

CONSERVATIVE MEMBER OPPOSES DROPPING OF NEWMARKET CANAL

Says That Minister of Railways Is Wrong in Declaring Canal Useless—Inquiry Into the Civil Service Is To Be Held Behind Closed Doors.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 15.—There is trouble with one Conservative member over the announcement that the Newmarket Canal is to be abandoned, J. A. Armstrong, who represents the riding, says that there should be an inquiry before this work is abandoned, and he proposes to bring the matter up in the House. He does not agree with the opinion of the Minister of Railways that the work is useless.

Hector Chauvin, K. C., brother-in-law of Henri Bourassa, this morning

began an official inquiry into charges of partisanship which have been made against several hundred employees of the public works staff in Ottawa. This morning he recorded the confessions of those who admitted they had been busy on election day. Tomorrow he will examine those who deny the charge, and witnesses.

The Morine inquiry into the civil service of Canada is to be conducted behind closed doors. It is felt by the Government and Mr. Morine that the desired ends can be more easily reached in this way and that there will be less criticism.

Chief Justice Meredith of Ontario will probably be the commissioner to inquire into the Farmers' Bank.

STEAM PIPES TO BE A BIG ISSUE

Council May Want Clause Providing for Termination of Franchise on Notice.

IT MAY MEAN A FIGHT

Company Contends That It Would Be Unfair to Go to Large Expense For Short Term.

The city council will settle down to business tonight, the first regular meeting after the inauguration. There are no communications, and the ordinary business is not heavy, so the session need not be very long.

The finance committee has little other than routine. The board of works has a recommendation to allow the Helen Costume Company and Greene, Swift & Co. to cross certain streets for erecting purposes at \$10 a street. A rider has been inserted in the agreement to the effect that the companies must remove their pipes at six months' notice.

It is understood that the companies will refuse to accept this amendment, contending that it would be unfair to ask them to go to a large expense, only to have to remove their pipes within a year or so after it was put down. There is no question that this will create considerable discussion in the council.

No committee will have some important matters for consideration, such as the calling of tenders for an automobile for the fire chief, the securing of an auto combination wagon, the appointment of seven new men to the department, and the request for debentures for public comfort stations.

MUST AGAIN TAKE UP MATTER OF ROADWAY

Port Stanley Board Will Have to Secure Further Consideration.

The agreement between the city council of last year and the village of Port Stanley, relative to opening up a roadway up the hill, closing Smith street, and connecting a road along the beach, was not carried into effect, and as a result negotiations will have to be opened with the new council looking to the settlement of this problem.

According to the opinion of City Solicitor Meredith it was necessary to have the incorporation of the London and Port Stanley board, the shareholders of the road, the city council, and the lessees.

The city council and London and Port Stanley board of last year consented. At the meeting of the shareholders at 11 o'clock today, the whole matter was filed.

Mayor Graham, who was the only shareholder present, declared that he refused to validate the agreement because the present council had not studied the question, and he did not propose to lend his name to something that he was not prepared to defend. He had not had time to go into the matter thoroughly, and until he had, nothing would be done.

It is his intention to take the board to Port Stanley early in the spring to look over the whole situation, and come to some definite conclusion on the matter. When this was done, it would be possible to open up negotiations again.

THREE VILLAGES PASS THE HYDRO BYLAWS

Crediton, Dashwood and Centralia Vote in Favor of the Commission's Power.

[Canadian Press.]

Toronto, Jan. 15.—Hydro-electric by-laws were carried Saturday in London, Crediton, Dashwood and Centralia. These are the last of the municipalities in the Huron, Grey and Bruce area voting on cheap power by-laws. Word was received at the offices of the hydro-electric commission today that only three votes were polled against the by-laws in the three municipalities.

F. W. Southman, chief engineer of the commission, and P. A. Gaby, assistant chief, have just returned from an inspection trip of the transmission line from Toronto to Dundas and out to Smithville. They followed the right-of-way and made the trip both afoot and by motor car.

GETTING READY FOR CALLERS



SCENE—PREMIER WILTON'S BOUDOIR.

PREPARATORY PRACTICE for suitable reception of next deputation from the WESTERN UNIVERSITY.

REQUESTS FOR MEN POUR INTO OFFICE

Article in The Advertiser Brings Applications by Score From Farmers.

FARM HELP IS SCARCE

Domestic To Be Brought to Country Are Also in Great Demand.

Last Wednesday an article in The Advertiser announced that Major McGillivray, of the Salvation Army emigration department, with headquarters here, would personally bring 500 men from Great Britain for Western Ontario.

Notwithstanding the difficulties of rural communication for the past week Major McGillivray has already received more than fifty applications from the length and breadth of Western Ontario from farmers anxious to secure farm laborers.

Applications have come from Essex and Niagara on the one hand, and the farthest corner of the Bruce peninsula, and Northern Ontario on the other, practically all the applicants mentioning The Advertiser, and those who called personally bringing the paper with them.

Many requests for domestic servants have also been received by the bureau, who will probably be early sailing of domestics while in England in February. Major McGillivray will sail on the S.S. Granplan on Feb. 2, and all applications should be sent in before that date.

MRS. MORPHY DIES

Widow of City's Pioneer Jeweller Passes Peacefully Away.

Mrs. Elizabeth Morphy, widow of Mr. Andrew Morphy, London's pioneer jeweller, who died about a year ago, succumbed to an illness of six weeks' duration at her home, 386 Queen's avenue, this morning.

Mrs. Morphy was the mother of Mr. Alfred Morphy, the local jeweller, and of Dr. Morphy, of Lachine, Mich. The arrangements for the funeral will probably be made at Mount Pleasant Cemetery, where the remains of Mrs. Morphy's husband were interred.

SEINE IS FALLING.

Paris, Jan. 15.—The Seine, which has been rising rapidly since Dec. 30, threatening a repetition of the great floods of two years ago, began to fall again today and the hydrometric authorities consider that the danger of an inundation is over for the present.

JOHN COFFAN DEAD.

Hartford, Conn., Jan. 15.—John G. W. Coffan, vice-president of the Hartford Fire Insurance Company, died this morning. He was ill twelve hours with apoplexy.

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW—VERY COLD.

Forecasts.
Toronto, Jan. 15—8 a.m.
Today—Strong northwesterly to northerly winds; clearing and decidedly colder. Tuesday—Fine and very cold.
Temperatures.
The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock this morning:
Stations. High. Low. Weather.
London..... 29.5. 5.5. Fair.
Calgary..... 16. 12. Clear.
Winnipeg..... 14. 32. Cloudy.
Port Arthur..... 2. 22. Clear.
Perry Sound..... 14. 8. Snow.
Toronto..... 22. 16. Snow.
Ottawa..... 2. 2. Snow.
Montreal..... 0. 2. Snow.
Quebec..... 4. 2. Snow.
Father Point..... 2. Cloudy.
Minus (—) means below zero.

Weather Notes.
The pressure is low over the Lower Lakes and the Middle Atlantic States, attended by light snowfalls in Ontario and Quebec.
Another pronounced cold wave is centred in the Northwest States, but it is being quickly followed by much milder conditions.

BUGLERS SOUNDED LAST CALL IN HONOR OF DEAD COMRADE

Seventh Regiment Escorted Remains of Walter Smith to Grand Trunk Station—Double Funeral Was Held in Mosa Township Sunday Afternoon.

The remains of Walter Smith, the little bugler of the buglers of the Seventh Regiment, who was killed at the North Glencoe crossing of the C. P. R., together with his brother Henry, a week ago, were returned to Glencoe yesterday afternoon, the only remaining brother, Herbert, of Seattle, having arranged upon his arrival here for a double funeral there this afternoon.

The remains of Walter were brought to this city after the accident, while the body of Henry has been at his home near the scene of the fatality.

The funeral cortege was escorted from the undertaking parlors of Smith, Son & Clarke by the members of the Seventh buglers, the last post being sounded at the Grand Trunk depot. Lieut.-Col. Campbell, Major McCremon, and Capt. Ingram were in charge, while six members of the bugle band acted as pallbearers. British Oak Lodge, S. O. E., and the members of the A. O. F. were also in attendance.

Rev. G. A. McKenzie, pastor of the Christian Women's Church, officiated for the family, while Bro. Whittier read the service of the A. O. F. Bros. Gramlich and Yeo conducted the burial service of the Sons of England at the station.

Last Post Sounded.
The last post was sounded at the Grand Trunk in the presence of a very large audience, many of the victims' friends being in attendance. His brother Herbert, accompanied the remains to Glencoe.

Among the floral offerings were wreaths from Mr. and Mrs. Lewis and family, the sergeants of the Seventh Regiment, Herbert Smith, the advisory board of the S. O. E., employees of Brighton's bakery, the girls of the Gaste Cigar Factory, Mr. and Mrs. Brighton, bugle band of the Seventh Regiment, Rocket Club, British Oak Lodge, S. O. E., Mr. and Mrs. D. Cameron, Court Magnolia, A. O. F., and others.

A LARGE FUNERAL.
[Special to The Advertiser.]

Glencoe, Jan. 14.—The double funeral of the victims of the recent crossing accident was held this afternoon at 3 o'clock from the home of the late Henry Smith, and was one of the largest ever held in this district. Friends gathered from miles around, and the cortege extended for a long distance. Interment was made at the Kilmartin Cemetery. The services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Maxwell, and were of a most impressive nature.

GIRL DASHES AMMONIA IN FACE OF WOULD-BE MASHER

Followed From Picture Theatre She Used Improvised Weapon of Defence With the Desired Effect—Left Blinded on the Street.

A young lady residing in the south section of the city while downtown on Saturday evening, visited a Dundas street picture theatre for a short time, and was followed from the theatre by a young man, who on reaching York street, stepped up to her side and asked if he might accompany her home. On being refused he persisted in his intentions, and commenced a conversation about the weather.

The young lady had with her a bottle of ammonia, which she carried on account of occasional spells of faintness from which she was suffering. Drawing the bottle from her dress she drew out the cork and emptied the contents in the face of her would-be knight-errant. He was temporarily blinded by the fumes and liquor, and was left standing helpless on the street. Since then nothing has been heard of him, nor was he known to the young woman who so promptly rid herself of his attentions.

ONTARIO GOVT. BLUNDERS IN BUYING OUT COMPANIES

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Jan. 15.—The Ontario Government is disappointed in having failed to secure for four million dollars the Electric Power Company of Central Ontario, of which T. B. MacAulay, of the Sun Life, Montreal, is the head. The company has some twenty developed powers on the Trent

and supplies such places as Peterborough. Assuming that the company could be acquired for four millions, the Ontario Government went ahead with arrangements and quoted prices to the various towns it proposes to supply with power. Now Mr. MacAulay wants more money, and the hydro-electric commission is up against it.

WOMAN DIES ON TRAIL TAKING FOOD TO FAMILY

Mother Perishes On Plains of Saskatchewan During the Blizzard of Sunday.

[Canadian Press.]

Swift Current, Sask., Jan. 15.—In an effort to carry provisions to her family of small children, Mrs. Alex. Cardineau perished on the trail nine miles north of here, on Sunday. A blizzard was blowing, and it was 50 below at the time. She started to walk home at 4 p.m.

ICE FLOE BREAKS TAKES MANY TO DEATH

Over One Hundred Russian Fishermen Perish in the Caspian Sea.

[Canadian Press.]

Astrakhan, Russia, Jan. 15.—By the breaking away of an ice-floe, 199 fishermen have been driven out to sea in the neighborhood of the village of Ganuscaian. Nothing has been heard of them since, and no trace of them has been found by the small boats which went out to their rescue. It is believed that they have all been drowned in the Caspian Sea.

WORKMEN AND EMPLOYERS URGE NEED FOR STATE INSURANCE

Sir William R. Meredith Takes Evidence Informally and All Are Agreed That the Present Machinery of Settlement—the Courts—Is Obsolete and Unsatisfactory.

State insurance, a workman's compensation act as in England, the trial of all cases where claims for injuries are made by a judge without a jury, a joint committee from the employers and the unions to settle all claims for injuries—these, and many other solutions of the question of compensation to workmen when injured while at work, were offered to Sir William R. Meredith on Saturday afternoon, when he held an informal discussion on the matter in the city hall on behalf of the Ontario Government.

All the trades were represented, and the employers of labor also were present in considerable numbers. Much interest was taken in the matter, and the discussion upon which all were unanimous was that the present conditions were not satisfactory.

Sir William promised if possible to have a bill introduced at the coming session of the Legislature.

In opening the session he pointed out that the hearing would be perfectly informal, and he asked every person present to express his ideas freely.

For the Builders.
Mr. L. H. Martyn, on behalf of the Builders' Exchange, pointed out that conditions at present were not favorable.

"What we want is not protection

but insurance," he stated. "We protect ourselves in a measure now by insuring ourselves against accident. That is not satisfactory, as a lot of money is wasted in defending suits and the like, which benefits no person but the lawyers. Our idea is that state insurance, such as given by the Washington act would be highly beneficial. When a man was injured while at work he would be in a position to receive assistance when he most needed it, and the question of damages would be settled automatically. I do not think the burden of carrying the insurance should be placed all on the men. The trades should bear a considerable portion of it. We builders particularly are called upon to defend suits unnecessarily, and everyone of us has had to pay considerable sums of money for practically nothing. If this money were paid into insurance, there would not be so much trouble."

In Favor of English Method.
Mr. Joseph T. Marks, on behalf of the Trades and Labor Council, informed his lordship that the labor men were in favor of the compensation act as operated in England. That gave the workman plenty of protection, and to their mind worked out most satisfactorily. In their opinion the business should carry all the risks.

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COAL COMPANY TO BE HEARD FRIDAY

Messrs Fleming and Woollatt Ready to Meet Board at Any Convenient Time.

A DEFINITE PROPOSAL

Ald. Moore Elected Vice-President After Tie Vote, Which Mayor Uses Casting Vote.

