supply of tea and coffee: Laing & Son the chocolate; The Bight House, the flower decorations; Stanley Mill's & Co., the Japanese lanterus and umbrellas; R. McKay & Co., the decorations for St. Cecilia and St. Hilda Chapters.

There was some discussion over the west for each for each of the company of the standard decoration over the west for each for ters of the Daughters of the Empire

for urgent cases that are repo

SOME STATISTICS

Given by Catholic Directory Published In Chicago.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 17.-Advance sheets of the Official Catholic Directory published by the M. H. Wiltzius Co., Milwaukee, Wis., give the following statistics regarding the Hamilton diocese; Population (Catholic) about 55,000. bishop, I; clergy, 67; churches, 64; celleges and academies, 4; schools, 51; children attending, 5,400; orphan asylums, 3; orphans, 197; charitable institutions, 5.

ST. KITTS' NEWS.

Merchant Dead—Power Station—Girl Found—Repairing Vessels.

St. Catharines, Feb. 17.—(Special—Archibald Wilson, one of the city's oldest grocers, passed away last evening, aged about sixty years, Deceadal—Archibald Wilson, one of the city's oldest grocers, passed away last evening, aged about sixty years, Deceadal—Water Archibald Wilson, one of the city's oldest grocers, passed away last evening, aged about sixty years, Deceadal—Archibald wilson, one of the city's oldest grocers, passed away last evening, aged about sixty years, Deceadal—Archibald wilson, one of the city's oldest grocers, passed away last evening, aged about sixty years, Deceadal—Archibald wilson, one of the city's oldest grocers, passed away last evening, aged about sixty years, Deceadal—Archibald wilson, one of the city's oldest grocers, passed away last evening, aged about sixty years, Deceadal—Archibald wilson, one of the city's oldest grocers, passed away last evening, aged about sixty years, Deceadal—Archibald wilson, one of the city's oldest grocers, passed away last evening, aged about sixty years, Deceadal—Archibald wilson, one of the city's oldest grocers, passed away last evening, aged about sixty years, Deceadal—Archibald wilson, one of the city's oldest grocers, passed away last evening, aged about sixty years, Deceadal—Archibald wilson, one of the city's oldest grocers, passed away last evening, aged about sixty years, Deceadal—Archibald wilson, one of the city's oldest grocers, passed away last evening aged about sixty years, Deceadal—Archibald wilson on the city and the city a of the Official Catholic Directory published by the M. H. Wiltzius Co., Milliance receipted botel bills of

grocers, passed away last evening, aged about sixty years. Deceased was a about sixty years. Deceased was a native of St. Catharines, and in early life followed the occupation of a miller. He is survived by a widow, one son. Frank, who succeeded him in business, and three daughters, Mrs. A. I. Smith, of this city, and two residing in Winniness.

of this city, and two residing in Winnipeg.

The new N. S. & L. R. power station at the junction of the main line and the Welland division at Thorid has been completed and will be in operation to-morrow. It will carry 1,000 horse power, The electrical energy for all the company's fines will shortly be supplied entirely by the Electrical Development Company of Niagara Falls.

Martha Thompson, a young woman, formerly employed as a domestic in the family of A. S. Woodruff, this city, and who disappeared so mysteriously some weeks ago, has been located in Buffalo, where she is living with relatives of her mother.

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The Niagara, St. Catharines & Toronto Navigation Company to-day put a staff of workmen on the steamers Lakeside and Garden City to fit them out for the opening of navigation. Extensive im-provements will be made in both steam-ers.

Notice of the incorporation of a limited company to carry on a Synagogue at London is given in the Ontario Gasette.



MRS. GEORGE H. BROOKE, OF PHILADELPHIA.

Her marriage was very quiet, only the immediate relatives attending the ceremony, which was performed by the Rev. Charles E. St. John. Mr. and Mrs. Brooke will spend their honeymoon in Europe. Pefore her marriage Mrs. Brooke was Mrs. Marie Gregg Robb.

an article referring to the date of Capt, Webb's attempt to swim the rapids at Niagara. I beg to say the date was July 24th, 1883. Yours truly, Marion Munro, 150 Aberdeen avenue.

The Times this morning hunted up a file of the issue of July 25th, 1883, and there found a report of the attempt of Capt. Webb to swim the whirlpool the previous day, which settles the contro-versy in favor of July 24th, 1883.

DEEP SYMPATHY

Of Glanford Council to Family of

Late Thomas Bell.

At a special meeting of the Counil of the Township of Glafford on

Saturday, the following resolution

was passed, and after being signed

TRANSFERS FIXED.

Rev. Manley Benson Will Go to St. Catharines.

St. Catharines, Feb. 16.—Satisfactory arrangements have been made by which Rev. Dr. Manley Benson, no stationed at Perth, Ont., will come to Welland Avenue Methodist Church here, next July, to succeed Rev. D. A. Moir, the present pastor, who goes to Morrison street, Niagara Falls. Rev. Mr. Richardson, of Port Dover,

has accepted a call to Dr. Benson's pres-ent church at Perth, and this allows the transfer of Dr. Benson to Hamilton Conown gave as a misspoke en and its he island, at to deal to dea

SELF CONTROL.

Sermon to Young People by Rev. R. Whiting.

Last evening Centenary Church was well filled to hear the sermon by the pastor on "Self Control," preached specially to young people. The young people were well represented, but the older ones were also there and found much of interest in the sermon. Rev. Mr. Whiting gave instances of self-control and lack of self-control, and showed what the unturbed passion could do for a man. In business, in pleasure and in everything you do, he said, control yourself. Speaking of criminals, he said nothing but the lack of self-control was the cause of their downfall. They were as good men as many others, but they could not control the passion to sin as their fellows did. Spreial music was provided by the choir, and an organ recital after the service by W. H. Hew lett was much enjoyed.

WAS IN 1883.

To the Editor of the Times:

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To the Editor of the Times:
Sir,—Typographical erros are as likely to occur in Hayden's Dictionary of Dates and in Whitaker's Almanae as in other-publication. I still stick to it that it was in 1883 that Captain Webb perished widlst attempting to swim the whirlpool at Xingara. Let me state my proof:
I was in Ergland and France in 1883. This trip was taken with some friends, after I had sold my farm and auctioned off my chattlels. I have one of the auction sale bits. It is dated 1883.

SOCIALISTS ARRESTED.

George A Waterdown, Feb. 15th, 1908.



Dr. John H. Fisher, of 18 St. Patrick treet, Toronto, died Saturday after-

IMPRISONED TRUST MEN.

Employees of two Toledo ice com-panies who were last summer con-victed of forming a conspiracy in re-straint of trade, but remained out of juil on a logal technicality. Recently they were rearrested and began serv-ing their terms in the county juil.

Fun for Times Readers

on whose tomb is inscribed: 'He has los his best customer.'"

A Bit of Consolation.

"Don't complain," said Uncle Eben,
"because you has to wok yoh hardest
foh somebody else an' don't seem able
to do much foh yoh own comfort. Dat's
de way it always seems. De bes' rabbit
dog a-runnin' is a failure when it comes
to ketchin' fleas."—Washington Star.

Not At All. Mother-You naughty boy, you've been playing with those Sniff children

Willie-No, I ain't, ma! I've been

The Third Term.

The Third Ferm.
You'd better write a message
As often as you can.
And snuggle up to labor
And whack the wealthy man.
The times are very troublous,
There isn't any doubt;
The Bogy Term won't git you
Ef you
Dou't
Watch
Out.

You'd better thrice refuse it, As Caesar used to do, And make the mooted project More prominent to view; You'd better stick to limelight

And watch what you're about, he Bogy Term won't git you Ef you

Don't Watch

And then to clinch the matter
When it is getting libt,
Just travel to Chicago
And be right en the spot,
That vigilant procedure
Will raise a joyful shout—
The Bogy Term won't git you
Ef you
Don't
Watch

Watch

(New York Sun.) (From "King John," Act. II., Scene II.) Here's a large mouth, indeed, That spits forth death, and mountains,

As maids of thirteen do of puppy dogs! What cannoneer begot this lusty blood? He speaks plain cannon, fire and smoke

He gives the bastinado with his tongue;

The Finish of Muggins.

(From the Somerset Democrat.)
Muggins Fisher, who went to New
York to attend a finishing school, does

Mr. Prides-If your wife had a voice like my wife, what would you do? Mr. Grumpy—Have her tonsils cut.

Wise Old Horse.

He took her sleighing one cold night, And down the snowy way. He asked her if she'd share his lot. And the maiden answered not— But the old sleigh-horse said "Neigh."—Chicago News.

rocks and seas; Talks as familiarly of roaring lions

New Use for It. (Chicago Tribune.) Cholly-Why, old chap, what do you keep that big copying press in your room for? You don't have any letters to copy do you? o you?

Fweddy—No, deah boy; I use that for reasing my trousahs, don't you know.

One of His Peculiarities.

"There's no use in try to understand my husband. He's either the politest or the contrariest man on the face of the earth—I don't know which."

"What have you found out about him

"Why, when he sees one of these advertisements or posters headed, 'Don't Read this,' he doesn't read it." fighting 'em.

Gette vs. Gist. Our woman suffragists are sublime In zeal and firmness alike. But in the quality known as gyme The suffragette tykes the kyke.

Noisier Than Usual.

(Exchange.)
"It was a quiet wedding, wasn't it?"
"Not as quiet as weddings generally are. The groom spoke the responses so you could hear him distinctly."

(With the customary acknowledgments.) How big was Ananias, pa? Did people call him great? And when he took a journey, did He have to go by freight?

Like some great mountain high, And while his feet were on the ground His head could scrape the sky?

O, no, my child; not quite so long, Though just about that size; 'Twas not his statures made him great But the greatness of his lies

Upgardson-Fancy pipe, isn't it? It's genuine meerschaum, and I paid \$35

Atom-Yes: it's a regular pipe dream

Time is Not.

Time is
Too Slow for those who Wait,
Too Swift for those who Fear,
Too Long for those who Grieve,
Too Short for those who Rejoice;
But for those who Love
Time is not!

(Van Dyke: Kathrina's Sun Dial.) Mrs. Buggins—I saw a hat to-day that was a perfect dream. Mr. Buggins—But you know dreams seldom come true.

Many a young woman studying music goes abroad to be finished when he could just as well do it at home, either with

an automobile or an axe.

Nell—This is a speaking likeness of Mrs. Talkalot. Belle—But her chin seems not finish very readily, and he will to be blurred in the picture. Nell—probably be returned to his Somerset home.

Mrs. Talkalot, Belle-But her chin seems to be blurred in the picture. Nell-Yes: I suppose she was talking at the time.

Wigg—They say he lost his foot in a railroad accident. Wagg—Yes; the train stopped at a western eating station for lunch, and in the larry a sandwich dropped on his foot.

Hard Drinker.

Marie Lloyd, the English music hall star, had been describing, at a dinner, an actor whose career drink had ruined. "Yes," said Miss Lloyd, "he was a frightful drinker. "As hard a drinker, in fact, as an ancient Yorkshire tavernkeeper

TOMB OF CONFUCIUS.

Oldest Family in the World.

improve there should be some agreement as to the spelling of its name. It is spelled in two ways in the guide book referred to, and Legge, Williamson and some other writers on Confucius have their own original transliterations of the name of his birthplace. Political reform in Chinashould be accompanied by reform in the Occidental spellings of Chinese place names.

Sequestered among the mountains of Shantung, the town has been almost unattainable by foreigners, and even to-day few pilgrims, unsustained by firm purpose, will undergo the great discomforts of the journey there. Six days are required to reach the town from the railroad at Tsinan fu. The road is too bad for driving, and the choice is donkey or in a wheelbarrow. The place is called the Meccys of China, but many devotees from the western world are likely to wait for the improvement of transportation facilities. paragraph among its descriptions of the German port of Tsingtau and of about fifty reutes in the Shantung province of China:

the German port of Tsingtau and of about fifty rautes in the Shantung province of China:

"At Tshue fu, on passports and cards presented to Duke Kung, permission is granted to visit the temple and tomb of Confucius,"

Many known tombs were very old before that of Confucius was built, but there is no doubt that Duke Kung an show a longer pedigree than any other person. He is the latest in the line of the descendants of Confucius, and the family has lived for sevenly-seven generations in the very place where the illustrious Chinese policosopher was born and died.

The remarkable history of this family is the only example of hereditary aristocracy in the empire. The head of the Chinese toward the descendants of the Great teacher. The family is the only example of hereditary aristocracy in the empire. The head of the house is an independent nobleman ranking next to the imperial family, supported by the State on the rentals derived from nearly 200,000 acres of claim, and distinguished by various special honors and privileges. The Governor of the province of Shantung, in the western part of which Confucius was born, is required to prostrate himself nine time when he pays his respects to the Duke, but the few Europeans who have visited the place have been simply and cordially welcomed though making only their customary salutation. No other family in the world, of course, has a record of having lived for over 2,460 years in one place. Conflicius died in his birthplace 2,385 years ago.

