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The Legislature Divides on Local Option Clause

The Three-Fifths Vote Is Sustained—Hon. Mr. Ross Points Out Weaknesses of Education Bill

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, April 27.—The liquor license bill received its third reading yesterday afternoon, and only awaits the assent of the lieutenant-governor to become law. The Government's majority was increased to 43 for the occasion, Messrs. Labrosse and Rache, Liberals, having absented themselves, without asking for pairs. The division was upon Hon. Mr. Ross' amendment providing for a majority vote instead of a three-fifths vote on local option bylaws. Hon. Adam Beck was paired.

When the orders of the day were reached, Mr. McNaught (North Toronto) called attention to the bad acoustics of the chamber. The back benches, he said, had to get their knowledge of the proceedings from the next morning's paper, while he understood the press reporters also had difficulty in hearing.

Mr. Whitney, in reply, said that the matter had long been recognized as requiring remedy. Hon. Mr. Fraser's theory that the members would pitch their voices higher had not worked out. There were not a dozen seats from which the members could hear everything that was said. Immediately after the session, he promised, the Government would have an investigation made to discover how to obviate the existing conditions without marring the proportions of the chamber.

Mr. Ross Criticizes.

In the discussion on the third reading of the liquor license bill, Mr. Ross again entered his objections to certain clauses, but did not touch any new line of argument. He thought the higher license fees an experiment, and considered that a larger proportion should go to the municipalities. Mr. Ross objected chiefly to the provision for a three-fifths vote for local option, and he concluded by moving in amendment, seconded by Mr. Preston (Brant), that the bill be referred back to committee of the whole House, with instructions to amend section 24 by providing for a majority vote instead of a three-fifths vote.

Hon. Mr. Hanna, who replied for the Government, denied that the higher license fees were an experiment. He said they were based largely on a bill prepared by the preceding government, but never introduced in the House. He had found copies of the bill in the drawers in his department, and had availed himself of its suggestions.

Hon. Mr. Ross said that such provisions were only put in the draft bill for consideration.

History of Local Option.

The history of local option in Ontario furnished some statistics that were interesting. Local option had been put on the statutes in 1868, removed a decade later, and replaced in 1880. Of the many municipalities which had adopted local option between 1890 and 1900, only fourteen still retained it in force, and in each of these the measure had been carried by a vote of three-fifths or more. In every single municipality where local option had been adopted by a bare majority, it had been repealed at the first opportunity. These statistics proved that for local option to be permanent and stable, it must have a hearty public sentiment behind it.

The Government in framing the bill had endeavored to produce a measure based on sound reason, and consulting the interests of the whole people without regard to any particular section.

TOWN WRECKED BY WIND AND FLAME

Bellevue, Texas, Devastated by Tornado—Fourteen Lives Lost.

Fort Worth, Texas, April 27.—A dispatch this morning from Bellevue, Texas, places the loss of life there at last night's tornado at fourteen. The town is partly wrecked, the buildings which caught fire after the storm passed, being burned today. A carload of provisions was sent from Fort Worth today, and tents and bedding were rushed from Wichita Falls.

Bambasita in the Forest.

Durban, Natal, April 26.—It transpires that Chief Bambasita was in hiding Tuesday close to the spot where a police column searched for him, but he has now returned to the forest.

PARIS POLICE RAID ROYALISTS; CAPTURE IMPORTANT DOCUMENTS

Paris, April 27.—The police adopted decisive measures today to apprehend the element which is fermenting disorder, and capture the sources of its supplies. Early in the day a search was made of the headquarters of the Confederation of Labor, and also of its 50 branches throughout the city. Simultaneously, the police searched

such as the liquor men or the temperance people.

The division on the amendment then took place, resulting in a vote of 69 to 21, giving a Government majority of 48. Messrs. Labrosse (Pres.) and Labrosse (Russell) were absent, but had not asked for pairs. The following were paired: Beck and McDougall, Tachibana and Way, McGarry and Bowman, McDougall and Cameron, Gallagher and Clarke (Northumberland). The leader of the Opposition neglected to ask that the same division govern the main motion, so it goes on the records of the House as having been unanimously carried.

Weakness in Pyne's Bill.

The education bill was taken up in committee and discussed by the leading members on each side. Mr. Ross said the appointment of a superintendent of education was unnecessary. It was the duty of the minister to look after the public and high schools, instead of shifting the responsibility.

Hon. Dr. Pyne said great disquietude existed as to the educational system. He quoted criticisms of President Landon. Sir Daniel Wilson, Principal Spottis and Principal Embree, of the Toronto Collegiate. He cited the impotency of young bank clerks from Scotland as a proof that the present system was deficient.

"Bright Canadian boys would not take these bank positions at £50 or £60," said Mr. Graham.

"That's a fairly good salary for a boy of 16," said Dr. Pyne. "Canadian boys had no chance to get the positions."

Whitney "Butts In."

"If I may butt in," was Mr. Whitney's slangy preamble to his not very veiled remark that the boy who desired to go to bank but who didn't desire to go at that salary, was not a desirable boy to have in the bank or out of it.

Mr. Harcourt held that disquietude over educational problems had existed ever since there was education. It was a good healthy sign and brought about progress. Ontario schools compared more than favorably with those of any other country.

The speaker said that the appointment of a superintendent was optional under the act, which led Mr. Graham to point out that if the appointment was not made, there would be no expert at the department.

