

IS THIS MORE UNWRITTEN LAW

Baseball Player Shoots and Kills Vaudeville Singer.

Had Confessed to Improper Relations With Murderer's Wife.

Assassin Would Have Suicided But For His Little Boy.

Fort Worth, Texas, March 15.—Fred Morris, a baseball player, last night shot and instantly killed Otto H. Meyer, a vaudeville singer, in a room in a local hotel, after having obtained a written confession that his relations with Mrs. Morris were improper.

The two men came to the hotel together and were assigned to the same room. Shortly after they had retired the shots were heard. Meyer was found lying in a pool of blood, while Morris, upon the approach of the hotel authorities, calmly announced: "I guess I am the man you are looking for, I think the police need me."

After he and Meyer had reached the room, Morris declared, he read an incriminating letter, the significance of which Meyer admitted. He then forced Meyer to write and sign the confession, and then told him that he intended to kill him.

"Meyer extended his arms," said Morris, "and told me to shoot him through the heart, so that all would be over at once. I did as he suggested, and would follow him beyond the grave except for the fact that I have a little boy, who, I think, needs me to look after him."

Both men are from Deaton, Texas.

BOSTON PARADE.

Demonstration Against the Sentences of Gompers and Others.

Boston, March 15.—As a demonstration against the sentences of imprisonment upon the labor delegates, Samuel Gompers, John Mitchell and Frank Morrison, in the now prominent Buck Stove & Range Co. case by Judge Wright in the Superior Court of the District of Columbia, more than 5,000 members of labor unions paraded here yesterday.

A large meeting was held in Faneuil Hall, where a resolution was drawn up, in which it was alleged that the courts were biased and the laws directed at one class only. Judge Wright was accused of using "intemperate and bitter language to representatives of organized labor," and it was said that he "was not a fit person to handle the case."

Copies of the resolution were sent to President Taft, Vice-President Sherman and Speaker Cannon.

FIRE AND SWORD.

Persian Cutthroats Burn and Pillage Villages.

St. Petersburg, March 15.—A despatch to the Novoe Vremya from Julfa, on the frontier of Persia and Russia, says that 1,000 Persian Government horsemen and 500 infantry men are marching on Julfa from the Persian bank of the Araxes River, devastating the villages in their path and shooting down the people. Already ten villages, four of them inhabited by Russian subjects, have been pillaged and burned. The troops are ruthlessly killing the fleeing peasants. Many women, carrying their children on their backs, attempted to swim the Araxes to the Russian side, but they were shot down. Three hundred homeless families have taken refuge on an island in the river opposite Julfa.

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.

BECK BILL WOULD HOLD UP THE WORK

Crown Point People Discuss Annexation--Board of Education Members Score Stewart.

It looks as if the Beck bill, which is intended to prevent any Council from granting any franchise for longer than a year, will, if it becomes law, hold up the building of the new car sheds and shops. Officials of the Dominion Power & Transmission Company say that the bill becomes retroactive, dating from March 1. According to this bill the by-law granting the company the right to lay tracks on Sanford avenue and Wentworth street to connect with the car sheds would have to first be submitted to the people. The city officials are firmly of the opinion that the bill, in its present shape, will never pass the House. They say it would cause endless trouble.

Mrs. Thomas W. Watkins and Mrs. Robert Evans called on Mayor McLaren and left with him a petition to be signed by His Worship and the aldermen. It beseeches the Ontario Government to establish a Provincial institute or industrial home for the reception of feeble-minded girls and women, unmarried, between the ages of 14 and 45, and to provide for the custodial care of such women. The Mayor says he thinks it is a good idea, and that there should be an institution of this sort.

T. J. Stewart, M. P., was in the city over Sunday, and ran foul of the members of the Board of Education. A statement was made by one of the mem-



JOHN LENNOX, Commodore of the Royal Hamilton Yacht Club for 1909.

BIRRELL IS ON THE JOB.

Detective Bleakley Declined to Accept License Inspectorship.

Toronto, Ont., March 15.—(Special.)—Once again the Ontario Government has had a newly appointed officer in the license department to a query as the license department before really beginning work. John Bleakley, whose appointment to the license inspectorship of Hamilton was announced on Friday, has refused to accept the position, just as Henry Sheard did after his appointment to the license board of Toronto.

"We do not know anything about it, except that Mr. Bleakley has refused to act," was the reply made by an official of the license department to a query as to the situation. "There is no doubt that Mr. Bleakley accepted the position, but evidently has now changed his mind about it."

"Certainly, there is. Mr. Birrell was not notified, and you will no doubt find him in his office in Hamilton to-day." The Provincial Secretary was not in his office this morning, and no information concerning a possible nominee could be obtained.

BIRRELL STILL ON JOB.

"Well, you haven't moved out yet, Mr. Inspector," was the greeting a Times man gave Mr. Birrell this morning, when he entered the latter's office. "No, I have not retired yet," said Mr. Birrell, "and I have not received a scratch of a pen from the department giving me any indication that there is likely to be a change."

"I see by a report in the morning papers that you vacated the office on Saturday."

"I have not done anything of the sort. Naturally I am anxious to find out which way the wind is blowing, and to that end have not been doing much in the inspecting of hotels. I have not received a complaint from the department since I have been on the job. I am quite willing to lend all the assistance in my power to help the new man in getting a groundwork of his position. As far as I know now there is nothing to lead me to believe that there will be a change," concluded the inspector, with a smile.

Among the gossips it is said that Mr. Birrell has the promise of a better Government job; that Detective Bleakley has been advised to lay low and wait for changes in the Hamilton police force; that R. C. Pettigrew, James Kingdon and James Sturdy are being looked for by Birrell's job.

CANON CODY'S LECTURE.

A rich treat is in store for the public on Wednesday evening next, at the Conservatory of Music, "Irish Social Life a Hundred Years ago," is the subject that will receive masterly treatment at the hands of this scholarly and eloquent divine.

A public meeting of the ratepayers of Crown Point and surrounding districts was held in the new room in rear of the Methodist Church, to consider the question of providing sewer facilities for that part of the township of Barton.

Mr. J. H. Plunkett was elected to the chair, and Mr. John Burgoyne, secretary. Rev. J. W. Gago was at the meeting, and was the first speaker called upon. He spoke at some length, explaining the ideas of the Council with regard to sewerage, and on the question of annexation, asked that the hands of the Council should be strengthened in dealing with the city on the question, to see that the interest of that portion of the district to be annexed were fully protected as to water supply and sewerage, etc.

Many questions were put to him, to which he replied in every case. The following (Continued on Page 5.)

KINRADE TRAGEDY IS ALL ABSORBING

Although the Intense Excitement of Last Week is Over the Interest is Maintained.

Friends Characterize the Treatment the Family Has Been Subjected to as Cruel in the Extreme.

Hardly Likely That the Inquest Can be Concluded in One More Session—May Recall Members of Family.

For the first time in two weeks Hamilton has an opportunity to sit back and calmly survey the Kinrade tragedy after a welcome relax from the tension imposed by the intensely thrilling and dramatic climaxes of this sensational murder mystery. The city is deserted by the army of newspaper correspondents, attracted from all over the country by this remarkable case, and it is taken for granted that there will be no further developments until Coroner Anderson's jury sits again to resume the enquiry which was brought to such a dramatic close on Friday evening, when Florence Kinrade, at the end of a three hours' grilling cross examination by the inexorable Blackstock, emitted that piercing scream, "I see the man, I see the man. He will shoot me; he will shoot me."

The belief is general here that the real crisis will be reached on Friday evening next. It is also believed to be the crown's intention to place Florence Kinrade on the stand again, and perhaps her mother also. A prominent criminal lawyer, "else he would have objected to much of the irrelevant stuff that was gone over, time and time again."

FAMILY RETAIN MR. STAUNTON.

The Kinrade family have retained George Leach-Staunton, K. C., to look after their interests at the inquest, and when the jury meets again, Mr. Staunton will be there. Not the slightest objection has been made by any of the family yet to the way the enquiry has been conducted. Mr. Thomas Hobson has been present in the family's interest at

all the sessions, but has offered no objections to any of the questions asked any of the witnesses. He has allowed the crown to repeat, time and time again, in the most pointed manner, questions that have been answered unhesitatingly already and has never once sought to prevent the subjection of the members of his client's family to questions which even some of the jurors afterwards characterized as being heartless. "Stern duty is heartless" anyway, said one of the foremost lawyers in Hamilton when discussing the case after Friday's examination of Miss Florence, and Mr. Blackstock saw nothing but duty.

The very fact that Mr. Hobson allowed Miss Florence to undergo a three-and-a-half-hour grilling on Friday, on the very same question, very largely with which she was tortured on Wednesday, has had an effect upon the public mind. "It is unmistakably evident that Mr. Hobson is absolutely certain that the family has nothing to hold back; has no desire in the matter except the clearing up of the tragedy," said a prominent criminal lawyer, "else he would have objected to much of the irrelevant stuff that was gone over, time and time again."

Friends of the family feel, however, that the Kinrades have submitted to enough up and down the corridor outside on Friday evening was the climax. While her hysterical cries, sounding almost like maniacal laughter, rang through the building, Ernest Kinrade stood up and down the corridor outside the room where his sister was being cared for, and denounced the officials who were responsible for the terrible experience his sister passed through. Different papers, too, have taken the mat-

ter up, and declared that the probing in this case is unprecedented in the history of coroner's juries. Some of them refer to it as "the third degree in public."

Members of the family, too, are annoyed at the sensational reports that have appeared in some papers, principally the American yellow journals. There is little chance of getting any satisfaction out of them through the courts, but it is said that there is a way of proceeding against the local correspondents on charges of criminal libel, and that an attempt will be made. The family complains that one of the worst offenders has been a Detroit afternoon paper, and Mr. Staunton's first statement in connection with the matter was that he would notify the newspapers that they would be held responsible for all the libellous reports which have been published about Miss Kinrade and other members of the family.

MONTROSE WRIGHT COMPLAINS.

C. Montrose Wright, Florence's fiancé, is one of those who complains bitterly about the treatment his sweetheart has been subjected to, and in an interview he said: "Mr. Blackstock might as well have asked the girl the direct question as to cast such insinuations as he did in his last question, and great heavens, man, do you think that if that girl knows more about the case than she has told, or who shot her sister, or that if she, as some people are base and vile enough to insinuate, had shot her sister, that she could bear up under the agonizing torture of seven hours on the stand? Why the greatest criminal on earth would give way under such pressure. I'm so firmly convinced that that girl is innocent that—that—" and Mr. Wright was unable to give adequate expression to his thoughts. (Continued on Page 5.)

FERRY LINE.

Boat to North Side of the Bay This Summer.

Woodman Brothers are pushing along arrangements for the ferry service which they propose to run on the bay during the summer. They have arranged for a boat which will carry 100 people and for a pavilion boat for pleasure purposes, which will have a large carrying capacity, and a deck surface of 170x26 feet. It is the promoters' intention to give a four-trip service during the summer. The boat will leave the foot of Hughson street, sail to Brown's wharf, and then call at points as far west as Rock Bay, including the R. C. Cemetery. It is the intention of the Messrs. Woodman to ultimately give a full north side service.

STOLE \$196.

D. Fairchild, Tiffany Street, Victimized by a Robber.

Burglars entered the home of D. Fairchild, 12 Tiffany street, on Saturday between 7 a. m. and 7 p. m. through a back window, and stole \$196 that was hidden between two mattresses. The police are investigating.

LEFT ESTATE OF \$82,000.

Wills Probated and Estates Entered for Administration.

In the list of wills entered for probate, that of James Thomson, lumber dealer, is valued at \$82,407.66. The widow, Louise Thomson, is given a life interest in the estate. After the death of the widow, the two daughters, Mary Louise and Muriel Ernestine, and the son, John A. C. Thomson, will divide the estate, share and share alike. The estate is made up as follows: Household goods and furniture \$1,500.00 Stock in trade \$13,757.75 Horses, wagons \$682.00 Office furniture \$75.00 Book debts and promissory notes \$10,589.36 Money secured by life insurance \$5,000.00 Bank stock and other stocks \$7,168.00 Cash in bank and on hand \$8,985.15 Real estate \$5,000.00 \$82,407.66

The will of John Hanrahan, who kept the Nelson House for years, has been entered. The estate is valued at \$21,207. To his brother, James Hanrahan, he left \$2,000, and the balance to his wife, Elizabeth Hanrahan. Among the items are: Real estate, \$2,500; cash in bank, \$14,460.27; Britannia Athletic Park Association, one share, \$100; stock in trade in the Nelson House, \$4,000.

Henry O'Reilly, banker, who died a few weeks ago, leaves the whole amount of his estate, \$10,391.93, to his wife. The following is the rest of the wills entered for probate: Talbert Carey, Freeport \$6,764.22 John Whittaker, Salford \$3,991.99 Philip Wastick, Ancaster \$8,191.50 Jo'n Burgess, city \$428.69 Richard Webber, Glanford \$8,121.36 Mrs. Mary Ann Nelligan, city \$3,888.00 Mrs. Ernestine Bull, Waterdown \$3,670.30 Mrs. Martha Eliza Hunt, city \$4,274.11 Joseph Mason, city \$6,892.83 John Parkin, Binbrook \$7,537.00 Mrs. Ann Ray, Waterdown \$5,475.99 Administration has been applied for in the following estates: Robert Thomson, city \$160.00 James Stradwick, city \$95.00 Mrs. Ellen Rutherford, city \$918.35 Benjamin Temple, city \$1,133.33 Thomas McNoah, city \$137.00 Mrs. Margaret Temple, city \$3,400.00 Arthur C. Jones, of Barton \$5,094.00 Miss Agnes Grant, city \$1,875.77 Mrs. Catherine Sullivan, city \$272.00 Thomas P. O'Connor, city \$160.00

ST. KITTS LICENSES.

Report That They Will be Cut Down to Twelve.

St. Catharines Mayor Very Sick With Pleuro-Pneumonia.

(Special Despatch to the Times.)

St. Catharines, Ont., March 15.—A rumor has been going the rounds here this morning that the Provincial Secretary has sent instructions to the City License Commissioners in response to the request of the City Council expressed in a resolution at its last meeting, to accede to the wishes of the people and grant but twelve hotel licenses for the ensuing license year, instead of the nineteen, as at present. The Chairman of the Board could not be found this morning to have the report confirmed or denied. Commissioner Hudson, however, said that as far as he knew no definite instructions had been received. Commissioner Dunlop, when called up on the phone, said he had heard nothing of any such instructions. Both of the Commissioners, when spoken to, however, left the impression on the mind of the correspondent that they expect some such favor. Mayor Campbell is very ill at his home on Church street, of pleuro-pneumonia. He was reported this morning to have passed a fairly good night.

THE MAN IN OVERALLS

Easter openings. Come out, ladies. Good Friday is next in line.

Keep quiet and let others do the worrying about the tragedy. The Saturday market will soon be worth getting up in the morning to see. Flowers bloom in the spring, etc.

Now, who was Mr. Birrell's executioner? Is his decapitation to go thundering down the ages as another Hamilton mystery?

Suppose the pumps were to give out, wouldn't it be awful, Mabel?

Is Mr. Barker earning his money down an Ottawa this season? He is strangely silent.

Some people are already talking about moving down to the Beach. What do you think of that?

Those people who are so positive they have got the right theory should claim the \$2,000 reward.

If the Tories cannot trust Allan Studholme with Hamilton business, what's the matter with Dan Reed or Gordon Wilson?

Now here is Adam Beck with a bill to close the courts against the people. This country is getting more like Russia every day.

Some of my contemporaries seem unable to get type big enough or black enough for head lines with which to scream loud enough.

The aldermen who did not attend the car barn meeting may be able to prove an alibi.

But then Mr. Hendrie may be able to pay his own way, and would rather do that than sponge upon the Province.

After having read some of the reports of the Kinrade tragedy inquest in the Yankee paper, I agree with the Windsor Record that "they are a disgrace to journalism."

The Spectator, I understand, still sticks to its theory that when the ice breaks up in the bay it sinks to the bottom. Gets waterlogged, I suppose.

The man who shot Constable Smith would confer a favor by calling at the police station and identifying himself.

C. Montrose Wright is the goods all right. A lover any girl might be proud of.

Brighten Up. A coat of paint goes a long way towards making a room look clean and cheerful. Island City paints or japaic will help to make your home cosy. We have alabaster and kalsomine in stock, also a full line of brushes. Call and see them.—Parke & Parke, druggists.

Bargains in Good Cigars. La Fortunas, 4 for 25c; J. C. F.'s, 4 for 25c; Arabelas, 4 for 25c; Van Hornes 4 for 25c; Irving's, 4 for 25c; Barrister's 4 for 25c; at peace's cigar store, 107 King street east.

CUT HIS THROAT.

Attempt to Kill Man and Conceal Crime by Fire.

Dying Man Gave Name of Assassin Who Attacked Him

Monticello, N. Y., March 15.—Bernard Solomon was found dying from terrible wounds in his house here to-day, the circumstances indicating that an attempt had been made to kill him, and that the dwelling had been fired in an effort to conceal the crime. Thomas Walsh, in passing, discovered the house on fire, and found Solomon in the attic with his throat cut and several long knife slashes on the body. The wounded man was hastily dragged from the burning house and given stimulants to revive him. In a moment of consciousness he gave the police the name of a man who he said had tried to kill him and had set fire to the house. The dwelling was burned to the ground. While it was still ablaze the police went to work on the case, and made a number of arrests. It is believed that the crime was committed in the barn adjoining the house, as a trail of blood led from the barn to the house, and upstairs to the attic chamber.

U. S. CONGRESS.

Opening of Extraordinary Session of the 61st Congress.

Washington, March 15.—Precisely at noon to-day the extraordinary session of the 61st Congress called by the President for the purpose of enacting tariff legislation, began. The Senate already has to its credit a brief session of the new Congress, this being customary following the incoming of a new administration, in order that Cabinet and other appointments might be confirmed. As is always with the convening of a new Congress, great crowds were attracted to the Capitol, but only a small percentage of these were able to gain admittance to either chamber.

SELECTING A MAYOR.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 15.—The City Council is in session to-day for the purpose of selecting a successor to former Mayor Harper, who resigned last Thursday night, facing an election on his recall, the first election of the kind ever held in any American city for the recall of a mayor. Since his resignation was accepted on the following morning by the council, the city has been without a mayor.

MR. BEST IN LONDON.

Mr. T. F. Best addressed the men's meeting in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium, London, yesterday afternoon. His subject was "Heroes of the Yeld." Major Winn, of the London Infantry School, was chairman. The London Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon men's meeting has the largest attendance of men in Canada, upwards of 500 attending regularly.