Four-fifths of the population of the little city that is hallowed by the dust of Confucius can trace their lineage to the philosopher. If the place is to the philosopher. If the place is to the philosopher. If the place is to the philosopher and the first marked and the

STANLEY MILLS & CO., Limited MONDAY, FEBRUARY 17th, 1998

Spring Showing of

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It's spring in the Housefurnishings Department, and housekeepers intent upon the buying of the many extras for the decoration and comfort of the home should begin their preparations immediately.

To-morrow we will hold a special display and sale of Fine Lace Curtains and Dainty Draperies. These include the choicest, most tasteful productions for spring, in pattern, weave and coloring, secured from the best manufacturers in the world, and have been marked at prices that will undoubtedly appeal to every economical housekeeper.

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New Cretonnes A full and comprehensive showing of these serviceable hard wearing curtainings and box coverings, including single and double widths in allover and bordered designs, beau-

tiful colorings and pleasing pat-terns, prices start at .. 1212e yard

Java Crepe A new and beautiful material for drapes, box coverings, bedroom chair coverings, etc. A crepe weave in beautiful colorings and floral pat-

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How Harvard Yard Was Named.

How Harvard Yard Was Named.

President Eliot told how it happened to be the "Harvard Yard":

"The origin of the name 'Harvard Yard," he said, "appears in a sketch of 1736 by a sophomore, Joseph Story, a Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States at the age of 32 and one time professor at the Harvard law school. The sketch was turned in as an exercise by Story, It god abroad in some manner and was there for many years until a family who inherited it returned it recently to this country. The sketch shows plainly that what is now such a charming spot was then just a back yard and nothing more.

"It was unlighted, so that except when there was a moon it was 'dark as pitch.' Its quality of darkness was

valued by the students as giving an opportunity to disregard college reg plations and to indulge in some prac-tices which the faculty viewed as un-



The Clothes You Put ON You Won't Keep You So Warm as the Food You Put IN You-Breakfast On

SCORED THE STINGY BUT RICH FARMERS.

Wealthy Niagara Peninsula Does Very Little For the Spread of the Gospel.

Vigorous Sermon on Mission Movement By the Bishop of Niagara In St. Thomas' Church.

With all the vigor of which he is capable, and in a sermon that at times bristled with stinging sarcasm, the Bisbop of Niagara, Right Rev. J. P. DuMoulippreaching in St. Thomas' Church last night, flayed the wealthy farmers of the Niagara Penninsula for their niggardly contributions to the church and also criticized business men, who, he said, when the clergy called on them, became restless, exhibited a desire to be rid of them in a hurry and promised an answer that never came. Many of the clergy, he declared, could not live on the niggardly pittanees doled out to the migardly pittanees doled out to the migardly pittanees doled out to the ingardly returns were facts this Lordship was making an appeal on behalf of the Laymen's Movement for Missions, and he did not mince his words in denouncing the stingy farmers.

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Church was the ringing note in this stirring discourse. If the countless number of heathers were to be reached it could not be done by the clergy alone. It was a tremendous work for the whole church of the living God, united and advancing the living God, united and advancing to the living God for the thanked Almighty God for the thanked Almighty God for the thanked Almighty God for the layer is was in answer to the struggle so of those in the church for aid that it was in answer to the struggle so of those in the church for aid that God for the layer is was in answer to the struggle so of those in the church for aid that God for the layer is was in answer to the struggle so of those in the church for aid that God for the layer is was in answer to the struggle so of those in the church for aid that God for the layer is was in answer to the struggle so of those in the church for aid that God for the transfer is was in answer to the struggle so of those in the church for aid that God for the church fo not be done by the clergy alone. It was a tremendous work for the whole church thrist, as so appropriately pictured in the line of that old hymn, "Like a nighty army moves the Church of God," carrying the banner of victory over hea-then domains and bringing knowledge carrying the banner of victory over heathen domains and bringing knowledge
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thoughts which his lordship sought to
drive home. One was the richness of the
sountry in the Niagara Penninsula, its
splendid advantages, the climatic conditions and the prosperity of its people;
the other fact he emphasized, he admittied, with reluctance and humility, that
no part of the country made such poor
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RUBY WEDDING.

Surprise Party for Respected Couple

at Burlington.

friends from Ham

question of money. "When you go a business man's office he is very and restless and shows such an in-e desire to be rid of you that you with a struggling heart and the se that he will think it over and an answer-an answer that never

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After quoting statisties to show how much it had fallen behind the amount assessed, and in other funds, and pointing out that it was below the dioceses of Ontario and Ottawa, his lordship said, "Picked like a diamond out of a golden setting, rich beyond expression and comparison, that is the return we have made to Almighty God for his benefits bestowed upon us. From the platform, from the pulpit, and in synoid this has been attered again and again, but it makes no impression. It falls upon deafears.

"I have had pastor after pastor, all down the line leave this diocese because they cannot live an honest life, that is to say, no man with a family that God has blessed him with, can live on \$600 a year, doled out in copper and silver pieces by the wardens and church officials when it pieases them to dole it out. I have lost man after man and when they come in my office with their resignations and I ask them the crucial

head from behind and felled. He did not lose consciousness and he did yell for help. Two men dropped on him. One went through his pockets while the other tried to choke off his cries for help. The latter got his little finger into the tugboat man's mouth in some manner, and Brown closed his teeth on it.

The highwayman's cries reached Policemen Stewart and Straney, and they came on the run. Brown let go of the finger, and his assailants fled in different dorections. Stewart cought one, who gave his name at Robert Russell, of 134 West Sixteenth street. Straney got the other man, who said he was George Farrell, of the Gotham Hotel, on the Bowery. His finger was hanging from the hand by a shred of skin.

THE TOBACCO VENDETTA.

Brockton, made a forceful argument for the bill.

"If there is a single case where a person has been declared dead and prepared for burial before the life has left his body," he said with earnestness "that ought to be enough for the passage of proper legislation. And we have none on the books to-day. The physician, too, frequently takes the word of friends or of the undertaker."

Judge Chamberlain contended that the State, in the exercise of its parental duty, should take up this matter. "The only way to do it in the light of science is to provide that there shall be positive proofs from positive tests."

"Undertakers will tell you that they embalm," he continued. "Yes, they do embalm; but if they do the embalming that will kill, if life is there, is it any more than murder?" The Judge said that his own mother had had a bitter experience in her youth, and it followed her throughout life.

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Three Hundred of the Night-Riders Visit

"I came very near being buried alive
myself in the early 70's," said Dr. Dix-

How Operators Can Make Themselves

bitten Off by Tug Boat Captain, Whom He Assaulted.

New York, Fb. 16.—Two strongarm men made the mistake of choosing Captain John Brown, of tugboat No. 2. 10 of the epartment of street cleaning for a hold-up victim early yesterday morning, and thought Brown was hit on the head with a blackjack, he managed to bite off a little füger of one of his sessulants in the fight that followed. Brown lost his gold watch and chain and \$15 in cash, but the highwaymen didn't get it, or at least didn't keep it, and then were a restend in the bargain. Brown was saturded to the morning, when he was struck on the head with a black jack in the fight had rollowed. Brown lost his gold watch and chain and \$15 in cash, but the highwaymen didn't get it, or at least didn't keep it, and then were a reason and drowned.

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JAPANESE JAILED. FIRST CASE UNDER BRITISH COLUM-

BIA EXCLUSION ACT. How few realize that twenty-five per cent. of all disease has its origin in some interference with the function of elimination. Up to a certain point the body has power to object to destructive elemnts, but this power is limited. When it happens that the body is loaded with wastes and poisons which it can't eliminate, fermentation, decay and germ life run riot through the blood. Serious illness is the result unless nature is assisted by a cleansing tonic like Dr. Hamilton's Pills, which are purely vegetable, contain no mercury, no bismuth, no injurious metallic ingredients of any kind. Such a medicine is the greatest possible assurance to every man and woman of health, spirits and contentment. Grand results are achieved, and famous cures made every day by Dr. Hamilton's Pills, as this letter proves:

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Insist on only Dr. Hamilton's Pills, 25c per box or five boxes for \$1.00, at all dealers. Arrested on Their Way From Portland

to Vancouver-Japanese Shot in a Board-house Quarrel- Safe-blowers ancouver, Feb. 16.-Two Japanese

ntering from the American side were topped at Blaine by the Provincial poince as immigration officers. They alled to pass the language test, as equired by the Provincial Natal Act. ialled to pass the language test, as required by the Provincial vatal Act. Iney showed railway tickets from Pot-land to Vancouver, and refused to return to Portland. The pair were removed to the Provincial pail at New-Westminster. The new Consul, Mr. I adia, will act in the case.

Four Japanese quarrened in a Pender street boarding house late on Friday might. Kevolvers were drawn and one man was shot in the abdomen. He is in a precarious condition. The assailant gave himself up.

A butcher's store at Fairview, Vancouver, owned by Burns & Company, cattle dealers, was broken into on Saturday night. The burglars blew up

irday night. The burglars blew up he safe with nitro-glycerine, alarming he neighborhood. They decamped with

a large sum of money.

The police arrested a Chinaman at Ladner to-day who confesses to shooting Officer McLeod at Vancouver. SOCIALISM HIS LUXURY.

It Has Cost Novelist H. G. Wells \$10,000, He Says.

London, Feb. 16.—H. G. Wells, the novelist, is a professed Socialist; indeed he calls Socialism his chief luxury, and says it has cost him in time, energy and damage to the sale of his books \$10,000 in the last four years, and "that is merely the beginning of the damage it will do to the solid worldly success that I have within my grasp."

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This is an excerpt from a defence of his ways of life that Mr. Wells has been obliged to write in consequence of the comment that he lived in his own house and had four servants and a gardener. And he adds:

"I live in comfort and as pleasantly as I possibly can, so that I can work without stress. I want everybody to have at least as much ease, leisure and freedom as myself, and that is why I an Socialist.

Socialist.
"I cannot see the sense of making my self and wife uncomfortable and ineffi-cient and risking the lives and education of my children by going to live in some infernal slum or other at a pound a week. What possible good would that do? I don't believe in any one living like that. Why should I make the ex-

EMMA GOLDMAN IN MONTREAL. Notorious Woman Anarchist Addresses Large Audiences.

Montreal, Feb. 16.—Emma Goldman, the notorious woman Anarchist, is in Montreal delivering violent harlangues against capital and authority. With a red flag draped around the seat in which she sat, the apostle of Anarchists to-day addressed a gathering in the Labor Temple on the relations of trades unions and anarchy. There was a large audience, composed mostly of the foreign element.

In no country, declared the speaker, was capital so oppressive as in the United States and in no country was there more real freedom than in the British Empire. "I say," concluded the speaker, "that there can be no comprom'se with capitalists and thouly way to bring them to time is to take them by, the purse." The woman's sentiments were loudly cheered.

CALDWELL GOES TO ASYLUM. Lawyer of Druce Witness Heads Off Extradition Proceedings.

New York, Feb. 16.-Robert Cald-New York, Feb. 16.—Robert Ca well, the American witness in famous Druce case in London, to-dwas taken to the Manhattan Sta Hospital for the Insane on War-Island, to which institution he w committed yesterday by Judge Cla of the Supreme Court in Richmo County.

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Covernment, which is FEARS SMOOTH PROGRESS.
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The British Government, which is endeavoring to have Caldwell extradit. Caldwell's commitment was obtained on the petition of his daughter. Wiss Georgiana M. Caldwell, supported by the certificates of two examinin lunacy, who declared Caldwell relpless paranoiac

REBUKE TO CONGREGATION. Archbishop Bruchesi Speaks of the Rupture Over Pastor.

Montreal, Feb. 16.—Archbishop. Bruchesi spoke at St. Patrick's Church to-day, and as this was his first appearance since the rupture over the appointment of a new pastor it was attended with considerable in terest. The Archbishop addressing the congregation, used some remarks which were taken as a rebuke to those who had been agitating for an Irish Bishop.

"I am not influenced by race considerations," said the Archbishop.
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"I am the Bishop of the entire Roman Catholic family within the Archdiosese, and I will give to every English-speaking parish priests of their own nationality."

The Archbishop also spoke on the question of mixed marriages, and his remarks implied that, while such marriages are not to be encouraged, they would still be permitted, as all the Archbishop said was that consent of mixed marriages could not hereafter be given so freely as they had in the past.

TO SAVE VAN SCHAICK

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WATERS RECEDING.

Pittsburg Breathes Easier-Miles of City Submerged.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 16.— After reaching 30 7-10 feet at noon to-day and remaining at that stage for three hours, the high water in the rivers is now slowly receding.

receding.

The danger mark in this city is 22 feet.