The measure was still under discussion when the speaker left the chair at 6 p.m.

Mr. Downey's pharmacy bill was given its final reading.

The Soo Guarantee.

At the evening session last night, Col. Matheson introduced a bill giving the lieutenant-governor in council the power to extend for one year the Government's guarantee of the Soo loan. The loan is guaranteed on Tuesday next, and the original legislation contains no provision for extension. Mr. Matheson expects that one-half the loan will be taken up by the Soo company, leaving the amount to be guaranteed by the Government \$1,000,000, instead of \$2,000,000, the original amount. Should this be the case, the Government will release its lien on a corresponding portion of the collateral securities. The measure was given its first, second and third readings, and will receive the royal assent today.

The education bill was further considered in committee. Mr. Ross again criticized the appointment of a deputy who was not an expert.

Hon. Dr. Pyne said he wanted the trustees' election represented. The Premier measure was given its first, second and third readings, and will receive the royal assent today.

Mr. Ross objected to the nomination of the president of the university as chairman of the committee, because it was not wedded to the proviso. The consideration of the measure will be resumed today.

THREE STORIES CRASH TO CELLAR

Ten Tons of Books Cause Collapse of a Bookstore in Montreal.

Montreal, Que., April 27.—Ten tons of books which were moved into the Library Granger at the Place d'Armes and Notre Dame street, caused the collapse of a portion of the building at an early hour this morning. The firm moved a portion of their stock into the new premises last night, and at 5 o'clock the weight caused a collapse, which carried down three stories in the crash. Fortunately there was no one in the wrecked part of the building.

Gunboat Seizes Bark.

Melilla, Morocco, April 26.—The Moroccan gunboat Sidi El Turki on Wednesday seized the bark Beni Bujafan, carrying a commercial cargo and put to sea with her captive.

TO INSPECT THE FALLS

Buffalo, April 27.—We have no statement to make regarding the question of preserving the scenic beauties of Niagara Falls, because the commission took no definite action in the matter yesterday," said Mr. George C. Gibbons, K. C., of London, chairman of the Canadian section of the International Waterways Commission, this afternoon. The Committee on Rivers and Harbors of the House of Representatives will visit Niagara Falls today to make a personal investigation of the conditions there. The committee have the Bureau bill under consideration. It is expected that Messrs. Gibbons, King and Coste, together will visit Niagara Falls with the committee.

MR. SHEARER ON LORD'S DAY BILL

No Desire to Interfere With Working of Smelters.

MOVEMENT OF WAY-FREIGHT

Opposes Concessions to Grimsby Park —Says Railway Brotherhood Favor the Present Measure.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, April 27.—Rev. J. E. Shearer was heard before the Lord's Day bill committee this forenoon. He did not think that a case had been made out by the cement men, and as for the operation of rotary furnaces on Sunday, that was only a portion of work which was asked to be made continuous. The amendment of the Manufacturers' Association was too broad, and he submitted another in its stead, as to the oil wells, some of the owners worked and some did not on Sundays in the same vicinity. He did not desire to interfere with smelters or any work that was continuous. He was opposed to the unloading and loading of steamers on Sunday, but did not want to interfere with a steamer at a port of call. He had an interview with the railway representatives. At first Mr. McNeill thought Sunday work was reduced to a minimum. When it was pointed out that way-freight was in some instances run on the road, Mr. McNeill admitted this was not necessary. Some years ago, the G. T. R. had construction work going on Sunday.

Mr. Millar, of South Grey, suggested that Mr. Shearer should meet Mr. Chryster and Mr. Casgrain to come to some decision as to railway transportation and the committee could then decide between them.

Mr. Chryster wanted Mr. Shearer to say what he wanted now. Mr. Fitzpatrick did not think this would be fair. A conference might greatly assist them, but if the railway representatives did not want to do that, then the committee would do it for them.

Mr. Shearer said that about 50 per cent of the railway brotherhoods were in favor of the bill as it stood. He went on to show that in British Columbia, where the railway brotherhoods did not handle freight, or practically did not. He was opposed to any concession to Grimsby Park. Had no objections to ferries properly licensed and under control.

RENTS ARE AWAY UP

Scarcity of Stores on Dundas Street Is the Cause.

Stores rent for almost any price on Dundas street now, and the chances are the rents will go still higher. A short time ago, Mr. Wyatt, proprietor of the European Hotel on Dundas street, between Clarence and Richmond, one of the stores in the hotel block was rented for \$37 50 a month. Now it has been rented to the Columbia Phonograph Company, Toronto and New York for \$75 a month.

OFFICIALS WERE HERE

But There Was Nothing Doing in Railway Matter.

The city is still awaiting the arrival of the agreement drawn up by the Grand Trunk Railway for the improvements in London.

Manager McGuigan and Supt. Brownlee spent some time looking over the local yards here today, but it is not known just what the nature of their visit was.

Mr. Brownlee is here in connection with the suit of Dickey vs. the G. T. R., but it is expected that he is also devoting some time to the improvements contemplated here.

BIBLES FOR IMMIGRANTS

The Bible Society Supplying Them in Forty-Nine Languages.