At the inaugural meeting of the London and Port Stanley Board held at 11:15 o'clock this morning, Mayor Graham, following the usual custom, was elected president for the year. The officers elected were as follows: President—Mayor C. M. R. Graham. Vice-President—Ald. J. P. Moore. Secretary—City Clerk S. Baker. Treasurer—James S. Bell.

There was a tie vote for the position of vice-president, Ald. Moore and Ald. Asplund being nominated. Mayor Graham, however, voted for Ald. Moore, and the latter was elected.

To Hear Them on Friday.

The proposition of the Lake Erie Coal Company to electrify the London and Port Stanley road, will be received on Friday afternoon next at 4 o'clock. Mayor Graham stated that he had communicated with Messrs. Fleming and Woollatt, representatives of the company, and they declared their willingness to meet the board at any convenient time. The directors decided that Friday would be the most acceptable day, and the secretary was instructed to communicate with the gentlemen.

"They will submit their figures and a definite proposition," said Mayor Graham. "Then we will know exactly where we stand, and we can get out a report of our own on the cost of electrifying the line."

The questions of securing land at Chelsea Green for siding accommodation for the Peter Marquette, the paving of Bathurst street, and repairing the right-of-way in that section, and the proper care of the picnic grounds at Port Stanley, were laid over.

Will Meet at Port Stanley.
The whole board will go to Port Stanley in the spring to inspect the grounds there, while Ald. Coles, Spittal and Moore will investigate conditions at Chelsea Green and Bathurst street, and report to the board.

CUTS NOT SERIOUS

Pollocks Charged With Wounding Allowed Out on Bail.

Mike and Phil Reboch, two Poles, who were charged by another of their countrymen, Zeno Cheskik, with assaulting and wounding the complainant's son, were allowed out on bail this morning by Police Magistrate Judd.

Mike was arrested some days ago, while Phil was missing until Saturday night, when he came to the station, accompanied by Mr. Jacob Harris, and gave himself up to the police. Mr. Harris put up \$100 bail for each, while personal recognizances of the same amount were taken from the prisoners, to appear again on Wednesday for trial.

It is said that the cuts on Cheskik's face are little more than scratches.

BIGAMY CASE

Fred James, Arrested in Windsor, Was Remanded for Sentence.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Chatham, Jan. 15.—Fred James, charged with bigamy, was remanded for sentence by Magistrate Stannorth today. James admitted being married to wife No. 1 in Hamilton, but said he subsequently discovered that she had children to two other men previously, and was keeping one of these children on his money. She afterwards ran away, it is alleged, with a man named Tom Murray, with whom, it is alleged, she is now living in Chatham. Wife No. 2, Mabel Parsons, is about to become a mother. She claims the father of her child is a married man named Shaw, and that James married her out of pity to save her from disgrace.

JEREMIAH COLLINS ON HIS LAST MARCH

Famous Old Bearer of the Irish Flag Expires in South London.

RESIDED HERE 55 YEARS

Came to City as a Youth of Twenty and Had Many Stories of Early Days.

Mr. Jeremiah Collins, who had resided for 55 years in London, forty years of that time being spent in his little home at 65 Wharfedale road, who was known to a great many Londoners as the flag-bearer of the Irish Benevolent Society, died on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Collins had been in poor health for three or four days, but his condition was not considered serious. He resided alone, but his nephew, Mr. J. Collins, jun., resided next door, and with his family attended to the needs of his uncle.

Saturday afternoon Mr. Collins was suddenly stricken with an attack of heart failure, and expired, after a few minutes' suffering, at 11 o'clock, a physician and priest being with him at his death.

Custodian of the Flag.
He was a member of the Irish Benevolent Society, and was custodian of the great green flag which he proudly carried at the head of the procession to the pinnacles at Port Stanley every summer.

Mr. Collins was also a member of the veteran firemen, and took part in the demonstration given by the surviving members of that body at the Old London Bazaar last summer.

Seventy-five years ago he was born in Ireland, where two sisters are still living, and came to this country when a young man. For two years he made his home in Toronto, but later removed to this city.

A Great Old Story-Teller.
He had many interesting stories of the early days, and entertained his friends and children of the neighborhood in which he lived with his reminiscences.

One brother, John, of Leslie street, West London, survives him.

Arrangements have been made to hold the funeral tomorrow morning from his late residence, 65 Wharfedale road, South London, to St. Peter's Cathedral, and interment will be made at Mount Pleasant Cemetery. It is likely that the officers of the J. P. S. will be in attendance.

MAYOR, THE CLERK AND TWO REPORTERS

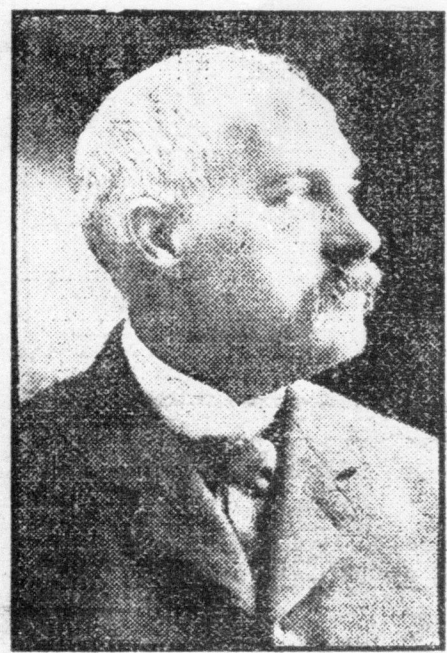
As Usual They Make Up the Attendance of Port Stanley Shareholders.

The annual farce of electing the directors of the London and Port Stanley Board was enacted this morning at the city hall.

Every year notice is sent out that on the third Monday in January the annual meeting of the shareholders will be held. The mayor, together with City Clerk Baker and the reporters only attend, and the directors are elected at a previous meeting of the council are voted for.

This morning the usual happened. Mayor Graham was present, voted the following as directors—Alfred Moore, Coles, Wright, R. F. Blandford, G. E. Rose, H. Asplund, W. Spittal and Mayor Graham, and passed a resolution.

The only matter of importance dealt with was the opening up of certain streets at Port Stanley, which he filed.



MR. J. H. McMECHAN,
Former Alderman and Businessman,
Who Died Following Stroke of Paralysis.

DIES HOUR AFTER HIS ARRIVAL AT HOSPITAL

Mr. Robert Robinson, of Kirkton, Expires Before Operation Can Be Performed.

Mr. Robert Robinson, of Kirkton, died yesterday morning in St. Joseph's Hospital, one hour after his arrival at the institution from his home. Arrangements had been made to perform an operation to remove an obstruction, but his death occurred before anything could be done to relieve him.

Mr. Robinson, who was in his 65th year, had until a week or so ago been in excellent health. He was a blacksmith. The remains were forwarded to Kirkton by Smith, Son & Clarke this morning on the 10:26 train on the G. T. R. The funeral will be held from his late residence on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Robinson is survived by his wife and four sons and one daughter. The children are: Robert H. Ernest E., and Melville L. of Byth; H. Franklin, of Norwich, and Mrs. Alfred Paul, Kirkton.

SWITCHBOARD GIRL PLAYED THE HEROINE

Stuck to Post in Burning Hotel Until All the Guests Were Awakened.

[Canadian Press.]

Pasadena, Cal., Jan. 15.—Fire of unknown origin early today destroyed the Pasadena Hotel, a favorite winter home of many easterners. The loss will reach \$250,000.

At 1 o'clock the entire main structure had been destroyed, and the flames finished their work on the north wing, newly opened this season. No lives were lost.

Practically every room in the hotel was occupied and when the fire started, bell boys and elevator men, under the direction of Manager Wilson, rushed from door to door, aided by the operator at the telephone switchboard, who sat at her desk calling room after room, until every guest in the hotel was awakened.

RELIEF EXPEDITION REACHES CITY OF HO-NAN

Band of Daring Englishmen To Rescue Any Foreigners That May Be in Peril.

[Canadian Press.]

London, Jan. 15.—A relief expedition which started from Tien-Tsin late in November, under the command of Capt. Sowerby, a member of the League of Frontiersmen, and consisting entirely of Englishmen, has reached the city of Ho-Nan, in the Province of Ho-Nan, and reports that all is well there, according to a dispatch received here today.

The destination of the expedition is Sian-Fu, in the Province of Shensi, and the object is to rescue any foreigners who may be in the vicinity.

WESTERN ONTARIO NEWS

EXETER TROUBLE
HAS BEEN SETTLED

Rev. Richard Hobbs Took His Pulpit as Usual at Yesterday's Service.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Exeter, Jan. 13.—For the first time since he tendered his resignation three weeks ago, Rev. Richard Hobbs had charge of the service in the James Street Methodist Church today. Internal dissensions, he told the congregation, had led him to resign. He said that through the persuasion of Rev. Dr. Warner, head of the London Conference, and a largely-signed petition of members of the church, he had decided to remain.

ST. MARYS PIONEER
DIES FROM PNEUMONIA

Robert McCullough Had Been Ill for Only a Few Days.

[Special to The Advertiser.] St. Marys, Jan. 13.—Robert J. McCullough, pioneer resident of St. Marys district, died last night after a short, severe illness with pleuro-pneumonia, at his residence, corner Church and Station streets, north ward. He was unmarried. One brother and four sisters survive—Thomas, of British Columbia; Mrs. Wm. McFadyen, and Misses Elizabeth, Mary Ann and Carrie. In politics Mr. McCullough was a Conservative, and Presbyterian in religion. The funeral takes place Tuesday afternoon at St. Marys Cemetery.

An incipient blaze took place this morning at the residence of Dr. T. Sparks, corner of Jones and King streets. Little damage was done. An alcohol lamp had been used to thaw some frozen water pipes, covered with cloths, in the basement kitchen, and was overlooked for a few minutes, until smoke came up through the chimney. The body of the lamp was found, and was sent in and the fire department responded quickly.

A pioneer resident of Downie, in the person of Mr. John Roxburgh, died yesterday, at the age of 85 years. Interment takes place on Monday afternoon at Avonbank Cemetery.

FORMER LONDONER
GOES TO WALKERTON

Clarence Robinson Will Take Charge of Bell Telephone Office There.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Stratford, Jan. 15.—Miss Eva M. Hancock has been appointed manager of the local branch of the Bell Telephone Company, succeeding Mr. Clarence Robinson, who was recently transferred to Walkerton. Miss Hancock is a Stratford resident. Mr. Robinson came here from London some time ago.

Mr. John Berdan, organizer for C. O. C. F., is in Watford this week taking in several new members. The installation of the officers of Council No. 49, C. O. C. F., will be held on Tuesday evening, Jan. 16, in the L. O. F. Hall. Afterwards the lodge will adjourn to Madill's Cafe and partake of refreshments.

DROPPED DEAD

[Special to The Advertiser.] St. Thomas, Jan. 13.—Mrs. George Newton dropped dead today as she was coming out of the Baptist Church, from heart failure. She is survived by her husband and one son, who is at present in Toronto, attending university. The deceased was about 48 years of age, and had been in her usual good health.

HYDRO CARRIES

Three Northern Towns Pass Bylaws To Install Niagara Power.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Centralia, Jan. 13.—The hydro-electric bylaw was carried by a majority of 46. In Crediton the vote showed a majority of 104 in favor of the project and in Dashwood it had 83.

The Weak, Lame,
Aching Back
Comes From The Kidneys.

Those who have never been troubled with kidney trouble do not know the suffering and misery which those afflicted undergo.

On the first sign of backache Doan's Kidney Pills should be taken immediately so as to avoid years of suffering from kidney trouble.

They go right to the seat of the trouble, heal the delicate membranes of the kidneys and make their action regular and natural.

Mrs. Joseph Throop, Upper Point de Bute, N.B., writes: "I cannot speak too well of Doan's Kidney Pills. For two years I was so tired life was a burden, and I got up more tired than when I went to bed, and my back was so lame I could hardly straighten up. I took different kinds of medicine, but none of them did me any good until a friend advised me to try Doan's Kidney Pills. I did so, and to-day I don't know what it is to be tired, and my lame back is all gone. I can recommend them to any person suffering with lame back and that terrible tired feeling."

Price 50 cents per box, or 3 boxes for \$1.50, at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

When ordering direct specify "Doan's"

DISCUSS RAILWAY AT
GODERICH MEETING

Representatives From Townships Hear About the Ontario Western Delay.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Kincardine, Jan. 13.—Mayor Patterson and P. Macdonald, town solicitor, were in Goderich yesterday attending a meeting called to inquire into the condition of the West Shore Railway, arising from the demand of the Bank of British North America for the sum of \$250 interest on bonds of the Ontario West Shore Electric Railway. All the municipalities interested were represented at the meeting, which was held in the council chamber at Goderich. Mr. Proudfoot, K. C., solicitor for Ashfield, stated that he had been at Toronto, and saw Mr. Moys, the president of the railway, and was advised to pay no attention to the demand. He was told that there was reason for the non-payment so far, and that it would come all right. As far as can be learned if anything was done it was simply to decide to wait and see if the statement of the president comes true.

A good deal of criticism is being made by many of the ratepayers, regarding the delay in the construction of the road, and also, blame is cast on some officials. Representations were made, it is claimed, before the vote was taken by the various municipalities, which are now found out of accord with the legal documents.

BABY'S HAND FROZEN
TRAMP BADLY NIPPED

Two Serious Cases Reported at Hespeler During Recent Cold Spell.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Hespeler, Jan. 13.—Two serious cases of freezing were reported here after the unusually drop in the temperature last evening.

Baby Peaks, about one year old, was put to bed as usual, given a bottle with milk and whey found in the morning the milk in the bottle was frozen, also one of the baby's hands, which got from under the covering somehow.

McDonald, a noted local character of the tramp variety, had both his feet badly frozen Friday night in Christian Rayman's barn, about two miles east of Hespeler. McDonald had crawled into a manger in the barn for the night, with the above result. Poorhouse took the man to Berlin Reeve.