LEFT \$2,000 TO CHURCH.

Kingston, March 15.—The late Mrs. William Braden, of Williamsburg, bequeathed two thousand dollars to the trustees of Princess Street Methodist Church. The bequest came as a great surprise to the congregation.

ROUND-UP CONTINUES.

A "Regular" Given Three Months at Hard Labor.

Grimby Farmer Found Visit to the City Expensive.

B. B. Morden Committed For Trial at Higher Court.

The vag. round-up goes merrily on, the police drag net resulting in three cases in the police court this morning. Constables Cameron and Barrett have been doing plain clothes duty for the past week, and their efforts have been wholly confined to gathering in the suspicious characters that haunt the side streets and saloons and pick up a living by begging. Their work has been done in an intelligent, careful way, and Hamilton people have reason to congratulate themselves that these two officers have given them a measure of relief already.

The disappearance of Thomas Dixon will be the cause of considerable rejoicing amongst the hotel proprietors. This worthy has an unconquerable aversion to hard work, and previous to his arrest spent his time hanging around saloons. F. C. Cameron reported that Dixon would not work as long as he could get a living by begging. "I have made enquiries and found that this man has been sleeping in stables and box cars," said the officer.

"Have you any possessions, such as a trunk?" asked the magistrate. "No, I sold it about two months ago," replied the vag.

"I have no confidence in a man who has no clothes other than those on his back," remarked the magistrate. "I guess we will have to take care of you until the warm weather sets in. You are sentenced to three months in jail with hard labor."

Hugh Walsh pleaded not guilty when charged with vagrancy. James Buchanan, for his idleness was the fact that he was unable to secure work, he explained. "Have you got a trunk?" asked the magistrate.

"Yes, sir, in Brantford," answered Walsh. The magistrate then took the address of the house where the trunk is supposed to be, and remanded Walsh until inquiries can be made.

One of the most surprised individuals in the court room was James Buchanan, when charged with vagrancy. "Had he not worked until a week ago? The deuce! A man should be able to take little holiday occasionally."

"Have you a trunk?" queried the court. "I have, and it is stored just across the street," replied the indignant one. "I'll give you a chance to get to work, but don't forget what will happen if you come back here without the magistrate, as he dismissed the case."

Edgar Kitchen, a Grimby farmer, came to Hamilton Saturday afternoon with \$32 in his pocket and a determination to find a "time" in his head. Yesterday afternoon about 6 o'clock P. C. Clark came across him in an alley off

SICK IN JAIL.

Sad Fate of a Canadian Undesirable in Detroit.

Detroit, Mich., March 15.—Delay in the receipt of deportation papers may cost the life of a Canadian girl from St. Thomas, Ont., who now lies in serious condition in St. Mary's Hospital. The girl was locked up in the county jail by the federal authorities on a charge of being an undesirable. Details of her case were sent to Washington and deportation papers asked for, but it was not until a few days ago that they arrived as far as can be learned. In the meantime the girl fell ill with a kind of tuberculosis, and grew worse rapidly and was removed to the hospital. If she recovers she will be sent to her home.

THOS. HOBSON ON KINRADE MURDER.

Made No Objections to Blackstock's Questions Because Family Had Nothing to Hold Back.

From now until Friday night, when the coroner jury meets again, to probe the Kinrade murder mystery, the detectives will devote their time to hunting up new evidence, in the hope of throwing some light on the mystery. They are reported to be working on a new theory. Although they have clung to one central theory since the inquest opened, they have had in mind at least two others, and that is clearly shown by the wide scope of the investigation. The local officers declared to-day that there was positively nothing new, and Provincial Detective Miller, who has charge of the case, was not at police headquarters this morning. Before coming to Hamilton on Saturday he had an interview with Hon. J. J. Foy, the Attorney-General. When asked immediately after if there were any new developments, he declared there was not.

REPORTERS REFUSED NEWS. Reporters called at the home of Nurse Walker this morning to enquire as to the health of Mrs. and Miss Kinrade. Mrs. Walker came to the door and said that the nurse was ill and would see no one. Asked if the family were staying with her, she said she could not speak as to that, and she refused to say anything about their condition. While the newspapermen were at the door Miss Florence Kinrade put her head cautiously

out of the parlor door and had a glance at the visitors. She withdrew indignantly. The police, when spoken to before the visit, were very mysterious about the place where the Kinrades were staying. Miss Gertrude Kinrade was out for a walk this morning, but was the only member of the family seen on the street. Other members were out walking yesterday.

INVESTIGATING AT GODERICH. Crown Attorney Washington was seen to-day by a Times reporter, and showed an inclination to discuss the weather, rather than the murder, about which he was asked several questions. Speaking of the despatch in a morning paper, that Miss Kinrade stayed at a hotel a week in Goderich and the reference to the Elliott and Robinson families, Mr. Washington remarked that this would seem to contradict some of the statements that the girl made on the stand on Friday afternoon and evening. "We knew about Sadie Chambers and the other family of Robinsons long ago," said the Crown Attorney, "but we do not know that she stayed there. However, I will know the whole facts of her stay in Goderich in a very short time."

"How is that?" he was asked. "Goderich is my native town," he said, with a smile, "and I am having some private enquiries made that will be accurate." He expects word in a few days from this source, and stated that he would bring witnesses here, if necessary.

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The Earl's Mistake

"Or supper?" says Carrie. "Or supper?" says Mr. Harrington. "There ought to be a law passed prohibiting elderly men from attending this kind of thing! Good-night! I wish I were going to bed as early as you will be!"

"But—" he pleads. "No more," she says, with a smile. "I didn't mean to dance at all."

TIMES PATTERNS.



No. 8401—Box pleats are introduced in the make-up of this pretty blouse waist, shown in a development of bias satin.

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

It will take several days before you can get patterns.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS.

ROBBING I. C. R. A System of Frauds Alleged Against Officials.

Montreal, March 14.—What is said to be a series of frauds against the Government has been brought to light, and several of the higher officials of the I. C. R. in this city and Montreal are implicated.

DISEASE, INSANITY. Strange Case of Auricular Abscess at Cobourg Jail.

Cobourg, March 14.—A young man named Sam Yates was brought to the Cobourg jail recently from the eastern part of the county violently insane.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

Notice to Housekeepers. When buying house supplies do not forget to order Gerrie's Perfection Baking Powder.

MACDONALD SCHOOL BURNED. Forty-Thousand-Dollar Building at Kingston, N.B., Destroyed.

St. John, N. B., March 14.—A telephone message received from Sussex, N. B., says that the consolidated school building at Kingston, N. B., was destroyed by fire to-night.

Brockville Boy Badly Injured. Brockville, Ont., March 14.—A peculiar accident befell a lad named Jas. Redgate yesterday.

CREOSOLENE ANTISEPTIC TABLETS. A simple and effective remedy for SORE THROATS AND COUGHS.

AT R. MCKAY & CO'S. TUESDAY, MARCH 16, 1909. HAMILTON'S MOST PROGRESSIVE STORE.

SPECIAL SHOWING OF TAILOR-MADE SUITS AND COATS.

The largest and best showing of Suits and Coats ever shown by us in all the popular styles and colors. A visit to this splendid department will convince you.

Tailor-made Suits at \$15.00. A large assortment to select from in all the popular up-to-date styles and colors.

Tailor-made Suits at \$18.50. Very handsome models, including the hipless and dretroire styles.

Spring Coats \$5.50. Box and semi-fitting models, in castor and black chiffon broadcloths.

Purchased From the Toronto Wholesale Bankrupt Stock. Many lines are now being cleared at this store from these well-known Toronto wholesale importers.

Another Shipment of Shadow Striped Dress Goods. Worth Regular 65c. Sale Price 39c.

Another shipment of smart up-to-date Dress Goods in a Tuesday flurry.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT! Grand Spring opening display will take place on Thursday, March 18th.

Special Sale of Black Taffeta Silk 39c. To-morrow we will offer a special sale of 400 yards of Black Taffeta Silk.

Special Values for Tuesday. Cambric 12 1/2c. Pillow Cotton 18c.

R. MCKAY & CO.

HUMBLE HEIRESS. Northampton Woman's Windfall to be Subject of Law-Suit.

Northampton, Eng., is greatly excited over the report that a humble resident of the town is heiress to the greater portion of the huge fortune left by a New York millionaire.

Concealed in Master's Pocket He Managed Many Thefts. Following a shabbily dressed man, whose visits to various establishments were always associated with theft.

MONKEY THIEF. The detective walked up to the visitor, and at once arrested him. They also captured the monkey, for such it was.

STRUCK BY BRANCH. Herbert Lawrence, of Toronto, Killed in Egremont.

Durham, Ont., March 13.—Herbert Lawrence, a young man nineteen years of age, was fatally injured on his father's farm in Egremont township.

TRAVELER'S GUIDE

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM. Niagara Falls, New York—7:30 a.m., 5:31 p.m., 9:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 7:10 p.m., 7:20 p.m.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY. 7:40 a.m. for Toronto, Lindsay, Bobcaygeon, Trenton, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, Sherbrooke, St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., and all points in the Maritime Provinces and Newfoundland.

TORONTO, HAMILTON & BUFFALO RAILWAY. Arrive Hamilton 7:05 p.m., Buffalo Express 7:50 a.m., 8:05 p.m., Buffalo and New York Express 8:50 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 10:50 a.m., Niagara Falls, Buffalo, New York and Boston Express 6:20 p.m.

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POPE AGAIN ILL. Physicians Protest, However, That He Has Only a Cold.

Rome, March 14.—The Pope is again ill and all audiences have been stopped. The physicians insist that the Holy Father shall remain in bed, and it is not likely that any audiences will be granted until a complete recovery is reported. The inauguration of the new picture gallery, which was fixed for March 18th, has been postponed. Dr. Peitavi persists in the statement that His Holiness is only suffering from a cold. It is likely, however, that the Pope is suffering from bronchitis, coupled with a recurrence of the gout.

War has broken out in Central America, an engagement having taken place between three Nicaraguan gunboats and the "Presidente" of Salvador. Mexican and United States interference will probably be the final outcome.

Many women voted in the municipal elections at Copenhagen, displaying excellent organization.

"CANADA." (Written for the Times.) Out of the south the song sparrow returns, Sing with joy, Canada, Can-a-da, As though his being had for thee long yearned.

For thee, my native land, O Canada! So, like you bird, my spirit greets my home, Out where the woodland drummer sounds his roll, And rapid roaring foam; Yeal muse with thee, thou mouder of my soul, God's open book where wisdom's temple glow.

Oh, happy happy home! o'er whom aloft Earth's banner of greatness waves; on whom time Has showered his blossoming blessing off, And opened thy bosom with a love divine, To the peaceful blue of skies dominion; Ah! thou art yet only in thy childhood Of budding strength; yet, yet but a shadow.

Of thy future pinions, Progressing on up, 'mid love's lusthood, To mountain peaks of fame and after-glow.

For lo! he must be blind who cannot see The golden glitter of thy vast unknown; Ah! in thy kindred lake's thrilling beauty, Rich charm of thine that is 'mid all time own; Yeal in thy tumbling grandeur power to wheel

The future generations of the north, Of those rich realms of silver and of gold, And sleeping virgin fields That woo man's energy to sprout them forth To swaying crops of increase manifold.

Oh, magic youth of beauty and of peace! Thou, life of hope that, like a star sublime, Lead'st the world's wise van to thy increase

Whither, Oh, whither are there scenes so thrilling, so full of life and cheer, Whither such soil blessed with such skies of blue, And grand wild crowning charms of ecstasy?

Whither, whither such leaping land and sea, O, home of light canoe! Of mighty mountains throned in majesty, And giant forests breathing life supreme.

Dear, dear art thou, O home of loveliness! Dearer than heartfelt joys of pulsing spring; Than worldly selfishness or happiness; Than all the wealth or pomp of alien things; Greater than love of life what time duty Calls forth to arms where'er the tyrant be;

Than wealth of home, for 'tis part of thee, O land of liberty! Land of the maple and grand brilliancy; Sweet flowers of fragrance and winged minstrelsy!

O harvest lands flushing with merry calm; Long may thy banners breast the winds that blow; Long may we sip the fruits of Abraham, And o'er thy honeyed realms bend love's rainbow;

O happy heritage where youth is power, Where blushing virtues smile in love and song, And cheery climates yield prosperity, Long may sweet peace be ours, Glory and honor mould our heroes strong, And heavenly blessings crown our unity.

—W. M. J. A CURE FOR COLDS. Ozone's the thing to cure catarrh, So the doctors hold, Which word, as 'phases aware you are, Is just the Greek for "cold."

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The briny breeze they there inhale Will soon their cold ally, And, if due time's allowed, can't fail To blow them clean away.

But should you, wishing time to save To quiet ways incline, Then dip your head beneath a wave And snuffle up the brine.

For once it gets your nose inside (The Faculty affirms), Twill play the prompt bacillicide With all catarrhic germs.

We tried the cure, so know it's true; But yet, by truth controlled, Must own that, of these evils two, 'Tid rather face the cold! J. J. W. Toronto, March 13, 1909.

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BATTLE OF HASTINGS Preparations Being Made For the New One in London.

OVER THE RIVER. Brother Pettingill Stuck Fast to the Windsor Ferry.

London March 14.—Britain is preparing for a new battle of Hastings on Wednesday next. This is no military necessity on the expectation of there being actual hostilities, but the scheme is to show how troops may be transported under novel conditions from London and assembled on the sea front of St. Leonard's, although the landing place of William in 1066 was Pevensey. This movement is devised by the War Office to carry out the idea of conveying troops by automobiles. The hypothesis is that on England being invaded the railway lines will be blown up, and so a volunteer motor-car corps has been mobilized to carry reinforcements to the fighting line with ammunition, machine guns, food, water, blankets and medical equipment.

Windsor, March 14.—Because he objected to acknowledging his identity, and declined to state whether he possessed sufficient funds to make him eligible to enter Canada, Francis Pettingill, a member of a religious brotherhood, spent several hours on the Detroit River yesterday. Mr. Pettingill, who is a member of the Christian Brothers, and is known as Brother Francisco, was on his way from Cincinnati to Chatham to enter a retreat to be conducted there during the Lenten season. He was unacquainted with border customs, and when a Canadian customs officer demanded his name, address and further particulars as to his financial standing, he refused point blank to answer what he termed impertinent questions.

RUSSIA PAYS UP. Cap. Copp Returns to Victoria With Sealers' Money.

COBALT FEVER. Thirteen-Year-Old Boy Goes to Make His Fortune.

Victoria, B. C., March 14.—Capt. W. H. Copp, formerly a well-known sealer, has returned here after an absence of thirteen years to distribute the award of over \$23,000 from the Russian Government in settlement for the claim for the illegal seizure of the schooner Vancouver Belle off the Commanderofski Islands in the summer of 1892, for which the St. Petersburg Government made payment, as well as for the Carmelite, while the claims of the Rosie Olsen and Maria were waived by Canada's representative in order to obtain this settlement. Capt. W. H. Copp is now master of the British steamer Katherine Parke. Captain Copp was given the seized schooner Rosie Olsen by the Russians to bring the complement of captured sealers back to Victoria, and endeavored to retain possession of her. He was part owner of the Vancouver Belle, for whose seizure by a Russian cruiser off Copper Islands payment was made. Capt. De Laveron, who commanded the Zabraka, which made the seizure, was found to have been insane at the time.

Montreal, March 14.—Over a week ago Lionel Trudel, a thirteen-year-old boy, disappeared from his home at Point St. Charles, and since then his mother and the police have been seeking for him. To-day his mother received a wire from the Chief of Police of Cobalt saying her son was there. It turned out that the boy had heard of the great fortunes to be made in Cobalt, and decided to try his hand at the get-rich-quick game. He drew out all his savings from the bank, amounting to \$25, borrowed a picture of his mother and left for Cobalt without saying a word to his mother. To the police in Cobalt he said that he had hoped to get a fortune for his mother. Archdeacon Reimison, of Mooseonee, speaking in England, spoke of the trend to Canada of German Catholic settlers as a menace to the Anglican Church.

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought. Bears the Signature of

THE HAMILTON TIMES

MONDAY, MARCH 15, 1909.

AN EXTREME MEASURE.

Our contemporary, the Herald, declares that "Hon. Adam Beck's bill providing for the submission to the rate-payers of all municipal by-laws and contracts of more than one year's duration is a good democratic measure."

But we are far from giving this particular measure such sweeping approval as our contemporary gives it. To us, it is but one more illustration of the extremes rushed into by ambitious, but pin-headed, "statesmen" who might have succeeded admirably at the directing end of a buccaw or shovel, but who, projected into the field of politics and practical economics, become as intellectually constructive as the proverbial bull in a china shop.

But there are indications that the eulogies of this measure are intended to serve as bearers of compliments to the present council as viewed in comparison with the last one in reference to regarding the interests and will of the rate-payers. Was it prudent to thus challenge criticism?

Glance at the situation. An admittedly proper provision of the municipal law is the one which forbids councils to impose debts upon the ratepayers without their consent, by law voted upon by them. Yet at this very time the Hamilton Mayor and Council are busy getting the Provincial Government to put through a bill to set aside this statutory prohibition in protection of the rate-payers' rights, and to enable the Council, thus complimented for its great respect for the will of the ratepayers, to incur hundreds of thousands of dollars of debt and charge it against their property, without asking their permission? The case is even more flagrant. Much of the debt for which this money is wanted was illegally expended; and it has twice already been asked of the ratepayers and twice refused by them, within five months, the first time by 263 majority, and the second time by 1,086!

Let us be understood: We are not contending that the money which the Council is asking the Government to let it spend and charge to the city debt will be mispent. It may be well applied. But the illustration is apropos to the muck-puff, and, we hold, crude Beck bill forbidding the most trivial contract extending over the current year to be entered into by a Council without vote of the people. And it renders "odorous" the comparisons of this Council's scrupulous deference(?) to the will of the rate-payers expressed in popular vote, as compared with last year's Council's renewable one year or five-year light and power contracts.

"MURDER WILL OUT."

A Times reader greatly interested in the inquiry into the murder mystery asks us who was the author of the saying "Murder will out," and, further, wishes us to say if we believe it.

We cannot name the author of the proverb in that literal form; but the same sentiment in varying verbal dress has been expressed by many. Shakespeare in "Hamlet," his is:

"Murder, though it have no tongue, will speak With most miraculous organ."

Dryden puts the idea in these words: "Murder may pass unpunished for a time, But tardy justice will overtake the crime."