Toronto, April 27.—His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada has agreed to become first patron of the Canadian Bible Society, auxiliary to the British and Foreign Bible Society. Besides remitting \$17,000 to the parent society in England for its world-wide work, the Canadian Bible Society seeks to supply the foreign immigrants, especially in the Northwest, with the scriptures in their own language. Bibles are being sold in the immigration hall, Winnipeg, in nine languages, and in the Bible house, Winnipeg, in 45 languages.

THE WEATHER.

Tomorrow—Fine

Fort William, April 27.—The steamer Ames has just finished discharging a cargo of 30,000 kegs of nails consigned by the Imperial Steel and Wire Company of Colwood to Winnipeg jobbing houses. This is the largest consignment of nails ever unloaded here. It will take 127 cars to carry this cargo to its destination. The kegs, if placed end to end would reach a distance of twelve miles. The magnitude of the consignment will give some idea of the vast growth of the Canadian Northwest.

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London, Friday, April 27. Sun rises, 5:15 a.m. Moon rises, 7:55 p.m. Port Arthur, 10:29 a.m. Toronto, April 26—5 p.m. Rain has fallen again today in the Maritime Provinces, and scattered showers have occurred in Saskatchewan and Manitoba. Elsewhere in Canada the weather has been fine. The temperature has been between 60° and 75° in the former Province, and between 65° and 85° in the latter.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, 28-52; Athabasca, 24-46; 60; Vancouver, 47-64; Calgary, 24-40; Edmonton, 28-60; Prince Albert, 34-42; Qu'Appelle, 32-36; Winnipeg, 40-74; Pelly, 30-42; Toronto, 40-62; Ottawa, 34-60; Montreal, 32-50; Quebec, 32-52; St. John, 38-44; Halifax, 38-44.

FORECASTS.

Friday, April 27—5 a.m. Today—Northerly winds, fine, but not much change in temperature. Saturday—Fine.

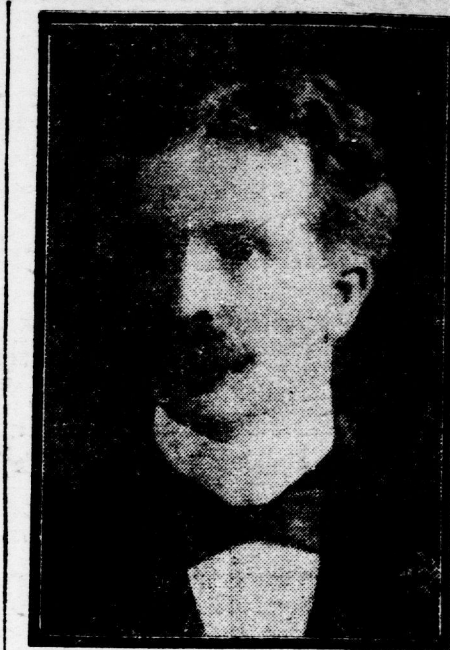
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Calgary 36 34 Cloudy
Winnipeg 42 36 Cloudy
Port Arthur 38 32 Clear
Pelly Sound 40 32 Clear
Toronto 48 34 Fair
Ottawa 40 32 Cloudy
Montreal 42 42 Cloudy
Quebec 40 34 Cloudy
Father Point 40 28 Cloudy

WEATHER NOTES.

The weather continues somewhat unsettled in Quebec and the extreme western portion of Ontario, while further west it is quite fine. Showers have occurred in Manitoba and Saskatchewan.

The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the local observatory for the 24 hours ended at 8 p.m. Thursday were: Highest, 62°; lowest, 55° above.



MR. ALEX. McDONALD,
Former Londoner Whose Home Was
Badly Damaged by San Francisco Earthquake.

EDWARD IN A STORM

English Royalty Have Rough Passage Flessina to Naples.

Naples, April 27.—King Edward and Queen Alexandra arrived here today from Messina after a stormy voyage. It is feared that they will be unable, on account of the weather to make the proposed ascension of Mount Vesuvius.

TABAH BOUNDARY CLASH

Sultan Answers the Khedive's Suggestions Unfavorably.

Cairo, April 27.—The Sultan of Turkey has replied unfavorably to the Khedive's suggestions regarding the Tabah boundary question. The matter will now be handed over to the British Government and the Porte for settlement.

USED KNIVES ON CADETS

Crew of Sunk Belgian Training Ship Said to Have Mutinied.

Brussels, April 27.—The secretiveness of the officers of the French barque Dunkerque, which a few days ago reported at Dover that she had picked up a number of the survivors of the Belgian training ship Comte de Smet de Naeyer, has declined to give any details, is causing painful suspense here pending the delay in the arrival of the Dunkerque at Hamburg. This is added to by the failure to elicit any news from other sources.

It is stated in the lobby of the Chamber of Deputies that when the ship was sinking the crew refused to obey orders and prevented the cadets from entering the lifeboats, using knives for their purpose. It is added that some of the surviving boys are now in the hands of the German authorities.

Got Away with \$17,500.

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'FRISCO'S DOWNFALL GOOD FOR OAKLAND

Syndicate Plans to Make Latter First Port of Pacific.

IMMENSE DOCKS TO BE MADE

Another Prolonged Downpour of Rain Increases Discomfort of the Refugees.

New York, April 27.—According to a San Francisco dispatch to the World a group of financiers, taking advantage of misfortune, seek to snatch her commercial supremacy from her.