WILD FOX TERRIER
TERRORIZES CITIZENS

Five St. Thomas People Bitten by Dog Believed To Be Mad.

[Special to The Advertiser.] St. Thomas, Jan. 14.—This city is terrorized as a result of the belief that a mad dog is at large. Two animals, both believed to be suffering from rabies, ran about the streets yesterday afternoon and bit a number of people, besides horses and dogs.

James Beal was walking on Wellington street when a fox terrier jumped at him. The animal bit and clawed at Beal, tearing his coat badly before he drove it away. The dog then bit a horse that was passing. It ran away down the street, biting and snapping at everything. A child of Mr. E. Diaz, and a son of Mr. Beal were bitten. They were rushed at once to a physician for treatment.

The police were notified and at once started out to kill the animal. It eluded them completely, and it is not known where the animal has gone. Another dog, which was also believed to be mad, was killed promptly. Mayor Price has issued instructions that all runnings be kept tied up, and any found running at large will be shot by the police.

YOUNG SCHOOL TEACHER
COMMITTS SUICIDE

After Returning From a Drive Takes Poison, It Is Said, and Dies In Convulsions.

Uxbridge, Ont., Jan. 14.—Miss Evelyn Baker, who until Christmas taught school at Leaskdale, was in Uxbridge Saturday night until about ten o'clock, when she was driven to her home at Saintfield by a young man of the town. The family had retired, and after a time Miss Baker was heard leaving her room and going downstairs. A few minutes after she was found in the party taking something, but refused to state what it was. She again went to her room, and in a short time was heard groaning. When found she was in convulsions, and although Dr. Mellow, who lives quite close, was immediately summoned, she died before the stomach pump could be used. An inquest will be held.

KINCARDINE DEAL

Chair Factory Has Been Purchased by Mr. F. E. Coombe and Others.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Kincardine, Jan. 14.—The chair factory under the name of Coomb & Watson was idle for some days after New Year's holiday, awaiting a settlement regarding a dissolution of partnership. Both partners agreed to remain in the business, but not as partners, and not being able to come to terms, they decided to settle the matter by tender, placed it in the hands of Mr. A. Malcolm, the highest bidder getting it. Mr. Coombe being the highest, the factory was sold to him. The company will go under the name of the F. E. Coombe furniture factory. There will be associated with Mr. Coombe in the business Mr. George Davidson, of Woodstock, and Mr. H. R. Magwood.

NINETY LIKELY
FOR SOCIALISTS

That Party Got About Thirty-Two Per Cent of the Vote Polled.

THE LATEST RETURNS

Next Ballot Certain to Make Heavy Inroads Into Voting of the Conservatives and Clericals.

Berlin, Jan. 14.—The immense rally to the Socialist flag during the elections to the Reichstag is indicated by the figures of the number of voters in fifty constituencies taken at random. These show that nearly 22 per cent of the voters were Socialists, and foreshadow an aggregate Socialist vote at the conclusion of the polling of 4,400,000.

The Latest Returns. The official figures of the results of the first ballots are as follows: Of the Conservatives, with their anti-Semite and agrarian allies, 35 per cent of the vote was polled at the first ballot in 1907, and as compared with 103, which was their strength at dissolution.

Of the Centre, with their Polish and Alsatian allies, 102 have been elected, against 108 at the first ballots in 1907, and compared with 140 at the dissolution.

Of the Nationalist-Liberals five have been elected, against 18 at the first ballots in 1907, and compared with 51, their strength at dissolution.

Of the Radicals none have been elected, again 9 at the first ballots in 1907, and compared with 49, their strength at the dissolution.

Of the Socialists, 64 have been elected, as compared with 30 at the first ballots in 1907, and 53, their strength at the dissolution.

Two Independents have also been elected.

The Conservatives are contestants at the second ballots in 82 constituencies, and the Centre, 156, the National-Liberals in 64, the Radicals in 56, and the Socialists in 122.

VALUABLE REPORT
ON SHEEP INDUSTRY

Canadian Commissioners Have Published the Result of Investigations in Three Countries.

The report of the commissioners upon the sheep industry in Canada, Great Britain and United States, published by the Canadian government, is a valuable contribution to the knowledge of the sheep raising industry. The report is the result of a special commission to investigate the conditions affecting sheep raising in this and other countries. It is believed that the report in which the commissioners have embodied the results of their investigations is by far the most exhaustive treatise which has yet appeared in Canada, relative to the raising of sheep and the production of wool. In view of the indifferent attitude, with respect to the keeping of sheep, manifested by so many Canadian farmers, the report appears at a very opportune time. The commissioners, at the end of the report, have made a number of recommendations, the adoption of which would, in their opinion, lead to the encouragement and development of the whole industry.

The report is now available for distribution and a copy may be obtained by any interested party upon addressing the Live Stock Commissioner, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

SIX PERSONS KILLED

Were Run Down at Level Crossing by Train in Pennsylvania.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 14.—Six persons, five women and a man, were killed when an express train on the New York division of the Pennsylvania Railroad crashed into a level crossing wagon at the Linden Avenue grade crossing in Torresdale, a suburb, today. The dead are: Chas. Davidson, aged 50 years; Nellie O'Connor, aged 19 years; Bridget Malloy, aged 42 years; Agnes Garritty, aged 22 years; Rose Gallagher, aged 18 years; Mary Roddy, aged 20 years.

HOTELMAN DIES

Thomas Coffey Passes at His Home in St. Thomas After Brief Illness.

[Special to The Advertiser.] St. Thomas, Jan. 13.—Thomas Coffey, one of the oldest hotelmen, died at his home here today. He was born in Ireland, and came to St. Thomas from the United States in 1873. For some time he conducted the hotel at Talbotville. In St. Thomas he had conducted at different times the Grand House, the Martin House, the Western Hotel, and latterly the International. He was well acquainted with the travelling public. He is survived by a widow, one daughter and two sons, Joseph W., of the Loney House, Port Stanley, and Robert E., of the International Hotel.

LAVERGNE VERY ILL

Quebec, Jan. 14.—Armand Lavergne, M. P. for the young Nationalist, Hebert, who was operated upon for appendicitis a few weeks ago with apparent success, has had a relapse. His temperature is very low, and blood-poisoning is feared.

It is believed that he will have to undergo another operation.

Montreal, Jan. 14.—Special—Mr. Henri Bourassa says that Mr. Lavergne is getting rapidly, and will soon be able to resume his place in the Legislature at Quebec.

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS. New York, Jan. 14.—Arrived: St. Louis, from Southampton. Mobile—called. Caledonia, New York. Liverpool—Arrived: Canada, Portland; Grampian, St. John; Arabic, New York; Ampleman, Halifax.

Try Cuticura Soap
and Ointment Free

Although Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment are sold by druggists and dealers everywhere, a liberal sample of each, with 32-page booklet on the care and treatment of skin and feet, will be sent, post-free, on application to Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Boston, U. S. A.

"SOME HAV' MEAT,
AND CANNA EAT"

So Bobby Burns tersely describes the rich, but still poor, dyspeptics. But their case is not now so desperate as when Burns wrote. For the man who has the food now can eat without suffering for it, if he just follows the meal with a Na-Dru-Co Dyspepsia Tablet.

These remarkable tablets banish the troubles of the chronic dyspeptic—the man who is bilious—the sufferer from heartburn, gas on the stomach or occasional indigestion. You can eat hearty meals of wholesome food—and digest them, too—if you take Na-Dru-Co Dyspepsia Tablets.

Compounded by expert chemists, after probably the best formula known to medical science, they are quick and certain in their action, giving prompt relief from all forms of stomach trouble, toning up and strengthening the digestive organs and bringing about permanent cures.

A man is no stronger than his stomach. Fit yourself for your best work by taking Na-Dru-Co Dyspepsia Tablets. 50c. at your druggist's. National Drug and Chemical Co. of Canada, Limited, Montreal.

NEW FRENCH PREMIER
IS RAYMOND POINCARÉ

Clemenceau Would Have Had Position, But for Opposition to Moroccan Agreement.

Paris, Jan. 14.—Raymond Poincaré called on President Fallières at the Elysée Palace Saturday and accepted the president's invitation to form a ministry. M. Bourgeois co-operated in the forming of the new cabinet.

M. Poincaré intends to ask M. Millerand to enter the new Government, and it is thought that he already has received notice of acceptance. It is generally believed that Poincaré will accept a position as premier, and M. Millerand, who are leading lawyers, are not willing to leave the law courts unless both make their departure simultaneously.

M. Briand, a former premier, is likely to accept a position as minister of the interior. M. Delcasse is doubtful owing to his close connection with M. Caillaux's late ministry.

M. Poincaré is known to be a fervent advocate of electoral reform. He belongs to the minority in the Senate, which favors proportional representation.

M. Bourgeois is willing to accept the other portfolios if M. Poincaré finds it necessary to take the foreign office. M. Millerand will accept any portfolio which suits the commission, and M. Briand will take an office which carries with it a position in the cabinet. M. Pichon, a former foreign minister, will accept the position of minister of public instruction.

Sees War Imminent.

M. Clemenceau's outspoken and unshakable opposition to the Franco-German agreement made him impossible to displace as premier. He is believed to have been the promoter of the ministry, although if the downfall of the Caillaux ministry followed instead of preceded the ratification of the agreement he would undoubtedly have been summoned to form a cabinet. He is a determined man, and he is not likely to be swayed by the opposition of the ministry, although if the downfall of the Caillaux ministry followed instead of preceded the ratification of the agreement he would undoubtedly have been summoned to form a cabinet.

The prophets give the new ministry three months or three years. M. Poincaré is a man of light and the republic has had 47 during its 41 years of existence, there is always a rumor that at length the "Grand Ministry" is coming. The united promises to come nearer fulfilling the promise than any of its recent predecessors. M. Ribot is almost the only important absentee.

Although the cabinet will not be officially constituted until tomorrow, M. Raymond Poincaré communicated the following to the press tonight as practically definite:

President of the Council and Minister of Foreign Affairs—M. Poincaré. Minister of Justice—M. Arlette. Minister of War—M. Alexandre Millerand. Minister of the Interior—M. Steeg. Minister of Marine—Mr. Theophile Delcasse. Minister of Colonies—M. Aubert François Lebrun. Minister of Finance—Mr. Louis Lucien Klotz. Minister of Public Works—M. Dupuy. Minister of Education—M. Guisthau. Minister of Agriculture—M. Pams. Minister of Commerce—M. Fernand David.

Minister of Labor—M. Leon Bourgeois. Under Secretaries—Interior, Paul Morel; Finance, Rene Bessard; Posts and Telegraphs, M. Chautet; Beaux Arts, Leon Berard.

M. Viviani, a former minister, refused the portfolio of commerce.

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Linen Specials in January
White Sale

Many lines specially purchased for this January Sale will be crowded into the next two days previous to stock-listing, specially priced in order to reduce stocks, and that the bulk of these extra stocks may not appear on the 1912 sheets. The lines mentioned here for Tuesday and Wednesday selling are marked at clearing prices, and are values such as cannot be duplicated in present markets. We would advise our mail order customers to order your supply if you need any of these Household Cottons and Linens. The sewing time is here, and all delivery charges are prepaid by us on all mail order purchases, large or small. Send a trial order if you are not familiar with our values. Your money back if qualities are not up to your expectation, and delivery charges paid both ways by us.

700 Yards Irish Linen Roller
Towelling, 10c Yard

Blue border pure Irish Linen Roller Towelling. A shipment just in direct from the linen mill in Ireland, bought for Jan. 1st delivery, but has been delayed in transit. This is priced very special. Get your supply early. Sale price, yard 10c

500 Yards Linen Tea Towelling
10c Yard

Special quality Tea Towelling, in plain, red or blue check. 500 yards specially bought for January White Sale, and the price is closely cut to clear out quickly. 24-inch width, January Sale, yard 10c

300 Yards Bleached Huck
Towelling, 14c Yard

Bleached Huckaback, with red borders, warranted all pure linen, and a quality that is good value at 16c a yard. 300 yards only, sale price, a yard 14c

100 Yards Bleached Huck
Towelling, 30c Yard

24-inch Irish Huckaback thoroughly bleached; a beautiful quality for bedroom towels or fancy work, fine, even weave. Special. 30c

32 Dozen Huck Towels, 20c Each, or
\$2.25 Dozen

Pure linen beautiful quality Huckaback Towels, with red or white borders. A limited quantity (only 32 dozen). First-comers will get these, size 18x38, while they last. Each 20 dozen \$2.25

24 Embroidered Linen Centres
49c Each

18-inch, scalloped edge, round centres, embroidered in pretty designs. Only two dozen to clear at special sale price, each 49c

58 Embroidered Linen Centres
75c Each

Round, scalloped edge centres, 18-inch, beautifully hand-embroidered on fine linen also some eyelet work, all hand worked. Special. 58 only; sale price, each 75c

NEW SHIPMENT BUTCHER'S LINEN, 15c, 20c, 25c AND 30c YARD—Direct
from Ireland. We specially mention the 25c line; extra quality, full 36 inches wide. Write for sample.