The damage and suffering caused by
the flood is widespread. A remarkable
feature, however, is that as far as is
known, there has been no sacrifice of

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Ernest Chambers, of Alvinston, Ont., Grand Trunk brakeman, injured at Bridgeburg, died on Saturday night in the Buffalo hospital.

Child Crushed to Death.

Flesherton, Feh, 15.—Merle Sled, six. year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sled, was erushed to death last night by a load of logs. The child's father and a neighbor were drawing logs, when the little chap made a run to elimb on his father's sleigh. He slipped, fell, and in a second the following loaded team was over him, crushing him so severely that death ensued within four hours.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST **Homestead Regulations**

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An application for entry or cancellation made personally at any Sub-agent's office may be wired to the Agent by the Sub-agent, at the expense of the applicant, and if the land applied for is vacant on receipt of the steep and the land will be held until the use letter and the same age received by additionally the seem of personation of read the applicant, will forest all priority of claim of it clairly has been granted it will be aummar.

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DUTIES—A settler is required to perform the duties under one of the following phase:

(1) At least six months' residence most and cultivation of the land in each year curring the term of three years.

(2) A homesteader may, if he so desires, perform the required residence duties by living on farming land owned solely by him, not less than eighty (80) acres in extent, in the vicinity of his homestead. Joint ownership in land will not meet this requirement.

(3) If the father (or mether, if the father is deceased) of a homesteader has permanent residence on farming land owned solely by him, not less than eighty (80) acres in extent. In the second of the control of

white duties by firing with the tanner (or mother).

(4) The term "vicinity" in the two preceding paragraphs is defined an meaning not the process of the pr Before making application for patent settler must give six months' notice in ting to the Commissioner of Dominion Lat Ottawa, of his intention to do so.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTHWEST MINING REGULATIONS.

MINING REGULATIONS.

COAL—Coal mining rights may be leased for a period of twenty-one years at an annual rental of \$1 per acre. Not more than \$2.660 acres shall be leased to one individual or company. A royalty at the rate of five cents per ton shall be collected on the merchantable coal mined.

QUARTZ—A person eighteen years of age, or over, having discovered mineral in place, may locate a claim 1,000 x 1,500 feet.

The fee for recording a claim is \$5.

At least \$100 must be expended on the claim each year or paid to the mining fecorder in lieu thereof. When \$500 has been expended or paid, the locator may, upon having a survey made, and upon complying with other requirements, purchase the land at x per acre.

The period of \$10 per cent. on the sales.

Place mining claims generally are 10e feet aquare: entrance fee, \$5; renewable year!

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The lesses shall have a dredge in operation within one season from the date of the lease for each five miles. Rental \$10 perannum for each mile of river leased. Royalty at the rate of 2½ per cent. collected on the output after it exceeds \$10.00.

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On Thursday evening last Mr. Geo. Ferguson, coal merchant, of Burlington, and his good wife, celebrated the forit wasn't their fault, for they did not know anything about it until a large number of their friends from Hamilton, the Beach and the village dropped in upon them to congratulate them on the anniversary. Their surprise was great, and the company soon made itself at home. Rev. Mr. Anderson, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, of which Mr. Ferguson is a respected elder, was in the company, and in a short address congratulated the worthy couple

Commits Suicide.

Cobalt, Feb. 15.—Fred Anders, cashier for the T. & N. O. Railroad, committed suicide in the T. & N. O. Railroad office to-day during the noon hour, shooting himself through the brain with deliberate aim. Anders was found sitting back in his chair, with his feet upon the desk, by W. H. Hickey, agent. Mr. Hickey noticed Anders breathing heavily, and, thinking the man had fainted ran ing nitro-glycerine.

The jury also declared there was no crime in the circumstances, as the evidence did not show anything defective that' would produce an explosion.

La Patrie has started a public subscription on behalf of the families of the victims of the explosion.

THE LIVING.

Every Reader Should Know

The Following Medical Facts:

BURIAL OF

THE LIVING.

MEDICAL EXPERTS GIVE START'
LING TESTIMONY ABOUT IT.

Harvard Professor Declares He Was Once
Pronounced Dead by Distinguished
Physicians—Have Provided for Tests
—Two Justices of Pederal Suprems
Court Have Engaged Expert for
Examination Before Burial.

A Boston, Mass., despatch says: Horror of premature burial has become as impressive to two Justices of the Supreme Court of the United States that they have engaged Dr. John Dixwell, of Harvard University, to guarantee that they shall not be buried alive. Dr. Dixwell also told the Legislative Committee on Legal Affairs to-day that many years ago he was himself pronounced dead by distinguished physicians and barely escaped a horrible fate.

Witnessaw told the committee that by estimate two people out of every one thousand are buried alive. Numerous terrifying instances were cited in an effort to have the committee that by estimate two people out of every one thousand are buried alive. Numerous terrifying instances were cited in an effort to have the committee that by estimate two people out of every one thousand are buried alive. Numerous terrifying instances were cited in an effort to have the committee that by estimate two people out of every one thousand are buried alive. Numerous terrifying instances were cited in an effort to have the committee that by estimate two people out of every one thousand are buried alive. Numerous terrifying instances were cited in an effort to have the committee report a bill making proof of death compulsory. There is no such law in Massachusetts now.

The bill provides that local boards of health shall be notified within is knowrs of the death of any person and that as soon as possible they shall cause an examination to be made of the reported deceased; that certification of death shall only be issued after ten testa have been made, for heart action, respiration, muscles and use of subcutaneous injection of ammonia to ascertain dissolution, the purpose being to prevent burial alive.

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The bill provides a penalty of \$1,000 fine or a year's imprisonment for violation of the act: Dr. Dixwell urged that the State should endeavor to relieve the deadly and widespread worry caused by fear of premature burial.

A notable case showing the difficulty of knowing whether a patient is really dead, was told of a Natick man who was laid out for two days, presumably dead, but who was entirely conscious and afterward complained of an undertaker who lifted his head by the nose.

Frederick W. Briggs, member of the State Embalming Board, opposed the bill and resented aspersions upon doctors and undertakers.

undertakers.
Judge Loyed E. Chamberlain, of
Brockton, made a forceful argument

BIG SWISS POSTAL THEFT. The Canadian Officers After Fugitive Letter Carrier. Toronto, Feb. 17 .- The arrest in Pater

1909 is as follows: "The scope of the legislative authority of the Parliament of Canada and Tanada Canada, and of the Legislatures Provinces, as to the constitution the Provinces, as to the constitution of courts and as to the incorporation of companies and powers of companies in corporated by or under the authority of Provincial Legislatures." Miss H. G. Matheson and Miss W. E. Robinson were

NEW ONTARIO RAILWAY. May Extend Line From Bruce Mines

Northward. Toronto, Feb. 14.-It is

Toronto, Feb. 14.—It is understood that negotiations will shortly be reopened between the Government and an English railroad syndicate for the completion of the railway from Bruce Mines to a point on the main line of the C. P. R., probably at Chapleau. At present this road extends north from Bruce Mines for some seventeen miles, but it will require nearly 120 miles of steel to take the main line to the west.

A survey has already been made, but another will be commenced if the negotiations prove successful. The first survey followed the course of a river rather too closely and the water route would prove too great a competitor, particularly in the transportation of timber. The road as at present proposed will tap an immense pulpwood country, with the possibility of opening up new mineral lands. Besides these advantages it would shorten the railroad journey from Chapleau to Sault Ste. Marie by 150 miles.

Three Hundred of the Night-Riders Visit
Eddysville. Eddysville, Ky., Feb. 16.—Three hundred in many more years of wedded bliss.
The younger members of the family, who were aware of the surprise, had provided for it, and a gold Masonic calain was presented their father, he being a Past Master of the Burlington Lodge, this was followed by other gifts. Supper was served and a pleasant evening was spent with games, music and speeches.

NO ONE TO BLAME.

Result of Coroner's Inquest in Isle Perrot.

Explosion.

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Bars Will Close at Old Time.



'something new" in the matter of dramatic entertainment for this city. They will present at the Grand to-night and morrow evening Eugene Walter's new play of contemporaneous life in America "Paid in Full," which next week will presented at the Astor Theatre, New York, with the same cast and production as will be seen in this city.

"Paid in Full" sounds a new note in the matter of dramatic literature. Conventional methods have been lost sight of and the usual rule of writing has been laid away by Mr. Walter, and he has proceeded on the lines of frankness and of originality. In this play he takes a vital issue in American life as his theme and he hews close to the line in the pursuance of his thought in the pursuance of his thought throughout. He has not been guided by the belief that a pretty woman, a dress suit and a time worn simile form the ground scheme of the average play. He has been guided by the belief that flesh and blood; human deeds, thoughts and emotions as we know them in our every day world are the things with which to deal, and he feels forcefully, not playfully. His arguments are advanced consistently; his train of vanced consistently; his train of thought is followed up closely and he has as a result rounded out a play which America has characterized as "The beplay of the past fifteen years." In cast will be found Lillian Alberts Frank Sheridan, Hattie Russell, ohnson, Antoinette Walker, Tully Mar shall and others. The production to be complete in the minutest A large and fashionable audience witness the performance to-night

of the cleverest women troupes on the vaudeville stage to-day. They are the only bunch of female burnt cork artists on the road and the innovation which they have introduced has met with naprecedented success throughout the United States. They are also known as the Watermelon Girls, and for fully half an hour they keep the audience in the highest state of good humor. The zet comes to Bennett's after a triumphate tour across the border and preceded by the very best recommendations. It is one of the good things which have been separated by the confident that it will be on a par, if not better them are the they have been and Manager Driscoil is confident that it will be on a par, if

The Minstrel Mails will be surrounced by a number of exceptionally fine acts, which run the gamut of variety. They include Coin's dos, The Basque Quartette, Radford and Winchester, juggers, and Taylor in a sketch entitled. The Minstrel Maills will be surrounded

"Tom Jones" on Thursday.

The saie of seats opens to-morrow morning, for "Tom Jones," which comes to the Grand next Thursday night. London liked the comic opera so well that it was one of last seasons, hits three. New York accepted it with no less enthusiasms this season, and now this city will have a chance to judge those qualities that made it a London, and New York success, "Tom Jones" is based on episodes in Henry Fielding's English masterpiece of the 18th century English romance. It reflects the spirit and atmosphere of the time, both in the book and music. The story is clever, introducing many famous persons of the novel, and carrying a preuty romance along with an abundance of comedy. The libretto is by Robert Courtneidee and A. M. Thompson, the music by Edward German, whose work is known to all music lovers, In "Tom Jones" in the subject for the LL.B. thesis for fold Righish meloides, their duinty grace, rollicking brightness and quaint the federal and provincial parliaments.

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humor. The glees, madrigals, ballads and folk songs smack of Merrie England. The score of "Tom Jones" is considered Mr. German's best lighter composition.

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At the Savoy.

Some men are geniuses at the keys of a piano or on the strings of a violin, others are marvels when it comes to playing billiards of performing feats of legerdemain, but Chevalier de Loris, who will be the chief attraction at the Savoy it his week, has pre-empted the field of rifle and revolver shooting as his domain, and in it performs feats that savor of the incredible and mysterious. His act, built up out of the world's championship as a shot; is crowded with sensations and surprises, and appears to have the elements of great danger, for he fans his assistant with bullets, disrobes her with flying steel, and performs many other thrilling feats.

A rather novel musical comedy will be provided by William Marlow and Verda Schelbert. It has a Western setting, Mr. Marrow playing the part of a rollicking cowboy, and singing a laughing song with pleasing effect. Miss Schelbert plays the part of a Quakeress with the requisite demureness. A humorous final is provided by a rotund little Cupid. 'Our Honeymoon,' a clever sketch, is sure to receive full justice in the hands of Mr. and Mrs. John Cosser, who are both capable artists. Their comedy is of the first order and the sketch just clever enough to give them full scope. The Aerial Shaws will be another sensational



on the Hearth," 1: The Orpheus Club of Ottawa, 2.

Saturday, Feb. 29.—Players Club of Ottawa in "Marble Hearts," 1: Conservatory of Music String Orchestra of Ottawa, 2: the New Garrick Club of Montreal in "Naval Engagements," 3.

F. F. Mackay of New York will be the dramatic judge.

At Bennett's Theatre.

The latest novelty in ministrelsy is the introduction of female ministrels and for the first time in the history of the city Hamilton theatrgeors will have an opportunity this week of witnessing a performance put on by the fair sex, at Bennett's. McMahon's Ministrel Maids, who will provide the fun, comprise one of the cleverest women troupes on the vaudeville stage to-day. They are the Allen Doore, the popular Irish comedian, will return to the Grand next. Fri-

ASCENSION GIRLS' AUXILIARY.