A syndicate has been formed to make Oakland a deep seaport by building docks and piers into deep water. "It is the intention," says the speaker for the syndicate, "to make Oakland the chief maritime shipping port on the Pacific coast. The enterprise contemplates the filling of 500 acres of shoal water, and the construction of a mole capable of docking the largest ships that enter the bay."

The price of Oakland real estate is going up by leaps and bounds. Hundreds of leases of business property have been sold since Monday for double and triple the figures originally paid by the seller.

All vacant houses have been taken and people who have country homes are leasing their city homes at a fancy figure and moving out of town.

Homeless Shiver

San Francisco, April 27.—The homeless people camped in the camp squares and vacant lots were awakened early today, because the water dripped through improvised tents, which afforded poor protection against the heavy rain that began to fall about 1 o'clock, and continued for several hours. Many persons were driven into nearby houses for shelter.

Although the various camps were better prepared for the storm than for several days past, hundreds of tents having been received and put up since the last storm, still there are thousands who have without proper shelter, and who shivered in their wet clothes last night, vainly trying to get warm after the rain ceased, by walking, or in the huddling around little camp fires. The least distress and suffering was at the Presidio, where nearly all the refugees have been provided with tents. A wagonload of blankets and shovels was furnished with which the trenches were dug to carry off the water, and the ground banked around the tents, making them comparatively comfortable.

In "Cow Hollow," at the hear of Barboursville, about 3,000 Italians from Telegraph and Russian hills, and a sprinkling of Chinese and Japanese are camped. Some of them have not been provided with tents, and there was much distress among the women and children, of whom there are many in the camp.

A hot meal was being flowing this morning, and the difficulty of preparing warm food added to the distress of the homeless, especially those in the low bottoms.

In Lafayette and Hamilton squares, comparatively few tents have been issued to those camped there, but the ground is high and the drainage good.

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Queer Epistles in Mails Coming from Ruined City

Scraps of Paper and Sole Leather Utilized in Sending Messages —Londoner Loses Home.

As the result of the San Francisco earthquake and fire, some queer epistles to friends in this city are arriving at the London postoffice from people in California.

This morning an Advertiser reporter called on Postmaster Cameron, and was shown some samples of mail from 'Frisco.

One basket looked like a waste-paper receptacle. It was filled with scraps of paper, without envelopes, and with the addresses written in pencil. There was yellow paper, white paper, brown paper and blue paper.

And the queerest leather postcard that ever came through London was in the basket. It was a piece of sole leather, with a message scrawled upon it.

Not a single missive bore a stamp. All had been carried through free by the United States Government, and Canada is taking no questions once the mail reaches the Canadian border.

"In a time of terrible trouble like this," said the postmaster to the reporter, "the Government doesn't look for stamps."

The clerks in the postoffice are taking particular care of the San Francisco mail. As the dirty, crumpled missives are dumped out of the bags, they are handled with a care that is pathetic.

"They don't look much," said one of the sorters, "but they mean a lot to those who have been waiting wearily for news. I wouldn't have one of these letters go wrong for a year's salary."

Londoner's House Wrecked.

Mr. Alex. McDonald, at one time a member of the London city council, and a Dundas street merchant, was among the losers by the San Francisco earthquake, his home at 1315 Guerrero street, though escaped the worst, being so badly damaged that it cannot be occupied. Mr. McDonald has been a resident of 'Frisco for several years, and is looked upon as the head of the London colony there. After the earthquake, one of his first acts was to go through the city, wherever possible,

and ascertain if former Londoners were safe, and he was able to learn that none had been injured. Mr. Bernie Smith, of King street, yesterday received a letter from Mr. McDonald. It was written on ordinary wrapping paper, and came through the mails without envelope or stamp, neither of the latter being available at the time of writing. "All old Londoners, so far as I know, are well. Best wishes to all."

The letter was dated April 21, while the fire was in progress. Mr. McDonald's place of business at 113 Front street was completely destroyed by fire. His home is a very short distance from the place where Mr. H. C. Tilden, one of the most prominent members of the relief committee, was shot dead by soldiers.

Long Anxiety Ended.

Nine days of anxiety on the part of Mr. John Walters, of Piccadilly street, was terminated yesterday, when he received a letter from his son, Mr. Neil Walters, who, with his wife and three children, resided at 145 Vermont street in San Francisco. Mr. Walters was much more fortunate than thousands of other

PLACING NEW BOUNDARY POSTS

How Division Between U. S.
and Canada Is Marked Off.

THIEVES WHO STRADDLE LINE

Must Smuggling from the Dominion
and Cattle Run from the
American Side.

Ottawa, April 26.—The boundary between the United States and Canada is being carefully marked. A band of surveyors, representing both countries is going over it, running new lines from the Atlantic to the Pacific and putting up brass posts to mark them. I have been upon the line several times during my travels in Canada.

At the town of Laurier, in British Columbia, I found the depot built on both sides of the boundary. There was a mark drawn diagonally across the platform, on one side of which was painted in red an enormous American eagle with the words "United States" below it, and on the other side Canada and a picture of the maple leaf. I planted one of my feet on the eagle and the other on the leaf and stood for a time beside the division, which separates John Bull's American possessions from those of Uncle Sam. Looking to the south I could, in my imagination, see the Rockies rolling on toward for thousands of miles to the Mexican boundary and at the north the mountains of Canada and the snow and ice of British America extending almost to the pole.