147 Pairs Ladies' Kid Gloves, 25c and 39c

In listing our Gloves, preparatory to stock inventory Wednesday, we have laid aside all odd and broken lines which will be cleared Tuesday at above prices, which you will readily see are only a fraction of the cost. They consist of Ladies' Kid and Chamois, in black, white, gray, brown and oxblood. Not a full range in any color but oxblood, in which we have every size from 5 1/2 to 7. In other colors all sizes may be had in one size other of the colors mentioned. Only a few pairs of the black and white. These are broken sizes, taken from lines from \$1.00 to \$1.75 pair, to clear quickly tomorrow, pair 39c

\$2.50 and \$3.00 Black Kid Gloves, 79c and 98c Pair

About 80 pairs, 12 and 16 button lengths, in black only, and sizes 5 1/2 and 6 only. These will be cleared Tuesday morning at above prices. 30 pairs 12 button length, regular \$2.50, for 79c pair

Children's 45c and 50c Cashmere Hose, 29c

11 dozen Children's black pure Cashmere Hose, embroidered in colors; fancy designs in white, red or blue, very dainty pattern, in sizes 4 1/2 to 8 1/2 inch. 11 dozen, regular 45c and 50c values. A pre stock-taking clearance, tomorrow, while they last, pair 29c

Sale of Boys' and Men's Winter Clothing Today. **SMALLMAN & INGRAM LIMITED** Sale of Ladies' and Misses' Winter Coats Today.

BONAR LAW IN
ULSTER FIGHT

Will Deliver an Anti-Home Rule Address to Unionists at Belfast.

RECENT DECREE OF POPE

Demand is Made That the Archbishop Shall Say Whether It Applies to Ireland.

London, Jan. 14.—The home rule excitement is growing in Ireland, particularly in the Ulster, where a vigorous campaign is in progress in the hope of creating sentiment in England against the proposed bill of the Asquith Ministry. It is expected that the bill will be introduced in the House of Commons in March, but the plans of the Unionists are expected in April, when Andrew Bonar Law, the Unionist leader in the House of Commons, will make an address at a Unionist rally at Belfast.

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BRITISH KEEP UP
IN ART OF FLYING

Make Progress Despite Poor Financial Encouragement From Government.

London, Jan. 15.—Very quietly but very surely the British army and navy are progressing in aviation despite the poor financial encouragement given by the Government. Last week aeroplane manufacturers and army aviators met in conference at the Royal United Service Institute, and great results are expected from this meeting. Young officers at Aldershot and elsewhere are constantly getting "special leave to fly" at one or other of the army aviation schools.

Cod. Cody, who is now a British subject and prefers to be called Mr. S. F. Cody, saw his own machine go up for the first time last week. The pilot was a clever young naval officer, Lieut. Wilfrid Parks, Mr. Cody was the first aviator in this country to obtain the new "special certificate" given by the Royal Aero Club. A few days ago he took up not only his son, but another passenger in a ten-mile "cross-country" test. A very keen military aviator is Capt. John Fulton, of the Royal Field Artillery, who has also received the "special certificate." Three naval officers and two marines are now officers at work at Sheerness, especially at work at Sheerness, especially at work at Sheerness, especially at work at Sheerness.

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Condensed Advertisements.

No Advertisement Accepted Less Than Fifteen Words.

Amusements—Ten cents per line each insertion, or two cents per word if set solid.
Meetings—Where no admission is charged, one cent per word each insertion.
For Sale, To Let, Help Wanted, Situations Wanted, Board and Lodgings, Lost and Found, Rooms to Let, and all similar condensed advertisements—Fifteen words, one cent a word; each subsequent insertion, one-half cent a word. No advertisement less than fifteen words.

Births, Marriages, Deaths.

BENLIE—At Seattle, Wash., on Jan. 10, 1912, to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Benlie (nee Margaret Taylor), a daughter.

COLLINS—In this city, on Jan. 13, 1912, Jeremiah Collins.

Funeral from his late residence, 65 Wharncliffe road south, on Tuesday, Jan. 16, at 2:30 a.m., to St. Peter's Cathedral; requiem high mass at 9 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at St. Peter's Cemetery.

FLETCHER—On Monday, Jan. 15, 1912, at her late residence, 726 Colborne street, Mary A., the beloved wife of John Fletcher.

Funeral notice later.

McMECHAN—At his late residence, 364 King street, on Jan. 14, 1912, John H. McMechan, in his 89th year.

Funeral at 2:30 on Tuesday, Jan. 16; service at the house at 2 o'clock.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES.

GRAND A. J. SMALL,
EVERY NIGHT THIS WEEK.
SPECIAL MATINEE SATURDAY.
RETURN ENGAGEMENT.
THE WORLD'S GREATEST
HYPNOTIST.
Assisted by a Most Capable Company.
Complete change of programme.
Big Musical Act.
Matinee, 15c and 25c.
Prices: Night, 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c.

AUDITORIUM

TUESDAY, JANUARY 23.
Coming again, the Reserve Concert.
A great success. Reserve Thursday, Matinee Bookshop, 25c.

SATURDAY NIGHT, JANUARY 20.
Weatherwax Male Quartette, Affiliated Society Course. Reserve Wednesday, Matinee Bookshop, 25c and 50c.

AUDITORIUM LECTURES

Prof. Alexander
Silver collection. Consultations daily from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at a parlor. Tuesday his famous lecture, "Love, Courtship, Marriage and Jealousy." 25c.

FLORIDA

Special reduced rates to Jacksonville and all points south. Cuba, Mexico, Jamaica, Bahamas, Galveston, New Orleans, Bermuda, and cruises.

The Old Country

TICKETS, ALL LINES.

See F. B. Clarke

416 RICHMOND STREET
NEXT BANK OF COMMERCE CORNER

LONDON ART ASSOCIATION—TUESDAY, Jan. 16, illustrated lecture on "Architecture," by Mr. Victor Bicknell. Non-members, 25c.

SIMCOE ICE RINK—BAND TONIGHT. Methodist Block, League Tuesday night. Skating every afternoon. Phone 1608.

WESTMINSTER RINK—HOCKEY. Band tonight. Tuesday night. All hockey, five league games. Admission, 10c.

SIMCOE ICE RINK—BAND TONIGHT. Also Monday and Wednesday nights. Skating every afternoon. Phone 1608.

PRINCESS—HOCKEY. LONDON Juniors vs. Ingersoll Juniors, Monday, Jan. 15. Admission, 25c. Matinee, 10c. 25 cents extra box seats, 45 cents. Plan at Vining's drug store.

PRINCESS ICE PALACE—RINK OPEN. Saturday afternoon. Band Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday nights. 100c.

BERMUDA

The Bahamas or elsewhere that you may be going. Up-to-date sailing lists, booklets and information.

E. DE LA HOOKE

Ocean and Tourist Ticket Agent,
422 Park Avenue (London Loan Block).

PRIVATE DANCING LESSONS—Strictly private lessons any hour. Any number of pupils accommodated. Competent staff of competent teachers. Beginners' classes; Gentlemen, Tuesday; ladies, Thursday evening. Phone Dayton & McCracken.

WARD'S HARP ORCHESTRA—ENGAGEMENTS accepted for social events. 91 Tecumseh. Phone 3065.

MUSIC FURNISHED FOR PARTIES, balls, banquets, etc. 1225, Tony Vita's Italian Harpers, 122 Queen's avenue.

DANCING—PRIVATE INSTRUCTION, public rates. Call and register. R. B. Millard, 245 Princess. Phone 2481.

MEETINGS.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY MEETS OVER Public Library on Tuesday, 10th, 8 p.m. Important paper on "The Western University," by President N. C. James. Public welcomed.

SOCIALISTS, ATTENTION!—A LOCAL in the Canadian Socialist Federation has started over. Andrews Toggery. Meetings Monday nights at 8 o'clock. Join and help the good cause.

LOST AND FOUND.

WILL LADY WHO PICKED UP PER-SERIAN lamb neckpiece on Smallman street, please deliver. Saturday, return same to 154 Central avenue? Reward.

FOUND, FRIDAY EVENING—SUM OF money. Owner can obtain same by addressing Box 108, Advertiser office.

LOST—PLAIN GOLD BRACELET, with chain attached. Reward on return to 200 Dundas street.

LOST ON DUNDAS STREET, BETWEEN Waterloo and Richmond—Lady's black leather bag. Reward, 528 Waterloo street.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

COMMERCIAL HOTEL, NEWBURY, for sale. Local option defeated. Good opening for right man.

MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—BRIGHT BOY ABOUT 17, to learn electrotyping. Apply to Bush Bros., 144 Queen's avenue.

WANTED—BOY TO DRIVE RIG. ONE accustomed to horses. Apply T. Hamlyn, 417 Hill street.

JEWELLERS WANTED. S. K. MILROY & Co., 329 Richmond street.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED AUTOMOBILE salesman, to work in Toronto. Good paying proposition for a live man. Box 102, Advertiser.

WANTED—TYPOGRAPH OPERATORS for Daily Review, Peterboro. Apply promptly.

ACTIVE MAN WANTED TO SELL OUR trade nursery stock. All trees warranted true to name. We are the largest growers of nursery stock in Canada. There is a big demand for trees for orchard plantings. Write for terms. Brown Bros. Company, Ridgeway, Ont.

CANVASSERS WANTED TO SELL wholesale to private families, whole and spare time a few to travel. Alfred Tyler, 355 Clarence street, London, Ont.

LEARN AUTOMOBILE BUSINESS—We teach you at home; guarantee \$25 weekly job. Rochester Auto School, Rochester, N. Y.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

AN EFFICIENT MAID FOR GENERAL household; two in family. 294 Princess avenue.

YOUNG LADY BOOKKEEPER. CITY. Apply by letter. R. M. National Drug Company, London.

WANTED—A GIRL AT 55 1/2 RICHMOND street.

MAID FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK—Two in family. 386 Burwell street.

WANTED—GIRL TO HELP WITH household; one to go home nights. Apply 359 Dufferin avenue.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED PARLOR MAID. Apply Miss Labatt, 572 Queen's avenue.

EXPERIENCED COOK—HIGHEST wages. Apply 506 Wellington street.

DINING-ROOM GIRL WANTED AT once. Apply City Hotel.

WANTED—MOTHER'S HELP. To assist with household and care of one child. Apply 63 Elmwood avenue.

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

MAID FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK. Apply Mrs. Durand, first house, corner Victoria block, Ridout street south.

AGENTS WANTED.

WE HAVE AN UNUSUAL PREMIUM proposition. Every person will be interested. No outlay necessary. Apply R. E. Co., Limited, 228 Albert, Ottawa, Ont.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

FARM FOR SALE—100 ACRES, LOT 7, con. 1, East Williams Township; clay loam, about 30 acres in pasture, extra good bush, principally rock elm and basswood, never-falling spring creek, good brick house, three barns (newly roofed), acre of orchard, 10 acres fall wheat, 20 acres fall plowing done; possession in spring. For particulars apply on premises, John Campbell, or address Fernhill P. O.

AN UNEQUALLED OPPORTUNITY TO live in the rich valley lands of Central British Columbia is offered you for a short time only. British Columbia is commonly supposed to be a mountainous country, with very little agricultural land. On the contrary, no richer farm lands can be found on the coast than those which lie in the fertile valleys of Central British Columbia, through which the new Grand Trunk Pacific Railway is being constructed. The railroad will soon be completed, when lands will have doubled in value. Farms sold one year ago at twelve and fifteen dollars per acre are selling today for double that amount. You have the same opportunity now. We are offering the choicest lands in the new railroad at prices ranging from fifteen dollars per acre up. North Coast Land Company, Limited, Branch Office, 210 Centre Building, Toronto, Canada, and Dominion Bank Chambers, London, Canada.

TWO LOTS, RIVERSIDE PARK—Will sell cheap. Apply 21 Oak street.

I WILL BUILD YOU A FIVE-ROOM cottage for \$500. Address Box 37, Advertiser Office.

FIVE-ROOM COTTAGE FOR SALE—Price, \$500. Apply 735 King street east.

WANTED.

WANTED TO RENT—SMALL HOUSE or cottage, with stable, near roundhouse. Apply Box 110, Advertiser.

WANTED TO PURCHASE—NEW RED brick story and half cottage, with basement, furnace, modern conveniences, in South London, with stable preferred; only owners dealt with. Box 100, Melbourne, Ont.

WANTED—SALVAGES: STATE WHAT you have and where you can load. Reid Bros., Bothwell, Ont.

WANTED—DEAD HORSES AND cattle; will send twelve miles for if necessary; telephone 638 and 945, ring 2. The London Fertilizer Works, East York, corner Hamilton road.

SITUATIONS VACANT.

OLD COUNTRY DOMESTICS—CAPABLE Scotch, English and Irish maids, also Danish girls; parties arriving twice a month. Apply now, The Guild, 71 Drummond street, Montreal, 47 Pembroke street, Toronto, or 227 Bank street, Ottawa.

HOUSES, ROOMS, TO LET.

TWO FRONT ROOMS, WELL FURNISHED; all conveniences, with phone, and well heated; suitable for nurses; good locality. Box 106, Advertiser.

TO RENT—200 ACRES OF LAND, London Township; all modern improvements; good barns and stables, silo, good brick house, lot of water. For further particulars apply D. Flood, Arva P. O.

BIGGS' FURNITURE STORAGE

Clean and Dry. Terms Reasonable.

The Forest City Moving Vans
Phone 1162. 97 Carling Street.

TO LET—252 BURWELL STREET, ALL modern conveniences. Apply 258 Burwell street.

TO LET—NO. 460 TALBOT; IMMEDIATE possession. Apply Alex. Harvey.

ON MOVING DAY REMEMBER "DAY, the Mover." H. F. Day, Ideal Moving Van, Residence, 367 Wellington street, phone 2837. Office, 90 King.

ALEX. HENDERSON'S MOVING VANS—Largest in city. Good storage. 356 Chesapeake. Phone 1724.

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LONDON, MONDAY, JAN. 15.

THE GOVERNMENT VS. DR. SEATH.

The city school inspector, Mr. Edwards, says that Dr. Seath informed him that when the citizens of London showed a practical interest in the University, the Government would assist it. The question naturally arises, who reached the determination stated? Was it the Government or was it Dr. Seath?

If it was the Government, why did it not communicate its decision to the authorities of the Western University or to the deputation from Western Ontario, instead of to Dr. Seath? If it was the latter, then we have the spectacle of an irresponsible officer dictating to the Government what course it is to take.