The annual meeting of the Girls' Auxiliary of the Church of the Ascension was held on Friday afternoon in the school room. Rev. Mr. Higginson, who was in charge, gave a most encouraging address to the girls, and the annual reports showed a most successful year. The election of officers resulted as follows: Honorary President, Miss Gladys Gates; First Vice-President, Miss Gladys Gates; First Vice-President, Miss Dalley; Recording Secretary, Miss Leslie Sutherland; treasurer, Miss Dorothy Gates; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Kathleen Hobbs; Delegates to the Board, Miss Alice Bull and Miss Katharine Sutherland. After the business afternoon tea was served.

TELLS YOU HOW.

To Make the Best Remedy Right at

To make up enough of the "Dandelion treatment," which is claimed to be relieving nearly every sufferer who uses it for backache, kidney complaint, sore week bladder and rheumatism; get from any good prescription pharmacy one-half ounce Fluid Extract: Dandelion, one ounce Compound Kargon and three ounces Compound Syrup of Sarsaparilla. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and again at bedtime.

Those who have tried it claim that it acts gently but thoroughly on the kidneys, relieving backache and bladder trouble and urinary difficulties almost instantly. Many cases of rheumatism are known to have been relieved within a few days, the pain and swelling diminishing with each dose. A well-known local druggist, who is in a position to know, asserts that this prescription, wherever it becomes known, always ruins the sale of the numerous patent medicine rheumatism cures, kidney cures, etc. It is a recipe which the majority of patent medicine matufacturers, and even certain physicians dislike to see published. Few cases, indeed, which will fail to fully yield to its pesuliarly soothing and healing influence. Being composed of common every-day ingredients, which can be had from any druggist, it makes up a good, honest and harmless remedy and at nominal cost.

LATE MRS. WILKINS. was a greater work to St. Catharines field.

Funeral Took Place In Burlington Yesterday.

An oyster supper was given on Friday evening last to the members of the Burlington Recreation Club by the committee of management. The tables were set in the gymnasium rooms in the public of interior building, which were very tastefully decorated for the occasion and when the members of the club, over fully decorated for the occasion and when the members of the club, over lighty in number, came in shortly after eight o'clock they found their gymnasium had taken on the appearance of a dining half with tables very bountifully and tastily supplied. After supper toasts were proposed to the King, the Empire. Canada, Burlington and the Club and calling and tastily supplied. After supper toasts were proposed to the King, the Empire. Canada, Burlington and the Club and dison, Burnes and Sykes, all of which were very much appreciated. The chair was occupied by Mr. W. F. W. Fisher was occupi

NOT A SUCCESS.

Dundas Unemployed Cannot Make Wages on Stone Pile.

Dundas, Feb. 17.—The stone breaking quarry opened by the Town Ccuncil, to give employment to the needy, has not, so far, been an unqualified success. The D. Hodd, G. Parsons and J. Moffat, of the deacons' board, and Messrs W. Prince and A. Stevenson, members with the deacons' board, and Messrs W. Prince and A. Stevenson, members are the preparations of the deacons' board, and Messrs when the preparation of the deacons' board, and Messrs when the preparation of the deacons' board, and Messrs when the preparation of the pr so far, been an unqualified success. The Council did its part all right, opened the quarry and made all other preparations. The price for breaking was made liberal—\$2 per cord. An old-time price was \$1, and in some places that is the price now being paid. The drawback to the move is that the men who got the work had never done such work and have proved to be very inadept learners. While among old-time breakers it was reckoned a cord a day was the usual thing, with occasionally a man who could do one and a half and even two cords a day. The men on the job last week did not do a cord each for the whole week. This is somewhat disheartening. It is hoped that better results may be obtained for the future; that is, if the workers do not become entirely discouraged and quit the job.



HAS ACCEPTED INVITATION.

Rev. A. L. Huddleston Will Go to St. Catharines.

Wentworth Baptists' Best Wishes Go With Him.

Committee Appointed to Arrange For a Successor.

After the regular service in Wentworth Street Baptist Church yester-day morning a short meeting of the members was held to consider the resignation of their pastor, Rev. A. L. Huddleston.

Some time ago Mr. Huddleston preached in Queen Street Baptist Church, St. Catharines, and as Rev. S. D. Bates, the pastor there, is resigning to become educational secretary of McMaster, the members, after hearing Mr. Huddleston, extended him a unanimous call to become

On Thursday evening a meeting of the deacons and pastor was held to consider the matter and Mr. Huddleston said his reason for wishing to resign was that he thought there was a greater work to be done in the

When the meeting was called yesterday Mr. J. Fuller was appointed chairman and he called on Mr. Hud-

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About an Actor-Critic.

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About an Actor-Critic.

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Oyster Supper at Burlington on Friday veening last to the members of the Burington of my present position that I may descondant the support of the consulting with my deacondant was held in high stateem by a large crice of relative and friends.

RECREATION CLUB.

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The chairman suggested that it anyone thought a move should be made
to retain the pastor an amendment
could be made, but none was offered.
The chairman then explained that
a committee would be needed to attend to the appointing of another

Mr. A. Stevenson moved that the leacons' board attend to it, and Mr. Mr. A. Stevenson and Mr. deacons' board attend to it, and Mr. Ward seconded this, but an amendment was moved by Mr. J. Moffat, who thought a committee of five should be appointed, three deacons and two members. This carried and Mr. Stevenson withdrew his motion. The committee was composed of

British Expedition Successful on Indian

THE RIGHT HOUSE



New dress muslins: special opening display Beauty, quality, value and exclusiveness the Keynotes

O-MORROW and following days will be opening days among the colored and white dress muslins. Never has any previous season brought out such a variety of new summery stuffs. Never have artist and mill combined to produce such exquisite weaves, printings and color harmonies. Never has Hamilton been offered such a fine assortment as is gathered in this store now.

These are opening days-days of planning and deciding. Days of choosing, too, for many of the handsome imported patterns cannot be duplicated. Many of them are in exclusive dress lengths, others have but two or three lengths to a pattern so that early selection is advisable. Here are hints of the showing and of the moderate

Beautiful 75c and 85c Swiss muslins at 59c yard

EXCLUSIVE new pattern effects in dots, clusters of dots, stripes, combinations of dots and stripes and broken check effects; exclusive and exquisite new summer shadings in blue, pink, grey. Copenhagen blue, helio and white grounds. A very wide variety of the season's newest novelties for dress and other wear. Real value here 75c and 85c the yard. As an opening special they go on display and sale at only 59c

Pretty printed dimities at 22c and 25c

Dainty floral patterns in a wide range of exquisite new colorings. There are dots, sprigs, leaf and other pretty effects. These handsome weaves are particularly service able and practical as well as extremely neat They are quite remarkable values at 22c and 25c the yard. On display and sale to

Dainty printed muslins and voiles

Pretty spot, stripe and floral designs in a wondrous assortment of exquisite colorings and combinations. Pink, sky, white, helio, black and navy grounds. Extra values at 20c, 25c, 32c, 37c and 45c the yard

Scotch ginghams in plain and fancy

Nothing is more serviceable or prettier than these neat Ginghams. They are extremely serviceable and practical, too. Neat checks and stripes, also plain pink, grey, navy, cadet Copenhagen, butcher, fawn and sky shades. Special values at

14c, 17c, 18c, 22c and 25c

New white Persian Lawns: specials These are absolute bargains—greater bargains than even we have seen for many

Reliable qualities and plenty for those who come at once. Very fine sheer even woven qualities.

12c. value 18c 14c, value 20c 16c, value 20c 19c, value 25c

Bordered zephyrs-the latest novelty

The newest style creation in fashionable Paris and New York. Dainty yet practica! weaves, they are altogether charming in their novelty. Pretty border effects on grounds of Copenhagen blue, pink or white. Full 45 inches wide. Very dainty and exclusive for dress wear. Per yard 70c.

Plaid ginghams at 30c and 40c yard

For dresses, blouses and children's wear: very effective new shades of brown, blue, tan, pink, black and white. A broad assortment of neat combinations and effects. Extra values at 30c and 40c the yard.

Dainty colored Swiss dress muslins

A broad assortment of combinations in Swiss Spot Muslins; for dress, blouse and other wear. Sheer, fine finish and very superior quality. Black on white, white on black, white on navy. sky on white, pink on white, white on helio, white on grey. special values at 50c. 65c. 75c and 85c.

Dotted and check Swiss dress muslins

Splendid variety. Quite exceptional values. They are a special purchase direct from a Swiss maker, and our own profits have been shaved close. Beautiful fresh, crisp, white dotted, figured, checked and striped Swiss Muslins of sheer fine quality.

39c, value 50c 59c, value 75c 69c, value 85c

Special purchase sale of corset cover embroideries

W E secured of the Swiss maker, at a price away below real value, a fine lot of crisp new and dainty Corset Cover Embroideries. Patterns are new and pretty. - Materials are nainsooks, muslins and cambric. They are wide in width and well embroidered, with rows of ribbon inserting. They go on sale to-morrow for the first time. See the window and department displays.

19c, real value 25c 39c, real value 50c

25c, real value 32c 45c, real value 60c 75c. real value \$1.00

Corner King East THOMAS C. WATKINS Hamilton Ontario and Hughson Sts.

HIS WRITING TEMPERATURE.

With Some Speculations as to Temperature at Which Ideas Congeal.

"My study has a side wail with a western exposure; cold, in this part of of the world, the west winds of winter.

"Water," said a man who writes things for a living. "freezes at a temperature of 12 degrees flavrehleit, 4t what temperature of 12 degrees Fahrehleit, 4t what temperature of 12 degrees people, but I should say at least 56 degrees; I know that in a room colder than that I can't write. I know I could that a so stoutly cemented together that by putting a for cap on my brick, with pickaxes, or blow it up with with pickaxes, or blow it up with with the terminature. No, it is a modern thin brick And my study wall is not one of the kind you read about occasionally when they are tearing down some old building, with the result that the atmosphere on my situdy equipped with a heating apparatus from a tree, or, for the benefit of those not familiar with arboriculture, about as the subject of the world, the west winds of winter.

"At 60 degrees my famics becomes at a temperature of 12 degrees at all hours of the day, whatever the temperature will of raising my bodily temperature and my Arctic overshoes, with the result of raising my bodily temperature by keeping the heat in—about four department of the properature will will be more than os stoutly cemented together that by putting a for cap on my brick, with pickaxes, or blow it up with with pickayed the properature will be more than offset; so I don't wear a fur cap have a subject with the tear of the mind doesn't the properature will be more than offset; so I don't wear a fur cap have a subject with the tear of the mind doesn't the properature will be more than offset; so I don't wear a fur cap have a subject with the tear of the mind the properature will be more than offset; so I don't wear a fur cap have a subject with the many the

SUFFRAGETTES SELF-DENIAL.

Women of England Raising Money For Campaign.

Sixty-three Vote-seekers Given Forty Days in Jail.

Ministers Living in Terror-A Demonstration Every Day.

New York, Feb. 16.-The Sun has received the following cable despatch from London.

Whatever the result to their cause may be the suffragettes have capturmay be the suffrageties have captured the attention of the entire country. No day passes without a demonstration of some sort, usually having its sequel in the Police Courts. Sixty-three suffragists have gone to jail three suffragists have gone to jail within the last week for forty days each. All the Cabinet Ministers live

in terror.

Mr. Asquith, who is the special bete noir of the women, never ventures upon the street unless accompanied by two detectives, and his colleagues seek to avoid recognition in

public places.

The last batch of arrests was reall, The last batch of arrests was really rather outrageous. A band of thirteen suffragettes started from Caxton Hall to take a petition to Westminster. They did not go in procession, but attempted to walk the sidewalk: like ordinary pedestrians. A crowd who had been expecting some such movement followed and the police gobbled up the women before they had gone a hundred yards, and they were by no meaus gentle about it. These women had committed no offence, but the Magistrate before whom they were taken ordered them to furnish recognizances to keep the peace or go to jail for six weeks. They all went to prison.

It will be seen that their campaign has produced a feeling of irritation and exasperated the authorities, and this attitude threatens ugly developments if the agitation develops upon a larger scale, as it certainly will. The suffragettes especially resent the insinuation that they are lacking in a sense of humor. This is a libel on some of the leaders. Chrystabel Pankhurst, who is the greatest individual inspiration in the crusade, says frankly: "Of course we are ridiculous. But what can we do? The movement would be ignored for another half century unless we compelled, attention somehow. We must be either criminal or silly. Men under like circumstances would be criminal. We prefer to be silly."

The suffragettes have decreed a self-denial week, begining to-day, to raise funds for the campaign. They have adopted many curious expedients. One woman makes "Votes for Women" maimalade. Another takes a barrel organ about the streets. Others collect subscriptions at the railway stations. Others make five-minute speeches between the acts at the theatres and music halls and bass around collection boxes. Hundreds will homoard friends with subscribtion cards. Boarding house keepers will fine men boarders who mention the suffragettes at table. Dozens of girls will walk to work and send their omnibus fares to the fund. Well-to-do women are expected' to contribute a week's income and abjure luxuries for the benefit of the crusade. In fact all Eng-Hahmen will have cause to regret the coming week. That the British Government is unable to suppress the woman suffrage agitation was admitted in Parliament vesterday.