We might multiply illustrations to show that many authors held the view that "murder will out." As to our believing it, we must be allowed to introduce a qualification. We may accept it as the rule; but unfortunately that there are many murders that remain a mystery to human eyes is all too well known. However, society's objection to being

THE MURDERER'S SECRET.

(This masterpiece of forensic eloquence is extracted from the address of Daniel Webster to the jury in the Joseph White murder trial at Salem.)

"Against the prisoner at the bar, as an individual, I cannot have the slightest prejudice. I would not do him the smallest injury or injustice. But I do not affect to be indifferent to the discovery, and the punishment, of this deep guilt. I cheerfully share in the opprobrium, how much soever it may be, which is cast on those who feel and manifest an anxious concern, that all who had a part in planning, or a hand in executing, this deed of midnight assassination, may be brought to answer for their enormous crime, at the bar of public justice.

"The deed was executed with a degree of self-possession and steadiness equal to the wickedness with which it was planned. The circumstances, now clearly in evidence, spread out the whole scene before us. Deep sleep had fallen upon the destined victim, and on all beneath his roof—a faithful old man to whom sleep was sweet—the first sound slumbers of the night held him in their soft but strong embrace.

"The assassin enters, through the window already prepared, into an unoccupied apartment. With noiseless foot he paces the lonely hall, half lighted by the moon; he winds up the ascent of the stairs, and reaches the door of the chamber. Of this he moves the lock, by soft and continued pressure, till it turns on its hinges without noise; and he enters and beholds his victim before him.

"The room was uncommonly open to the admission of light. The face of the innocent sleeper was turned from the murderer, and the beams of the moon, resting on the gray locks of his aged temple, showed him to be asleep. The fatal blow is given; and the victim passes, without a struggle, or a motion, from the repose of sleep to the repose of death!

"It is the assassin's purpose to make sure work; and he yet plies the dagger, though it was obvious that life had been destroyed by the blow of the bludgeon. He even raises the aged arm, that he may not fail in his aim at the heart, and replaces it again over the wounds of the poniard! To finish the picture, he explores the victim for the pulse! He feels for it, and ascertains that it beats no longer. It is accomplished. The deed is done. He retreats, retraces his steps to the window, passes out through it, as he came in, and escapes. He has done the murder—no eye has seen him, no ear has heard him. The secret is his own. AND IT IS SAFE!

"Ah! gentlemen, that was a dreadful mistake, such a secret CAN BE SAFE NOWHERE! The whole creation of God has neither nook nor corner, where the guilty man can bestow it and say 'It is safe.' Not to speak of that eye which glances through all disguises, and beholds everything that is done in his face, longer. It is accomplished. The deed is done. He retreats, retraces his steps to the window, passes out through it, as he came in, and escapes. He has done the murder—no eye has seen him, no ear has heard him. The secret is his own. AND IT IS SAFE!

"Especially in a case exciting so much attention as this, discovery must come, will come, sooner or later. A thousand eyes turn at once to explore every man, everything, every circumstance, connected with the time and place, a thousand ears catch every whisper; a thousand excited minds intensely well on the scene, shedding all their light, and ready to kindle the slightest circumstance into a blaze of discovery.

"Meantime the guilty soul CANNOT KEEP ITS OWN SECRET! It is false to itself; or rather it feels an irresistible impulse of conscience to be true to itself. It labors under its guilty possession, and knows not what to do with it. The human heart was not made for the residence of such an inhabitant. It finds itself preyed on by a torment, WHICH IT DARES NOT ACKNOWLEDGE TO GOD OR MAN!

"A vulture is devouring it, and it can ask no assistance or sympathy, either from heaven or earth. The secret which the murderer possesses soon comes to possess him; and like the evil spirits, of which we read, it overcomes him, and leads him whithersoever it will. He feels it beating at his heart, rising to his throat, and demanding disclosure. He thinks he would see it in his face, reads it in his eyes, and almost hears its very working in the silence of his thoughts. IT HAS BECOME HIS MASTER! It betrays his discretion, it breaks down his courage, it conquers his prudence. When suspicious from without begin to embarrass him, and the net of circumstances to entangle him the fatal secret struggles with still greater violence to burst forth. It must be confessed, it will be confessed; THERE IS NO REFUGE FROM CONFESSION BUT SUICIDE. AND SUICIDE IS CONFESSION!"

murdered makes it keenly active in hunting down and punishing murderers. In such cases its every member becomes a detective, working for the common good. There is, too, the apparently providential provision that the most skillful and cunning of criminals are rarely able to cover up their tracks, when they resort to the taking of human life, as to baffle justice. Even when they succeed in doing so, numerous instances are on record where the guilty secret proved too much for the breast it occupied, and remorse drove the murderer to confession or suicide.

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anybody can give them information that will help to shed light on the mystery, it will be gladly welcomed; but many of the speculations and insinuations that have been whispered about are neither helpful nor just.

The cut in prices by the Steel Trust in view of the reduction of the United States protective tariff has been quickly followed by reductions in other lines. The Steel Trust reduction was \$5 to \$8 a ton. Tin plate has now been reduced \$6 a ton. Some people who have argued all along that the tariff made no difference to the prices, are now being called upon for explanations.

D. Sutherland, ex-M. P. P. for Oxford, has been appointed director of Provincial Colonization. If Mr. Sutherland was the best qualified man in sight for the position, well and good; if he was appointed merely because he is an ex-M. P. P. and a good party man—but we cannot believe that of the Whitney Government.—Spectator.

Perish the thought! Everybody is ready to believe that Whitney regarded the fact that Sutherland was a defeated candidate and an ex-legislator as being greatly to his disadvantage in the struggle for the fact office; and they will be easily convinced, of course, that it was only with serious misgivings that he consented to his appointment. Humbug!

OUR EXCHANGES

LOTS OF SPACE.

(Toronto Mail and Empire.) Hamilton despatches alone occupy more space in the city papers these days than the news from all the other suburbs put together.

ALL WANT TO TALK. (Toronto Star.) In discussing the Kinrade case, the difficulty that there are 99 willing to talk like Sherlock Holmes for every one who will listen like Watson.

WHY? (Kingston Standard.) The law presumes a prisoner innocent until he is proven guilty. Why then should the law, under the guise of justice, seek in a subtle and undermining manner, by suggestion and otherwise, to take from a woman who is merely a witness her character and reputation?

PENALTY OF MUNICIPALIZATION. (Toronto Mail and Empire.) The Mayor is impatient to have the assessment hoisted up a peg or two more. Yes, if the city's sagacious continues the assessment will have to be kept very buoyant in order to aid the deception of an apparently stationary tax rate.

DOUBTFUL POLITICS. (Kingston Whig.) So the legislature, at Hon. Mr. Beck's instigation, is going to validate, by special act, the illegal deals of the cities of Toronto and London with the Hydro-Electric commission. Is that business: Is it what the fair-minded citizen would call clean politics?

BLACKSTOCK THUNDER. (Brookville Times.) One of the reports of the Kinrade inquest in Hamilton relates that "Mr. Blackstock, the eminent lawyer, 'thundered' questions at Miss Florence Kinrade apparently with the intention of getting her to make some damaging admission or slip of the tongue. It ought not to be necessary for a great lawyer to bully and brow-beat a young girl in order to get at the truth. It is not an edifying spectacle.

STRANGLE THE FRAUDS. (Toronto Saturday Night.) Hon. Frank Cochrane, in responding to a toast at the recent meeting of the Canadian Mining Institute, held at Montreal, said that Canada needed more in her mining industries in Cobalt and Gowganda were men and money. Why not make it a trilogy, Mr. Cochrane, and add Morals and a big M. There has been enough good Canadian-owned gold wasted in bum mining ventures in Cobalt to have developed a goodly section of the still undeveloped territory.

IN HAMILTON, TOO! (Toronto Mail and Empire.) Upon every proposal for the increasing of the debt of the ratepayers are competent to pronounce. When they are passed over and the Legislature petitioned the latter body should take it for granted that the proposed expenditure is disapproved by the ratepayers, whose rights the Legislature is expected to safeguard. The city's power of managing its own financial affairs is constantly being ignored by City Councils, and every session the authority of the Legislature is being sought for the making of additions to the city debt. The Legislature should protect the citizens against this disloyalty on the part of the men the citizens elect to attend to the municipal business.

HIGHLANDERS' PARTY. C company, Ninety-First Highlanders, held a very enjoyable and successful theatre party and supper on Friday night. At the close of the performance the members of the company, who were accompanied by their lady friends and a number of guests, adjourned to Christopher's restaurant, where a dainty supper was partaken of. Among the guests were Col. Logan, Col. Bruce, Majors McLaren and Roberts, Capt. Dickson, Dr. McEwen, Capt. Somerville, Staff-Sergeants Smith, Andrews, McAndrews and Thomson. Captain Turnbull, commanding C company, presided, and the usual toasts were responded to. Prizes were presented for attendance and shooting. After a merry time with songs and speeches the gathering broke up after singing the national anthem and "Auld Lang Syne."

Rev. Father Hugh O'Mougenais, for many years secretary to the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Montreal, and for the past three years well known as a Catholic clergyman in Rhode Island, died in Providence, R. I., on Saturday. He was forty-five years of age.

Frank Owens, of Tottenham, a student at Victoria College, is dead, from typhoid fever, aged 24.

The amateur sleuths who have been viewing in producing startling and fantastic theories of the Kinrade murder, can surely afford to give the public a rest now until the close of the inquest. The authorities are doing all that seems to be required in the circumstances. If

TUESDAY, MARCH 16, 1909 SHEA'S May Manton Patterns All 10c WOMEN'S SPRING SUITS Hundreds of them, made of all the very best and newest style cloths, cut by the most expert wholesale ladies' tailors in Canada; up-to-the-minute in style; blacks, browns, greens, greys, etc., etc. Special cut rates all this week. \$15.00 Suits for \$10.95 \$18.00 Suits for \$12.50 \$22.50 Suits for \$15.00 WOMEN'S NEW SPRING COATS New Coats, made of splendid quality of Covert Cloths, in the most stylish cuts. Coats that other stores are asking \$7.50 for, on sale here for each \$5.95 WOMEN'S DRESS SKIRTS—A SALE Big purchases of Skirts have made a whole department of the biggest skirt bargains ever shown in Hamilton. A grand variety of cloths, in all the good colors, with plenty of blacks, plain gored and pleated. On sale as follows: \$3.50 Skirts for \$1.50 \$4.00 Skirts for \$2.50 \$5.00 Skirts for \$2.95 \$6.00 Skirts for \$3.95 \$7.50 Skirts for \$4.95 Table Linens—A Sale A big purchase of mill ends of Table Linens. Over a thousand pounds' weight, all now on sale at about 1/2 the price you would pay in the piece. All useful lengths. 50c Tabling for 25c 75c Tabling for 39c \$1.00 Tabling for 59c \$1.25 Tabling for 75c New Oxford Shirtings Just cleared the customs a large import shipment of our usual splendid values in fine Oxford Shirting, new designs, new colorings and better qualities than ever at the prices, per yard ... 15c, 19c and 25c New English Print 12 1/2c Another shipment of "Hard to Beat" Prints, in dark and light colors, 15c value for ... 12 1/2c

SCHOOL PAPER. The Highfield Oracle the Latest Journalistic Venture. The Times has been favored with a copy of the first number of "The Highfield Oracle," published by the students of the Highfield School here. This publication has an editor (R. H. Gilbert), sub-editor (M. A. Vallance), business manager (N. Y. Bartlett), and censor (C. H. Hooper). It is an eight-page little sheet, and is quite creditably gotten up, and of course, is full of interest for the students and friends of the school. The following extracts are taken from the number: EDITORIAL. It is with much trepidation that the editorial staff presents this, the first issue of the Highfield Oracle, to its readers. School papers conducted by the students are common enough. We have witnessed the launching of not a few, accompanied by high hopes and much enthusiasm, and followed, almost invariably, after a year or two of precarious existence, by eclipse. It has always appeared to us that this melancholy fate was due to the fact that in the first place too much was attempted; that there was not sufficient cause for the existence of these publications, and that the enthusiasm with which they were launched was too great to justify the purposes which they were intended to serve. Again, from a monetary point of view, such papers must be self-supporting or cease to exist. DONT SMILE. Two youthful bank clerks, who were "wanted" by the police, started out on the highways of the King for a Sutherland land over the Hill. Each was provided with a Wheel and money enough to last Olympeis. They hoped to travel at night and to sleep daily until they reached Holland. But owing to the Rhodes being so muddy and full of Myeris, they decided to discard their wheels and proceed on foot, unfortunately for our heroes. They were not good Walkeris, and their feet were not covered with too much shoe leather. The two young Bankiers had not gone far when terrible Storms arose, and the cold wind Peared their Boddyis. One was the Scotchman Robinson, and the other was the son of a distinguished English carpenter. The latter, who was now dressed, resolved to lie down in the Hay and die, but the Scot, who was Colley, said to him, "Don't Fear-man; cheer up." The faint-hearted one took courage, so they resumed their journey to a nearby village, where they could grant themselves a good supply at the Bakeris. The meal, however, only consisted of Skelly and cake as hard as Hazel Wood. This made the Scot Riley, and caused him to remark that the meal was a Haughtonis. They then went to the Villey Inn, where they changed their Wardrope. Each was now anxious to return home, and after a long and severe journey they arrived at Wallaceburg, where they faced the consequences of their Evil B. Boddy. ODE. Thou, too, sail on, O Oracle! Sail on, O paper, strong and well! Divinities, with seething brains. With largest hopes and smallest pains. Are caught within thy magic spell! We know what master laid thy keel, What workmen wrought with nibs of steel. Who drew each letter, word and line, What pencils scrawled thy limping feet; In what a sweat and what a heat Were writ thy columns sage and fine! Fear not each sneering critic's part; 'Tis hardly worth the dull parade; Our publishing account is paid! In spite of every kicker's roar, Sail on, O paper, breast the sea; Our nickels, dimes, are all with thee; Our hearts, our hopes, our early tears, Our "ads," triumph, are all with thee! Are all with thee—are all with thee! R. P. B. C COMPANY ANNUAL. The annual meeting of C company, Thirtieth Regiment, was held in their armory, when the following officers were elected: President—Capt. Mason. First Vice—Lieut. Sey. Second Vice—Lieut. McLaren. Secretary—Treasurer—Corp. Patterson. Managing Committee—Sergt. Dumford, Pte. Warney, Pte. Barber, Pte. Montgomery, Pte. Lemmond, Pte. Nichol, Pte. Chadwick, Pte. Nicholson, theser. Rifle Committee—Sergt. Dumford, Ptes. Chadwick, Lemmond, Barber, Nicholson, Montgomery, Nichol and Warney. Recruiting Committee—Ptes. Hawkins, Barber, Dawson, Ashbaugh, Stowe. It was decided to hold the annual supper at an early date. The company has a large balance on hand for the ensuing year.

GREAT PURCHASE OF New Spring Goods At One-Third Saving During the past few days we have been fortunate enough to make a large purchase of desirable new Spring goods at third to half of regular values. They go on sale Tuesday morning, so come to share the biggest savings yet in new Spring goods. 75c All Wool Plain Panamas 39c All Wool English Panamas and Serges in navy, brown, black and green, 48 inches, regular 75c, sale price ... 39c yard 75c Wool Tweed Suitings 29c New spring designs, in Tweed Suitings in light and dark colors, stylish for separate skirts, these will have a large sale, 44 inches, regular 75c, sale price ... 29c yard \$1 Panama and Serge Suitings 49c Extra quality all Wool Panamas and Serges, 48 and 54 inches, in navy, cream, green and brown, also all wool cream, satin stripe Flannel Suiting. Regular to \$1, sale price ... 49c \$1.25 All Wool Venetian Cloths 69c Extra fine quality all wool Venetian and Satin Amazon new Spring Dress Cloths, in a new variety of spring colors, regular value \$1.25, sale price 69c 40c Men's Lisle Half Hose at 23c Stock up for summer here. Men's extra quality Cotton and Lisle Half Hose, self and natural soles, all sizes, 40c, sale price ... 23c 60c Men's Fancy Hose 44c Men's Fancy French Lisle Half Hose, silk lace clocks, in new spring colors and designs, all sizes, regularly 60c, sale price ... 44c 40c Women's Lace Lisle Hose at 25c Women's Black, Tan and White Lisle Hose, fancy lace ankles, stock up now for spring wear, regularly 40c, sale price ... 25c 20c Infants' Hose at 12 1/2c Infants' Fine All-wool Cashmere Hose, in white, cardinal and black, sizes 5 to 6, regularly 20c, sale price ... 12 1/2c 25c Nurses' Cotton Galatea at 17c Yard Best firm English quality in soft, pure finish, blue and white stripe, for nurses' galatea dresses and children's suits, regularly 25c, sale price 17c yard 10c for 7 1/2c—White English Flannelette—15c for 10c A great purchase of fine and soft quality White English Flannelette, special for spring undergarments, extra wide makes and superior wearing qualities; 10c quality at 7 1/2c and 15c quality ... 10c FINCH BROS., 29 and 31 King St. W. ELEVATOR BURNED. Fireman Badly Hurt, Others Narrowly Escape at Toronto. Toronto, March 15.—One fireman, Rold, Faulkner, had his leg broken; several others had narrow escapes from death, and damage estimated at about \$25,000 was caused by a fire which broke out yesterday afternoon in a coal elevator at the foot of West Market street, leased by the Crown Coal Company. The elevator will be an almost total loss. The cause of the fire is a mystery, and the only conclusion that the officers of the company can arrive at is that the structure was set on fire either deliberately or by some tramps dropping a lighted match while smoking. The elevator is owned by W. A. Wilson & Son, and damaged about \$20,000, with \$18,000 insurance. The loss on the coal is uncertain. The amount stored in the two parts of the elevator was valued at \$15,000. Another coal pile belonging to the Crown Company has been on fire for several days, and is still burning. The damage will be about \$20,000 on this. "SHOW THE FLAG." Interesting Feature of Britain's New Navy Scheme. London, March 14.—One of the most interesting features of the new scheme for the redistribution of the navy relates, it is understood, to the Second Cruiser Squadron, which is now attached to the Atlantic Fleet. This squadron of four ships recently visited South Africa and South America and thereby much delighted the British communities in those parts, who believe in what is known as "showing the flag." In order to meet the wishes of British communities over the sea it has therefore been decided to constitute the Second Cruiser Squadron on a permanent basis for the purpose of making periodical visits to "show the flag" in distant parts of the world.

FINCH RIGID SPRING EYEGLASSES. On and off with one hand without touching the lenses. Have you seen it? Combines all the advantage of a spectacle without annoying ear pieces. Easily adjusted, neat and comfortable. See it! I. B. ROUSE, Proprietor, GLOBE OPTICAL CO. 111 King East.