This is one of the charges made by Ald. Murphy. He instances the senate's application to the Minister of Education for Miss Dearnley's standing. The minister replied that he had not the marks, that they were at the Normal College. Application there meets with refusal, because the education department, that is Dr. Seath, will not permit her standing to be given. This recalls that one of the county school inspectors told his county council that the Minister of Education is only Dr. Seath's grammophone.

But let us examine the dictum itself. "Practical interest" can only mean, in its connection, financial support. We seek in vain through the audit sheet of Toronto University for evidence of financial support worth mentioning, which Toronto gives that university, while the Government gives it in round numbers a half million a year. Why would Dr. Seath make fish of one and flesh of the other? Some people are constitutionally incapable of impartiality.

It is becoming more and more evident that the governors and the various deputations have been making a mistake in going to the Minister of Education or the Premier and in appealing to Hon. Adam Beck for justice and reasonable assistance to the University. They should have waited on Dr. Seath. Then, when he informed them that the Government would assist when the citizens of London show a "practical interest," they could assure him that such had already been shown. They could point to the valuable scholarships that had been offered in every county and city included in the district; they could show him what sums in taxes the citizens had contributed, what services the Public Library had rendered. Then unless he could think of some other shifty excuse, he would have no further reason for refusing permission to the Government to render long delayed justice to the Western University.

HOME RULE NOT ROME RULE.

That Home Rule means Rome Rule is a cry upon which the enemies of Irish self-government place more dependence than upon any fear of the purely political consequences of Home Rule. It is illogical to thus associate Irish nationalism with clericalism, and there is nothing in Irish history to warrant it. On the contrary, it was a Protestant Irish Parliament that won independence from a Protestant English Parliament at the end of the eighteenth century. Some of the greatest Irish patriots—Grattan, Emmett and Parnell—have been Protestants. The Duke of Norfolk and other leading English Catholics actually issued a manifesto against Home Rule in Gladstone's day on the ground that in a self-governed Ireland there might be an uprising against the Catholic Church. Just now the opponents of Home Rule are seeking to make party capital of the Papal decree, "motu proprio," which excommunicates laymen who bring ecclesiastical law courts. The Pall Mall Gazette, a Unionist paper, publishes a letter from its Dublin corre-

spondent, in which this passage occurs:

"There is a theory that the revival of the decree at this time of day is due to Cardinal Bourne and Cardinal Logue, who have recently been in Rome, and that they wish to kill Home Rule because neither of them favors that policy. 'I know nothing about Cardinal Bourne's political opinions, but I do know that Cardinal Logue has all his life preached Home Rule, in and out of season.'

"However, there is a general feeling in this country that the subject is not enthusiastic on the subject, and that it dreads the opening of Irish Home Rulers, individually, point of view. The great majority of the Irish Home Rulers, individually, at the time of the split in 1890, but the church is the church, and the church always has its own policy."

Those who say in one breath, as the Pall Mall Gazette says, that Protestants will suffer from Catholic aggression under Home Rule, and in the next breath represent the Catholic Church as opposed to Home Rule, are not safe or sincere advisers. Irish nationalism has its roots in the indestructible qualities of race, and has no more to do with clericalism than has the nationalism of Scotland and Wales. If Irish priests favor Home Rule, it is because they are Irishmen, not priests. It is significant that many of them, and a great proportion of the laity, supported Parnell after his catastrophe, though the hierarchy disowned him.

A POINTER FOR COL. HUGHES.

Hudson Maxim, brother of the inventor of the Maxim gun, in a lecture upon warfare of the future, said that an army of 100,000 Canadians could be landed from aeroplanes in the suburbs of Buffalo, take the city and then, mounting the skies again, fly on to Cleveland before it could be halted by any American force not supplied with aerial machines.

Here is a possibility that has been overlooked by the eagle eye of Colonel Sam Hughes. He talks of teaching a million Canadians to shoot accurately at Americans who invade this country, but his plan is pusillanimous and costly, compared with the one kindly provided by neighbor Maxim. The colonel assigns to a million Canadians the hum-drum duty of sitting down and waiting for the enemy, whereas a hundred thousand of them could, by taking wings, carry terror and destruction into the enemy's country and keep him busy at home. This is the sort of warfare that ought to appeal to the soaring spirit of the Colonel, who crushed the Boers by offensive operations. No doubt if his attention is called to Mr. Maxim's proposal he will give it a trial. The man who has set out to arm a million Canadians is equal to any undertaking.

Will the abolition of the Newmarket Canal be hailed by the Nationalists as another nail in the coffin of the navy? Rider Haggard has been knighted. This is less a tribute to Author Haggard than to Squire Haggard. His work for the rural revival for England since he became a landlord, will prove more enduring than his books, and more useful.

United States millers ask for a reduction of grain rates from the Canadian Northwest, as they wish to mill greater quantities of Canadian wheat in bond. It makes the flesh creep to think that Canadian wheat may go south in spite of the election.

The Borden Government has discontinued the Newmarket Canal. The canal was denounced by the Conservative party as useless, and the party would be inconsistent if it carried on the work. Even North York cannot complain. It elected a Conservative.

Mr. Carnegie confesses in the witness box that his profits jumped from \$5,000,000 to \$40,000,000 in the first three years of the Dingley tariff. This reveals the Dingley bill as a great moral measure. But for it, Mr. Carnegie would not now have so many millions to spend in libraries.

Professor Leacock complains that Canadian politics are hopelessly entwined with commerce, and that opinions are largely manufactured by "the interests." There is much truth in this observation, and Professor Leacock helped in the reciprocity campaign to strengthen the conditions which he now deplors.

The German parties now begin their log-rolling for the second ballots. In some constituencies the Socialists, Liberals and Radicals will join forces to defeat the Conservatives or Clericals, and in others the Liberals and Radicals will join with the Conservatives or Clericals in return for aid given by the latter in other divisions. The second ballot is a source of wire-pulling and corruption. Proportional representation is free from these evils, and is more equitable. It is likely that some form of it will be incorporated in the redistribution of seats which is to follow the passage of the manhood suffrage bill in Great Britain.

POOR MEMORY.

[Tit-Bits.]
There is no doubt that the tying of a piece of string round the finger is really good aid to poor memory; but there is a well authenticated case of a man who tied a piece of cotton around his finger in the morning to remind him to get his hair cut.
On his way home to dinner that evening he noticed the piece of cotton.
"Oh, yes, I remember," he said.
And, smiling proudly, he entered the accustomed shop and sat down before the tonsorial operator.
"Er—yes, sir," said the artist, puzzled inquiry in his tones.
"Er? Oh, yes; cut my hair, please."
"Why, certainly, sir, if you wish it," said the artist. "But you won't mind my

mentioning the fact that I cut it this morning, will you?"

HOW TO TREAT THEM.

[Boston Journal.]
"Give a man a banquet and a woman a new gown and each is happy," remarked McBride.
"Treat 'em like a Christmas goose, you mean," corrected his friend.
"Like a Christmas goose? I don't get you."
"Why, stuff 'em and dress 'em!"

THE KIND WANTED.

[Chicago Record-Herald.]
"I have the faith that moves mountains," he declared.
"I wish," his wife complained, "you had the faith that would move the ashes out of the basement."

BARK AND SQUEAL.

[Washington Herald.]
"Nothing lost here but the squeal," declared the pork packer. "Are you as economical in conducting your business?"
"Just about," answered the visitor.
"I'm in the lumber business. We waste nothing but the bark."

SAME EVERYWHERE.

[Buffalo Express.]
"Why are you bundling up so warmly? Don't you expect to get on a car at the corner?"
"Sure; that's why I'm dressing warmly."

THE BREED.

[Puck.]
May—"Is her coat Persian lamb?"
Pay—"No; Podunk mutton."

WHY HIS SPEECH WAS A FAILURE.

[Judge's Library.]
"When I rose to speak, it was so still in the hall you could have heard a pin drop."
"Yes."

U. S. PRESIDENTS.

[Washington Star.]
We have never elected a businessman to the presidency—have never even nominated such a man for the office. Lawyers, soldiers and politicians have had the call.

THE NEW YEAR'S HONORS.

[London Daily News.]
The most curious thing in the colonial list is not Mr. Borden's privy councillorship—that is natural enough—but the baronetries of two South African magnates. The colonies are divided in their attitude towards hereditary honors. Canada and South Africa do not mind peerages and baronetcies, while Australasia has a very definite objection to them. As Sir Joseph Ward learned to his cost, sir Joseph's defeat at the recent election was largely due to his acceptance of a baronetcy, and feeling was so strong that a bill was introduced into the New Zealand Parliament to prohibit the acceptance by New Zealanders of hereditary titles. It is commonly said that the Englishman dearly loves a lord, but Australia and New Zealand are the most purely English of the Dominions. They are not partly French like Canada or partly Dutch like South Africa.

THE ONE-GRAIN OF COMFORT.

[Ottawa Free Press.]
There is one grain of comfort: Dr. Sprague will never stray back to his Orange haunts, with a dinky little French beard and his hair cropped à la Boissac.

MAY BE HIS NEXT DEAL.

[Victoria Colonist.]
Sir William Mackenzie says Canada will resent any discrimination in favor of United States vessels in the Panama Canal. Then why does he not go down to Washington and buy the canal, so as to put an end to any possible unpleasantness?

BRIGHT SIGNS OF PROSPERITY.

[Greenwood Ledger.]
Times are becoming more prosperous in Greenwood. Another church resumes steady operations this week.

HAIRCUTS GALORE.

[Detroit Free Press.]
Since the Chinamen are discarding their queues, modernized China looks like a good place to start a barber shop.

BY TELEPHONE.

[Boston Herald.]
"My husband is a fool," snapped Mrs. Otter Town.
The visitor expressed only mild surprise, but the suburban lady was moved to explain:
"You know, I wanted to persuade our hens to lay in the nests we provided for them. So I telephoned my husband to bring some a couple of artificial eggs with him."

WELL, AND DIDN'T HE?

"Didn't he? The idiot brought home a pair of cork legs!"

AN IMPORTANT DECISION.

[Norfolk Virginia Pilot.]
A right to throw his mother-in-law out of his house if she refuses to go quietly because it was pretended that he was a Michigan judge rules that man has when he demands it. It is a safe wager that he is either a bachelor or a widower, or if married, that his wife is an orphan.

WISE DAMESEL.

[Life.]
First Saleslady—Are you going to marry that gentleman that comes here every day?
Second Ditto—Nope. I'd rather have a job without a husband than a husband without a job.

A THOROUGH TEST.

[Cleveland Plaindealer.]
"Inspector, that woman I said was always listening on my party line must have quit."
"What makes you think so?"
"Why, my wife has been listening for three weeks and hasn't caught her yet."

THE WAY OF WISDOM.

[Chicago Record-Herald.]
The wisest man may be fooled, but not twice in the same way by the same person.

PROGRESS OF A BUREAU.

[Kansas City Times.]
Scientific forecasting has progressed to a point where the weather bureau is able to predict a cold wave almost as soon as it arrives.

CAUGHT IN ICE FLOES

Thirty Fishing Vessels Threatened With Destruction Off Newfoundland Coast.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 15.—Thirty American fishing vessels with 6,000 men, frozen herring, valued at \$500,000, are imprisoned in the ice floes off the coast of Newfoundland and threatened with destruction. In response to an appeal from Collector of Customs Jordan, of Gloucester, Mass., Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Bailey today ordered the revenue cutters Andros-Coggin and Gresham to their assistance.

A Few Lines of Most Anything

OUR PRECISE ARTIST.



"The discovery of whiskey in horse-collars at Conant makes plain the origin of the famous 'horse-neck'."

SOME "HOWLERS."

Some of the latest English schoolboy howlers are as follows:
The young Pretender was so called because it was pretended that he was born in a frying-pan.
Grace Darling was a light house-keeper's daughter.
Lord Raleigh was the first man to see the invisible Aladdin.
The South of the U. S. A. grows oranges, figs, melons, and a great quantity of preserved fruits, especially tinned meats.
Milton married a young girl who ran back to her parents, so he wrote a sonnet on divorce.
The saddest thing King John did was to lose his crown in the laundry.
The father of Henry IV. was John o' Groats.
The American war was started because the people would persist in sending their parcels through the post without stamps.
Prince William was drowned in a butt of Malmsey wine; he never laughed again.
Richard II. is said to have been murdered by some historians; his real fate is uncertain.
There are five continents, a. e. i. o. u.

HORNS ENOUGH FOR BOTH.

[Zurich Herald.]
A country paper tells of a farmer who went home drunk one night and long ago and became the victim of an irrepressible desire to get still drunker. So he determined to hitch up his horse and drive to town for more whiskey. Just as he was putting the finishing touches on the harness, a lantern and found he had harnessed a cow. He muttered, "I'm drunk enough now," unharnessed the beast, and went to bed. Moral: Know when you have enough.

LIEUT.-COL. CAMPBELL GUEST OF OFFICERS

Given Send-Off By Staff of 7th When Leaving For Bermuda.

Lieut.-Col. A. A. Campbell, of the Seventh Regiment, was entertained at a dinner by the officers of the regiment on Saturday evening at the Travellers' Club.

All the members of the staff were present, and expressed their good wishes for the safe return of their commanding officer, who is leaving on Tuesday for a six weeks' trip to Bermuda.

A number of toasts were introduced, and in the speeches the officers re-

ferred to the excellent service rendered by the regiment by Col. Campbell, his zeal and untiring efforts had brought the battalion to the highest state of efficiency.

Lieut.-Col. Campbell, in response to the toast to his health, thanked the officers for their kind references to him, and also for their loyalty to him during the time he has had command of the regiment. All had worked together harmoniously for the good of the Seventh, and he expressed the opinion that the coming year would be one of the best in its history.