The woman question has broken out in one place where it was least expected. The Government is officially utilizing the services of a woman recruiting sergeant, but the regular recruiting agants for fice las, consistently with regulations, considered her entitled to be regarded as an agent. She sloes not receive the regimental pay or allowances of a recruiting awards given ite all recruiting agents for fice in secondary

KILLED ON THE RAILWAY.

James C. Ross Struck by a Train Near Goderich.

Goderich, Feb. 16.-A distressing fa tality occurred within a mile or two of Goderich yesterday, whereby James C. Ross, of Goderich township, was instant-ly killed by a Grand Trunk train. The ly kined by a Grand Poulk train. The unfortunate gentleman, in company with two neighbors, was coming into town walking along the railway track. A strong gale from the northwest was blowing, which prevented them from hearing the train until it was just upon them.

Ress, who was walking in the centre of the group, unable to get clear, was struck by the engine and instantly killed, while his companions were thrown to either side of the track, but with little injury.

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Influenza in London.

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London, Feb. 15.—Influenza is claiming thousands of victims in London, and the visitation of the present time is the worst that has been known in many years. Three members of the Cabinet, Premier Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, Augustine Birrell (Chief Secretary for Ireland) and the Marquis of Ripon (Lord Privy Seal), are contined to their beds with the malady, The disease is nost virulent in the west end, where members of society are going down "like ninepins," to quote the words of a fashionable physician.

To cure a cold in one night—use Vapo Cresoline, it has been used extensively dur-ing more than twenty-four years. All drug

Why Many People Look So Old

To look old before their time seems not uncommon to day, with many people who should still be in the prime of life. Physicians say nothing in the world is so sure to age a person, to destroy their vitality and happiness as pain. A comparatively young man who suffers with muscular or inflammatory rheumatism, looks older than a man twice his age. The farmer, the man who works at hard labor, the mechanic, is subject to the baneful influences of dampness, fog and inclement weather. It is hard for him to escape pain. What he needs at home is a bottle of that trusty liniment, Polson's Nerviline, which gives instant ease to every kind of pain. So strong and concentrated is Nerviline that one application is as good as a six ordinary rubbings with other liniment. The most wonderful pain-subduing substances in the world are in Nerviline—that's why it penetrates so quickly, why it instantly cures pain that other remedies can't even relieve. You'll be surprised how quickly sciatica, lumbago or rheumatism are cured by Nerviline—seems almost magical the way it will cure a cold or sore throat. When the cheet is sore and it hurts to draw a long breath, one rubbing with Nerviline is sufficient. So highly valued is Nerviline by those who use it, that many families consider it quite as good as a doctor for aches, pains, and minor ailments of every kind.



A CHIC GOWN FOR A YOUNG GIRL. Nos. 5998-5737-Dark blue mohair was the material chosen for Nos. 5998-5737—Dark blue mohair was the material chosen for development of this smart gown for a young girl. The blouse waist is one of the newest and prettiest of the season. It is made with a low cut neck, outlined by a broad rolling collar. A group of tucks at the shoulders give a graceful amount of fullness and renders the mode exceedingly becoming. A removable shield with a high standing collar fills in the open neck. If preferred the sleeves may be long finished with deep cuffs. The skirt is a stylish five-gored model, that is laid in deep pleats all round. It is trimmed with bands of the material, finished by machine stitching. Serge, challis, albatross and the pretty plaids are all suggested for the making. For a girl of 15, 2½ yards of material, 36 inches wide, will be required for the blouse, and 45s yards for the inches wide, will be required for the blouse, and 4% yards for the

Misses' blouse No. 5998. Sizes, 15, 16 and 17 years. Misses' pleated skirt No. 5737. Sizes, 15, 16 and 17 years. This illustration calls for two separate patterns, a waist and a skirt, which will be mailed to any address on receipt of 10 cents in silver or stamps for each.

Address, "Pattern Department,' Times Office, Hamilton.

SCALDED TO DEATH.

A SHOCKING FATALITY ON A GRAND TRUNK TRAIN.

Broken Rail Causes Engine to Turn Over on Its Side Near Eastman Springs-Engineer and Fireman Killed-Vic-

tims Belonged to Ottawa.

Ottawa, Feb. 16.-The passenger train from Montreal on the Grand Trunk Railway due here at 10.30 last night left the track after passing Eastman Springs track after passing Eastman Springs station through a broken rail. The engine, after going a car's length on the ties, fell over on its side, carrying the baggage car along with it. The passenger cars all kept the track. William Robertson Martin, fireman, was scalded to death, and Alfred Parks, engineer, died in the hospital here to-day from the injuries received. Both resided in Ottawa East. Parks was 43 years of age and leaves a widow and family. Martin was married about three months ago.

ago.

The fireman was scalded to death in

The fireman was scaled to death in the cab of the engine.

The engineer managed to crawl out of the cab on to the footboard, but was so severely scaled that he died from his injuries to-day. Those in the baggage car received some scratches and bruises, not nothing serious. There were none of the passengers injured.

The nearest station to the accident was Fastman Springs foot mile distant

was Eastman Springs, four miles distant, From Ottawa to Eastman Springs is twelve miles.

French Canadians Still French. To cure a cold in one night—use Vapo Crescline. It has been used extensively during more than twenty-four years. All druggists.

Rome, Feb. 16.—The Osservatore Romano has interviewed Dr. Begin, who said: "We French-Canadians are still rench." We love our native country, although we have no reason to regret. British rule, which grants us broad regime and absolute liberty. But we are gime and absolute liberty. But we are attracted towards those who are our three towards those who are our brothers in language and origin, and so left arm so bally mangled that it had to be amputated. He is 64 years of age.

STRUCK AN OLD CHARGE

Christant Courtob Killed in the Right of Way Mine.

Cobalt, Feb. 16.-Last night Christant Courtob, an old country Frenchman, aged about thirty years, and so far as known having no relatives in Canada. was instantly killed at the Right of Way was instantly killed at the Right of Way mine. Courtob, who was a machine helper, had to set up a drill in the southwest crosscut from the main drift of No. 1 shaft at the seventy-five-foot level, and drilled into an old hole, where it is supposed a small portion of powder in the bottom of the hole had failed to explode, and when Courtob drilled into it an explosion took place, killing Courtob and seriously injuring E. Bernier, a machine

Bernier's injuries are in the left eye and the left side of the face. He will be sent to Toronto General Hospital for treatment.

FRAUDS ON POLES.

Charges Again Jan Nowicki and Stephen Werner, of Montreal.

Mentreal, Feb. 16.—"This promises to be one of the most sensational cases heard in Montreal for a long time, and personally I regard it as being one of the most important." So said Judge Choquet on Saturday morning. His remarks bore reference to accusations brought against two Poles, Jan Nowicki and Stephen Werner, who have been conducting a banking, law and employment business, with offices on St. James street.

street.

The charge against them is that they conspired to defraud a number of their fellow-countrymen. Complaint was taken out by Joseph Jaroz, who alleged that he gave the accused \$52 to send to his family in Poland, which sum never reached its destination.

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Hunt, Miss Eva, Mou Hughs, Miss Dorothy.

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Hayward, Walter.
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Horning, Miss Edith.
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Ross, Welter James.
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Robson, L. J.
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Roberts, R. A.
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POPE CLOSELY GUARDED.

The Life of the Pontiff Has Been Threatened.

Threatened.

Rome, Feb. 16.—Since the assassination of the Portuguese King and Crown Prince the Pope has been in fear of his own life. It is said threatening letters have been received recently at the Vatican asserting Pius X, will sooner or later meet the same fate. These caused great concern to the Vatican authorities and to the prelates surrounding the Pope, because they consider themselves personally responsible for the Pope's safety.

Etxraordinary presentions have been taken, especially in the Vatican gardens, where the Pope's takes every day his promenade and rides. Carbineer and Palatine Guards are scattered over the grounds about the time the Pope is due to appear. The Pope's carriage now is always followed by two mounted noble guards, which has not been the case since the death of Lee XIII., who always insisted on this.

The Italian Government has been notified of the Pope's fears, and has arranged for a special patrol of police and earbineers to watch outside the walls enclosing the Vatican grounds.

MR. BRYCE'S VISIT.

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British Ambassador Will Be Accompanied

British Ambassador Will Be Accompanied by Mrs. Bryce.

Ottawa, Feb. 16.—It is understood that Pritish Ambassador Bryce left Washington to-day and will be in Ottawa to-morrow. In addition to the subjects already mentioned, in which he will, discuss with the Government, is that in regard to the submission of the Canada fisheries case along with Newfoundiand's to The Hague Conference. The reference has not yet been

the Canada fisheries case along with Newfoundiand's to 'the Hague Conference, The reference has not yet been finally prepared, and it will be talked over with Mr. Bryce during his stay here. As already stated, Mr. Bryce will be the guest of his Excellency the Governor-General.

Washington, Feb. 16. Mr. James Bryce, the British Ambassador at Washington, accompanied by Mrs. Bryce, left here to-day for Ottawa, where he is expected to arrive to-morrow afternoon. The Ambassador's visit to Canada is for the purpose of conferring with the Dominion officials relative to the boundary and fisheries disputes between that country and the United States. Mr. Bryce took with him the draft of several pronosed treaties looking to a settlement of these questions. The Ambassador will send cloud a week in Ottawa, and from there he will go to Montreal, where he will make two speceles. He and from there he will go to Montr where he will make two speeches. expects to return to Washington the latter part of this month.

IN NO HURRY TO STARVE.

The Leader of Unemployed Postpones

Demonstration.

London, Feb. 16.—Stewart Gray, the leader of the Manchester unemployed, who petitioned the King for land in Windsor forest, has received no answer to his appeals, but he has not yet begun to carry out his threat of starving himself to death. On the contrary, having convinced himself that he can live at least thirty days without foed, at the end of that period he hopes that the hard hearts of the landlords of England will be melted.

Gray promises to begin his thirty-day fast as soon as he can get an entrance to the Royal Chapel at Windsor, which he considers a good place for the performance pending the happy day when he will be engaged for a music hall. Demonstration.

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London, Feb. 16.—Lord Rober's is utilizing his spare time in the collection of material for another volume of an autobiographical nature, designed to be a companion to his acount of his forty years in India.

The book, of course, will include the period of the South African War, and if "Bobs" publishes in cold print some comments on certain generals who figured in that campaign, which he does not hesitate to express in private, he will cause no end of sensation.

Two Boys Missing.

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St. John, N. B., Feb. 16.—Harold Draper, aged 16, and living Earle, aged 15. left their homes in Metcalf street on Saturday afternoon. They said they were going fishing through the ice. They had not returned late to-night and it is feared they have been drowned. A wild rainstorm raged on Saturday night.

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WHAT IS GOING ON NOW

COLLINGWOOD HERE TO-NIGHT.

Fast Hockey Match Looked For at Thistle Rink.

Suit Over Sally Preston-Tigers period, that the Ottawa men were play-Defeated in an Indoor Baseball Match By the Travellers.

Canadian Professional.		
Toronto 5 Berlin		4
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TO-DAY'S SCHEDULE.		

Q. H. A., senior-Toronto A. C. at Stratford.

O. H. A. intermediate—London at Preston; Collingwood at Hamilton.

O. H. A., junior—Barrie vs. Midland, at Orillia; St. Michael's College vs. Eu-

rekas, at Toronto. Markham tournament—Draw to be

Northern League-Wingham at Luck-

BIG GAME HERE TO-NIGHT.

There is excellent ice at the Thistle Rink, and to-night's championship game between the Hamilton and Collingwood teams should be a hummer. The Tigers promise to put up the game of their lives, and some of their admirers think they can overcome Collingwood's lead of eight points. It is generally believed that the home team will win the game, but some think that they will win the round. Southam will be in his old position as rover. The probable line-up of the teams is:

Hamilton.

Barrie is uivided into six wards, and No. 5 Ward is noted for its hockey products. Johnnie Dyment is a resident of this ward, and so is every boy in his speedy junior team. The runk is situated in the same ward, and the rink manager resides in the same locality. Ward is noted for its hockey products. Johnnie Dyment is a resident of this ward, and so is every boy in his speedy junior team. The runk is situated in the same ward, and the rink manager resides in the same locality. Ward is made in the sward in the same ward, and the rink manager resides in the same locality. Ward is made in the sward in the same ward, and the rink manager resides in the same locality. Ward is marked in the sward, and so is every boy in his speedy junior team. The runk is situated in the same ward, and the rink ward, and so is every boy in his speedy junior team. The runk is stuated in the same ward, and the rink ward, and so is every boy in his speedy junior team. The runk is situated in the same ward, and the rink ward, and so is every boy in his speedy junior team. The runk is stuated in the same ward, and the rink ward, and so is every boy in his speedy junior team. The runk is situated in the same ward, and the rink ward, and so is every boy in his speedy junior team. The runk is stuated in the same ward, and the rink ward, and so is every boy in his same, and the rink ward, and so is every boy in his same, and the rink ward, and so is every boy in his same and the runk ward, and so is every boy in his same and the same locality. Ward and so is every bo

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Centre,
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Left,
McKeown Burns
Right.
Hamilton on Date B. 111

The game will start at 8.15, and the club has arranged to seat an extra large crowd. Three rows of bleachers have been built up on each side of the ice. A number of seats in the galleries will be reserved for the ladies and their esservests.

corts.