In company with C. E. Stone, the general passenger agent of the Great Northern Railroad, who was with me, I walked eastward a few steps to look at one of the brass posts which had just been put up to mark the boundary. The posts are only a few miles apart and they are being put up along the whole line, with the exception of the great lakes, from the mouth of the St. Lawrence to Puget Sound. As I stood beside the post I reached up my shoulder. It is, I judge, about five feet high, eight inches thick at the bottom, tapering to four inches thick at the top, where it ends in a little pyramid, as sharp as that which caps the Washington monument. The post is made of brass or copper plates soldered together, and so set in a bedding of cement that it looks like solid metal. Indeed, I did not know it was hollow until I tapped it with my knife.

Line Marked by Posts.

One side of this post bore the word "Canada" in raised letters, and the opposite side "The United States." On another side was the inscription: "Treaty of 1846. Line established 1857 and 1861. Surveyed and marked 1892-1901."

Standing at the post I could look for several miles east or west through a wide road which had been cut along each side of the boundary right through the forest. I am told that such marking has been done all along the line. I understand that the boundary posts along the eastern end of the line are in bad condition, and that they are being replaced by posts of copper and granite. The original ones between Quebec and Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont, were made of iron. They were put up about 50 years ago, but the frost and thaws have displaced many of them and thrown others out of perpendicular. Some of these posts have been moved. The surveyors who have been going over the line during the past year found two of the posts on the northern end of Lake Champlain missing. One was 60 feet away from the line, and it had probably been carried there by an ice shove when the water was unusually high. Some of these posts stood near roads and they had dropped over into the gutters. Many were brown with rust and surrounded with weeds. The most of these have been reset or replaced with granite pillars, so bold that they will resist the ravages of time.

There is a custom house at Laurier, and our baggage was examined by the United States officers as soon as we crossed over. There are three places where the line, and there are in some places what are known as boundary stores, half on one side and half on the other. Such stores were common in the past but now, one-half of a building for instance, might be in the province of Quebec, and the other half in the State of Vermont. Behind one counter were shelves of American goods and behind the other great stores of Canadian wares. The customer paid his money and took his choice, and the tariff laws were about as little regarded as are those of Moses in a mining camp.

Boundary Stores Lays Over.

Such stores were also desirable resorts for criminals, who, standing on one side of the room, could snap their fingers at the officers on the other side, and refuse to be arrested without a requisition.

Our boundary with Canada winds in and out at all sorts of angles for the first thousand miles or so from the Atlantic. It begins at the ocean and crooks and turns around Maine, keeping pretty well away from the St. Lawrence until it touches that river at the northeastern edge of New York. It runs with the river to Lake Ontario and then winds its way through the middle of the great lakes until it reaches the land again at the northeastern end of Minnesota on Lake Superior. From here it winds a little through the Rainy River country to the Lake of the Woods and then takes an almost straight shoot across the prairies and the Rockies to Puget Sound. We almost had a fight at one time over Puget Sound, the British claiming the Island of San Juan, which was afterward, by arbitration, awarded to us. Just how long the whole boundary line is I do not know, but it

must be considerably more than 3,000 miles.

Two of the great offenses committed on both sides of the boundary in the west are smuggling and cattle rustling. The pastures of Canada are better than those of the United States, and the American ranchmen frequently drive their stock across the boundary to feed on Canada's grass. Such depredations are carefully watched by the mounted police. They patrol the international line weekly and arrest such cowboys as have their stock on the wrong side. They say that all stock that comes into Canada pays duty, and they carefully examine all cattle brought in for tuberculosis, Texas fever, and other diseases.

In the past there was a great deal of smuggling of Chinese through Canada into the United States, and some of this goes on today. There are numerous trails through the mountains of British Columbia, and if the Chinese can escape paying the duty which is now charged by Canada on each celestial immigrant they are liable to find their way into our country.

Such Opium Smuggling.

Opium smuggling is another crime frequently perpetrated. The opium is said to be prepared at Victoria and carried across in small packages. The duty is very high and it does not take many pounds to bring a profit to the smuggler of a thousand dollars. Our customs officers are on the watch for such criminals, and the Canadian Government does all it can to help them. There are custom houses at all boundary points, and an American consul is stationed at almost every town of size.

Nevertheless there is a great deal of smuggling from Canada into the United States. I have bought goods in Ottawa and have had the merchant tell me that they could send anything over to me free of duty at any time I chose to order it. A lady friend of mine examined a fine fur cloak in Quebec the other day. The price was several hundred dollars, and she told the merchant she could not afford to take it and pay the duty. He replied that she need not worry about that, and that he would deliver it to her home in New York duty free or any day she chose to name.

It is said that Europe is like an armed camp. Its every country has fortifications at the places where it could most easily be attacked by its neighbors and enormous military establishments are kept up with a view to possible wars. This line of 3,000 miles or more between Canada and the United States is practically free from military defenses. There is a great fort at Quebec, with old guns, and a few soldiers. There is a coaling station at Esquimaux in British Columbia, which until last year was garrisoned by British troops, but which is now held entirely by Canadians. The British, in fact, have withdrawn their forces from Canada, and from now on the Canadians will handle their own military establishments throughout the country.