Among those present were: Lieut.-Col. Campbell, Major McCrimmon, Capt. Pocock, Capt. Becher, Capt. Ingram, Capt. Mortimore, Capt. Spittal, Capt. Taylor, Capt. Murphy, Capt. Bentley, Capt. Coles, Lieut. Carlton, Lieut. F. C. Wright, Lieut. Blackwell, Lieut. Shuttleworth and others.

CANALEJAS AGREES TO RESUME OFFICE

Quarrel Between King Alfonso and The Spanish Cabinet Has Been Patched Up.

[Canadian Press.]
Madrid, Jan. 15.—Premier Jose Canalejas Y Mendes, who tendered his resignation, together with that of the whole of the members of the Spanish cabinet yesterday to King Alfonso on the question of a divergence of views as to the reprieve of Chato Chiquena, a rioter, who had been sentenced to death, has agreed to resume office with the same ministers as formed his previous cabinet.

This question has been coming up frequently of late, and it is proposed to settle the matter at once.

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Mayor Graham will join with Mayor Geary, of Toronto, and Mayor Lees, of Hamilton, in forming a Deputation to interview the Attorney-General, Hon. J. J. Fay, on Wednesday morning at 11:30 o'clock to urge upon him the necessity of enacting legislation to compel all electric, telegraph and telephone and other companies to put their wires underground where conduits for that purpose have been provided.

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ASSURANCES—New assurances were issued and assurances revived amounting to \$7,136,952, exceeding those issued and revived in the preceding year by \$610,687. The assurances in force at the close of the year totalled \$34,518,000.

INCOME—The cash income from premiums and interest was \$1,545,527.04, an increase of \$174,966.66 over that of 1910.

BENEFITS—The payments to policyholders, covering death losses, surrender values, profits, annuities, etc., amounted to \$287,720.31, exceeding those of the previous year by \$50,311.77. The rate of mortality continued favorable, the death losses being only 66% of the expected.

ASSETS—The total assets were increased to \$7,095,442.79, showing a gain for the year of \$948,112.80. An average rate of interest of 6.81% was realized on the invested funds.

RESERVES—The reserves on 76% of the assurances were valued on the stringent basis of 3% interest, the annuities and remaining assurances on a 3½% interest basis. The total reserves amounted to \$5,509,062, an increase of \$759,637 over those of the previous year.

SURPLUS—The surplus earned in the year was \$256,098.29. Of this amount there was added to the policyholders' net surplus fund \$144,648.49, increasing it to \$781,550.49. The balance was utilized in payment of profits and dividends, in providing special reserves, etc.

PROGRESS—The substantial progress being made yearly in all departments is evidenced by the following comparison of results for the past four years:

	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.
Assurances in force.....	\$23,723,050	\$26,507,691	\$30,455,859	\$34,518,000
Assurances issued and revived.....	4,714,584	5,165,567	6,526,265	7,136,952
Assets.....	4,553,844	5,303,236	6,147,330	7,095,443
Reserves for assurances and annuities.....	3,468,046	4,055,540	4,749,425	5,509,062
Cash Income—premiums and interest.....	1,095,699	1,205,736	1,370,560	1,545,527
Policyholders' net surplus.....	389,773	503,404	636,902	781,550
Payments to policyholders.....	175,292	194,187	237,409	287,720
Average rate of interest earned.....	6.03%	6.21%	6.52%	6.81%

Marked success has attended the operations of the Company during the year. In the new business written and in all other departments all previous years' records were surpassed.

Israel Taylor, District Manager, London, Ont.

NO MORE WORK ON NEWMARKET CANAL

Borden Government Announces That the Construction Will Be Discontinued.

MUCH PROGRESS MADE

Sir Alan Aylesworth, Late Minister of Justice, and Member For South York, Comments on the Decision.

Ottawa, Jan. 14.—The Government on the recommendation of Hon. Frank Cochrane, minister of railways and canals, has decided to abandon altogether the Newmarket Canal, connecting the town of Newmarket with Lake Simcoe via the Holland River. On the canal there has been spent to date a little over half a million dollars, and to complete it and provide for conservation works the departmental engineers estimate that fully as much more would be required.

Mr. Cochrane, in his recommendation to the council, stated that in the opinion of engineering experts the commercial value of the canal would not warrant the expenditure of the further amount required to complete it, and that in addition it was doubtful if sufficient water to operate it could be maintained at a cost at all commensurate with the traffic benefits resulting. The Government, acting on the minister's report, finally decided yesterday to drop the work altogether, believing that the blame for this waste of the half million already spent could be foisted on the late administration. Bridges, etc., connecting the roads over the route of the canal, temporarily discontinued during construction, will be reconstructed at the expense of the Government.

The decision of the Government will, of course, raise a storm of protest in North York, and it is understood that Mr. Armstrong, the Conservative member for the riding, is energetically expressing his disapproval.

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In 1906 by a strong deputation of both Liberals and Conservatives, including Mr. Herbert Lennox, Conservative M. P. for North York. The original estimate of the cost, prepared by the departmental engineers, was only \$328,000, and the undertaking was begun by the late Government on the assumption that this estimate was correct. The final estimate of the total cost, as submitted to Parliament last March, was \$1,000,000, with a total expenditure at that date of \$459,332. The departmental engineers then showed that the question of water supply presented no serious engineering difficulties.

It is stated that Hon. Mr. Cochrane also has in view the abandonment of the proposed further extension of the Trent Canal from Lake Simcoe to Georgian Bay via the Severn River. Sir Alan Aylesworth's view.

Toronto, Jan. 15.—Sir Alan Aylesworth, former minister of justice, member for North York, and chief promoter of the Newmarket Canal, when seen at the King Edward Hotel, what their motive could be unless it is to constitute the nearly finished canal a perpetual monument of Government folly. The canal, you know, runs for nearly a mile alongside of the Grand Trunk Railway, and a great underground work like this, dry as a ditch, would be made to advertise to every one passing that way the folly of the Government which undertook to build the canal.

"But this will prove a boomerang, for I suppose that some half a million dollars have been spent on the canal. It is now nearly finished. I have not a particle of doubt but what the amount of money the Government will be required to pay the contractor in damages because of the cancellation of the contract will greatly exceed the amount which it would be necessary to expend to finish the work. The contractor probably expected a profit from the undertaking, and will make allowances for this in his bill for damages."

"The canal scheme had been entered into before ever I became interested in North York particularly. It was not till October, 1905, that I came before the electors of North York as a candidate for the House of Commons. In the preceding year a monster delegation waited on the Government at Ottawa to press for the building of the canal. The agitation was purely a non-political affair. As many Conservatives as Liberals were interested. Haughton Lennox and J. Herbert Lennox were head and front of the movement."

A Record Deputation. "A photograph was taken of the delegation standing on the steps of the Parliament Buildings, Ottawa. There were three or four hundred men in it. I remember seeing this picture at Ottawa. It was regarded as a curiosity, as the delegation was one of the largest, if not the largest, which had ever waited on the Government up to that time."

"Every municipality in the riding of North York, and some adjacent ones in other ridings, passed resolutions indorsing the scheme, and sent delegates to Ottawa."

"With the completion of the canal, freight rates on the railways in the vicinity would, of course, come down at once. The people, in agitation for the construction of the canal, I believe, did so with a single eye to the building up of the northern part of their country, and politics never entered into the matter at all."

A total expenditure of \$1,000,000 was the estimate for the Newmarket Canal, and it was to have been completed in 1910, having been begun in 1906.

I was on the Lake Simcoe level, and the total rise between Holland Landing and Newmarket was forty-three feet, which was to be overcome by three locks.

A contract for the construction of section 1 was let to the Lake Simcoe Dredging Company in August, 1906. They abandoned it in 1907 and it was taken out of their hands in May, 1908. The York Construction Company has the contract for the second section after taking it over from Russell, Dill & Lothian.

Work Done So Far.

The total value of the work done and materials delivered to March 31, 1911, amounted to \$339,636.82. Lock and dam No. 3 and Green Lane bridge are finished. Sixty per cent. of lock and dam No. 2 is built, and the excavation for the pit of lock and dam No. 1 is almost out. The Newmarket dock is one-half built, and up to March 31, 1910, there had been spent on it the sum of \$459,000. The work was divided into two sections, and on the second of these, the Holland River section, \$139,570 has been spent. This is the section nearest Toronto.

The scheme was to construct a canal from Newmarket via the Holland River to Lake Simcoe, and so connect York County with the Trent Canal system.

FOUR LOSE LIFE BY LAMP EXPLOSION

Two Women and Two Children Perish in a Boston Tenement Fire.

[Canadian Press.] Boston, Jan. 15.—Two women and two children lost their lives last night when a lamp exploded in their attic bedroom in a three and a half story tenement block in the west end, setting fire to the block. The victims, who were suffocated before they could be rescued, were Mrs. Katherine Connors, aged 50 years, an invalid and a widow; her daughter, Mrs. Mary Logue, aged 25 years, also a widow, and the two children of the latter, John, aged 2½ years, and Julia, aged 18 months.

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MANY PROFESSIONS OF CONVERSION ARE MADE

City Mission Gives Spiritual Aid to Many During the Year.

To a crowded audience, Rev. Canon Tucker, of St. Paul's Cathedral, preached the anniversary services of the London City Mission on Saturday night. Among the conversions which have been made in the little mission since it was opened a year ago, there have been an ex-detective, a white slave dealer, one doctor, two Chinese, one Jew, and an ex-baseball player of Chicago, who have professed a faith in the Christian gospel, and have gone out to lead changed lives from the little hall on King street, opposite the fish market.

A number of young girls leading wayward lives have also been reclaimed through the instrumentality of the mission.

"The one fact in all life," said Canon Tucker in his sermon Saturday night, "is that all must die. The longest life comes to an end, and every life has its end. It is a question of being happy or unhappy for all eternity. As the present depends on what the past has been, so will the future depend on what the present is today."

"Christ the Good Shepherd died to protect all from the enemy of death. Christ goes everywhere in search of his sheep."

"The Heavenly Father is ready to take back the prodigal son. God is our Father, and we can never cease to be sons of God, because he made us, and he redeemed us."

During the evening vocal selections were rendered by Miss Laura Kaufman, Miss Nicholl, the Fleming Quartette, and Mrs. Christian.

DANGER IN TEA LEFT STANDING

Father and Son Made Ill By Drinking Beverage Left in Pot Four Days.

Baltimore, Md., Jan. 15.—The cause of the illness of Edward J. White and his 7-year-old son, Kenneth, of Round Top, Baltimore County, which attracted considerable attention, has been solved by Mr. White himself. He said that he has learned just what caused the illness of himself and little boy, not having depended upon the police to make the investigation.

"I have found," said he, "that we were made ill by drinking tea that had been standing in a teapot for four days. The teapot had been knocked off the pot in some places, and when the tea came in contact with it, it was poisoned. I heated this tea up and gave it to my son and took some myself, and that's what made us ill. I'm all right now, and will go back to work, and my boy is getting along nicely."

This discovery made by Mr. White hits the suspicion of sitting up in bed. His wife, Mrs. Blanche White, who denied that she gave her husband anything that would cause his illness, is still at the home of her mother, Mr. White said that he is willing to bet that he and his son had been drinking the tea before they took away from the house back with her.

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ARCHIBALD LEITCH HAD BIG FUNERAL

Was One of Dutton's Oldest and Most Prominent Residents.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Dutton, Jan. 13.—The funeral of Archibald J. Leitch was held from the family residence to Knox Church, and from there to Fairview Cemetery. The service in the church was of a most impressive nature, and was conducted by Rev. J. C. Robinson, assisted by Rev. Dr. Huser, of the Methodist Church. Among the many beautiful wreaths were offerings from the family, the members of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, the village council, Mrs. James E. Teetzel, Vancouver, W. S. Smith, of Toronto, and Dr. and Mrs. Henry. The pallbearers were Messrs. Daniel Graham, George W. Bennett, A. E. White, T. E. Lilly, B. K. Pantor, R. P. Reeker. Deceased leaves his wife, and one sister, Mrs. James E. Teetzel, of Vancouver, two sons and two daughters, George C. and Frank C., of Toronto, Mrs. R. E. Evans, of Dutton, and Miss Mae, at Dutton. Other closely related friends who attended the funeral from outside points were: Mrs. George H. Cameron, of Port Burwell; A. W. Cameron, of Woodstock; Mrs. L. McWilliams, of Detroit; W. S. Smith, Toronto; Angus McFarley, St. Thomas; Mrs. C. Adams, New Canaan; W. T. Hart, Shedden; Mr. Fraser, Listowel, and Mrs. Leitch, Toronto.

NEW RIFLE SIGHT.