TORREV. MR. JACKSON Message of Confidence From His Former Congregation. Toronto, March 15.—Rev. George Jackson, who preached to large congregations in Sherbourne Street Methodist Church yesterday, last night received from his former congregation in Edinburgh the following cablegram: "Men's meeting and evening congregation gratefully remember evangelical ministry, Unabated confidence." Mr. Jackson's charge in Edinburgh was known as the Wesleyan Methodist Church, and his work on Sundays was largely devoted to the afternoon men's meeting and the evening service, his assistant conducting the morning service. In the course of his sermons yesterday he made no direct allusion to the controversy now progressing beyond a statement that it did not matter much what he believed about Genesis, but it mattered a great deal what he believed about Jesus. Mrs. Kate Davis, aged 38, of 397 Wellesley street, Toronto, was found dead on an old bed in the back kitchen at 127 Queen street east, there about eight o'clock last evening by George Large, who keeps a second-hand store at that address. The cause of her death is not apparent and the Chief Coroner has ordered an investigation. Out of 42 members of the Municipal Council of Copenhagen, seven are women. Seven per cent. of the candidates elected in the provinces are women.

KINRADE TRAGEDY IS ALL ABSORBING

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Mr. Wright says he does not want the Kinrade to live in their old home again, and he is hopeful that Mr. Kinrade will move to Toronto with his family. Wright has taken part in nearly all the family councils, and he will be called to the witness stand before the investigation is completed.

FLORENCE'S TERRIBLE ORDEAL. No one who has not attended a great criminal trial and watched a great criminal lawyer of Blackstock's ability questioning and cross-questioning a witness can understand the ordeal this slender girl in black has passed through during the seven hours she spent under fire. None but those who were there can appreciate how remarkably well she has borne up. The first night they brought her in it was thought that after the white-capped nurse in uniform was ordered to leave the courtroom, Florence would not stand a long examination. She surprised everyone. For almost four long, weary hours she answered hundreds of questions, turned them over, and weighed them in her mind, while she gazed around the ceiling with her great, dark eyes, and moistened her parched lips, which at times would hardly articulate the words she uttered. Blackstock probed on and on, while the girl time and again pulled herself together. Questions that to the audience had no significance were fired in rapid fusillades by this clever lawyer.

How did she sleep? Where had she travelled? Had she stopped more than once at the Queen's Hotel? What did Mr. Robinson look like? How far was Portsmouth from the sea? Did she remember the harbor in Godefrich? Where did Mrs. Robinson live? What did Mr. Robinson do? Had she often travelled alone? Where was Miss Elliott now? What did Mr. Bennett look like? Who collected the rents?

And so on in endless variety. Mr. Blackstock skimmed over the Ontario towns, where Miss Kinrade visited, went over the Southern States, gradually brought her home to the tragedy itself and then with all the impressiveness of the great criminal lawyer, in his deep bass megaphone voice, and with the monotonous regularity of a trip hammer, propounded those questions with pointed and forcible significance, with his eyes fastened on the witness, that no change of expression, no worried moment, no change of feature might be missed. Then the girl collapsed and they carried her away.

Many a strong man would weaken under the main of intricate questions fired at him for four hours and never maintain the composure and restraint of this frail girl. It is the fact that convinces beyond doubt many she is telling the whole truth, that the discrepancies in her stories are due to the terrible ordeal she passed through and not to any desire to shield any person. That fervent reply, "I wish I knew and I would gladly tell," when Blackstock asked her, "You don't know that that man was?" convinced many that Florence spoke the truth.

PROMISE MORE SENSATIONS.

The next session of the inquest may be even more dramatic and sensational than anything that has transpired yet. The murdered girl's blood-stained clothing are to be produced and so are the bullets the doctors took from her body and the detectives picked up in the pool of blood, where her remains were found. It is believed that the Crown intends calling Dr. Bruce Smith and Professor Clark, the alienists who examined Florence before the family left Toronto, and who surveyed her condition for future reference when they were administering restoratives after she collapsed on Friday. The two alienists have attended all the sessions. They sit close to the Crown counsel and study the witnesses.

THE VIRGINIA WITNESSES.

It is just possible that next Friday night the Crown will have witnesses from Virginia to testify as to whether Florence used a revolver there. She has sworn that she never saw one. In her hearing, the provincial officer will probably go to Virginia this week to see if he can induce some of these witnesses to come here. One is Detective Leonard L. Williams, of Portsmouth, Virginia, who says he loaned his revolver to Miss Kinrade while she was appearing on the stage there, and that she was afraid of it.

A USED REVOLVER IN PLAY.

A special despatch from Portsmouth says: Leonard L. Williams, a local detective and supernumerary on the police force, was interviewed. He said: "I know that I lent my pistol to Miss Kinrade, or Miss Deane, as we know her, at least four times to use on the stage. It was a blue steel Iver-Johnson .38 calibre pistol, and I would give it to her just for the act and always got it back. I know she did not keep it, for I sold it afterwards."

"She did not know how to use it at first and I showed her."

"She was a little afraid of it, and used to turn her head away when she fired it off."

"I know she did not know how to reload it."

"I never saw her in an impulsive mood or showing any temper."

"Manager Butler, of the Orpheum Theatre, said that he had forgotten about Williams lending them his pistol. It was his that they used first and once the Provincial force, said just before the inquest adjourned 'I don't see how they can return any other than an open verdict.'"

"Have you a warrant in your pocket for the arrest of anyone in this case, Mr. Miller?"

"Well, that's a question I wouldn't care to answer just now," was the reply. COUNSEL IS SATISFIED.

The Crown Counsel has expressed satisfaction over the way the case is developing, and Mr. Thomas Hobson, solicitor for Mr. Kinrade, is equally well satisfied, in an interview he said:

"There's no doubt about it, that Miss Kinrade's testimony last night brought out a point which will help to explain many of the differences in her stories. She says she may have fainted during the scene on the afternoon of the murder. Wouldn't that be a natural thing for any woman to do under the circumstances? And if she did, and lay there for some time unconscious, would that

not account for the fact that her story, as told in the witness-box now, differs somewhat from the stories she told immediately after the occurrence?"

Mr. Hobson said that the recalling of Miss Kinrade was a complete surprise to him. As solicitor for the family, however, he made no objection. Mr. Kinrade was anxious that every effort should be made to throw light on the mystery surrounding the death of his daughter. If the cross-examination of Miss Florence would help any, he was willing and anxious that she should go through the ordeal.

"Indeed, Miss Florence herself was just as anxious as her father and friends," said Mr. Hobson, "to have the problem solved. There were no protestations from her when she was told that she must go to the inquest to be again cross-examined."

\$1,000 REWARD STILL OPEN.

"Mr. Kinrade has offered \$1,000 reward for anybody who can throw light on this and that offer is still open."

Mr. Hobson says Miss Kinrade will be quite willing to go on the stand again.

ABOUT MISS ELLIOTT.

The authorities say that the mysterious Miss Elliott mentioned by Miss Kinrade is known to them. Her real name has been passed unnoticed, and it is said that they understand she exercised a great influence over Florence. The girl's statement that she sang at a musicale there is corroborated by a Godefrich despatch, which shows that Claude Elliott, of Kingston, also sang at this concert. Miss Elliott on the witness stand referred to a young brother of Miss Elliott, who was at Godefrich when she was there. A Stratford despatch shows that a musicale was given at Mrs. J. C. Robinson's residence there on August 1, 1907.

THE MONTREAL END.

The Montreal Herald, referring to the Miss Elliott phase of the case, says: "A new element of mystery has made its appearance in the Kinrade case. It concerns the woman said to hail from Montreal. This mysterious person is the Miss Marion Elliott, an English concert singer, referred to in yesterday's report of the inquest. Miss Kinrade testified that she made Miss Elliott's acquaintance in a church; that she lived in Montreal, and that it was through Miss Elliott that she went on the concert stage and made a number of trips, which culminated in her visit to Virginia, whither Miss Elliott accompanied her."

Miss Kinrade mentioned a number of towns in which she and the mysterious Miss Elliott appeared, but in none of them can newspaper representatives find any trace of the woman, nor any evidence of her being there in company with Miss Kinrade.

It might be difficult to trace a young woman, even though she had appeared in public, in a city like Montreal, and nobody here who keeps in touch with public singers has any recollection of anyone answering the Elliott woman's description.

What the connection of the Montreal woman has with the murder mystery, if any, has not been disclosed, but the introduction of her name into the case has added another element of interesting speculation to a situation that was already replete with strange features.

Careful inquiry made in various directions in Montreal has failed to reveal any trace of Miss Marion Elliott, singer. She does not appear to have sung here at any of the theatres moving picture shows, and her name is not known among the various concert promoters in the city, professional or otherwise.

It is possible that she may have sung here at some of the small concerts, and her name has been passed unnoticed, particularly if, as appears to be the case, she was merely a transient here, and did not make any lengthy stay in this city.

In burlesque circles nothing is known of the lady, nor is it believed that she has ever appeared on any stage in this city. Even had she done so, however, there would not necessarily be any record or means of ascertaining the fact, as she might have taken part in some chorus or done some other insignificant work which would not bring her name into prominence before anybody.

SKITS SHE APPEARED IN.

In a special from Portsmouth, Virginia, a staff correspondent of a Toronto paper, who was sent there in connection with the Kinrade murder case, writes as follows regarding the amateur theatricals in which Florence Kinrade appeared while there:

"The nature of the comedy skits which Miss Kinrade helped at the Orpheum Theatre here will be seen from the following excerpts from a few of them, all made up by James Baum."

"In 'Fooling Father,' Baum took the part of an old Irishman, 'Irishman Mike,' Miss Kinrade represented his daughter Maggie, whom he wanted to marry Tom O'Hara, though she had other plans. The beginning finds Maggie reading a note: 'Dearest Marguerite, I will be over to see you to-night. Try and have your father out of the way at ten o'clock. I will be there. You know he does not like me at all. Look for me at eight o'clock. Lovingly, Willie.'"

"What shall I do to get papa out of the house?" said the girl. "He doesn't want me to have any callers unless it is the man who is to marry me. I just despise him. Oh, why don't you let me go out society? I could go to the hod carrier's picnic, and I would meet the very best. The idea! Here he comes now! What shall I do?"

"Oh there you are, come and kiss your papa. That are you all dressed up for?" "Yes, not going out?" "No, I'm not going out. I just thought I would dress up for you."

"That the devil did you want to dress up for me, sure you look as good to me mid your old calico skirt on."

"Thinking that it is Tim O'Hara that is coming to see her, old Mike retires to his bedroom to give them a chance to do some courting. Later he finds that it is Willie Violet, Maggie's own favorite, who has been there all the time. The part of Willie Violet was taken by a member of one of the church choirs."

STAGE-STUCK WIFE.

The "Stage-struck Wife" begins as follows: Mr. Harrison—Well, here it is time for dinner, and no dinner. My wife is so stage-struck that I get nothing but Shakespeare, James K. Hackett, and the rest. I have got to learn to act myself, and cure her of the habit or I'll stop eating altogether. Let me see what I can do. By jove, I have it! I'll start and pretend that I'm crazy about the stage. My wife may then see her faults and give it up. Let me see. I shall start in now. To be or not to be, that is the question. Whether I am what I am or what I am not it is no matter, no matter.

Mrs. Harrison, entering—Oh, Rome, where art thou? Can thy heart feel the

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INTER-CITY COLLEGIATES.

Hamilton Lyceum Lost the Debate at St. Catharines.

The second inter-Collegiate debate between St. Catharines and Hamilton, held at St. Catharines, was decided against the local team, but while they did not bring home the laurels, they feel neither disheartened nor defeated, because the final debate is yet to be contested, and which the Lyceum members hope to carry off the trophy.

The subject was, "Resolved, That Circumstances Make the Man," the Hamilton students upholding the negative side of the question. The Ambitious City debaters and a number of their friends and supporters, having a special coach attached to the 4.10 G. T. R. train, went down to the Garden City. On arrival there they were cordially welcomed by a reception committee from the St. Catharines Collegiate Institute, and were escorted direct to the school, where they were entertained at luncheon.

The meeting was opened at 8 o'clock by the Chairman, Mr. Kingston, K. C., who after a few well-chosen remarks called the competitors to the platform. The first speaker was Mr. G. B. Evans, of the St. Catharines Literary Society, leader of the affirmative. He contended that early training and environment constituted greatly towards the developing of man, limit a man should adapt himself to circumstances. Custom dictates our mode of living, and, as Milton puts it, "Chance governs all." He mentioned several excellent illustrations to prove his arguments that circumstances make the man.

Mr. Gordon Dobin, of Hamilton, the leader of the negative, followed. In a very able manner he based his first arguments on the definition given of "circumstances" in Webster's Dictionary. The most evident influence which governs a man's life is perhaps heredity, which certainly is not a circumstance. It is something which descends to man from his ancestors; heredity being a fact in opposition to environment. As an illustration he quoted Henry VI, of England, who inherited brain disease from his grandfather.

Miss D. Ireland, of St. Catharines, the second speaker for the affirmative, gave an excellent speech. She contended that circumstances were very essential, and that as it only comes into a man's grasp, if he does not grasp it when the opportunity affords itself he would be doomed to failure.

Miss Cox, of Hamilton, who followed as second speaker in the negative, contended that circumstances were not essential, and that a man should adapt himself to circumstances. She contended that circumstances advanced on the affirmative side. She said that it was not the circumstances that made Lincoln, Cromwell and others of the great men whom we admire, but their will power, that enabled them to surmount all obstacles. Man has a will to exert which makes him rise superior to all circumstances. The will develops a man morally, mentally and physically. It was not their environment, but their will power, that enabled them to surmount all obstacles. Man has a will to exert which makes him rise superior to all circumstances. The will develops a man morally, mentally and physically. It was not their environment, but their will power, that enabled them to surmount all obstacles.

Mr. Evans, in a seven-minute speech, replied to the arguments of the speakers of the negative.

The local society, Leslie Dobbin, L. M. Houlding, Hazel Stephenson, R. Dennis, H. Dickenson, Harold Mitchell, Howard Morwick, Misses G. Morwick, M. Wynn, R. Read, J. Land, R. Ramsay, I. Cloke, L. Cox, D. Ashley, G. Shanks and Messrs. G. Whiting, G. Dobbin, E. Thompson, Ernest Thompson, L. Weber, K. McMahon.

Rotterdam, March 15.—The Norwegian steamer Mascot collided yesterday with the German ship Margretha about 20 miles west of the Maas lights. The Margretha sank almost immediately, 20 of the crew being drowned. Six were saved. The Mascot returned here with a big hole in her bow.

The Japanese budget this year effects a saving of \$178,500,000.

JUVENILE TEMPLARS.

The usual weekly meeting of International Juvenile Lodge, I. O. G. T., was held in the C. O. O. F. Hall, James street north, on Saturday afternoon. The superintendent, Mrs. D. B. Smith, presided, and was assisted by Vera Patterson, Chief Templar. Five candidates were initiated, and three propositions were received.

After business the following excellent programme was presented by Mrs. Robt. Morrison, P. G. V.: Piano solo, Nellie Morrison; recitation, Ruby Patterson; song, Mrs. C. A. Hardy; recitation, Marguerite Lyle; song, Mrs. Robt. Morrison; recitation, Alf. Bradford; recitation, Lottie Hardy.

Next Saturday afternoon George H. Lauder, Treasurer of the newly-formed Britannia Lodge, will provide the programme.

C. M. O'Brien, Socialist, will run for the Alberta Legislature in Calgary and Rocky Mountain.

The Wright brothers have placed an order with London firm for the immediate construction of six aeroplanes.

20 DROWNED.

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A Hot Breakfast on a Cold Day two Shredded Wheat Biscuits—heat in oven, pour on hot milk and salt to taste. Makes you feel "fit as a lord."

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Stanley Mills & Co. Monday March 15th 1909

19c Day In the Basement. The three big basement departments join in one big event for to-morrow. Housekeepers' Day—A 10 CENT DAY. Scores of needed articles which are usually found on the list of every housekeeper for the Spring season are included in the day's specials—and housekeepers will reap the benefit of handsome savings.

- 19c Day In the Kitchen Goods: White Enamelled Pudding Pans, large size, regular 35c each, Tuesday, 19c. Round Granite Sink Strainers, to stand, Tuesday, 19c. 4 dozen Galvanized House Pails, handy size, extra heavy, Tuesday, 19c. 2 dozen Tin Egg Poachers, four ring, with pan, regular 25c each, Tuesday, 19c. 4 dozen Muffin Pans, 12 on sheet, plain or fancy, regular 25c, Tuesday, 19c. 3 dozen Scientific Gas or Oil Stove Toasters, square shape, Tuesday, 19c. 6 dozen Nickel Plated Folding Coat Hangers, regular 10c each, 3 for 19c. 4 dozen Heavy Tin Dish Pans, extra deep, with wire handles, Tuesday, 19c. 2 dozen Nickel Soap Dishes, over tin style, Tuesday, 19c each. Improved Globe Wash Boards, fine corrugated zinc, large size, Tuesday, 19c. 2 dozen Splint Clothes Baskets, standard size, with strong handles, on sale Tuesday at 19c. Artistic Toilet Brushes, including Stove Brushes, Scrub Brushes, Shoe and Bannister Brushes; worth regularly 25 and 30c each, on sale Tuesday at 19c each.
- 19c Day In the Grocery Department: Upton's 2-lb. pails of Orange Marmalade or Jam, at 19c each. Quaker Oats at 2 pk'gs. for 19c. Prepared Mince Meat, 2 pk'gs. for 19c. Pearl Tapioca, 3 lbs. for 19c. Gold Dust, 3-lb. pk'gs. for 19c. Sweet Mexican Oranges, dozen 19c. Batger's Strawberry Jar 19c jar. Ocean Wave Baking Powder, 1 lb. cans 19c. Canned Vegetables, 2 cans for 19c. Good Black Tea 19c lb. 3 lbs. Good Japan Rice for 19c. 3 lbs. of Best Icing Sugar for 19c. 2 lbs. of Prunes for 19c. 2 pk'gs. of Prepared Buckwheat, 19c. 1 bottle of Camp Coffee 19c. Sunlight Soap, 5 bars for 19c. Old Dutch Cleanser, 2 tins for 19c. Castile Soap 19c lb. Bar Sapolio 2 bars for 19c.
- 19c Day In the China Department: Glass Water Jugs, quart size, regularly 25c each, to-morrow 19c. Glass Celery Trays, colonial pattern, regularly 25c each, to-morrow 19c. Glass Butter Dishes, plain 19c. Glass Sugar and Cream Sets, cut pattern, regularly 30c set, for 19c. China Cake Plates, large roses, regularly 25c each, Tuesday 19c. China Butter Dishes, tinted in green or pink, Tuesday 19c. China Fruit Bowls, large size, regularly 25 and 35c each, Tuesday 19c. China Celery Trays, with gilt and blue borders, Tuesday 19c. Large Sized Mixing Bowls, Rockingham or cane ware, regularly 25c, for 19c. Glass Vinegar Jugs, colonial pattern, Tuesday at 19c each. China Egg Cups, with pink and blue bands, Tuesday 19c dozen. Glass Syrup Jugs, metal covers, 19c each. Glass Double Egg Cups, regularly 70c dozen, Tuesday at 19c. China Fruit Bowls, 4 for 19c each. Glass Globes, for gold fish, half-gallon size, regularly 35c each, Tuesday 19c. China Tea Pot Stands, Tuesday 19c.
- Tuesday's Specials: In Our New Meat Section: Ingersoll Sliced Bacon, special for Tuesday 19c lb. Pressed Beef, regular 20 lb., Tuesday for 15c. Fresh Dairy Butter, regular 27 to 30c lb., Tuesday for 25c.