Canada has practically no defenses along the land boundary to speak of, and it is the same with the United States. According to our treaty neither country can keep more than one naval vessel at the great lakes, and this is more for police duties than for national protection. Neither country is afraid of the other, neither keeps a large military force, and the relations which now prevail there is no doubt always prevailed between the two lead to the belief that we will always have international peace.

The Canadians of the west are more in sympathy with the Americans than those of the east. Indeed, I understand there is an old Tory element there that lies awake nights trying to find excuses for rubbing the international hate the wrong way. This element is opposed to all things American. It wants a tariff wall higher than the Tower of Babel between the countries and would like to keep out Uncle Sam's nephews and nieces.—Frank G. Conner, special correspondent of the Chicago Record-Herald.

HARRIMAN BREAKS RECORD

Special Clips Ten Hours Off Frisco-Chicago Time.

New York, April 27.—E. H. Harriman's special established a new record for the run between Chicago and San Francisco. His train, consisting of a locomotive, his private car and a baggage car and two heavy coaches hauled for ballast, did the trip in 62 hours, approximately. The previous record was very close to 72 hours. Union Pacific officials did not have the exact time of their performance in minutes yesterday, the time being too precious with them for comparison; but they said that Mr. Harriman's nephew had figured it out that the record must have been beaten by ten hours.

Mr. Harriman left the city at 7:55 on Thursday morning and completed the journey from ocean to ocean in 37 hours. A report that the earthquake trend was along the line of the Southern Pacific just east of his desire to reach the coast. The first part of the journey was made in a 25-hour train to Chicago over the Pennsylvania. The remainder was over the Chicago Great Western and Redwood Canyon from Chicago the special train had a clear track and pilots were run ahead of it part of the way.

Some railroad men considered the time made by the special very hazardous for Mr. Harriman and his crew, since it showed that the train must have traveled with great speed over the last 100 miles of the trip, where the roadbed has been more or less damaged.

\$30,000 K-nora Fire.

Kenora, Ont., April 26.—The reduction works of the Dominion Gold Mining and Reduction Company were totally destroyed by fire today, the loss being about \$30,000, upon which there is no insurance.

It contained a 20-stamp cyanide and chlorination plant, but in recent years it was but little used.

The origin of the fire is a complete mystery. The property was damaged by a loan to the extent of \$20,000, when it was constructed, but it never was a paying concern.

Dawie Very Ill.
Chicago, April 26.—John Alexander Dawie is said to be suffering from myocarditis, or inflammation of the heart, and his condition is considered grave.

Mrs. Dawie visited Dawie at the Auditorium today. They held a long conversation.

CITY OF SAN JOSE ALMOST DESTROYED

5,000 Were Made Destitute and
\$8,000,000 Damage Done
to Buildings.

San Jose, Cal., April 26.—(Delayed.)

At 5:12 o'clock on the morning of April 18 the city of San Jose was practically destroyed in the business center, and more than one-half of the homes in the residence section were so damaged or destroyed that repairing will be beyond question. The property loss is more than \$8,000,000. Five thousand persons were rendered destitute and many rich and prosperous mercantile firms were reduced to beggary.

The handsome and massive brick building of the Roman Catholic Church of St. Patrick, costing more than \$150,000, situated at Santa Clara and Ninth streets, was a ruin. Two blocks away, the San Jose high school, a five-story dwelling of brick and stone, erected at a cost of \$80,000, was a pile of debris, from the top of which floated in the air a great American flag, which had formerly hung from the front wall of the assembly room at the top of the building. Further north, the Grant school, a wooden structure, capable of accommodating 1,500 pupils, was sent to the ground, a twisted and broken ruin.

It was along First, Second, Third, Market, Santa Clara and Fernandez streets that the greatest ruin was wrought. Here building after building had come toppling to the ground, and three, four and five story structures of brick, stone and iron, that had been the pride of San Jose, lay jumbled piles of debris.

In the Phelan building, at First and Post streets, Dr. De Crow, a pioneer dentist of San Jose, lost his life. His wife and another woman, Mrs. Ellen Stone, were taken from the wreck of the building barely alive.

At Santa Clara and Lightstone streets, the three-story building of the Elks was demolished, and the adjoining building on Lightstone, occupied by the San Jose Mercury, was badly wrecked.

In the wreck of the Hotel Costa Ave dead bodies were found, and seven guests were taken out seriously injured. The Martin, Liberty and Louise buildings, occupied by offices and stores, were wrecked by the shock and then the wreckage was burned by fire.

The St. James' Hotel, one of the most costly structures in the city, was saved as to the main building, but the annex, a four-story building of brick, terra cotta and stone, was so badly damaged that it had to be torn down. The Vendome Hotel annex, occupied by the St. James, was saved, and Thos. O'Toole, one of the wealthiest and best known cattlemen in the west, was crushed to death in his bed. The Hotel Menlo was destroyed, but the 40 guests escaped. At high Monterey, in Vine street, was thrown off its foundation, and an instant later caught fire, and seven guests were roasted to death in the ruins. The other fatalities in the city proper make the total of deaths nineteen.

The destitute and homeless, not only of San Jose, but several thousand from the more heavily stricken city of San Francisco, are being fed and cared for, and more than 100,000 are rounding towns. The work of removing the giant piles of debris from the streets is going on in a systematic manner.

The smallest inhabited island in the world is that on which the Eddystone lighthouse stands, for at low water it is only 20 feet in diameter. At high water the base of the lighthouse, which has a diameter of only a little over 25 feet, is completely submerged.