Edinburgh, Jan. 14.—Volunteer Sergeant Ommundsen, the winner of the King's prize for shooting at Bisle,

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TRAVELLERS' GUIDE

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.
SARNIA MARKET TO SUSSEX, BRIDGE AND TORONTO.
Arrive from the East—2:27 a.m., 10:50 a.m., 11:12 a.m., 11:25 a.m., 7:50 p.m., 8:00 p.m., 10:20 p.m.
Arrive from the West—12:05 a.m., 9:45 a.m., 11:55 a.m., 1:10 p.m., 7:10 p.m., 6:25 p.m.
Depart for the East—12:14 a.m., 3:45 a.m., 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 11:25 p.m., 11:40 p.m., 11:55 p.m., 12:05 p.m.
Depart for the West—3:52 a.m., 7:20 a.m., 11:15 a.m., 1:40 p.m., 6:20 p.m.
LONDON AND WINDSOR.
Arrive—10:25 a.m., 4:00 p.m., 6:50 p.m., 11:55 p.m.
Depart—6:55 a.m., 11:25 a.m., 2:55 p.m., 8:10 p.m.
STRAITFORD BRANCH.
Arrive—11:15 a.m., 1:35 p.m., 6:45 p.m., 11:25 p.m.
Depart—6:00 a.m., 10:20 a.m., 12:25 p.m., 2:45 p.m., 4:35 p.m.
LONDON, BURN AND BRUCE.
Arrive—10:00 a.m., 6:10 p.m.
Depart—8:30 a.m., 4:40 p.m.
Trains marked * run daily. Those not marked daily, except Sunday.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
Arrive from the East—11:23 a.m., 6:10 p.m., 7:40 p.m., 10:25 p.m.
Arrive from the West—4:30 a.m., 12:30 p.m., 6:22 p.m., 8:50 p.m.
Depart for the East—4:33 a.m., 7:45 a.m., 12:45 p.m., 5:30 p.m.
Depart for the West—3:00 a.m., 11:35 a.m., 7:45 p.m., 12:00 p.m.
Trains marked * run daily. Those not marked daily, except Sunday.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY.
Arrive—7:04 a.m., 11:10 a.m., 6:10 p.m., 9:35 p.m.
Depart—7:10 a.m., 2:20 p.m., 5:25 p.m., 10:11 p.m.
PERE MARQUETTE RAILWAY.
Arrive—8:45 a.m., 12:00 noon, 1:50, 4:35, 9:15 p.m.
Depart—8:05, 4:10, 9:45 a.m., 2:30, 4:15, 7:00 p.m.
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FORTY-SECOND ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE ROYAL BANK OF CANADA



LIABILITIES

To the Public:	Dec. 31, 1910.	Dec. 31, 1911.
Deposits bearing interest.....	\$51,709,181 96	\$62,836,071 69
Deposits not bearing interest.....	19,737,130 42	24,166,660 46
Interest accrued on Deposits.....	318,239 13	537,010 12
Deposits by other Banks in Canada.....	315,065 75	755,066 05
Total Deposits.....	\$72,079,607 27	\$88,294,808 32
Notes of the Bank in Circulation.....	\$6,925,890 24	\$6,338,076 44
Balances due to Agents in United Kingdom and Banks in Foreign Countries.....	647,035 76	1,725,457 63
Total Liabilities.....	\$78,652,533 27	\$96,358,342 39
To the Shareholders:		
Capital Paid-up.....	\$6,200,000 00	\$6,251,080 00
Reserve Fund.....	7,000,000 00	7,056,188 00
Dividend No. 98 at 12 per cent per annum.....	174,000 00	186,000 00
Dividend No. 97 at 12 per cent per annum.....	582 75	421 24
Former Dividends unclaimed.....	240,000 00	275,000 00
Rebate on Bills Discounted, not yet due.....	243,230 93	401,480 56
Balance of Profits carried forward.....	\$92,510,346 95	\$110,528,512 19

ASSETS

Gold and Silver Coin.....	\$4,141,664 06	\$4,801,011 96
Domestic Government Notes.....	8,530,488 25	10,094,472 50
Deposit with Government for Security of Note Circulation.....	310,000 00	310,000 00
Notes of and Cheques on Other Banks.....	4,215,937 06	5,703,096 17
Balances due from other Banks in Canada.....	56,819 77	58,512 32
Balances due from Agents in United Kingdom and Banks in Foreign Countries.....	2,471,155 83	2,282,406 46
Government and Municipal Securities.....	2,342,186 50	2,037,808 15
Railway and other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks.....	7,979,844 35	9,127,281 72
Call and Short Loans on Stocks and Bonds.....	7,178,574 43	13,322,851 25
Loans to other Banks in Canada.....	\$37,226,670 35	\$47,738,440 52
Loans to Provincial Governments.....	553,469 72	602,648 52
Current Loans and Discounts.....	52,471,208 98	59,646,165 35
Overdue Debts (Loss provided for).....	45,107 71	59,060 84
Bank Premises.....	1,875,986 31	2,482,196 96
Total Assets.....	\$92,510,346 95	\$110,528,512 19

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

By Net Profits for the Year, after deducting Charges of Management, Accrued Interest on Deposits, full provision for all bad and doubtful debts, and rebate of interest on unmatured bills.....	\$1,152,249 63	
Balance of Profit and Loss Account, Dec. 31, 1910.....	243,230 93	\$1,395,480 56
Appropriated as follows:		
To Dividends Nos. 94, 95, 96 and 97, at 12 per cent per annum.....	744,000 00	
Transferred to Officers' Pension Fund.....	50,000 00	
Written off Bank Premises Account.....	200,000 00	
Balance of Profit and Loss carried forward.....	401,480 56	\$1,395,480 56

RESERVE FUND

Balance at Credit 31st December, 1910.....	\$7,000,000 00
Premium on New Stock.....	56,188 00
Balance at Credit, 30th December, 1911.....	\$7,056,188 00

W. B. TORRANCE,
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MILITIA CALLED OUT IN EASTERN RIOTS

Foreign Operatives On Strike Cause Serious Trouble Around Mills of Lawrence, Mass.

[Canadian Press.]

Lawrence, Mass., Jan. 15.—Disorder before the gates of the great textile mills of Lawrence became so frequent and menacing this morning that two companies of militia were called from the city to assist the police in controlling the turbulent mob of foreign operatives. The uproar at the mill gates was so great that seven of the big plants were shut down. Several shots were fired in the air by the police and a number of arrests were made.

During the raids on the mills a dozen or more operatives were injured, but none seriously.

At 10 a.m. it was estimated that nearly 30,000 hands were idle, half of whom are actually on strike and the others forced out by the stoppage of the machinery.

The outbreaks, which occurred first on Friday last, when an infuriated mob stormed several of the mills, and injured employees and property, are due to a general reduction in wages, necessitated, the manufacturers say, by a cut in the working time from 56 to 54 hours a week, by a new state law governing establishments where women and minors are employed.

The mills closed are the Wood, Ayer, and Washington.

WINGHAM WITNESSES TWO FAST HOCKEY GAMES

First Game Ended 7 to 2, While the Second Game Was a Tie—Roy Manuel Receives a Cut.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Wingham, Jan. 15.—The rink was crowded with local fans on Saturday night when two fast games between Wingham teams were played.

The first game was played between teams from the Methodist Church, Miss Pheasant's class being defeated by Mrs. McKie's class by a score of 7 to 2. Mr. S. Donaldson was a very satisfactory referee.

The teams were:
Mrs. McKie's Class—Goal, L. Brock; point, F. Mannet; cover, H. Willis; left wing, G. Howland; right wing, H. Hall; centre, T. Howson; rover, I. Fixter.
Miss Pheasant's Class—T. Hingston, goal; F. Buchanan, point; E. Helps, cover; N. Kergus, left wing; J. Richardson, right wing; E. Johns, centre; B. Isard, rover.
The second game was played between senior and junior teams representing the Methodist Church. The score ended a tie, and the game will be played off next Friday evening. Both teams were evenly matched. Roy Manuel, rover of the junior team, met with a slight accident in the last half of the puck, when he was lifted by S. Donaldson, rover of the senior team, and fell on the ice. The referee, Sturdy put Donaldson off for hitting the puck. Manuel will go to Teeswater with his team on Wednesday night for a game in that town. The teams were:
Senior Team—Goal, L. Brock; point, F. Mannet; cover, H. Willis; left wing, G. Howland; right wing, H. Hall; centre, T. Howson; rover, I. Fixter.
Junior Team—Goal, L. Brock; point, F. Mannet; cover, H. Willis; left wing, G. Howland; right wing, H. Hall; centre, T. Howson; rover, I. Fixter.

WRECK ON THE B. & O.

Five Persons Reported Killed in Collision Near Newcastle, Pa.

[Canadian Press.]

Newcastle, Pa., Jan. 15.—A Baltimore and Ohio passenger train crashed into a Pittsburgh and Lake Erie train in the railroad yards here today, and five persons are reported killed. Among them were Engineer James Cannon, of Pittsburgh, and Fireman Cunningham, of Mahonington, Pa.; Baggage-master J. L. Croft, of Pittsburgh; Railway Mail Clerk Carnahan, of Oil City, Pa.; and Conductor J. M. Ellis, of Chicago Junction, Ohio, have been taken to the Shennango Valley Hospital here badly hurt. An open switch caused the accident.

THE MARCH ON PEKING

Chinese Revolutionaries Preparing to Capture the National Capital.

[Canadian Press.]

London, Jan. 15.—Preparations are under way by the revolutionaries for the march on Peking, according to special dispatches from Shanghai and Peking. Twelve thousand imperial troops are on the way to Chin Wang Tao and Lanchow to oppose the expected landing of revolutionaries.

A dispatch to the Daily Telegraph from Peking says that the demand of Russia for the railway concession in Mongolia was prompted by knowledge that the so-called American group was desirous of transferring the Chin Chow-Aigun Railway scheme, which failed to materialize, to a line from Kalgan to the Siberian frontier, which Russian never would permit.

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

Liverpool, Jan. 15.—Arrived, Arabic and Almerana.
Dover, Jan. 15.—Called: Finland.
Melbourne, Jan. 15.—Arrived: Kabia.
Halifax, N. S., Jan. 15.—Arrived: Hesperian.

ANGLO-SAXON RACE DOMINATES WORLD

Dr. Driver Says They Control Wealth, Industry and Progress of the Earth.

INCREASE OF 620 PERCENT

Men of the Blood Have Not Determined, But Control Destinies of All Nations.

"The Anglo-Saxon and the Future Rulership of the World" was the title of an address before a large audience in the Auditorium on Sunday afternoon by Dr. Driver, of the People's Church, McVicker's Theatre, Chicago. Dr. Driver is a big man, both physically and mentally, possessed of a strong and virile voice, which in itself would command attention, and his stirring lecture was one of the best heard in the Auditorium for some time.

Dealing with a large subject and one that required delicate handling, he did his audience in a strong grip during his discourse, not only by his rather eccentric style of speaking, but by his wonderful flow of words, and his splendid command of expression. He also possesses a rare sense of humor, and all through his lecture his hearers were kept in a state of enjoyment by his whimsical expressions.

Acts His Thoughts.

There was not an uninteresting moment in the whole two hours that Dr. Driver occupied the platform. He did not merely lecture on the subject, but he acted it as well. At times one would almost be led to believe that it was an interpretation of a play that was being given, instead of an address.

His lecture dealt with the Anglo-Saxon people, and the fact that in their hands the destinies of other nations lie. But who were the Anglo-Saxons? And to solve this question, Dr. Driver started at the beginning, away back to the time when the Irish were the aborigines of the British Isles, just as the Indians were the aborigines of America. He explained how the Saxons had come to England and settled down, after conquering the Irish. The two races blended.

Coming of the Normans.

Then the Vikings of the north, the men of Charlemagne, had landed on the north shore of England, and had met the North German Saxons and the Irish, and were for the first time in their history defeated. Then the French came, when the Norman invasion of England was made, this being the severest invasion from which the Saxons suffered. This period is immortalized by the birth of parliamentary England, the time when the Magna Charta was drawn up. Then the wonderful blending process took place. The Irish and the North German Saxons intermarried, and their offspring intermarried with Vikings. Then the South German Saxon farmer democrat absorbed the French nobility, who came to England during the time of William the Conqueror.

What is Owed the Races.

Without the infusion of the Irish blood, England would never have produced her Chaucer, her Shakespeare, her Milton, and numerous others. The French brought to England the blood that gave to the world, Homer, Cicero, Richelieu, Moliere, Louis the Magnificent, and Napoleon. From this infusion of French blood the Anglo-Saxon gets the love of literature, the theatre, gay social functions, splendor and the enthusiasm for sports.

"The Anglo-Saxon is pre-eminently a German race," continued Dr. Driver. "The so-called English are Saxons, with a Norman strain. The great gulf stream of your blood is Germanic. There is a little of Irish, Scotch, Danish, Swedish, Norwegian, French, and a wee bit of Spanish, Portuguese, Italian, Egyptian, and perhaps negro. And so the Anglo-Saxon absorbed the best blood of all these races, just as he himself represented the very best blood of Germany. I venture that the best blood in Canada is not in Prince Edward Island or Quebec, but in Toronto and London. Just as in the United States, the best blood is not in Boston or New York, but in California and Texas. All the best men come from the west, and not from the east."

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"The Anglo-Saxon, wherever found, always stands for the elemental, fundamental, and essentials of religious liberty, and whatever liberty the world today enjoys, it is indebted to the Union Jack and the Stars and Stripes of the Anglo-Saxon world. The great God of all nations has committed to us the destinies of the whole human race."

Dr. Driver then went on to show the great value of money to humanity. He said that it was ridiculous to preach sermons against great wealth. He did it at one time, but now he is more wise. "Take the four richest men in the world," said Dr. Driver, "and you will find that they are virtuous. The world does not know all that they do."

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FIRE VICTIM'S BODY FROZEN IN RUINS

Found in Kneeling Position Behind Steel Gate of the Equitable Life Building.

[Canadian Press.]

New York, Jan. 15.—The body of William Campion, the head watchman, who lost his life in the Equitable Life building fire of last Tuesday, was found on Sunday frozen in a kneeling position behind a great steel gate leading to the street from the vaults of the Mercantile Trust Company. A heavy steel beam from the roof of the vault pinned down the man's back, increased in a cast of ice, with the feet firmly frozen in a pedestal of icy debris, the entire body resembled a rough-hewn statue of marble.

It was the night's work of 60 men to remove the tons of ice-cemented ruins that hid the gate of the vault from view, and the day's work of wrecking experts to cut away the bars of the gate. While the work was going on two of the men saw, they say, far back in the ruins of the vault, the body of Francis Seider, another missing watchman, the location of which had not been definitely known.

FATHER ST. DENIS DEAD

Prominent Educationalist of the Roman Catholic Church Dies.

[Canadian Press.]

Montreal, Jan. 15.—The death occurred last evening at the Hotel Dieu, of Rev. Father St. Denis, a prominent educationalist in the Roman Catholic Church, who was for 25 years director of the Archbishop's Academy in this city. His Grace, the Archbishop, visited the late Father an hour before his death and administered the last rites of the church to him. The deceased was nearly 70 years of age, and in addition to his connection with the academy held at various times similar positions in the Mount St. Louis College of Montreal, the Commercial College of Quebec, the La Salle Institute of Toronto, and the Catholic College of Halifax.