Sale of Potted Shamrocks. To-morrow this store will hold its annual sale of Real Irish Shamrock Plants, in honor of St. Patrick's Day. 700 beautiful sturdy plants, grown especially for this store from genuine shamrock seeds, imported direct from the "ould sod"—will go on sale to-morrow. Prices 5c pot. NOTE—Be here early. Scores of people have been waiting for our annual offering and we look for a speedy disposal of the entire lot.

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WAR GAME. BECK BILL WOULD HOLD UP THE WORK. DICKENS CLUB. Caxton Chapter Had Pleasant Time at Mrs. Ramsay's.

The officers' quarters of the 91st Regiment were the scene of much excitement on Saturday afternoon and evening, and the cause of it all was a war game, which held the attention of those engaged from 3 o'clock in the afternoon until late in the evening, when Col. Taylor announced his decision. Col. Logie, assisted by Col. Moore and Major Tidwell, was in command of the red forces, which consisted of two companies of mounted infantry, four squadrons of cavalry, two battalions of infantry. Col. Bertram, with Col. Ptolemy, Majors Knowles, Orr and Labatt had command of the blue forces. Over large maps these gentlemen pored with great anxiety, and toward the dusk of evening Col. Logie made a slight slip, which proved his undoing, and Col. Bertram was able to close in on him with his full army, consisting of a regiment of cavalry, a regiment of mounted infantry, four regiments of infantry and two batteries of artillery.

Colonel Taylor had a few complimentary remarks to make concerning the spirit with which the garrison entered into these games. Col. Taylor is commander of the Military College at Kingston.

BIBLE CLASS BANQUET. On Friday evening last the members and friends of the Herkimer Street Baptist Bible class held their annual social and banquet, at which about 150 people sat down to supper. After a sumptuous repast an interesting programme of solos, readings and recitations was contributed to by Misses L. and M. Jackson, Messrs. F. Hendershott, Hill, S. Male and Stanley H. Smith and Master Roy Male. Mrs. A. Frid was the chairman. Skipping and pie eating contests were next on the programme, which created much fun. In the latter contest Mr. Spence won the first prize and Mr. Peter Creed the booby prize (a rabbit). The company dispersed at 10.30, all feeling that they had thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

FATAL FIGHT. Lufkin, Tex., March 15.—As the climax of a dispute, J. C. Brown, an engineer, yesterday was shot by J. F. Nutter, a workman, and after receiving the wounds of which later caused his death, Brown attacked Nutter with a knife, inflicting injuries from which Nutter is not expected to recover.

LINER CAPT. DEAD. New York, March 15.—Captain C. Cameron, of the White Star line, who for a quarter of a century was one of the best known trans-Atlantic liner commanders on the Atlantic, and who, until April last year, was in command of the White Star liner Oceanic, died in Southampton, Eng., yesterday.

INVENTOR DEAD. Rochester, N. Y., March 15.—The funeral of Major Edmund L. Zalinsky, U. S. A., inventor of the dynamite gun, was held from his sister's home in this city yesterday. The War Department sent a flag to drape the coffin.

The British fiscal estimates contain a provision for \$94,000 for an extension of the National Gallery. Buildings are to be torn down around it to give necessary space for the enlargement.

lowing speakers also expressed their views: Mr. John Jess, Mr. Fred Woods, Mr. Henstrich, Mr. J. C. Belbeck, Mr. Cosby, Councillor Lewis, Mr. Henderson, Mr. Wm. Miles, Mr. D. A. Culp, Mr. Ellis, Mr. Poyton, Mr. Gartley, Mr. Eden, Mr. Addie, Mr. Springstead, Mr. Jarvis, Mr. John Burgoyne and Mr. M. L. Stirling. Of these speakers only Mr. Jarvis was in favor of installation of sewerage at present juncture, the claim being that it would be useless without a water supply. The following resolutions were carried unanimously: Moved by Mr. Belbeck, seconded by Mr. J. Poyton, that this meeting strengthen the hands of our Council on behalf of that section of the district to be annexed for such conveniences as are in need of, such as water, sewerage, and street lights, the water within three months from annexation.

Moved by Mr. John Waterbury, seconded by Mr. F. Woods, that the scheme of sewerage, suggested by the Council, be cut out until the question of annexation be settled.

The formal opening of the Normal school, and of the enlarged Sophia and Pictou Street Schools, will take place on Friday afternoon next. Hon. Dr. Pyne, Minister of Education, has accepted the Board's invitation, and will officiate. A general invitation is extended to citizens to attend and inspect the schools.

A meeting of the Industrial Committee has been called for Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The Parks Board will meet on Wednesday evening.

SHOCKS RECORDED. St. Petersburg, March 15.—Many strong earthquake shocks were recorded on Russian seismographs on Saturday and Sunday. It is estimated that the scene of the disturbance was approximately in the region of the Philippines and Formosa.

THE SWEATBOX. (Windsor Record.) Canada has no "sweatbox" that rests on official recognition, as on the other side of the line, where the police try out the cases in advance and then tell the judges what to do. The Kinrade case, however, shows that a good criminal lawyer can do all the "sweating" necessary when the time comes. The Blackstock examination in this case will be remembered as among the most severely incisive in criminal annals.

THE BRUTALITY OF THE LAW. (Kingston Standard.) How many of us could tell with any degree of accuracy what we did three days ago or a week ago? Supposing we were put in a court of law and catechized closely and a jury asked as to just what we did four days ago or four evenings ago between any stated hours, how many of us would stand on firm ground? Supposing, then, at that particular time some startling happening had taken place which had unnerved us and shaken our very souls, would we be any the clearer in our minds as to our experience and as to the happenings? We doubt it very much.

Applying the Principle. "Penelope!" stormed Mr. Pipes, coming in from his back yard, "somebody stole a lot of my chickens last night!" "It must have been some earnest soul, Philander," sweetly answered Mrs. Pipes, "who is seeking the truth, and has found it in your little pamphlet, 'The Social Revolution; or, Private Ownership of Property a Crime.'"

Up-Set Sick Feeling. that follows taking a dose of castor oil, salts or calomel, is about the worst you can endure. Ugh—it gives one the creeps. You don't have to have it—CASCARETS move the bowels—tone up the liver—without these bad feelings. Try them.

DRIVEN TO SUICIDE.

STRANGE ALLEGATION AGAINST LEADER VAREY.

John J. Harrison Takes His Life at Vancouver, Because It Was Alleged the Christian Science Healer Bothered Him.

Vancouver, B. C., March 14.—A coroner's jury bringing in a verdict that John J. Harrison committed suicide added a rider that from the evidence it was evident that one Varey, an alleged Christian Science leader in this city, was largely the cause of Harrison's despondency, and recommended that the Attorney-General investigate.

Harrison, aged 54, came from Winnipeg fifteen years ago, was worth \$150,000, and until last November lived apparently happy. Thursday morning he visited Chief of Police Chamberlain, saying he had been taking Charles A. Varey's treatment, and that the latter wished him to sign over all his property to the Church. In a signed statement to the Chief Harrison said:

"Varey brought me up to a stage of mental treatment where I would seem that I had to renounce all my connection with any society or party, either political or religious, and cancel all insurance policies, wills and other unnecessary encumbrances that would injure my spiritual recovery."

"When I think of my will and refuse to destroy it, as he asked me to, the depression and effect of his treatment is so severe it is almost unbearable, and should it continue to be so, I will only have to put an end to my existence. I cannot stand the effects of the treatment much longer."

SWITCHMAN FORGOT

Bad Collision Between Wabash Trains at St. Thomas.

St. Thomas, March 14.—The carelessness of a switchman in leaving a siding switch open caused a head-on collision between the continental express and a freight at the west entrance to the Wabash yard here at 1:45 o'clock this morning. The passenger train was travelling at a good rate of speed and was unable to stop before striking the engine of the freight, in the siding awaiting orders to go out. The fronts of both locomotives were damaged; three freight cars were reduced to scrap and a Pullman coach telescoped a day coach.

The passengers were all more or less shaken up, but the only one taken to the hospital was Mrs. John Terwilliger, of Aylmer, N. Y. She was in the day coach and received cuts and bruises from flying glass and wood, but will be able to go home to-morrow. Engineer Blanning and Fireman Chater, of Windsor, on the passenger train, saved themselves by jumping, but Engineer Thos. Arnum and Fireman T. Cade, of St. Thomas, say their predicament too late to jump. Engineer Arnum was squeezed between the tender and the locomotive and was badly scalded, but will recover. Cade's injuries consist of scalds about the arms, not considered serious.

The passengers continued their journey on the next train, and there was no delay to traffic.

The accident occurred a short distance west of Kettle Creek bridge, in fact, one truck of the last passenger coach struck on the bridge, but did not leave the rails.

T. Mason, the switchman, acknowledges responsibility for the accident, saying he forgot to expect arrival of the passenger train.

FLY SIXTEEN MILES

If Silver Dart is to Win Scientific American Cup.

New York, March 14.—A representative of the Aero Club of America started today for Baddeck, N. S., to view the flight of the aeroplane, Silver Dart, next week for the Scientific American's Cup. The new rules of the contest were adopted. The first trial for the cup was made on July 4th last, when Glenn H. Curtiss, with the June Bug, won the trophy, making a flight of 5,000 feet, which at the time was regarded as a notable performance. The minimum distance allowed by the rules then was one kilometre.

The new rules are more severe. The minimum distance is twenty-five kilometres, a trifle less than sixteen miles, but for the Silver Dart this should be easy, as the machine flew last week a distance of twenty miles.

The old conditions have been altered so as to permit any aviator to try for the trophy at any time, provided he gives satisfactory notice, but each new challenger must exceed the distance flown by his successful predecessor. If the same competitor wins the cup three years he will become permanent owner of the trophy.

TOOK HIS LIFE.

A Parry Sound Man Shoots Himself With a Gun.

Parry Sound, March 14.—Mr. J. Frank Mosley, one of the oldest and most respectable citizens, killed himself with a shotgun. The deceased was about his ordinary duties on Saturday morning and seemed to be in his usual health, but about 9 o'clock he took an old shotgun, loaded it, went to the telephone, placed the gun to his breast, and shot himself through the heart, dying almost immediately.

GRIP THAT KILLS.

A Deadly Epidemic Prevalent in Old London.

London, March 14.—An insidious, fatal form of influenza is prevailing here. There were sixty-six deaths from this cause last week, thirty-six the week before last, and twelve the week before that. One theatre had to close on account of the ravages of this disease among the cast. Another was obliged to postpone its opening for the same reason.

Practically everybody is dosing with quinine and carrying eucalyptus-drenched handkerchiefs. Many members of Parliament are absent from their posts. The public schools are especially affected, 150 cases being reported from Eton alone. Princess Victoria is among the sufferers.

Recent visits of influenza to London have been mild, and it was believed that the germ had no malignity; but this outbreak is marked by the return of its old features—pains in the back and eyes, heaviness of the limbs, and followed by bronchitis or pneumonia.

Physicians are publicly exhorting all who feel symptoms of the disease to go to bed and stay there, no matter how slight the attack.

Bloated Stomach Indigestion.

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Every home should have Nerviline on hand, it's a health-saver and makes smaller doctor bills. Insist on Nerviline only and beware of the substituter. Large 25c bottles at all dealers.

DYING IN DETROIT.

Canadian Girl's Sad Fate in a Strange City.

Windsor, March 14.—In a dying condition, Esther Rawson, aged 24 years, who came to Detroit from Montreal three weeks ago, was taken to a county jail yesterday and placed in one of the city hospitals, where her death is only a matter of a few days.

The unfortunate girl was without friends when she came to Detroit, and fell into the hands of a couple of designing women. A few days later a United States immigration officer took her from a house of ill-repute and ordered her deported to Canada as an "undesirable alien." While waiting for the return of the necessary papers from Washington and Montreal, Miss Rawson was taken down with typhoid fever of a malignant type. The papers arrived yesterday, but when the officers went to serve them they found the girl's condition too serious to move her. The only thing left was to have her placed in a hospital at the city's expense, which was done.

The girl says she has relatives in Montreal and Pembroke, but refuses to give the names.

FEAST ON FAST DAY.

London Irishmen May Eat Meat on St. Patrick's Day.

New York, March 14.—A cable despatch to The Sun from London says: The Pope has rescinded the organizers of the annual St. Patrick's Day banquet at the Hotel Cecil from an extraordinary plight. In arranging for the feast they took note of the fact that it fell on Wednesday, which is Lent in fasting day. The organizers decided at once to petition for a Papal dispensation.

The dispensation was readily granted, but the banquet will still have to pass a few courses, because, while the indulgence allows the consumption of meat on Wednesday night, it fails to remove the prohibition against eating meat and fish at the same meal, which is a strict rule of the Catholic Church during Lent.

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought. Bears the Signature of Dr. W. E. BURGAR DEAL.

Oldest Practitioner in Welland Expires Suddenly.

Welland, March 14.—Dr. W. E. Burgar died at his home here to-day as the result of the bursting of a blood vessel. He had been quite unwell for some weeks, but this morning was so much improved he ventured to go upstairs. He had just got down again when he fell. He did not regain consciousness.

He was the oldest practitioner in the county, graduating from Queen's in 1868.



HERE IS THE LATEST THING IN HATS.

This is a type of the cabriole, a Paris creation which deals largely with vegetables and fruits, and which, it is said, is going to be very popular during the coming season.

Fun For Our Readers

With Their Teeth.

Frugal Landlady—How are you gentlemen getting along at the farther end of the table?

One of Them (gnawing an ancient doughnut)—Working like beavers, mum!

He Explains. "Why is it, professor," asked the young man with the bad eye, "that when Christopher Columbus discovered this country he didn't settle down and stay here?"

"Doublet you are aware, my young friend," answered the professor, "that the Spanish form of his name was Cristoval Colon."

"Yes, sir," "Well, a colon does not mean a full stop. We will return now, young gentlemen, to the consideration of the lesson."

Her Voice. Miss Goodsole—My music teacher tells me I ought by all means to cultivate my voice."

Miss Tartum—She's right. You ought to cultivate it or quit trying to sing with it.

One of the Suppressions of History. The British had captured the city of Washington and burned it.

"Trying to raise the temperature a little," they explained. "It's always so beastly cold here on inauguration days, don't you know?"

But the perverse Yankees refused to take the hint and didn't change the date.

Fame. Uncle Hiram—So you play baseball, do you, Dickey? Has your ball club got a name?"

Five-year-old—Has it got a name? Gee! You've heard of the Rag Alley Yarnigans, haven't you, uncle? Well, I'm their regular shortstop. We're going to whale the everlasting stuffin' out of the Buntown Billygoats next Saturday!"

Heard in the Barber Shop. "Our charges are the lowest in town," observed the barber.

Mr. Strong—Nothing. "As he looked at his lacerated chin in the glass.—Judge.

TRUE TO LIFE. Mrs. Strong—You say he called you a donkey? What did you do? Mr. Strong—Nothing. Mrs. Strong—Well, if a man called me a donkey, I'd kick him with both feet. Mr. Strong—Certainly; any donkey would do that.

SUFFRAGETTE TERROR. It is Ruining Business of the Commons Restaurant.

New York, March 14.—A cable despatch to The Sun from London says: One disastrous result of the suffragette invasion of the House of Commons is the falling off in the restaurant receipts. The Commons restaurant has always been a paying concern, but since the members have been living in terror of invasions by the suffragettes and all female visitors have been prohibited, various cosy luncheons, teas and dinners of the members and their friends

GO FOR YOUR LETTERS

OFFICIAL LIST OF THOSE UNCLAIMED IN HAMILTON.

List of unclaimed letters lying in the Hamilton Post Office received previous to the 8th March, 1909:

- Acock, Mrs., 60 Smith ave. Allan, Miss Sarah Aronky, M. Axon, Mrs. Edwin Ayres, A. J. Babcock, Mrs. Ezra Baker, T. L. Benner, Mr. Benson, Mrs., 230 Duke st. Brown, Mrs. E. Brown, Wm. Brown, A. B. Bicknell, Miss May J. Bowen, Rev. C. Foster Bolton, Wm. Bowman, J. B. Bryson, Alex. Butler, J. T. Burton, N. S.

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- Thompson, E. J. Thompson & Co., E. J. United States Sign Co. Mattes Petro Electric Matches (reg.) Perri, Marco. Ontario Man's Suicide. Buffalo, March 14.—Matthew Benedict Saturday night drank carbolic acid and died in a yard adjoining 72 Day's Park, where his wife roomed.

They separated two weeks ago, Mrs. Benedict told the police, because she had been told he had another wife at St. Regis Falls. Benedict came to Buffalo from Brantford, with the intention of effecting a reconciliation. The couple were married in Detroit four years ago. Benedict was 32 years of age and was born in Cornwall, Ont.

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FORGED DEED.

Son of Late Millionaire M. P. Charged With Fraud.

Vancouver, B.C., March 14.—William Herbert McCormick, son of the late George McCormick, who was manager of the Canadian Pacific Lumber Company's plant at Port Moody, when he died there Oct. 13, 1907, was arrested to-day by city detectives on a charge of obtaining thousands of dollars by fraud. The young man is well known about town as a free spender, a good entertainer and generally one of the hail-fellow-well-met class.