THREE FACTS

For Sick Women
To Consider.

First.—That almost every operation in our hospitals performed upon women becomes necessary through neglect of such symptoms as backache, irregular and painful periods, displacements of the female organs, pain in the back, burning sensation in the stomach, bearing-down pains, nervousness, dizziness and sleeplessness.

Second.—The medicine that holds the record for the largest number of absolute cures of female ills is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It regulates, strengthens and cures diseases of the female organism as nothing else can.

For thirty years it has been helping women to be strong, curing backache, nervousness, kidney troubles, inflammation of the female organs, weakness and displacements, regulating the periods perfectly and overcoming their pains. It has also proved itself invaluable in preparing for childbirth and the change of life.

Third.—The great volume of unsolicited and grateful testimonials on file at the Pinkham Laboratory at Lynn, Mass., many of which are from time to time published by permission, give absolute evidence of the value of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Mrs. Pinkham's advice.

Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation to Women.—Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to promptly communicate with Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. All letters are received, opened, read and answered by women only. From symptoms given, your trouble may be located and the quickest and surest way of recovery advised.—Mrs. Pinkham is daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham and for twenty-five years under her direction and since her decease she has been advising sick women free of charge. Out of the vast volume of experience in treating female ills Mrs. Pinkham probably has the very knowledge that will help your case. Surely, any woman, rich or poor, is very foolish if she does not take advantage of this generous offer of assistance.

Smallman & Ingram

THE WEATHER TODAY
Fair.

THE SATISFACTORY STORE

Plaid Ribbons

Special at 19c Yard

This special purchase of Plaid Silk Ribbons just recently arrived from Switzerland.

Six different color combinations to choose from. Width is 4 inches.

Make attractive sashes, hair ribbons and millinery trimmings. Special at yard....19c

New Panamas and Wool Taffetas

These came from Paris and have all that peculiar beauty of color and tone that French-dyed stuffs possess.

THE PANAMAS

are very handsome fabrics for summer or late spring dresses. And, by the way, Panamas are now almost in first place among the fashionable dress fabrics. Strong, yet light-weight, weave. Like a canvas cloth, only threads are tighter and more closely woven. Choice of light and celium Navy, reseda, olive, hunters' green, pearl gray, Alice blue, petunia, rose and that rich shade of red called American Beauty. Excellent value at yard.....\$1.00

You don't know what a good stuff you're missing if you haven't examined this

WOOL TAFFETA

A very high-grade cloth. Sturdy and strong, but light in weight. Rain won't spoil it and the dust shakes out readily. Alice blue, light navy, purple, petunia, rose, American Beauty red, pearl gray, hunters' green, dark olive and reseda. Yard.....85c

Buy the Young Miss a Parasol

Your charming young daughter will want a pretty new parasol this summer, same as you do.

If you doubt it, just let her clap her eyes on these dainty styles and, well—she won't be easily persuaded to take No for an answer.

These Children's 25c Parasols are exceptional values. To the best of our knowledge they are generally sold for 40c each. But we want to please the youngsters and will sell this lot at 25c each. They have fancy covers of checked gingham with a three-inch frill. Pink, red, mauve and blue. Each.....25c

Pretty Cotton Parasols at 75c and 85c. Daintily trimmed with frills, lace and baby ribbon. White, pink, red, blue, and combinations of white and blue, white and pink. Tassels to match. 75c and 85c. Fine values at.....

Smart little Silk Parasols, \$1.00. Prettily frilled. White, pale blue, red and pink. Enamelled sticks.

Louise Silk Parasols at \$1.50. These are little beauties. Best English frames. Fancy carved handles. White, pale blue, pink, red and navy. Excellent value at.....\$1.50

Have You Read

the May Designer? It's a very interesting and practical number. Get a copy at the Pattern Counter.....10c
Better still, a year's subscription.....50c

Galaxy of Bargains New Tailored Suits

Reason why two leading manufacturers should sell us these brand new tailored suits away below usual figures would make interesting reading, no doubt. But we'll forego the pleasure of telling it and plunge right into the MEAT OF THE OFFER at once:

FIRST—These Suits Are Designed in the Latest styles. More jaunty Eton jackets than others; though there are numbers of pony and tight-fitting modes, too. Some with natty vest effects. Full length and fashionable ¾ length sleeves. Latter predominate. Skirts are nearly all the favorite circular, or circular effects.

SECOND—Materials Are Most Fashionable. Panamas, worsteds, tweeds, homespun, serges, woolen crases and broadcloths.

THIRD—Trimnings Are Pretty Braids, Silks, cloth and fancy gilt buttons, etc.

FOURTH—Colors Are the Much Wanted Light and dark grays, navy, fawn, olive and myrtle.

FIFTH—The Values Are Extraordinary. Just a few examples to prove it:

\$25.00 Suits for \$16.75	\$30.00 Suits for \$21.00
\$20.00 Suits for \$14.50	\$18.00 Suits for \$12.50
\$21.00 Suits for \$15.00	\$14.00 Suits for \$10.00
\$12.50 Suits for \$8.50	

On sale now. See display in center window.

New Curtain Muslins

Although this shipment was somewhat late in arriving, still, it is in time for the great majority of our customers to choose new window drapes before completing the spring renovating process.

A large choice of carefully-selected designs. Qualities are high grade. Goods were bought from one of the best manufacturers in Great Britain.