PARAGUAY'S REVOLT.

Montevideo, Uruguay, Jan. 15.—Dispatches received here today from Paraguay report that the rebel leaders have announced that if they are victorious in the fight against the Government they will not recognize any financial agreements which have been concluded by the Government, which is still vested in the capital by the revolutionaries.

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LONDON AND DISTRICT

"Wang" Here Feb. 11, 1905.
"On what date was 'Wang' played in
the new Grand Opera House in this
city?"—A SUBSCRIBER, ANS.—
"Wang," with De Wolf Hopper and
Marguerite Clark, appeared at the
Grand on Feb. 11, 1905.
Wellington Cars Collide.

Two Wellington cars collided at the
corner of Wellington and St. James
street on Saturday night. Both were
making the switch, and one skidded
into the other, breaking the fender on
car No. 38. Other than this there was
no damage. No person was injured.

Sleighing for Two Years.
Q. Did we have more sleighing last
winter than the winter before?—JOHN
ROBERTSON, ANS.—Last winter
there was a greater period of sleigh-
ing than for several years previously.
The record at the local observatory
showing 80 days. During the winter
of 1909 and 1910 there were 65 days of
sleighing.

Reorganization of Boy Scouts.
The Second London Troop of Boy
Scouts decided to reorganize at a
meeting held Friday night. The officers
will be elected in the near future.
All members wishing to join
will kindly attend the next meeting in
Wesley Hall on Friday evening, Jan.
19, at 7:45 o'clock.

Firemen Have Two Runs.
The fire brigade had two runs on
Saturday. In the afternoon they ran
to a house on Regina street, where a
fire was caused by a torch used in
thawing out frozen pipes. The damage
was slight. Shortly after 8 o'clock
the department had an alarm to 386
Ridout street. An over-heated stove set fire to the kitchen.
The blaze was extinguished by the
chemical, the damage being about \$25.

**PROSPEROUS YEAR
FOR THE ROYAL BANK**

Statement Shows Liquid Assets Equal
to 49 1/2 Per Cent. of Total Liabilities
to the Public—Net Profits for Year
Crossed Million-Dollar Mark.

The 42nd annual statement of the
Royal Bank of Canada, which appears
elsewhere in this issue, affords an-
other indication of what a remarkable
year 1911 was for the larger banking
institutions of the country.
Deposits increased over \$16,000,000,
which brings the total up to \$88,294,-
000. Liquid assets amount to \$47,738,-
000, being 49 1/2 per cent. of the total
liabilities to the public. Actual cash on
hand, balances on deposit with other
banks, and call loans in New York,
and London, England, exceed 52 per
cent. of the total liabilities to the
public. Total assets increased during
the year from \$92,510,000 to \$101,528,-
000. Net profits amounted to \$1,152,-
249, showing an increase of \$200,913
over the previous year—equal to 18.5
per cent on the capital stock of \$6,-
200,000. Commercial loans amount to
\$29,846,000, being 67.55 per cent. of
the deposits.

As will be seen from these compar-
isons, the bank has experienced a won-
derfully prosperous year.

Music and Drama

Becoming an Institution.
After the two large audiences that
greeted him Saturday, it is plain that
the Irish actor-singer has a following
that equals in loyalty and size that of
Chauncey Olcott or Tom Murphy. Mr.
O'Hara in a few years has won a perma-
nent recognition, and each year the number of
his admirers has been enlarged, until it is
now close to a capacity audience. Mr.
O'Hara always has a wholesome Irish
drama, "Love's Young Dream," of the
type that appealed in the past and has
not been lost for today in capable
hands. His sweet tenor voice im-
proves every season, and his choice of
songs is always fortunate. There is
the plaintive note in his minor strains
that belongs to Ireland, and there is
always plenty of sentiment in both
song and play.

Mr. O'Hara brings a capable sup-
porting company with him, and that
he will fulfill the splendid future that
seems to beckon is the hope of the
friends who have come to consider him
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McEwen, the well-known hypnotist,
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**JOHN H. McMECHAN
DIES OF PARALYSIS**

Had Been Ill for Some Time,
But Death Occurred Quite
Unexpectedly.

Ex-Ald. J. H. McMechan, one of the
best-known businessmen in the city,
died last night at his residence, 364
King street, after an illness of some
months from paralysis. His demise
was not unexpected, as Mr. McMechan
had been in a precarious state of
health for some time.

He was born in Toronto in 1843.
Three years later, the family moved to
London. In early youth Mr. McMechan
was associated in business here. His
first position was with the late Freder-
ick Rowland in the shoe business. For
some years he was engaged in the
importation of goods from the Watson
Company at Apt.

About 25 years ago Mr. McMechan
purchased the London Soap Company,
which he continued to manage until
last April, when he sold out his inter-
ests and retired.

Some years ago Mr. McMechan
served in the city council, and for
three years was a member of the board
of health.

Deeply interested in church work
from early youth, he was an active
worker in the Dundas Street Metho-
dist Church, with which he was iden-
tified for many years. He was also a
member of the London Historical So-
ciety, and for a time connected with
the Real Estate Owners' Association.

He is survived by his widow, a
daughter of the late Rev. J. H. Robin-
son, and three daughters—Misses
Edith, Frances and Lucy. A sister,
Mrs. J. Broadbent, of Toronto, also
survives.

The funeral will be held on Tues-
day at two o'clock. The services will
be conducted by Rev. Dr. Manning,
of Dundas Centre Methodist Church.
Interment will be made at Mount
Pleasant Cemetery.

KINCARDINE PIONEER DIES.
[Special to The Advertiser.]
Kincardine, Jan. 12.—Mrs. Adam
Miller is dead at her home on the
south line of Kincardine Township,
after a brief illness with pneumonia.
She was 63 years old and a pioneer
of Bruce County. The funeral will be
held on Sunday afternoon, having been

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**TOO MANY SCOWLING
CHRISTIANS ARE SEEN**

**Rev. Canon Hague Says Their
Faces Carry Message of
Doom Instead of Joy.**

Rev. Canon Dyson Hague preached
last evening in Croyne Memorial
Church on the subject of "Philip and
the Eunuch." The eunuch, a man of
high mentality and character, had
come a long way to hear the preach-
ing of the evangelist. People today
rarely inconvenience themselves to
attend church, said Canon Hague.
"The sense of oughtness is dying out
in the twentieth century in regard
to church-going. People no longer at-
tend church because they ought to."
The eagerness of Philip to impart
the gospel message to another was
dwelt upon. "Philip ran. He was eager
to fulfill God's call. When God tells
you to speak to someone," said the
speaker, "you must not hesitate lest
the angel of opportunity pass you by."

The Christ who died for men was
emphasized by Canon Hague. "You
may look at Jesus as a beautiful life
and character," he said, "you may
try to follow his teachings and ex-

THINK OF IT

Stop and think a moment about
that cough that bothers you so much.
You must have been run-down when
you got it, for if you had been per-
fectly strong your system would have
thrown it off in two or three days.

Take our advice about this—what
you really need is to build up your
strength and enrich your blood. Then
the cough will disappear. We know it.
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says: "It only took two bottles of
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ample, but you shall not see the

doors of dawn light until you see
he man crucified.
"Men today walk the desert path
like the Bedouins of old, asking for
help, and Christians should be ready
to lend them assistance and encour-
agement. There are too many
grumbling Christians in the world
today, whose scowling faces carry a
message of gloom rather than joy."

**SHOOTS SELF AFTER
KILLING HIS WIFE**

**Divorce Proceedings Cause of a Triple
Tragedy in a Town of Michigan.**

Adrian, Mich., Jan. 15.—Archie
Camp, aged 35, of Lenawee County,
killed his wife, Julia, aged 34, shot
his mother-in-law, Mrs. Phil Calkins,
and then sent a bullet through his
own brain. He will die.

The tragedy occurred Sunday after-
noon at Mrs. Camp's apartment.
Camp had commenced an action for
divorce last April, charging her hus-
band had been intimate with other
women, it is said. Pending settlement
of the proceedings, Camp has been
permitted to visit the child, Audra,
aged four, once a week.

Mrs. Calkins stated at the hospital
that she sat holding Audra in her lap
when Camp entered the house and shot
her. He then fired at his wife and
then turned the weapon on himself.

The two women, Mrs. Calkins, still car-
rying Audra in her arms, ran to the back
door. "Oh, Julia, I guess I'm killed,"
said the mother, as both fell to the floor.
"I guess I'm killed, too," said Mrs.
Camp, the latter dying within a few
moments. Doctors said Camp will un-
doubtedly die and that Mrs. Calkins,
who was shot through the right side, may
also die, although the wound is not
necessarily fatal. Mrs. Camp died to
death, the bullet piercing her right lung.

The bullet in Camp's head has not been
located. Mrs. Camp was bookkeeper for
a local laundry, Wm. Philo, who lived in
adjoining apartments, says he has known
the sister 20 years, and has always re-
garded him as quiet and peaceable.

Camp is a thresher, owning a machine.
Sheriff Knowles found five letters on
Camp's person, all written today before
he left home. They were addressed to
various persons, including Judge J. L.
O'Malley, whom he blamed for his
trouble, also one to Mayor Joslin, who
he said has been his friend. In his let-
ter to Judge O'Malley he said that "the
child was dearer than life itself," and
this is now accepted as the cause for
the deed. The letters were of a ram-
bling nature and showed symptoms of an
unbalanced mind.

Imperial Life Assurance Co.
HAS A GOOD YEAR.

The summary of the year's results
of the business of the Imperial Life
Assurance Company of Canada is
published in another part of this paper,
and is well worth the perusal of every
thoughtful Canadian.

Canadian life assurance companies
generally have an enviable record for
honest administration, and proper con-
sideration of their policyholders. The
results of the year's operations of the
Imperial Life must be very gratifying
to the members of this company.

The amount of assurance issued in
the year amounted to \$7,136,962, mak-
ing the total of assurance in force
\$34,518,000. The cash income for the
year was \$1,545,527, an increase of
\$174,667 over the corresponding in-
come of \$1,370,860. The total assets of
the company were increased to \$7,095,-
442. Payments to policyholders
amounted to \$287,720, and an av-
erage interest rate of 6.81 per cent.
was realized on invested funds.

All previous years' records were
surpassed.

Mr. Israel Taylor, Bank of Toronto
Chambers, is district manager for
London.

**THE MANCHU PRINCES
ARE IN DESPAIR**

**The Emperor's Abdication Now
Seems Only a Matter of
a Few Days.**

Peking, Jan. 14.—The abdication
of the throne has been practically de-
cided on, and the retirement to Jehli will
take place almost immediately.

A prolonged meeting of the principal
members of the government this af-
ternoon partly arranged the details
for the abdication.

Owing to the growing disorders in
the provinces the Manchu princes of
the imperial clan, the Manchu officials
and the soldiery agree that this is the
only course open to the throne.

The empress dowager, recognizing
that the government is powerless
without foreign financial assistance
of which there is no hope, has asked
Yuan Shi Kai to conclude the best
possible arrangement in connection
with the retirement of the imperial
family.

Premier Yuan, Hsu Shi Chang,
vice-president of the privy council,
and other government leaders, met
this afternoon and discussed the best
means for providing for the emperor
and the empress dowager, and also
outlined the necessary communica-
tions which will be made to the
public. The premier intends to
remain in Peking and maintain con-
trol, pending final arrangements with
the republicans.

It is understood that the leading
powers are ready to support Yuan Shi
Kai, believing that he is the one
strong leader capable of grappling
with the situation, especially in view
of the discord among the republican
leaders.

Dispatches received today from the
provinces report many murders and
the looting and burning of houses.
Hundreds of women are killing them-
selves in fear of bandits, who are
committing all kinds of atrocious
crimes.

The armistice will expire Jan. 15,
and it is therefore expected that the
dispute between the emperor and the
republicans will be completed before
that date. The palace at Jehli has
been sufficiently restored to accom-
modate the imperial entourage.

**ROMANTIC STORY WAS
REVEALED IN COURT**

**Fourteen-Year-Old Girl Elope
to Detroit After Midnight
and Was Married.**

Toronto, Jan. 14.—A romantic story
of a midnight elopement is recited by
Mr. Justice Latchford in his finding of
fact in the dispute between the bro-
thers and sisters of the late Captain
William A. Forbes, of Windsor, and
his widow and children. The point
necessary to establish the widow's
claim to the property was the proof
of her marriage, and this was made
exceedingly difficult by the fact that
the certificate had been thrown out of
her window in a jewel case during a
fire, and the box had been stolen or
lost.

His lordship finds that the mar-
riage was a fact, however, and tells
the story of what he believes hap-
pened. Forbes, who was then a mate
on a ferry, which plied between De-
troit and Windsor, after midnight on
May 22, 1878, rowed his sweetheart

who was just 14 years old, across the
river in the company of a companion
named King and a lady friend. The
quartette went to the house of a ju-
dice of the peace and Forbes and the
girl were married. They did not im-
mediately go to live together, but
Forbes kept her at a hotel, and at the
same time lived with his mother and
her children and supported them. The
statement in the evidence of Mrs.
Forbes that Judge Chipman married
them his lordship finds to be untrue,
but not deliberately so, for he ex-
presses the opinion that the name was
suggested to her when she was ill, and
she came to think it was a fact. Judge
Chipman did not ascend to the bench
until after the date of the marriage.
In conclusion, his lordship says that
the man and woman were known
everywhere as man and wife, and she
was called Mrs. Forbes. "Even if a
doubt existed as to the legality of the
marriage I should feel bound to de-
clare in favor of the alleged mar-
riage," he says. "All the laws, all
the morality, sanction this view of a
doubtful case." The widow and chil-
dren will, therefore, get the estate.

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and Colds**

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Fear for the Safety of
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