According to the Toronto papers it has been decided that London, if it wins the round with Preston, will play off with the winner of the Colling-Wood-Hamilton battle. The winner will then enter the finals for the

championship.

Midland must be considered a contender for the title, according to the Toronto Globe, which stated that that team was the favorite for the champion-

THE DUTCH WERE BEATEN.

Toronto, Feb. 17.—Toronto jumped into an undisputed lead in the Canadian Professional League race Saturday night by defeating Berlin at the Mutual Street Professional League race sadmany might by defeating Berlin at the Mutual Street fithk 5 to 4. Though the score was close and at half-time even up, three all, the play was considerably in favor of the grey and red. The ice, though better than had been expected, was sticky in the first half, and uneven in the second. But Berlin's favorite kind of going did not counterbalance the superior playing abilities of the Torontos, and had it not been for the latter's poor shooting luck, coupled with the sterling work of Ellis, the Dutchmen would have beaten off. At one stage of the first half the visitors led by two to one, but their advantage was short-lived.

In the second half the homesters notched the first two counters in the first 12 minutes of play, giving them, as it turned out, a winning lead. Berlin came back a minute and a half later with an addition to their total, ending

came back a minute and a half later with an addition to their total, ending the tallying. Individually and as a team the locals had several shades on their opponents, who played their usual aggressive but unattractive style of game. Apart from Morrison, who showed the effects of his strenuous week, and Tyner, who had an off-day in front of the nets, the Toronto outfit did good work, particularly Lalonde, Young, Ridpath and Mercer, all of whom put up a brilliant article.

article. Ellis, Schmidt and Gross starred for the visitors. The game was characterized by individual dashes, varied with an need by individual dashes, varied with an occasional bit of combination and hard, close checking. Despite the poor ice the play was fast and brilliant and the game as a whole one of the best of the season. A large crowd witnessed the contest. The

teams:
Berlin—Ellis, G. Cochrane, Gross, Seibert, Knell, Schmidt, Dumart.
Tornoto—Tyner, Corbeau, Young, Morrison, Mercer, Ridpath.

OVER 5,000 PRESENT.

Montreal, Que., Feb. 17.—Playing on ice coated with slush and dotted with pools of water, Ottawa defeated Victorias, 10 to 4. in the presence of 5,000 spectators, at the Arena, Saturday night. This defeat puts the Victorias out of the race for the championship, which now lies between Wanderers and Ot-

Under adverse conditions the visitors Under adverse conditions the visitors played a strong game, and outplayed the Vies most of the time. That the Vies were plucky and kept at it till the finish is the best that can be said for them. Ottawa was more aggressive and showed more speed. At no stage of the game did Victorias look like winners. They raised hope by evening up the score at the end of the first ten minutes, with was quite evident, even in this promised to judge this class at the O. K.

ong the stronger game.
Ottawa led 4 to 2 at the intermission, and in the second half the Senators counted six times, while Vics gto two— one while Ottawa had but three players

on the ice.

Vics lined up with their regular team, Vice lined up with their regular team, Patrick insisted on playing with his crippled shoulder, and he put up a strong game, considering his handicap. Chaucer Elliott made his first appearance in the Arema as a hockey referee, and gave the utmost satisfaction.

The line-up:
Ottawa — Leseur, Pulford, Taylor, Westwick, Walsh, Phillips, Smith. Victorias—Robinson, Patrick, Kennedy, Bowie, Hale, Russell, Gilmour. Referee—Chaucer Elliott.

CHASING THE PUCK.

The O. H. A. sub-committee Saturday ordered Barrie and Midland juniors to play a sudden-death game in Orillia to-might to break the tie existing in their district.

Four games in five days is Bert Morrison's record. Tuesday at Brantford, Wednesday at Montreal, Thursday at Quebec, Saturday at the Mutual street rink, Toronto.

Barrie is givided into six wards, and

dan Kodak, Dental College, Corticelli, East Toronto, North Toronto and Penetang are still in the running, and it will require three more nights to determine the winners of the gold watches.

Jack Abram, London's clever rover, Jack Abram, London's clever rover, who has been termed by many Toronto hockey men as the fastest at his position in the intermediate series, will not play in the Preston contest. When the team arrived back from Simcoe a physician was called to attend Abram, who has been complaining of a very sore leg, and it was found that he had sustained a cut nearly an inch deep below the ankle, which necessitated several stitches. The physician stated that had the player been struck half an inch over from where the blow landed, Abram would have lost the use of his limb entirely, as a tendon would have been cut.—London Advertiser.

THE TIGERS LOST.

pire said out, and the hearts of the Plumbers' Association

Travellers went back to their accustomed places. The line-up was: Travellers—Smye, Carroll, D. Tracey, Dore, Small, Wilson, W. Dore, McDon-

GOTCH AND HACK.

The American Champion Has Not Yet Signed Articles.

Chicago, Feb. 17 .- W. W. Wittig, of Milwaukee, who has undertaken to stage the world's championship wrestling match between Geo. Hackenschmidt and Frank Gotch during the first week in April, last night nailed the report that Chicago promoters would conduct the bout as a rank bit of fabrication. Wittig has already secured the signature of the "Russian lion" and Hackenschmidt will be ready to take on Gotch shortly after March 22, when his New York exhibition matches close.

"Hack" expects to sail for New York on March 1, and, starting March 16, he will figure in a half dozen contests at Gotham playhouses. Gotch has thus far failed to put his signature to Wittig's articles, but the Milwaukee man declares the match will probably be held in Chi

BUSH CUP.

Won by Red Gauntlet, by a Length From Yankee Girl.

New Orleans, Feb. 17 -- At the Fair rounds, Saturday, the Bush Cup handicap, valued to the winner at \$1,500 added. was won by Red Gauntlet, at 5 to 2, by a length from Yankee Girl. Jockey Notter was suspended for ten days because of was suspended for ten days because of rough riding in this race. Riding Yankee Girl, he interfered with Red Gauntlet in the stretch. In the sixth race Katie Powers, Denigre and Creel finished half a length apart, Katie Powers winning, Jockey B. Burton and Trainer Ed, Bishop were ruled off, charged with ad-ministering a shock from an electric bat-tery to First Mason in the sixth race on Friday.

Friday

THE VOICE OF OLD KENTUCK.

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 17.—Kentucky horsemen will appeal to the New York Legislature in behalf of horse racing, A committee composed of Major P. P. Johnston, president of the National Trotting Association, and Adjutant-General of Kentucky; Col. Milton Young, owner of the McGrathian and Col. John P. the McGrathiana stud, and Col. John R Allen, Commonwealth's Attorney, was Allen, Commonwealth's Attorney, was selected on Saturday to go to New York to appear before the Legislature at Albany next Wednesday to protest against the repeal of the Percy-Gray law affecting racing in New York.

A SUIT OVER SALLY PRESTON.

New Orleans, La., Feb. 17.—Suit is entered in the Federal Court by W. Rodgers Travellers Defeated . Kickers in Indoor Baseball Match.

The second game in the recently organized "Big Three" Indoor Baseball League was played in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium on Saturday afternoon between the Dr. Thompson's Tigers and the Travellers. The drummers won all the way, never being headed, the score at the finish being 19 to 18, The crowd present packed the gallery and the cheering could be heard in the street. The Tigers were never in the lead, but they managed to give the Travellers a bad scare in the ninth inning, when they piled up six runs. A dispute arose among the players as to the third man of the Tigers being out on some of the ground rules, but the umpire said out, and the hearts of the sking for an injunction restraining W I. Seeman and James Robertson from

COMMENT AND GOSSIP

and cheer the Tigers on to victory.

The feature of the meeting of Olympic committee at Ottawa on Saturday was the perfect harmony that prevailed. A to delegate points out that no one would have dreamt that there was any word of difference between the Cana dian athletic bodies whose representatives had met for a common good cause that promises to be pushed to a satis-

track is known to be at least a lap short to each mile, and there is no doubt the time announced. However, it is not whatever as to the time made by Long- likely that the time will be allowed as a boat being phoney.

London Advertiser: Next Friday at Hamilton, George Crispin, the fast local | to run, but what jurisdiction they could roller skater, competes with McMasters, the champion of the burg by the mountlocal sportsmen will accompany the local man to Hamilton and back him to they got him. It is hard to believe the limit. Crispin is very confident of that Longboat himself is to blame. He

Go up to the Thistle Rink to-night | C. show. Mark is a good one, and knows 'em right well.

Buffalo Express: Poor Tom Longboat. week. On this occasion Longboat debroke the record for the distance, go Shrubb's time. But reliable writers The Toronto News says: The Boston | who saw the race discredit the time and say Longboat ran as if minutes unde Longboat pleads that the Canadian A

A. U. officials told him it was all right have over a race run in Boston is hard to figure out. Longboat has had the

After camping on his trail ever since the Labor Day meet at Kenilworth the A. A. U. finally got him. He has been branded a professional for competing in an unsanctioned meet at Boston last feated three men in a 10-mile event and ing almost a minute faster than Alfred record without sufficient investigation.

OLYMPIC SPORTS COMMITTEE.

An Important Meeting at Ottawa on Saturday.

of the Finance Minister and without conuitation with his colleagues, they would not expect a definite and immediate re-

not expect a definite and immediate reply, but he promised early consideration, at the same time reminding them that Hon, Mr. Fielding, as the holder of the Government purse strings, was inclined as a rule to draw them tight.

Mr. P. D. Ross was chosen Honorary Treasurer, and the honor of making the first contribution to the funds fell to Controller J. J. Ward, of Toronto, who, on behalf of the trustees of the Ward Marathon race, presented Mr. Ross with a cheque for \$500, which had been raised at the race last fall and put away for the purpose to which it was now devoted.

Taking up the Olympic programme assent out from England, the committee

St. Catharines course.

Rifle, revolver, running deer and miniature rifle shooting will be reported on by Major Winter, of the Governor-General's Foot Guards, while clay-bird shoot-

ing was referred to Controller Ward, of Toronto. Figure skating will be handled by the

KING EDWARD R. C. BEAT STONEY CREEK. Veiled English Woman Who Entered

On Saturday afternoon the Stoney Creek Rifle Club journeyed to the grounds of the Hamilton King Edward Rifle Club at the Red Hill, to shoot the return match. There were 64 men a side, and five shots each. The King Edwards won. The scores:

Stoney Creek R. C.— King Edward— H. Lee 46 J. M. Jones 46 A. Marshall 45 Geo. Beattie 43 A. Hendershott 42 W. E. Glover 42 D. Depew 43 S. J. Huggins 44	later years of the Italian patriot. The heroine is a Mrs. Collins, an English wo- man, who with her husband lived on the Island of Caprera, where Garibaldi made his home for many years. The couple had a hut on the island,	41 4.
E. Corman	but only tenanted it in the wildest wea-	7.
R. E. Glover 47 E. Anderson 35 J. Cowan 24 A. Freeman 47	ther. The greater part of their time was spent afloat in a sailboat on which they	F
A. Corman 39 C. O. Nichol 40 A. Glover 43 W. Will 42 S. Hewitt 30 E. English 48 A. Corman 40 W. Depew 43 A. E. Jones 46 W. Logan 29 E. Kelley 37 A. Parmenter 40	originally reached Caprera. They lived mainly on the fish they caught, on gold's flesh and on wild birds that the man shot; but every fortnight they made a voyage to the nearby is land of La Madelena, where Collins landed, made necessary purchases and got	11 6.
The Best Dogs in America.	his letters. The woman never left the boat, and all the time that it remained close to the shore she kept her face and head muffled up in a thick veil. This was the cause of endless speculation among the peasentry.	2. D 2. D
The special awards for the best specimens of the important breeds at the bench show in New York last week were: Best team entered in the regular team classes—First, Mrs. Tyler Morse's old English sheep dogs; reserve, Dr. Knox's Bulldog—E. E. Francke's Ch. Leone Hazelwynn.	Mrs. Collins was graceful, with the step of youth and vigor, and she had a melodious voice. One theory was that the pair had eloped, and she was afraid of being recognized; but this seemed to be negatived by the fact that Tollies.	9 1 6
bloodhounds. Brace entered in the regular brace classes—First, W. Rutherford's fox terriers; second, Mrs. Tyler Morse's old English sheepdogs. Pointer dog—E. F. Heath's Branne's Bull terrier—J. Miles' Inferno. Fox terrier dog—Mrs. A. H. Higgin-	made no effort to hide his identity. Finally the story got abroad that she had been beautiful, but had her beauty destroyed through burning or scalding, so that she was now repulsive to look at. Her husband's affection was undi-	1 1 4 m

The Best Dogs in America.