The charge against McCormick, who is 25 years of age, is laid by C. D. Rand, a real estate broker, who is said to have been victimized to the tune of \$6,000. McCormick's father was a millionaire, and a former member of Parliament, residing at Colingwood. The young man's mother, wife and two sisters reside in Vancouver. At Christmas McCormick visited Rand, asking a loan of \$4,500. The security consisted of a certificate of indefeasible title, and a deed bearing what purported to be the signature of Mrs. Emma McCormick, his mother, and conveying to the young man the Robson street home of Mrs. McCormick. Everything appeared to be in order and matters were all right at the land registry office. The loan was made, the \$4,500 being advanced by a client of Rand's. The encumbrance was registered at the land registry office.

Recently it was discovered that the transfer was a forgery, and that Mrs.

TRIED FOR MURDER.

Result of Preliminary Case Against Madam Steinhilf.

Paris, March 14.—The preliminary investigation into the charge against Mme. Steinhilf, accused of having murdered her husband, Adolphe Steinhilf, the painter, and her step-mother, Mme. Japy, was concluded yesterday. The examining magistrate, M. Andre, informed the woman that the evidence against her was sufficient to warrant the formal accusation of premeditated murder. She will probably be tried for her life in the Assize Court, not as an accomplice, but as a principal.

ASK FOR NINE-HOUR DAY.

Winnipeg Street Railwaymen Preparing New Agreement With Company. Winnipeg, March 14.—A nine-hour day without reduction in wages is what the conductors and motormen of the Winnipeg street railway will demand when their present schedule expires on April 1. A mass meeting was held to-night to discuss the stand they will take. The men will make every effort to enforce their demands, and are prepared to strike if necessary.

On Saturday, Rev. E. Hassard died at his residence in Orangeville. He had not been in good health for some time past, but notwithstanding, was up and around until within a week. Rev. Mr. Hassard was one of the pioneer Methodist ministers of Ontario.

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VIOLENCE IN OUR STREETS

Subject of Strong Sermon by Dr. Lyle in Central.

Anniversary Services in Wesley Church Yesterday.

City Ministers Speak on Bible and Religion.

Emphatically strong and forcible was Dr. Lyle's address last evening in Central Presbyterian Church, when he spoke on "Violence in our streets." He took his text from the 55th Psalm, 9th verse. Dr. Lyle said that a well-known representative man said in his recent talk that Socialism was spreading, but he meant Anarchism, not Socialism, because Socialism is what is wanted—the spread of true Socialism, the Socialism of Jesus Christ, of St. Paul, of Charles Kingsley. Anarchy must be restrained, said Dr. Lyle; must be uprooted, for it is anti-Christian and the enemy of civilization. Anarchy is not local, but as broad as civilization. Anarchy is fire, murder and plunder, and follows independence, because there is nobody independent. All are free, but none independent, for all are dependent on God, on society, on pious mothers. True freedom is based on God, is consistent with love. Before we characterize the use of physical punishment in the home, school or state, it would be well to study what is our position. The Bible says "The whip is for the horse, the bridle for the ass, and the rod for the fool's back." And the rod is the best thing for the suppression of Anarchy. There is need to look after the administration of the law. When authority broke down in the home then the school would be the recruiting ground for anarchy. What is wanted are homes that are more than places that are used to sleep and eat in occasionally. The institution of the old home, which was better than the new. School teachers should be given authority for the larger advantage of the community. He said it was wrong to take a boy or girl, caught in lawlessness, through the public streets, for their first crime. It is wrong to try a boy or girl in an open court. It should never be "The Gibson Act" was the best on the statute book. The administration of law is not to be laid at the door of our judges or police, the people are to blame. Dr. Lyle, in conclusion, said there was no need to get in a panic about crime in Hamilton, because from a study of the statistics of this city it was as moral as any in the old land or the new either, and he could corroborate the statistics by a 31 years residence here. Crime is not all here, it is world wide, but we must aim to keep the church and State clear.

The key note of Dr. Lyle's address was that physical punishment is the best method of dealing with the night owl, the robber and such violent criminals, and the root of preventing such crime was in the education of the children—educating them in the fullest significance of the word.

AUTHORITY IN RELIGION.

Rev. J. R. VanWych's address yesterday morning in Westminster Presbyterian Church was from Romans iii, 31, and the subject was "Authority in Religion." Absolutely sincere he was in all he said, telling the congregation that what he said on the subject was not without a deal of serious thinking and much prayer and whatever he said was God's truth to him, and it would be only true to those present when proven, and every one must use his own judgment, being guided by the divine. Throw Judaism out of Christianity, he said, and stand for the uniting of Jesus and Christ. Right of private judgment is due everybody and not to be governed by external laws, but by the monitor within. When a man whose eyes are opened follows another man whose eyes are not opened, what shall he say at the last day? It will not do to say "I was in the Church, on confession, for God will ask, "What about reason, and the ability to think? About my word in the Bible through the prophets, through my Son Jesus Christ?" A man will therefore be without excuse. The pastor said, "We are coming and putting the heart, then it will save men. It's making men feel the divinity of Christ, not making them give it up, that will stand. But the world is not yet at such a happy consummation so greatly to be desired. In conclusion, he urged all to give the spirit of Jesus; not to compare ourselves with others, but with God, and he will lead all to the truth; not to get impatient, nor weary in well doing. There will be a revelation and a confirmation of faith, but trust in God till the shadows fall away.

WESLEY ANNIVERSARY.

Large congregations were present at the anniversary services held yesterday in Wesley Church. The speaker of the day was Rev. Dr. Cleaver, of Metropolitan Church, Toronto, and there has not been a more eloquent man speaking the word of God in this city for some time. Gifted with a magnetic personality and in command of a beautiful flow of language, Dr. Cleaver has that convincing power of earnestness that leaves a profound impression. In the morning he spoke from the text, "The Lord is my shepherd," from the 23rd Psalm. In a masterly word painting Dr. Cleaver told of the incidents in the life of the shepherd boy David, which led up to the writing of the most beautiful portion of the Old Testament. After showing the hardship, poverty, and injustice that David had been subjected to, and how David was able to offer a psalm of thanksgiving amid it all, Dr. Cleaver brought home its application to modern times. Here was shown a perseverance in search of truth, that could only result from a firm belief in the wonderful kindness of God.

In the evening the church was filled to its utmost capacity, to hear Dr. Cleaver speak from Matthew xviii, 25, "But he that has received some talent, went and dug in the earth, and hid his lord's money." All plants were not alike. There is the stately pine, which rises majestically above the trees of the forest,

there is the sturdy oak, whose strength bids defiance to the fiercest of storms; there is the drooping willow, which spreads its branches over the stream to protect the fish from the glare of the noon-day sun, and there is the tiny floweret, whose beauty and fragrance may to all appearances be wasted on the desert air, but it is not.

And so it is the same with Christians. Some there are who stand in stately nobility, others who remind one of the sturdy oak. There are those who can be likened to the willow, always ready to stretch out a hand to the needy in distress, and then there are those who, like the floweret, make religion by their presence.

Dr. Cleaver did not speak of those who are possessed of extraordinary ability, but to the ordinary people, who make up the nation, to whom God has entrusted the one talent. He told the story of the parable of the lord who gave to one servant five talents, to another two talents, and to another one talent, with the instructions to use the talents to the best advantage. The mean and selfish disposition of the man with the one talent was vividly portrayed, getting back to his subject again, Dr. Cleaver said that people have a great fault of calling things their own. "Is time our own?" asked Dr. Cleaver, which he answered "No, we know that time is a gift of God, to be severed at His will. Everything belongs to God, for His disposition in any way He chooses. There are people to this day who are taking the example of the man with the one talent. How many are there who refuse to recognize the responsibility of fellow-man in these days? There was not much that God expected men and women to do, but the responsibility was there just the same. The little one would sweep away the iniquities of this world. God distributes His talents according to the ability of each person. Everyone has an equal chance before God. When the talent is not made use of, then a servant is counted faithless against his neighbor and against God. To become rich in power of services is the only riches. When one task has been completed, God has always greater tasks to be accomplished. Those men who are making use of their one talent, are the men who are shaking the spiritual forces of the world to-day.

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again for increased help. The commissioners and aldermen, no doubt, are willing to grant the request were it not for the tumult which would be caused if the necessary expenditure and the consequent increase of taxes were made. The police are doing their best, and are a noble, brave lot of men. What are the causes which have led to the increase of crime? They are many, but he would mention only three. The first was parental neglect in caring for and training the children. This is seen in the lack of respect shown to other people. Many children are getting a street education, which is preparing them for a life of crime. Children from six to fourteen can be seen on our street corners at all hours of the evening, even as late as 11 o'clock. Cheap ten-cent blood and thunder novels, cheap shows, where burglars, highwaymen and train robbers are exhibited in their escape from pursuers as shrewd and brave were a menace. From reading such books and seeing such pictures the boys go to some back yard and play highwayman, desperado and bloody Indian. The second cause mentioned was the growing doubt concerning the Bible being the inspired word of God. Infidels may fight the Book and do no great injury. When it gets the knife from its supposed friends no wonder men doubt its inspiration. Where doubt is once fastened in the mind concerning the Book, the door is flung open wide for anything. Third—the demoralizing effect of the liquor traffic. In Hamilton there are more bars than pulpits, more bartenders than preachers, more grog than gospel, more money spent to debauch men by drink than to support the God's cause. Then we wonder at the crime. The cure: Destroy the cause and the effect will cease. Arouse parents and demand a sense of duty. Let your faith settle down firmly on the old tried Bible as the inspired word of God. Arouse the public conscience to see the work of man's worst enemy, the open bar. Demand a change in the three-fifths clause in voting for local option, close the bars; seek a revival of pure religion in all churches. Live near to God and you will be doing much to remove the prevalence of crime.

EMERALD STREET CHURCH.

Rev. Dr. Williamson last night preached on "Hamilton's Carnival of Crime—Its Cause and Cure." The text chosen was Acts 19 chapter and part of the 29th verse. "The whole city was filled with confusion." Never in its history, said the preacher, has Hamilton been so thoroughly agitated as at the present time. One theme is discussed on the street corners, on the cars, in the work shop, in the stores and on the market, namely, the prevalence of crime. Outside newspapers are referring to our city in no complimentary terms. Beginning with the Barron murder, the speaker enumerated the glaring crimes committed in this city down to the present. Surely Hamilton is having a carnival of crime, he said. Referring to the unkind and unjust criticism of the police force in some quarters, he said the police were not to blame. With 70 men in all, only about one-half could be on duty at one time; and surely these could not supervise a city the size of Hamilton and prevent crime. Why are there not a larger number on the force. The chief has called again and

MUSICIANS AND PLAYERS



Al. H. Wilson, the ambassador of German dialect in "When Old New York Was Dutch," will be the offering at the Grand to-night. The story of the play is a most interesting one, full of comedy, pathos and pleasing climaxes, while the music is melodious. The tale deals with life and incidents of former days on Manhattan Island. Mr. Wilson is the author of his songs, and ample opportunity is given, during the progress of the play, for the enjoyment of the catchy ballads rendered in the clear, rich voice for which Mr. Wilson is famous. Among them are "Helen," "The God Chimney Corner," "Auf Wiedersehen, Fraulein," and "Songs of the Camp."

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the man the number, and he said 101. I asked him what was the number of the little shanty in the middle of the block. "That is 107," he replied, and I was so much amazed at the discovery that it was not until I had bought a few impossible cigars that his resentment had cooled and he told me the number. It was in every way the kind of dwelling I had imagined Hardmuth would be hiding in when Jack Brookfield sent for him."

AT BENNETT'S THEATRE.

The Bennett headliner this week, Middleton, Spellmeyer & Company, presenting "A Texas Wooing," should prove one of the most attractive features seen here in a long time. Aside from the merit of the sketch itself, it is a genuine novelty, because the company which presents it includes the Red Eagle family, full blooded Apache Indians, the only real Indians appearing on the vaudeville stage. Charles B. Middleton, the author of the piece, will be seen in the role of the Texas ranger, and Miss Leana Middleton, a charming actress, makes a sweet looking orphan. The sketch unfolds a pretty love story enacted on the plains of the Lone Star State, and is full of life and action. Not since the days of Hermann, the Great, and the famous Keller have theatre patrons seen an illusionist of such ability as Lawrence Crane, the Irish wizard, who will be one of the big attractions this week. 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MARKETS AND FINANCE

TORONTO MARKETS

FARMERS' MARKET. The offerings of grain to-day were small, and prices ruled firm. Wheat offered to the extent of 300 bushels, and sold at \$1.07 to \$1.08. Barley is firm at \$2 to \$2.25 for 200 bushels.

NEW YORK STOCKS

COBALT MINING STOCKS

STANDARD EXCHANGE

Saturday Morning Sales. Beaver Consolidated—100 at 17, 500 at 17, 500 at 16.34, 500 at 16.34, 1000 at 17, 200 at 17.40, 100 at 17.40.

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NEW YORK STOCKS

New York, March 15.—Noon.—The early market developed offerings by London, but a short covering movement started soon after the opening with especial strength in gas stocks.

HANDBOOK FOR HUSBANDS. On the Danger of Ambition When a Man Makes a Bet With His Wife.

(N. Y. Sun.) "It's the easiest thing in the world," said Uncle Henry, cocking one ear in the direction she was the last time he saw her, "understand me, the easiest thing in the world for some women to drive some men to drink. And I'm telling you, my wife and I come under the head of that 'some.' It's only my naturally thrifty disposition that keeps me from squandering my patrimony in a mad attempt to destroy the present and forget the future."

Nourishing Blood Means Strength

You Are Pale and Weak Because Your Blood is Thin and Weak. There can be no such thing as health without pure rich blood—no sparkling eyes, clear skin or active brain.

EPSS'S COCOA

You cannot possibly have a better Cocoa than EPSS'S. A delicious drink and a sustaining food. Fragrant, nutritious and economical. This excellent Cocoa maintains the system in robust health, and enables it to resist winter's extreme cold.

OTHER MARKETS

WINNIPEG WHEAT MARKET. Wheat—March \$1.10-3.4 bid, July \$1.14-1.4 bid, May \$1.27-7.8 bid. Oats—March 42-1.4 bid, May 43-3.4 bid.

TORONTO EXCHANGE

Saturday Morning Sales. Chambers—100 at 11.2, 144 at 84 1-2. Peterson—100 at 29, 100 at 30, 500 at 30.

RAILROADS

Open. High. Low. Close. Atchafalpa... 108.5 103.6 103.3 103.3. Brooklyn... 70.5 71.2 70.5 70.5.

INDUSTRIALS

Amal. Copper... 67.5 68 68.4 66.5. Anaconda Cop... 40.5 40.5 40.1 40.1. Am. Car. Fyrd... 48.5 48.2 48 48.2.

WALL STREET NEWS

New York banks gained \$317,000 through sub-treasury operation on Friday. Idle cars on March 3, 299,925, a decrease in the fortnight of 1,516.

PROVINCIAL MARKETS

Chatham.—Bad roads caused an upward tendency in the market. Live meats strong and demand good. Export hams, 5 1-4c; butchers' cattle, 3 1-2 to 4c.

THE LOVE LETTER

She took it from the postman with a nervous sort of trepidation she could hardly under-stand. Of course she knew he loved her, so why father in this way?

COLONIST EXCURSIONS TO PACIFIC COAST AND MEXICO

Daily until April 30th. One-way, second-class colonist tickets will be issued by the Grand Trunk Railway system to the following points at very low rates: Vancouver, B. C.; Seattle, Wash.; Spokane, Wash.; Portland, Ore.; Los Angeles, Cal.; San Francisco, Cal.; Mexico City, Mex.

A. E. CARPENTER & CO. Stocks and Bonds

Correspondents of ENNIS & STOPPANI, Members—Consolidated Stock Exchange, New York. Cobalt Stocks, reported by A. E. Carpenter, 102 King street east:

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OBITUARY

Old Residents of Hamilton Called to Great Beyond.

Mr. Thomas Old, a resident of this city for the past forty years or so, died at his home, 42 Liberty street, yesterday, Mr. Old was an Englishman, a native of Cornwall, but came to Canada when a lad of 13. For many years he carried on farming in Caledonia, retiring about the beginning of the '70's and coming to this city to live. He was a fine, honorable stamp of man, and had the respect of all. He is survived by one son, Mr. Wm. Old, of the Hamilton Street Railway, and two daughters, Mrs. Stoneman and Mrs. Stephen, both of this city; also by his widow.

Black Mantel Clocks

THOMAS LEES

We have just received a very large assortment of reliable Mantel Clocks, black marble-topped cases with gilt and bronze trimmings. Special prices \$5.00 to \$10.00.

Buy the Best

F. CLARINGBOW

The best plated tableware made is "Community Silver" with a guarantee of 25 years' wear in ordinary household use. It is handsome in design and finally finished. We sell it.

JAPAN SHOCKED.

W. T. R. Preston Wires From Yokohama of Earthquake.

Was Severe But Canadians Were All Safe, He Said. (Special Despatch to the Times.) Ottawa, March 15.—The seismograph at the Dominion observatory registered yesterday two earthquake shocks and there are probably the ones referred to in a cablegram received by Mr. F. C. O'Hara, Deputy Minister of Trade and Commerce, last night, from Mr. W. T. R. Preston, Canadian Trade Commissioner at Yokohama.

TURMOIL IN PARIS.

May be Strike of Telephone and Telegraph Employees

Paris, March 15.—Paris is in suspense to-day concerning the likelihood of a general strike on the part of the telegraphers and telephone employees in the bureaux of the post office. All the branches of the post office are involved. A general meeting to consider the situation has been called at the Trivoli Vaux Hall to-night at which a number of branch and subsidiary organizations will be represented. Detachments of police and municipal guards surround these buildings and a regiment of infantry is camped in the courtyard of the general post office. Mail wagons are being driven through the streets under military escort.

GAMES SPORTING PAGE

Gossip and Comment

The Hamilton bowlers returned from Pittsburgh this morning. They report having had a fine time. Three cheers for the Scoundrels.

The winner of the Norfolk Handicap, the four-mile race at Los Angeles, on Saturday, was bred by W. O. Palmer, of the Edenwood stud, and a full brother to Joseph K. was bought by the Valley Farm Stable at the Edenwood sale of yearlings at Woodbine last spring.

Mr. George Smith, of the firm of Smith & Perry, Chicago, is at the Royal. The firm controlled the tracks at Tampa and Florida, dropping about \$55,000 at the former and \$20,000 at the latter.

Jockey Treubel is again riding in California, after one of his periodical suspensions. He gets in trouble everywhere he goes, and has been barred from the Canadian tracks for several seasons.

The second of the series of games for the Garrison Indoor Baseball League championship between the Field Battery and C. O. nines will take place at the Armories to-night.