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Pointer dog—E. F. Heath's Branne's Imp.

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Pointer bitch—G. R. Wakefield's Jess Pointer in field trial class—H. A. Wal-

romer in heid trial class—It. A. Waldron's Norwalk Primrose.
Pointer or setter winner at field trials—Norwalk Primrose.
English setter dog—G. C. Thomas, jun's. Governor Frank.
English setter bitch—Joe Lewis' Ch. Mallwyd Countess.

Norwalk Primrose.
English setter dog—G. C. Thomas, jun's. Governor Frank.
English setter bitch—Joe Lewis' Ch. Mallwyd Countess.
English setter in the field trial class—W. J. Carney's New England Rose.
Irish or Gordon setter—Dr. Wm. Jarvis' Ch. Shan Law.
Collie—William Ellery's Valdevere Faultless.

New Home Sessie.
Irish terrier bred in the United States or Canada—R. H. Johnson, jun's. Red Rushlight.
Brace of novices or puppies of any breed—Middlesex Hunt's foxhounds.
Largest and best exhibit of any one breed—Middlesex Hunt's foxhounds.
Best dog in the show of any breed, sex or age—W. Rutherford's Ch. Warren Remedy, fox terrier.

Lions for the Pope.

Naples, Feb., 16.—Two missionary priests have arrived here from Abysimia, having under their charge two splendid lions, in a huge cage, the gift of King Menelik to the Pope.

Karl Rapp, arrested after a ten-year chase for arson in Germany, committed auicide by hanging in a cellar in Philatogether with a message from the king, i delphis.

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DETROIT VS. HAMILTON:

The plan for the basketball match at the Alexandra rink next Friday night between Detroit and Hamilton opened on the Alexandra rink next Friday night between Detroit and Hamilton opened on Saturday at the Y. M. C. A. office. Arrangements are being made to accommodate the largest crowd that ever witnessed a basketball game in Hamilton. There is some doubt in the minds of the people that the local checks can keep Branston and Mellon from scoring. The last game that Branston played he scored 13 baskets, which speaks very highly of his old form. Manager Long received a photograph of the team, and Ald. J. P. Hennessey had kindly consented to put it in the window of his King street store.

SHORT ENDS.

New York, Feb. 17.—Acceptance of the challenge issued by Capt. Wolff, of the Columbia University chess team, on hehalf of that university. Harvard, Yale, Princeton, Cornell, Brown and Pennsylvania, to play for the Rice inter-collegiate trophy by cable, has been received from N. J. Roughton, president of the Oxford University chess club, who acts both for his own university and Cambon of the Captana and Ca both for his own university and Cam-bridge. The date, March 21, appears to be acceptable.

be acceptable.

London, Feb. 15.—The annual football match between Oxford and Cambridge was played at Queen's Club grounds today, and resulted in a victory for Oxford. The score was 4 to 1. Association rules were observed.

Toronto, Feb. 17.—The canal tourne; Toronto, Feb. 17.—The x ual tourney of the C. B. A. will open next Monday. The C. B. A. officials kaye decided to hold the entries open for a few days, but up to Saturday, the scheduled closing day, other entries were received from Erie, Pa., Niagara Falls, N. Y., and Ontario, Sepring, Ohio, Vancouver, Winnipeg, London, Ottawa, Hamilton, Montreal, Collingwood, Galt, Berlin and Peterboro. It is expected that 25 local teams will enter.

At the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium on

At the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium o Saturday night the senior Y. M. C. A. Saturday high the sentil 1. 3. C. 1. basketball team gave the Intermediate team a start of 25 points and defected them by a score of 39 to 38. In a game

GARIBALDI'S ROMANCE.

His Life in His Later Years.

Achille Fazzari, one of the closest per-sonal friends of Giuseppe Garibaldi, has revealed in an interview published in the Tribuna of Rome a romance in the ater years of the Italian patriot. heroine is a Mrs. Collins, an English wo-man, who with her husband lived on the Island of Caprera, where Garibaldi made

ton Nettle.

Bull terrier—J. Miles' Inferno.
Fox terrier dog—Mrs. A. H. Higginson's Ch. Endeliffe Prevent.
Fox terrier bitch—W. Rutherford's Ch.
Warren Remedy.
Irish terrier dog—J. R. Thorndike's
Thorncroft Sportsman.
Irish terrier bitch—J. G. Bates' Blarney Bessie.

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lation in which they lived.

This story held good until Colling died. His wife dug a grave for him with her own hards on a sheltered valley in Capriera. She remained on the island for some years, but she discarded the Then she was revealed as a beautiful

woman, and it was at once concluded that unreasoning jealousy on the part of her husband had driven them to soli-Now comes Fazzari with the state-

Now comes Fazzari with the statement that very shortly after Collins' death Garibaldi made the acquaintance of the beautiful widow. The result was a passionate friend-ship or platonic love, at least on the lady's side.

Fazzari savs she wrote numerous letters to Garibaldi. Peginning in 1890, when he was in Italy, taking part in the war of unification. All are couched in terms of devotion.

When asked what the end of the ro-

TRAVELERS' GUIDE

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM,

Miagara Falls, New York—13.0 a. m., 15.37 a. m., 19.6 a. m., 16.0 p. m., 71.05 p. m.

8t. Catharines, Niagara Falls, Butfalo—76.37 a. m., 19.0 s. m., 19.5 p. m., 11.00 a. m., 10.5 p. m., 11.00 a. m., 10.00 p. m., 16.6 p. m., 11.00 a. m., 11.00 p. m., 11.00 a. m., 13.00 a. m., 13.45 p. m., 15.35 p. m.

Brantford—11.12 a. m., 17.00 a. m., 13.00 a. m., 13.00 a. m., 15.00 a. m., 17.00 p. m.

Brantford—11.12 a. m., 17.00 p. m.

Paris, Woodstock, Ingersoil, London—11.12 a. m., 18.00 a. m., 18.00 a. m., 18.00 a. m., 19.05 p. m.

Bufford—1.12 a. m., 17.05 p. m.

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Guelph, Palmerston, 1800 a. m., 13.35 p. m., 17.05 p. m.

Jarvis, Port Dovar, Tilsonburg, Simoce—19.00 p.m., 17.05 p.m., 17.05 p.m.

8.00 a. m., [5.23 p. m.]

Gait, Preston, Hespeler—[8.00 a.m., [3.33 p.m., [17.05 p.m.]

Jarvis, Port Dover, Tilsonburg, Simcoe—[9.00 a. m., 19.10 a. m., [6.25 p. m., [6.28 p. m.]

Georgetown, Allandaie, North Bay Collingwood, eta.—[7.20 a. m., [4.05 p. m.]

Barric, Orillia, Hunteville—[7.20 a. m., 19.45
a. m., [11.20 a. m. and [9.05 p. m.]

North Bay and points in Canadian Northwest—[11.20 a. m., *8.55 p. m.]

*Toronto—[7.00 a. m., 7.55 a. m., *9.00 a. m.,

*10.46 a.m., [11.20 a.m., *11.30 a.m., *2.00 p.
m., *9.06 p. m.]

Burlington, Port Gredit, etc.—[7.00 a. m.,

*11.30 a. m., 16.35 p. m.

*20.00 p. m., *5.35 p. m.

*20.00 p. m.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

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7.40 a. m.—For Toronto, Linday, Bobcaygeon. Peterboro, Tweed, Kingston, Ottawa,
Montreal, Quebec, Sherbrooke, St. John, N.
B., Halifax, N. S., and all points in Maritime
Provinces and New England States. Tottenham, Beston, Alliston, Craighuret, Bala and
the Muekoka Lakes.

8.00 a. m.—For Toronto,
S.00 a. m.—For Toronto, Myrtle, Lindsay,
Bobcaygeon, Peterboro, Tweed, Brampton,
Fergus, Elora, Orangeville, Owen Sound,
Arthur, Mount Forest, Harriston, Wingham,
Tottenham, Alliston, Craighurst, and intermediate points.

6.05 p. m.—For Toronto.

8.15 p. m.—For Toronto.

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8.15 p. m.—Cally)—For Toronto, Peterbore,
Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, Sherbrooke, Portland and Boston, Sault Ste. Marie, Fort WilIlam, Winnipeg, Canadian Northwest, Kootenay, and British Columbia points.

Trains arrive—8:46 a. m. (daily), 10.25 a.m.,
Cally), and 2.10, 4.40, 6.15 (daily), 8.10 and
10.50 p. m.

TORONTO, HAMILTON & BUFFALO

Little Paragraphs of Sport From Far

Arrive Hamilton
**8.40 a. m. . . Detroit, Chicago and Toledo express. . . . **8.55 a. ma.

Toledo express. . . . **8.55 a. ma.

HAMILTON RADIAL ELECTRIC RAIL-ROAD—TIME TABLE. ROAD—TIME TABLE
Time Table taking effect, January 6th, 1508.
Cars leave Hamilton for Burlington and intermediate points: 6.10, 7.10, 8.30, 9.10, 10.19,
11.10 a. m.; 1.00, 2.30, 4.10, 5.30, 6.10, 7.45,
9.15, 11.10 p. m.
Cars leave Hamilton for Burlington and
Oakville: 6.10, 8.00, 10.10 a. m.; 1.00, 2.30,
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Road, No. 12, Canal Bridge, Hotel Bract,
Burlington and all Stations between Burlington and Oakville.
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Intermediate points: 6.00, 7.10, 8.00, 10.10 a.
m.; 2.10, 1.45, 2.15, 4.10, 5.10, 7.00, 8.30, 10.10,
9.36, 11.30 a. m.; 2.35, 4.00, 6.45, 9.45 p. m.
These cars stop at all stations between
Oakville and Burlington, Hotel Brant, Canal
Bridge No. 12

SUNDAY SERVICE

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Intermediate points: 8.10 a. m.; 1.10 a. m.;

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BRANTFORD & HAMILTON ELECTRIC RAILWAY—TIME TABLE. Commencing December 20th, 1907.
Leave Hamilton: 7.60, 8.30, 10.30 a. m.;
12.30, 2.30, 4.30, 6.20, 8.30 p. m.
Leave Ancaster: 7.20, 9.30, 11.30 a. m.;
1.30 3.30, 5.30, 7.30, 9.00 p. m.
On Wednesdays and Saturdays a special car will leave Hamilton at 10.30 p. m. This work until the minutes after the close of the sming performances at the different This time table to

This time table is subject to change at any time without notice SUNDAY SERVICE Sunday Service Leave Hamilton: 10.00 a. n.; 1°.30, 2.30, 4.30, 7.00, 8.30 p. m. Leave Ancaster: 10.30 a. m.; 1.39 3.30, 6.30, 7.30, 9.00 p. m.

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p. m. Leave Hamilton—9.15, 11.00 a. m., 12.40, 1.30, 2.80, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.15, 10.14 p. m.

HAMILTON, GRIMSBY & BEAMS VILLE ELECTRIC RAILWAY.

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WEEK DAY SERVICE

Leave Hamilton-7.10, 8.10, 9.10, 10.10 a. m.,
12.10, 1.10, 2.10, 3.10, 4.10, 5.10, 6.10, 7.10, 8.10,
10, 10.10, 11.10 p. m.

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6.15, 7.15, 8.15, 9.40 p. m.

SUNDAY TIME TABLE

Leave Hamilton-9.19, 10.10, 11.10 a. m.,
12.46, 2.10, 3.10, 4.10, 5.10, 6.10, 7.10, 9.10 p. m.

Leave Beamsville-7.15, 8.15, 9.15 a. m.,
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4.15 p. 20.

mance was Fazzari started a new mys-"Let it remain a secret," said he and

A Brazilian Convict Colony.

A Brazilian Convict Colony.

The penal colony of the State of Pernambuco, Brazil is on an island 300 miles off the coast. There are 600 convicts at present. They arise at 6 a. m. and work till 2 p. m. for the State, cultivating cotton of a superfine quality. After 2 o'clock they work for themselves. The island is one of the most orderly and productive bits of soil in Brazil. It is a model convict colony and the cheapest run of any in the world.

The group of islands to which the penal one belongs is where the equatorial and south equatorial currents divide, and it is surrounded by a triangular sheet of quiet sea full of all kinds of fish valuable commercially.—Chicago Tribure.

EMPHATIC DENIAL OF MERGER STORY.

(Continued from page 1.)

each other than ever before. "We're unpopular in Hamilton, but I do say we rescued Hamilton and gave it a rate of progress during the past ten years that the city never had before. If we accom-plish anything in Brantford, I hope we will be given credit for it," he concluded.