The London Daily Mail's account of the Summers-Britt fight in England recently has the following: The referee was an arduous task, for he had perpetually to come between the two men, and it was not long before he had to divest himself of his coat, and at the close of the evening he seemed a good deal more tired than either of the boxers.

Summers showed really remarkable quickness and cleverness at times. He brought off a "left" with such quickness that the blows could scarcely be seen. After his opponent had declared the center of the ring and made a short speech, he acknowledged that the referee's decision was just, but, despite this, considered himself the better man.

Throughout the contest Summers showed himself a thoroughly clever, fair boxer, a splendid exponent of the true English style, which he completely vindicated in this particular case. He stands straight, his straight and looks straight at his opponent. It cannot honestly be said that Jimmy Britt, plucky as he is, does these things. He crouches, and holds, and never attempts a straight blow, and there can be no question that these were among the reasons which contributed to his utter defeat.

From Toronto World: Mr. and Mrs. Tom Longboat arrived for the week at the Grand Central Hotel and they will also likely spend a few more days with their friends, Messrs. O'Rourke and Flanagan. The champion runner was looking in good condition to start training and he will receive instructions from his manager, P. T. Powers, along that line to-day.

Longboat's present weight is 156 pounds, and his stride, according to his own estimate, is 5 feet 8 inches. In answer to several more correspondents, you measure the champion's stride from one foot to the toe of the other, or if you do not like that method, measure from the heels.

It was announced that Davis, the Hamilton Indian, would probably train Longboat for his race in April. Perhaps Bill needed the money and now that he takes down \$500, being his share of the New York grind, as a real athlete, the job of trainer may look too insignificant.

Apply the English middle distance track will run as an amateur and will not pursue the coin of the realm with the other speeders. A large number of people would like to see him hook up with Alfie Shrubbs, a contest that would be the best imaginable.

The most decided stand in the cause of pure amateurism in connection with the national winter sport is that contained in the rule for the Allan Cup, which requires that surplus gate receipts shall be devoted to charities, opines the Montreal Herald. With this proposition in front of their eyes and the fact that there is no rake-off—for it may be taken for granted that no room for abuse will be allowed in the "legitimate expenses" clause—they will be loath to run into cup competitions except for the pure glory of the thing.

Forty Knox College students have been assigned to summer home mission work in the west and New Ontario.

W. DAVIS WAS SECOND

Canadian Indian Did Well in Grind.

Hendrie Horses to Train at Windsor.

New York, March 15.—France carried off the honors in the six-days' international gas-you-please race, when the team representing that country—Edouard Cibot and Louis Orphe—finished more than 13 miles ahead of their nearest competitors, Davis and Metkus, a reconstructed team.

The score was 732 miles and 6 laps, which is about 38 miles behind the record of 770 miles, made several years ago by Cavauagh and Hegelman.

Cibot and Orphe led the lead for four days, displacing Dinen and Prouty, who led the first day. They have shown good form throughout the race and finished in splendid condition. Judging from the attendance during the week the revival of six-day pedestrianism has not proved popular. Only within the last two days has the number of spectators at the race been even fair.

The final score: Cibot and Orphe, 732.4. Dinen and Prouty, 702.2. Loestlein and Kuberzant, 688.3. Shelton and Frazer, 674.4.

Los Angeles, March 15.—The American record for half a mile was Saturday set at 46.15 by the two-year-old Donan in winning the second race, which he only captured by a head from Rocky O'Brien.

There was a four-mile race on the card, Joseph K., from the string of H. L. Jones, winning cleverly and breaking the track record by nearly seven seconds. The original mark for the course was 7:23, but Joseph K. ran it in 7:16.2.5.

Longboat in Toronto. Toronto, March 15.—"I feel better now than in months," said Tom Longboat to the Globe last night. "Those three months in two months had me at a stand, but my rest at Deseronto, California and finally at Preston Springs has done me a world of good, and I expect to begin work right away in preparation for the Marathon Derby at the Erie Grounds in New York in the first week in April."

The champion arrived in the city Saturday night from Preston, and his appearance surely bears out his remarks on his condition. He has put on flesh, and he is strong and healthy looking. Longboat expects a telegram from Pat Powers to-day conveying instructions with respect to his training. When Powers visited the champion at Preston, Longboat suggested Bill Davis, the Hamilton Indian, who, with Metkus, the Greek, was second in the six-day grind at New York, as his trainer. Davis was the man who brought Longboat out of the Grand Central Hotel and they will also likely spend a few more days with their friends, Messrs. O'Rourke and Flanagan.

Mike Flanagan takes hold of him again his sport's call. This time he will be in the open to-day, unless the weather changes for the worse. If it does he will gallop indoors at the Armory Riding School. Alf Shrubbs is also hammering away outdoors at night by his own right, and a rub-down at the Queen's Park Oval, and had a rub-down at "Varsity gym."

"I know I'll beat this man," he says, confidently, "but I am too long at the game to underestimate a man of Simpson's caliber. That ten-mile time of his, 52:30, is enough to keep me in strict training."

The plan for the race will open Wednesday. The race will start at 9 o'clock sharp.

PAT WHITE WON. New York, March 15.—Pat White, of Dublin, the Irish champion distance runner, defeated John V. Svanberg, the Swedish champion, in the ten-mile race which followed the end of the six-day event. White's time was 57 minutes 7.25 seconds. The race was hotly contested, the men alternately taking the lead at intervals, which rarely exceeded a lap or two. Svanberg finished less than 50 yards behind White.

BURLESQUE AT Y. M. C. A. GYM.

At the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium next Thursday night the gymnastics men will put on their annual farmers' exhibition, and the program some real fun. Si Perkins, Reubert Pancke, Josh Billings, Jemmu Haycock, E. H. Wrayback and Prof. Bankroll will do rail fence rail gymnastics, a pitchfork and hoe handle drill. Bun struggle, Si Perkins' educated mule, feats of strength by Sandus, the village blacksmith, Broncho Rustin on the farm horse, wrestling by Snack 'em Jit, and got 'yer, basketball by the milk maids, and farm hands, and some other funny stunts.

Press exposures are being equipped to follow Roosevelt on his African tour.

HAMILTON BOWLERS WON GEBHARDT GOLD CUP.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 15.—(Special).—In the match game rolled Saturday night at the Palace Alleys, between the Hamilton Bowling and Athletic Club of Hamilton, Ont., and the famous Germans of Chicago, the Hamilton boys won two out of three, and the gold cup, donated by George Gebhardt. The match was for \$100 a side, and being an international affair, attracted so much attention that every seat in the immense hall was taken. The work of the Canadians was splendid, and the score indicated that the Middle West, National and A. B. C. champions, who rolled against them for the world's championship on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of next week, will have to go to beat the speedy Hamiltons who are champions of the Canadian Bowlers Association.

The Germans took the first game by 8 pins, but were easily beaten in the other two. Moon, Mitchell, Bell, Schwartz and Connolly, other crack rollers of the Hamilton team, could not be drawn for this game as they were participating in the individual championships at the Luquese Gardens.

The scores: Chicago Germans—Refer 167 171 191 329. Ritzel 245 190 153 588. Meninger 189 175 161 525. Schumacker 173 184 201 558. Reinhardt 212 201 169 582. H. B. & A. C. 986 921 875 2782. Lang 191 201 185 577. Seager 207 189 187 583. Smith 198 180 191 578. G. Thomson 193 199 205 597. Green 180 202 192 583. 978 990 960 2915.

JEFF ANXIOUS TO FIGHT JOHNSON.

New York, March 15.—Every pugilistic enthusiast in the world is waiting eagerly for definite news as to whether James J. Jeffries will agree to meet Jack Johnson in a contest for the heavyweight championship of the world. The recent arrival in this country of Hugh J. McIntosh, of Sydney, Australia, has added greatly to the public interest in the possibility of such a contest, but considerable feeling has developed that McIntosh's offer of a purse for the match on foreign soil should not be accepted and that the question as to the merits of the men should be decided in the United States.

It is known that Jeffries is not inclined to fight abroad, and that if he decides to re-enter the ring he is inclined to favor the offer for a world's championship battle in Seattle during the coming exhibition here. The retired champion has now taken up his work in connection with the light exercise indoors, and will continue this work the coming week. He tells his friends that his vigor is improving rapidly, though the fighter

HENDRIE HORSES Will be Sent to Windsor Track For Spring "Prep."

The Valley Farm Stable horses in training will be shipped from Toronto to-night to Windsor, where their spring preparation will be done. Trainer John Nixon is taking up thirteen horses, of which Shimonese and Send are King's Plate candidates. The older horses are Charlie Gilbert, Glimmer, Ceremonious and Scotch Moor. The others are two-year-olds by The Commoner, Lord Esterling and King Hanover, which were bought at the Edenwood sale at Woodbine last spring. Ostsketa met with an accident at the farm, and will not be trained for some time. The gallant little Kelpie, winner of the Durham Cup and the Jockey Club Cup, and holder of the Canadian record for two miles and a

SCOUNDRELS WON ONE

Hamilton Nine's Game in Toronto. A Tri-City League Now Proposed.

Toronto, March 15.—The Scoundrels of Hamilton defeated C. Co., Queen's Own, on Saturday night by the narrow margin of one run. Owing to a difference in the rules as played by each team, it was decided to play a double-header of six innings each. The Hamilton team had all the best of the first game, winning out by a score of 10 to 0. The Queen's Own came right back in the second game, and surprised the visitors by putting it over them to the tune of 14 to 5. The Hamilton team, however, were ahead on the round, as the total score counted left them one run to the good. Score by innings:

First game—R. H. E. Hamilton 002530-10 0 0 C. Co., Q. O. R. 000000-0 1 0 Second game—R. H. E. C. Co., Q. O. R. 408101-14 16 1 Hamilton 001001-5 7 2 Batteries—Hamilton, Carey and Lamont; C. Co., Cook and McWhirter.

FOOTBALL IN OLD ENGLAND.

London, March 15.—Following are the results of British football games Saturday: League—First Division. Aston Villa 2, Woolwich A. 1. Sheffield U. 2, Souths County 3. Bury 1, Newcastle U. 1. Liverpool 1, Bristol City 2. Manchester C. 4, Preston N. E. 2. Middlebro 2, Sheffield W. 1. Sunderland 2, Everton 0. Chelsea 1, Manchester U. 1. Blackburn R. 1, Bradford C. 1. League—Second Division. Barnsley 3, Birmingham 1. Blackpool 2, Chesterfield 2. Bradford 1, Bolton W. 2. Clapton O. 2, Grimsby Town 1. Hull City 4, Stockport C. 2. Leeds City 0, Gainsboro T. 2. Oldham A. 1, Fulham 0. Tottenham H. 1, W. Brom. A. 3. Wolverhampton W. 2, Burnley 1. Southern League. Millwall 3, West Ham U. 0. N. Brompton 2, Brighton and H. 0. Northampton 1, Crystal P. 0. Exeter 1, Brentford 3. Portsmouth 1, Luton 0. Swindon 3, Plymouth A. 0. Southend 0, Leyton 0. Coventry 2, Southampton 0. Bristol R. 2, Reading 2. Watford 1, Norwich City 1.

BASKETBALL.

At the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium Saturday night the opening games of the City of Toronto were played. The following are the results: First Game. 38th Sergeants—140 195 186 321. A. Taylor 149 115 106 421. G. Sager 149 210 115 474. W. Oxtoby 142 127 133 402. J. Orr 144 128 181 453. C. Taylor 143 144 155 442. 716 792 803 2311.

Knocking Down the Pins

Cleveland, March 15.—Each rolling 2850 pins, the first event on Saturday night between the Brooklyns and Cleveland was declared a draw, Brooklyns declining to roll another frame to decide the tie.

The following are the results of friendly bowling match between the sergeants of the 38th Regiment, Bradford, and the 13th Regiment sergeants on Saturday afternoon; also between the sergeants of the 38th Regiment, Bradford, and the 91st sergeants in the evening:

First Game. 38th Sergeants—140 195 186 321. A. Taylor 149 115 106 421. G. Sager 149 210 115 474. W. Oxtoby 142 127 133 402. J. Orr 144 128 181 453. C. Taylor 143 144 155 442. 716 792 803 2311.

13th Sergeants—187 165 138 471. H. G. Worth 187 165 138 471. R. C. Ferguson 142 109 139 410. W. Harvey 169 104 135 439. J. Freeman 126 120 167 413. S. J. Huggins 165 165 174 504. 780 723 753 2256.

Second Game. 38th Sergeants—151 169 187 507. A. Taylor 151 169 187 507. G. Sager 169 169. J. Miller 195 129 127 442. J. Orr 159 140 119 419. C. Taylor 153 140 170 463. A. C. Edmond 121 131 252. 769 699 725 2193.

91st Sergeants—144 103 182 429. E. Dornan 144 103 182 429. L. Mackenzie 144 108 134 485. H. Bechill 142 127 133 402. W. Rollo 144 104 152 400. W. J. Smith 123 156 175 454. 606 658 706 2150.

The Sergeants of the 13th Regiment entertained the Sergeants of the 38th Regiment after their game to a very enjoyable lunch in their splendid quarters and the 91st Sergeants entertained them in their quarters after the evening game.

Pittsburg, March 15.—(Special).—The H. B. and A. C. bowlers did better in the doubles than they did in the five-man team contests at the big tournament. The scores in the doubles were: Total. Connolly-Schwartz 1082. Sager-Thompson (W. P.) 1064. Laing-Mitchell 939. Green-Moon 1187. Smith-Thomson (G.) 977. Green and Moon, with 1187, in doubles, are seventh in the 1,200 teams who have already competed. The seventh prize is \$250.

Following are the scores in the singles: B. J. Connolly 189 172 190 551. F. C. Schwartz 175 213 177 565. W. Seager 189 174 209 572. W. P. Thompson 179 177 151 507. Wm. Bell 159 140 180 479. H. F. Green 163 176 182 521. G. Thomson 191 168 158 520. F. Smith 167 163 197 527. C. H. Mitchell 160 189 182 501.

LADIES' GOLF CLUB OFFICERS.

At the annual meeting of the Hamilton Ladies' Golf Club the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President—J. J. Morrison. Captain—F. R. Martin. Treasurer—A. C. Beasley. Secretary—A. Hope Crerar. Committee of Management—T. C. Haaslett, J. G. Glasco, R. McDonald. The reports of the retiring officers showed the club to be in a good condition.

At the annual meeting of the Hamilton Golf Club the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President—Mrs. Lucas. Vice-President—Miss Leggat. Second Vice-President—Mrs. C. L. Scott. Third Vice-President—Mrs. Mylor. Secretary—Miss Harvey. Treasurer—Miss Glasco. Handicap Committee—Miss Morrison, Conover, Mrs. Arthur Rowes, Miss J. Cranham.

MAHMOUT'S MATCHES.

Giant Turk May Pay a Visit to Hamilton.

Chicago, March 15.—Frank Gotch, wrestling champion of the world, and Yusuf Mahmout will meet at the International Amphitheatre here, April 14th, according to an announcement made by the Empire Athletic Club. Gotch will do his training at the Illinois Athletic Club, where he prepared for his contest with George Hackenschmidt last year. Mahmout has gone east for a series of matches at Buffalo, Toronto and Montreal. He will probably stop off at Hamilton on his way back, if any grapplers can be induced to consent to go on with him. The Olympic Club, of that city, has made a conditional offer to him.

THE CONJUROR CONFESSES.

"The hand is quicker than the eye" is one of those accepted sayings invented by those who know nothing of conjuring—or, as is more likely, by some cunning conjurer who aimed still further to hoodwink a gullible public. The fact is that the best conjurer seldom makes a rapid motion, for that attracts attention, even though it be not understood. The true artist in this line is deliberate in every movement, and it is mainly by his actions that he leads his audience to look not where they ought, but in an entirely different direction. Mr. David Devant, who for a number of consecutive years has entertained London with his ingenious tricks, has said: "The conjurer must be an actor. By the expression of his face, by his gestures, by the tone of his voice, in short, by his acting, he must produce his effects.—From the 'Simple Tricks in Magic' in the March St. Nicholas.

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championship series were played. The four teams lined up for the final series: Rangers, Boys' Club, Intermediates and Dunoyas. The first game was played between the Boys' Club and the Rangers. The Boys' Club played a magnificent game. They handled the ball like veterans. They won by the score of 30 to 17. In the second game the Intermediates clashed up against the Dunoyas. This was a close game all the way through, the Intermediates winning out by a score of 25-23.

Junior City League at East Hamilton Y. M. C. A.— In the Junior City League at East Hamilton Y. M. C. A. the Central Y. M. C. A. team met defeat at the hands of the fast east end team, score 25-11.

Three members of the brokerage firm of Baxter & Co., Pittsburg, were found guilty Saturday of conducting a bucket-shop.

FOUL MURDER.

Hotel Night Clerk's Skull Fractured and Throat Cut.

Murderer May be Traced by Thumb Print on Register.

Philadelphia, March 15.—Harvey Valant, night clerk of the Eastern Hotel, on Hill street, was found early today with his skull fractured by a blow with an iron pipe, and his throat cut. The clerk was murdered by men who afterwards rifled his pockets, took \$80 from the hotel till, and made an unsuccessful attempt to get into the safe, in which there was \$6,000. The police have practically no clue as to the identity of the murderers. A thumb print which was alongside the names of two men written on the hotel register, the police believe to be that of one of the men, and hope to trace his identity from this. It was the clerk's habit to come to the hotel shortly after 6 o'clock at night and leave at 7 on the following morning. Between 2 o'clock and 6 the clerk is alone, and although no struggle was heard, any one in the hotel, it is supposed the murder was committed during that time.

MILL'S BLOCK.

What the New Business Centre Will be Like.

The following is from "Hardware and Metal," March 13: One of the most gigantic undertakings in connection with the retail hardware interests in Canada in years is that of the Mills Hardware Company, which will erect almost a block of buildings facing on John street south, and extending almost to Hughson street, and from Hunter street to Woodmarket square. The buildings will comprise five stories, a central heating plant and a stable a block in length. The costs of the buildings is being withheld, but it is expected that they will run up to the neighborhood of \$100,000. The whole scheme has as its origin the extension of the business section and the development of a large farmers' trade. But one store will be devoted to hardware and the other four will be rented for whatever class of trade the tenant may be engaged in. The stores will be built between them and temporarily bricked in so that at any time they may be removed, fire doors installed, and direct communication established between all the stores. This would give a department store effect and would tend to centralize the farmers' trade so that it would not be necessary for those who come into the city via John street to go any farther into the business section than the new block.