Mayor Stewart said to-day that Col Alayor Stewart said to-day that Coronel Gibson was very much mistaken as far as he was concerned if he thought the city had anything to do with bringing the Ontario Railway Board's engineers here last week to inspect the Hamilton Street Railway system. The Mayor says he is willing to forget the orders made by the board last year. The city signs then has made the amend. city since then has made the amendsatisfied the city can get a new or a very much improved street railway, and, he declares, that is the course he would have the city pursue.

The city has not yet received Colonel The city has not yet received Colonel Gibson's proposition regarding the fixing up of the Street Railway system. The sub-committee dealing with the matter is to make a report at the Board of Works meeting to-morrow night and Chairman Sweeney announced to-day that a conference would have to be held before then.

A former Hamilton resident who lived in Westmount, Montreal, for a number of years, advises the Hamilton munici pal authorities, if they want reliable in formation relative to snow cleaning, to write the Mayor of Westmount. In that write the Mayor of Westmount. In that place the walks are cleaned by the corporation, which employs a gang of laborers for the purpose, principally Italians. He says the walks there are always well cleaned and that he has the word of the Mayor that the increase in taxation is very small and the results most satisfactory.

The Beard of Works to-morrow night ill discuss the estimates and clean up lot of other small business that has een dragging along for several months.

The Markets Committee at its meeting this afternoon will pass the estimates for the departments under its control and deal with other small business.

AUTOS IN BUFFALO.

American Car Arrives There First-The Italian Called Back.

Bufaflo, Feb. 17.-After a sever-hour encounter with almost impassable mud and snow banks, the Thomas Flyer, the Buffalo-made and only American car in the world-beating New York-to-Paris race, led its competitors into Buffalo at 2.15 o'clock yesterday afternoon. From Williamsville to the Iroquois, the registering place, the Thomas was escorted by a corps of bugiers and dozens of automobiles that went out to meet it.

The crowd kept its patience and waited in the streets until the De Dion car (French) followed two hours and a half later, registering at 4.45 o'clock. The De Dion left Batavia thirty-three minutes after the Thomas, but after losing mud and snow banks, the Thomas Flyer,

utes after the Thomas, but after losing the route and being hauled out of a swamp by a team of horses, reached Buf falo with only a loss of two hours.

It is possible that the trip will no

be resumed until to-morrow morning. The drivers of the cars yesterday aftermoon favored the plan and a decision will be reached to-day. The Italian car, driven by Antonio Scarfoglio, arrived in Bufialo at 5.45 this morning, while the town was still asleep, and after going to a garage for a short time continued his trip west, under the impression that the two gars preceding were also on their way. The Italian was well out on the lake shore road when a telephone message was sent, advising him to return, check up and get certain papers, including his Pennsylvania license. It is understood that Scarfoglio is now on his way back. ned until to-morrow

RUMOR CONFIRMED

Of the Sale of Electrical Develope-

Toronto Out Feb. The rumor of a sale of the control of the Electrical Derelopment company to the McKenzie Mann interests is further confirmed by Mann interests is further confirmed by the issuance to-day of a circular calling a special general meeting of the shareholders of the Company for Feb. 26, for the purpose of considering, and it approved, of confirming a by-law passed by the Board of Directors providing for the conversion of one half of the capital stock of the company into preference shares, bearing a non-cumulative dividend at the rate of five per cent. per annum, the said preference shares being redeemable at any time at \$110 per share, and in the event of any distribution of capital among shareholders. per share, and in the event of any dis-tribution of capital among shareholders, upon liquidation or otherwise, each shareholder to be entitled to have fifty per cent of the shares standing in his name converted into in such preference share upon transferring the remaining fifty per cent as may be directed by the board.

FOR PLAY GROUNDS.

A meeting was held on Saturday in the City Hall for the purpose of dis-cussing the organization of a Play Grounds Association, the object be-ing to provide play grounds between Queen and Wellington and Stuart and Queen and Wellington and Stuart and Hunter streets, in the congested section. Those present were: Adam Brown, N. D. Galbreaith, Geo. Hope, Alfred Ward, Canon Forneret, Capt. McLaren, Rev. E. N. R. Brown, Rev. W. H. Sedgewick, Mrs. Woolverton, Mrs. Gibson, Lady Taylor, Mrs. P. D. Crerar, Miss Harris, Miss Bennette, Miss Wood.

It was decided to have Mr. J. J. Kelso here to address a meeting to be held at an early date, probably on Thursday afternoon.

TEA TABLE GOSSIP.

—Miss Katherine Murphy, of Strat-ford, is visiting her sister, Mrs. T. M. Power. -Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Mills leave this evening for Florida, to be absent about a month.

about a month.

—If "A Journeyman Plumber" sends to the Times his name and address, his letter will be published, but not the name and address.

—The fifth annual banquet of the local agents of the Union Life Assurance Company will be held Thursday evening at the Palace Hotel.

—Thomas Péarson, of Smithville, has been appointed clerk of the Third Divi-sional Court of the County of Lincoln, in place of Charles Grassie, resigned.

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—Prof. McLachlin, of Victoria College,
Toronto, will deliver a lecture this evening in Centenary lecture hall on "Egypt,
Past and Present," under the auspices of
the Centenary Literary Society.

—Mr. H. B. Coburn, President of the
Massey-Harris works, presented all his
young lady office clerks with tickets
for Bennett's Theatre on Friday evening last, thus giving them a treat, which
they much enjoyed, as well as helping they much enjoyed, as well as helping the fund of the Sick Children's Hospital.

The street lighting arbitration, which was to have been continued before Judge Snider this morning, was postponed till to-morrow, on account of Hon. J. M. Gibson being engaged at the meeting of the Dominion Power and Transmission Co.

-James Wade, Cannon street cast, as removed to the City Hospital on turday afternoon, in the patrol, to was removed to the City Hospital on Saturday afternoon, in the patrol, to have his ankle dressed. While at work he fractured several small bones in the ankle which were set by Dr. Carr and the injured man is doing very well to-

the injured man is using very went so day.

—Mr. E. Evans Smith, son of Mr. S. Frank Smith, the popular and well-known auctioneer, is renewing old acquaintances at his home in Clappison's Corners. Mr. Smith is a bright young man and holds an important position in the mantle department of The T. Eaton Company departmental store, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. George McDonald have

Company departmental store, forono.

—Mr. and Mrs. George McDonald have returned from Marbleton, Que.. where they were on Saturday attending the funeral of Mrs. McDonald's father. Mr. Curtis Bishop. Mr. Bishop, who was a lumber dealer, was accidentally killed by being crushed by a heavy log, which got beyond the control of the men who were handling it.

Flannelette slumber robes, 50c. white twill cotton slumber robes, 75c Pyjama suits, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.75.

waugh's, post office opposite.

MORDEN SUITS.

Cases of Both Husband and Wife Dismissed To-day.

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 17.-The application of James J. Morden, of West Flamapplication of his wife May Lilian Morden, of Dundas, for interium alimony, were dismissed by Justice Falconbridge to-day, Referring to the wife's motion, the judge said they were only married in November, 1903, since July, 1905, the wife had been harrassing the husband with lord proceedings. with legal proceedings.

UNION TO DECIDE

As to the Proposed Reduction of Wages.

A meeting of the Iron Moulders' Unon, of this city, is to be held on Wednesday evening, of this week, for Wednesday evening, of this week, for the purpose of considering the propo-stion made by the D. Moore Com-pany, on behalf of the stove founders of Hamilton, for a reduction of the scale of wages so as to enable the local firms to compete with the firms in other places where the scale is lower. The Moore Company men were not prepared to give an answer them-selves, but will lay the case before the Union.

BRYCE IN OTTAWA.

British Ambassador and Arrived To-day.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 17.-(Special.)-Hon, James Bryce, British Ambassador at Washington, and Mrs. Bryce, arrived at Washington, and Mrs. Bryce, arrived here at noon to-day. They were met at the railway station by Col. Hanbury Williams, Lord Grey's military secretary, Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, Chief Justice of Canada, and others. They drove straight to Government House, where Mr. and Mrs. Bryce will be guests for a week. On the 25th inst, Mr. Bryce will address the Canadian Club in Montreal,

RELIEF WORK.

Walnut Street Salvation Army Also In It.

In addition to the relief work being lone at the citadel of the Salvation done at the citadel of the Salvation Army, No. 2 corps is engaged in a good work at Walnut street. During the past week Ensign and Mrs. Clark were busy distributing baskets of food and also sent out coal to the value of over \$30. They are keeping up the work this week and purpose continuing it until the need has passed.

At the citadel to-day over 100 people were served with bread and soup. The army is receiving a fair amount of supplies.

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The men's meeting in Association Hall yesterday was well attended and those present listened to an address by Bishop Breyfogel, D.D., of Reading, Pa., who took for his subject, "The Value of a Soul." In a very forceful manner be impressed upon his audience the great importance of the soul, so valuable in the sight of God that even the wealth of the whole world will not balance the value of a single soul. He spoke also of the great price which was paid for the souls of men, and urged on his heartest he importance of the salvation of a possession so valuable.

THE WEATHER.

FORECASTS .- Fair and cold to-day and on Tuesday.

A depression situated in the west Paci-ic States is increasing quickly in energy, and high pressure is spreading into the vestern provinces from the northward. Light snow is falling in Alberta and Sas-katchewan, but the weather in Canada

generally is fair and moderately cold.

Washington, Feb. 17.—Eastern States and Northern New York—Fair, colder to-night, moderate cold wave in north portion; Tuesday fair, light to fresh winds.

Western New York-Snow flurries torught, colder in the eastern portion; Fuesday partly cloudy.

THIS DATE LAST YEAR. Fair and comparatively mild.

LATE SPORTING **NEWS**

The Gty Bowling League has arranged the following schedule for the first half of the series of games for the city team championship and the Herald Cup: Week of Feb. 17th; Tuesday—Hamilton II. vs. Tigers, Steel Plant vs. Pick-Ups.
Wednesday—Internationals vs. Brendas.

Friday--Printers vs. Gun Club, Fern-

igh vs. Westinghouse. Week of Feb. 24th: Tuesday—Brendas vs. Pick-Ups. Wednesday—Printers vs. Internation-

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(Received by A. E.

Buffalo
Cobalt Lake
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MORE WAR SHIPS.

Britain's Answer to Germany Wil be Next Year.

London, Feb. 17.—In view of the threatening attitude of that section

LOCAL OPTION.

The Saltfleet Scrutiny Case Adjourned Till Friday.

Toronto, Feb. 17.—Special).—Argument from holding a scrutiny upon the vote east on the local option by-law of the Township of Saltfleet was this morning adjourned till Friday next. Mr. Lynch-Staunton, counsel for the applicant was not ready to proceed. eant, was not ready to proceed.

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threatening attitude of that section of the Radical party, which advocates reduction in armaments, there has been much speculation as to whether the Government will persist in the determination, reached on advice of the Lords of Admirality, to submit dimerased naval estimates to Parliament. Those in position to know say they will, and backed by strong public opinion can carry them through without difficulty.

What these estimates provide for in the way of new construction is another question, that has been much discussed. A naval officer gives the following as the probable programme:

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Germany's refusal to agree at The Hague to the proposal to prohibit the placing of floating mines, has caused British activity in still another direction. Herefolore, this country has had but two mine laying vessels. Since The Hague conference adjourned, work has commenced on the conversion of the second class cruisers for this purpose.

LOCAL OPTION

Cospital benefit at Bennett's there will be an auspicious opening to-night. The boxes will be occupied by members of the City Council and their families, all but five of the aldermen having accepted the tickets sent by Miss Lewis. To-morrow night the employees of the Canadian Colored Cotton Co. will be out in force, and for Thursday night over 600 seats have been taken by employees of

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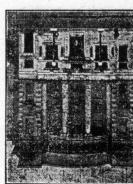
BRADFORD—In this city on Saturday, February 15th, 1998, Nancy, beloved wife of Asron Bradford, in her 62nd year.
Funeral from her late residence, 555 John Street North, on Tuesday afternoon to Simon Construct Methodist Church for cervices at 2 o'clock Friends will please accept this intimation.

JONES—In this city on the 16th inst., Brid-get Jones, wife of the late Thomas Jones, in her 70th year.

Funeral on Tuesday morning from her into residence, 230 Hunter East, at 5.30 to 52. Patrick's Cfurch, thence to Holy Sepul-chre Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation. MILES—In this city on Saturday, February 15, 1968, Elizabeth Miles, aged 69 years. Funeral from her late residence, 447 Catharine Street North, on Tuesday at 2.39 p m. Interment at Hamilton Cemetery. Friends please accept this intimation.

SAVAGE—At her late residence, 282 Main Street West, on Sunday, 16th February, 1908, Elizabeth Heard, widow of Edmund Savage, in her 76th year. Funcral Wednesday at 3.39 p. m. Inter-ment at Hamilton Cemetery. (Montreal, Toronto and Guelph papers please copy.)

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