TEA TABLE GOSSIP.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman G. Cook have removed to the Philip apartments, 238 York street.

The Right House will hold their formal spring opening to-morrow and following days of this week.

Peterboro Presbytery has nominated Rev. Dr. Lyle, of this city, as moderator of the General Assembly.

Mrs. Andrew Ross, 81 Victoria avenue north, will receive on Tuesday, March 16, and not again this season.

Mr. John Walker, of Woodstock, is in the city attending the annual meeting of the Hamilton Gaslight company.

Mr. Thos. H. Davis, business manager of "The Witching Hour," is in the city today. Mr. Davis is a veteran circus press agent.

The Ministerial Association did not meet this morning, owing to the illness of Dr. Kennedy, of Knox College, Toronto, who was to address the meeting.

The plans for the new Y. W. C. A. building are to be laid before the Building Committee this week for their final approval, and when that is obtained work will be commenced right away.

The Thielma Club will give their at-home on Wednesday, March 17, instead of Thursday of this week. Lomas' full orchestra has been engaged for the evening. A lunch will be served at 11:30 p.m.

D. C. Coleman, of Stoney Creek, sailed on Saturday from Boston on the steamship Romanic for Brazil. South America, on a three month business trip. Mr. Coleman is interested in coffee and rubber.

Major Walker, of the Bridgeburg "Review" staff, was in the city over Sunday, calling upon old friends. The fresh air breeze of Lake Erie seem to agree with the Major, and he still retains his youthfulness.

The Y. M. C. A. boys' meeting yesterday afternoon, held in St. Paul's school room, was addressed by John Frid, on "The Prodigal Son." It was one of the best addresses given to the boys. Mr. Alvin Wilson presided.

Mr. C. Kelly, principal of the Stinson street school, gave a very interesting address at the 415 meeting yesterday at the East End Y. M. C. A. There was a large attendance. Mr. Newlands sang a solo, which was well received.

Dundas W. C. T. U. has invited Central W. C. T. U. of Hamilton, to go to Dundas next Thursday, by 2:15 car, to be the guests of Dundas Union for the afternoon. An interesting program and pleasant social time is assured.

A slight typographical error occurred in the letter on the "Land Question," by Ralph Briton, in Saturday's Times. It should have read as follows: "What should be done is that the land should be leased to settlers—not given—at the minimum of a rental, so that it would still remain the property of the people whose property it is."

AT MARY'S

Cathedral Crowded at Opening of the Mission.

A mission, conducted by two members of the Redeemptorist order, Father O'Reilly and Father Doyle, opened yesterday in St. Mary's Cathedral. It will last one week. The women's mission opened last night when the big cathedral was crowded to its utmost capacity, temporary seats being placed in front of the sanctuary and along the aisles. Father O'Reilly, who is a very striking figure in the pulpit, preached a most impressive sermon. He has a splendid voice and uses it with great effect. The women's mission will close on Wednesday evening. On Thursday morning the men's mission opens. It will close on Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. The children were held at 2:30 yesterday afternoon and will be exercises for the children each morning and after 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Mass is to be celebrated at 5:30 and 8 o'clock every morning, when a short instruction will be given. At 7:30 in the evening the rosary will be said, followed by the apostles in and out of the Catholic Church. The days of the oratorical faith were past, a practical faith was required to-day, and the man who clung to the theoretical and abandoned the practice was a contradiction of himself.

GAS COMPANY.

Superintendent Keillor Elected a Director To-day.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Hamilton Gas Company was held this morning at the head offices of the company. The election of officers resulted as follows: President—Hon. Wm. Gibson. Vice-President—D'Arcy R. C. Martin. Directors—J. M. Eastwood, R. C. Fearman, W. Hendrie, J. A. Bruce and John Keillor. The annual statement was presented, showing a satisfactory return to the company for the year's business.

Carnival.

Do not forget the Irish carnival at the Alexandra roller rink on Wednesday evening, March 17th. Four prizes will be given, two for the best costumes of Irish characters, lady and gentleman, and two for the most comical. All skaters in fancy costume will be admitted to the skating floor free. The spacious balcony is steam heated. Admission only 10c.

Locating the Blame.

Disgruntled Politician—Why don't you fellows drop Bryan, for good and all, as a Presidential candidate? The blamed Republican newspapers won't let us.

If He Only Knew.

"He isn't handsome, yet he seems popular with the girls." "They think he looks like a Billiken."—Louisville Courier Journal.

It's certainly all up with him, and he's all in, no doubt. For this is English as she's spoke, and means he's down and out.

THOS. HOBSON ON KINRADE MURDER.

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EXPECT TO FINISH FRIDAY NIGHT.

"Is there any likelihood of the inquest closing on Friday night?" Mr. Washington was asked.

"Yes, I think it will finish on Friday night," he replied. "Is there any truth in the statements of the Toronto papers on Saturday to the effect that you said you expected the jury would bring in a verdict naming some one as having a connection with the murder?"

"The whole story was an absolute fabrication. I never gave an interview to any of the Toronto men yet, and I don't intend to, regarding this case," replied Mr. Washington.

"It has been mentioned that a witness will be put on the stand on Friday who will be ready to swear that he heard shots in the vicinity of the house about 3 o'clock on the afternoon of the tragedy. Could you give the name of the witness?"

"I read that in a morning paper, and that is the first I heard of the matter."

"Then you don't know who the witness is?"

"No." "Do you think the members of the Kinrade family will be called again to the stand?"

"I am not a prophet. However, I do not think the family will be called again. That matter rests with Mr. Blackstock, and he may do as he pleases. Now, this is my busy week; good morning."

MR. HOBSON'S VIEWS.

When seen this morning Mr. Hobson, solicitor for the Kinrade family, said that he would be associated with Mr. Staunton at the inquest on Friday night. He did not know what course Mr. Staunton was going to pursue.

"As a matter of fact," Mr. Hobson said, "before the inquest took place Mr. Kinrade and myself discussed the matter thoroughly, and came to the conclusion that there was nothing to fear from Mr. Blackstock's examination. And I may say we are still of that opinion. I am of the opinion that the girl is absolutely innocent of any part of the tragedy, and her evidence at the inquest clearly shows that we are in the right," continued Mr. Hobson.

"Is there any truth in the rumor that Mr. Kinrade intends going after the local correspondents for American newspapers, in connection with their statements?"

"I am not prepared to discuss that matter at present."

"Are you going to ask for an order for examination of the files of the telegraph offices in support of your ideas?"

"As I said before, I will not discuss the matter just now. I will say, however, that I have a newspaper in my pocket at the present moment, which contains statements that have not the first atom of truth in them," said Mr. Hobson.

When asked what paper contained these statements, Mr. Hobson said that it was a Detroit paper.

"Well, Mr. Hobson, do you think should be done to correct the trouble?" he was asked.

"The Coroner should have the newspaper man ordered from the court, if they persist in making false statements," was the emphatic reply of the solicitor. Mr. Staunton was in Toronto this morning, attending the Divisional Court, and did not return until this afternoon. Nothing could be learned at his office as to what course he intended pursuing at the inquest. Father O'Reilly's statement of Mr. Washington to the effect that the family would hardly be called again, there may be little for Mr. Staunton to do.

NOT KNOWN IN KINGSTON.

Kingston, March 15.—Claude Elliott, mentioned in the Godefrich despatches as a baritone singer, who took part in a concert at the Opera House, arrived at 8:27 p. m. Sunday, bringing 128 second cabin and 101 stowage passengers.

MILLER IS MUM.

Toronto, March 15 (Special).—Detective Miller was in conference with Deputy Attorney-General Cartwright this morning for some time, then left hurriedly for Hamilton. If he has made any important discoveries or is following any definite clues, which he denies, he intends saying nothing about them for publication. "Nothing definite" was the extent of his remarks.

SADIE CHAMBERS.

The Sadie Chambers, whose name was mentioned by Mr. Geo. T. Blackstock at the Kinrade inquest, and whose name appears in the Godefrich despatch, is known here, having been a waitress here for several years. She is now residing in Toronto, where she was a few months ago. The young woman's father, it is explained, resides in Godefrich, and every summer she went home for a visit of two or three weeks. It is supposed that while there in 1907, she spent some time at the home of the Robinsons. The young woman's maiden name was Muirhead, and she is married to a barber named Chambers, who formerly worked for Almas, a James street barber. She has not lived with her husband for years. To Mr. Blackstock, Miss Kinrade stated that she did not know Sadie Chambers.

KEEP OFF THE LAWS BOYS.

Complaints are being made by householders in all parts of the city about boys, especially newboys and messengers, making short cuts across lawns, the snow is pretty well gone now, and the ground is soft. It is just at this stage that the laws should be protected.

SEVER NOT OPENED.

Nothing has been done yet in regard to opening the sewer from the street to the house on the Kinrade premises, the detectives were spoken to about the matter this morning, but said that they did not know whether this would be done or not, as it is not likely the revolver, if it was thrown in an inlet of the sewer, would stop in the large pipes outside.

HAS THEM GUESSING.

Toronto, Ont., March 15.—(Special).—George Lynch-Staunton, K. C., counsel for T. L. Kinrade, at Osgoode Hall today kept reporters buzzing around fearing he was issuing writs against newspapers. There was nothing doing this time to-day, but Mr. Staunton said there would be shortly.

Big Buying Chances.

Finch Bros. are advertising to-night some of the greatest buying chances of the year. They are all new and fresh goods for spring. Read their advertisement for prices and particulars.

The C. P. R. it is reported, will build two or three new steamers for the Pacific coast trade at Esquimalt.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths which are inserted in the Daily Times also appear in the Semi-weekly Times. 50c first insertion; 25c for each subsequent insertion.

DEATHS.

BAIN.—In this city on Monday, March 15th, 1909, Jas. D. Bain, aged 72 years. Funeral from his late residence, 171 West avenue north, on Wednesday at 2:15 p. m. Interment at Hamilton Cemetery. Friends please accept this intimation.

JOYCE.—At the City Hospital, Hamilton, on Saturday, March 13th, 1909, Richard Benjamin Joyce, of Bronte, aged 57 years. Funeral from his late residence, Bronte, this afternoon to Saint Jude's Cemetery, Oakville.

LOGAN.—At the City Hospital, on Monday, 15th March 1909, the late son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. M. Logan, 162 Victoria avenue south, aged 14 years. Funeral private.

MANN.—In this city on Saturday, March 13th, 1909, Mary Ellen Buntin, beloved wife of Chas. H. Mann, aged 32 years. Funeral from her late residence, 132 Youns street, on Tuesday at 2 p. m. Interment at Hamilton Cemetery. Friends please accept this intimation.

OLD.—In this city on Sunday, March 14th, 1909, Thomas Old, in his 86th year, a native of Cornwall, Ontario. Funeral from his late residence, 42 Liberty street, on Tuesday at 2 p. m. Interment at Hamilton Cemetery. Friends will please accept this intimation.

TWISS.—At Woodburn on March 14th, James Boyd Twiss, aged 75 years. Funeral from his late residence on Tuesday at 2 p. m. to Woodburn Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

Habit

People often talk about the strength of habits—bad habits; but good habits are just as strong, and the strongest habit of all, when once acquired, is the Savings habit.

One dollar will open an interest bearing account with the Dominion Bank.

GET THE SAVINGS HABIT.

The DOMINION BANK

Main Office—39 MacNab St. N. East End Branch—Corner King and Wentworth Sts. W. K. PEARCE, Manager.

SOME LATE SPORTING ITEMS

A Jewellers' League will open at the B. & A. C. alleys to-morrow night. The schedule is: Levi Bros. vs. Klein & Binkley. Geo. Lee vs. N. Ellis.

Galveston, Tex., March 15.—If Champion Jack Johnson brings his white wife to Galveston he will be prosecuted under the Texas laws forbidding whites and blacks marrying. The reports that Johnson has a negro wife living here brought a reply from Johnson, saying he was legally divorced from her and would bring his white wife with him.

William Arnold, Main street east, and Francis King, Wilson, were assessed \$2 each for being drunk.

William Hempelck, 39 Sydney street, pleaded guilty to assaulting and threatening his wife, and was sentenced to two months in jail. "You will have to find security funds for \$100 before you can get out," said the Magistrate.

William Moseley, Hilliard street, was accused of mistreating his wife, but as there were many extenuating circumstances, such as provocation, he was allowed to go.

B. B. Morden was committed for trial on a charge of theft. The complainant, Wesley R. Bennett, Garth street, swore that Morden had approached him in November, 1907, with a proposition to buy the rights for the programme of the Hamilton Oratorio Society, which was giving a concert in December. He was to advance \$50 to buy the rights, and in return was to get his \$50 back and also half the profits. With the exception of about \$25 which he had collected for advertising spaces, the deal had been a complete loss to him. The defence did not offer any evidence, and Morden was committed for trial.

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Women's Accounts

are especially welcomed by this Bank. Not only is absolute safety assured, but every convenience is extended, and both officers and employees are glad to give every possible assistance.

There is a comfortable reception room, provided with writing materials and desks. None but new money, whether coin or paper, is given to the Bank's customers.

THE TRADERS BANK OF CANADA

THE WEATHER.

FORECASTS—Fine and moderately cold. Tuesday fine, not much change in temperature.

The following is issued by the Department of Marine and Fisheries: Temperature.

Table with 2 columns: Location and Temperature. Locations include Victoria, Calgary, Winnipeg, Port Arthur, Parry Sound, Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, and Father Point. Temperatures range from 32 to 42 degrees.

WEATHER NOTES. The pressure is above normal over the greater portion of the continent and the weather in Canada is fine for the most part moderately cold.

Washington, March 15.—Eastern States and Northern New York—Fair to-night and Tuesday; slightly colder to-night; moderate north-west winds.

Western New York—Fair to-night and Tuesday, rising temperature Tuesday.

ROUND-UP CONTINUES.

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King William street, with a big load of wet goods and \$17 of his \$32 left. As Clark was swooping down on him two men at the end of the alley gave him the alarm, and they and two others who were standing near Kitchen took to their heels.

As a Sunday jag is counted as twice the luxury of a week day carousal Kitchen was fined \$5.

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Landed Banking & Loan Co. Cor. James and Main

Announcement

New Hair Dressing Parlors

MRS. IDA SUMMERS is pleased to notify her friends and the public that she has opened convenient parlors at 7 King Street East, over Hennessey's drug store. Up-to-date Manicuring, Shampooing, Hair Dressing; the Marcel wave a specialty at popular prices. Appointments made by telephone 3039.

THE TRADERS BANK OF CANADA

Dividend Number 52 QUARTERLY DIVIDEND

Notice is hereby given that a dividend at the rate of SEVEN PER CENT (7%) per annum upon the paid up Capital Stock of the Bank has been declared for the three months ending 31st March, 1909, and the same will be payable at its Head Office and Branches on and after Thursday, the first day of April next. The transfer books will be closed from the 15th to the 31st day of March next, both days inclusive.

NOTICE Tenders for Coal

Will be received at the office of the undersigned up to 12 o'clock (noon) on Thursday, the 18th inst., for one hundred and fifty tons of No. 1 Grate Coal, delivered at the Court House as required according to capacity of said bins. The quality of coal to be subjected to the inspection of the Court House engineer.

MEN'S EASTER HATS \$1.59 and \$1.99

Regular \$2.50

TREBLE'S TWO STORES

Jersey Cream Baking Powder Is Absolutely Pure. "Canada's Best"

KNIVES

We carry the largest assortment in Hamilton of Kitchen and Butchery Knives. Quality guaranteed.

E. TAYLOR

11 MacNab St. North

COAL

INLAND NAVIGATION CO., Limited 604 Bank of Hamilton Bldg. PHONES 282 and 283

FORD AUTOMOBILE \$1,000.00

A sample of the touring car is to hand. See it. Automobile Garage Co., 50-52 Bay north, Hamilton agents.

NATURAL GAS GOODS

Very Cheap at BERMINGHAM'S Phone 1909, 50 John Street South.

AMUSEMENTS

GRAND AL. H. WILSON To-night. The Golden Voiced Singer in WHEN OLD NEW YORK WAS OUTGONE.

NEXT FRIDAY AND SATURDAY THE ROYAL ITALIAN

GRAND OPERA CO. 100—PEOPLE—100

Including European Artists, Operatic Orchestras of 25 Musicians, Ballet, and Chorus and Complete Scenery.

THE CAVALIERI RUSTICANO. Saturday Matinee LA TRAVIATA Saturday Evening CAR MEN. Prices—Eve., 50, 75, 81, \$1.50, \$2.50. Matinee, 25, 50, 75, \$1, \$1.50. Seats on sale Wednesday.

BENNETT'S Hamilton's Home of Variety. MIDDLETOWN, SPELLMEYER & CO., in A TARS' MOON. A Family of Apache Indians. LAWRENCE CRANE & CO. The Irish Wizard. HOYE & LEE, Hebrew Comedians. 8 VAUDEVILLE ACTS—8. Prices—Mat., 10, 15, 25; eve., 15, 25, 35, 50, 75, 1.00. Phone 208.

SAVOY ALL THIS WEEK. Mat., Tues., Thurs and Sat. JOSEPH SELMAI, CO. Presents "The Little Minister" Prices—Mat., 10, 15, 25; eve., 15, 25, 35, 50. Souvenir Matinee every Tuesday.

ALEXANDRA ROLLER RINK IRISH CARNIVAL Wednesday Ev'g. March 17th. FREE—Those in Costume. Usual skating. Balcony 10c.

BRITANNIA ROLLER RINK Wednesday Night GRAND IRISH NIGHT LOMAS' BAND IN ATTENDANCE. 7 Valuable Prizes. 1 Special Given for Best Clown. Balcony 10c.

Irish Protestant Benevolent Society. Lecture by Rev. Canon Cody, D.D., LL.D., of Toronto, on "Irish Social Life a Hundred Years Ago." Conservatory of Music, March 15th. Tickets 50c, at Clocks and Duncans' book stores.

REGULAR BOATS. Will be run to the north shore of Hamilton a beautiful bay during the coming season. See us about it.

THE HAMILTON FERRY CO. WOODMAN BROS. PROPS. Telephone 1294. 189 King East.

Parke & Parke Say

Keep the stomach right and you will be free from cold. A teaspoonful of Parke's Lithiated Fruit Granules in a half glass of water in the morning before breakfast will keep the stomach right and make you feel better. They act on the kidneys and bowels, eliminating all poisonous matter from the system. 25c PER BOTTLE.

17, 18, 19 & 20 Market St. S. W. 22 & 24 MacNab St. N. W.

Spring Wall Papers

Now Arriving A. C. TURNBULL 17 King Street East

Special 25% Reduction