Prices are very moderate. 12½c to 30c yd.

Dainty Spotted and Figured Muslins, Indeed

These are so dainty that they are selling readily for waists. Many new designs. One edge of these goods is overstitched, which gives a neat finish and relieves the housekeeper of the trouble of hiding the selvage edge; 38 inches wide. Yard.....15c and 20c

Fine Quality Muslins

45 inches wide. Combinations of stripes and small figured designs. Bedroom and sash curtains. Also make chic waists. Fine quality; at a yard.....30c

Scotch Lappet Muslins

With border on either side, 30 in. or 48 in. Just the thing for bedroom or kitchen curtains and all kinds of sash curtains. Merely, a yard.....12½c and 15c

Broche Muslins

These are very popular; 48 inches wide; white and ecru. Very effective designs for various kinds of curtains, bedspreads, screen fillings, etc. Just a yard.....20c

White Muslin Frilling

Overlooked stitched edge. Very serviceable, frilling all ready to sew on; 3 inches wide, 7 1-2c; 4 in. at 8c; 5 in. at 8 1-2c

Colored Moresque

Muslin—Dainty and Effective, blue, pink and gold. Very handsome for bedroom curtains. 30 IN. WIDE, in small designs.....15c
Per yard.....

30 IN. WIDE, in Lappet Muslins. Something new. Small and neat patterns. Per yard.....20c

48 IN. WIDE, in very striking designs. Per yard.....22c and 25c

Muslin Frilling With

Colored Overworked Edges, 2 1-2 and 3 inches wide. Colors to match. Moresque styles. Per yard.....10c
but.....

DRAPERY DEPT. SECOND FLOOR.

Housemaids' Gloves

Just the articles to wear on the hands and protect them from the knocks and dirt of housecleaning time. Use them for sweeping, dusting, cleaning stoves and general household work. Also gardening. Made of good-wearing Canton flannel. With cuff. Wash them when dirty. Only, per.....12c

CHAMOIS LEATHER GLOVES

Washable also. Pair.....25c

GLOVINE—THE GREAT

GLOVE CLEANER. Also cleans silks, velvets, white shoes, etc., beautifully. Scarcely any odor. Bottle.....25c

Three Enticing Values in White Lawn Waists

These are decidedly attractive styles, and should please the summer girl.

Quality of lawn is good, and they are neatly made and finished.

If we read price tickets aright, they say: "Rapid sellers." THE FIRST STYLE shows a front prettily trimmed with hemstitched tucks. Large full sleeves with tucked cuffs. This is only.....69c

SECOND displays a front of a combination of tucks and dainty embroidery insertion. Buttoned cuffs. Very good value at.....75c

THIRD has both small and large tucks and three rows of embroidery insertion in front. Deep cuffs are also tucked. Tucked back. Fine buying at.....89c

Pretty New Nainsook Gown

This is another new style added this week to our already large collection of white gowns.

It is made of excellent quality nainsook. Marguerite style. Low neck with beading, baby ribbon ties and narrow edging of lace. Pretty lace yoke. Good, full sizes. Pleasantly priced at.....\$1.50

Smallman & Ingram

149, 151, 153 and 155
Dundas Street

Piles
To prove to you that Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and absolute cure for each and every form of itching, bleeding and protruding piles, the manufacturer has generously donated a large quantity of the ointment to the daily press and asks your neighbor, how what they think of it. You can use it and get your money back if you are not cured. Write to all dealers of KEMMELSON, BATES & CO., Toronto.

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TRANSIENT CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS—NO ADVERTISEMENTS LESS THAN TEN CENTS.

MEETINGS—When no admission is charged, one cent per word each insertion. **ARTICLES FOR SALE**—To LET—HELP WANTED, SITUATIONS WANTED, BOARD AND LODGINGS, LOST AND FOUND, ROOMS TO LET, REAL ESTATE FOR SALE, ETC., each advertisement, one-half cent per word. No advertisement less than ten cents.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS.

DEATHS.
McLENNAN—At Stratford, on April 25, 1906. Murdoch McLennan, beloved husband of Agnes McLennan, aged 40 years and 9 months.
Funeral from his late residence, 40 King street, this city, on Saturday, April 28, at 3 p.m.; service at 2:30. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Woodland Cemetery.

BALLMONT—In this city, on April 24, 1906. Christopher Ballmont, father of William H. Ballmont, president of Carlton College, Northfield, Minn., and John D. Ballmont, of Chicago.
Funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, from Smith, Son & Clarke's undertaking parlors, Dundas street, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery, service at 2:30.

KENT—At Douglas, Man., on Monday, April 23, 1906. Charles Frederick, youngest son of the late Sextus Kent, of Wingham, Ont., aged 54 years.
POPE—In this city, on April 26, 1906. William Francis Pope, beloved husband of Wilhelmina Pope, deceased, of Carlton College, Northfield, Minn., and John D. Ballmont, of Chicago.
Funeral from his late residence, No. 7 Oxford street, on Saturday, April 28, at 3 p.m.; service at 2:30. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Woodland Cemetery.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

BENNETT'S
Last Week
of the season.
BEST BILL OF THE YEAR.

EXCURSIONS.

To the Old Country. Secure tickets at once and obtain quotations at F. B. Clarke's, Richmond street, next Bank of Commerce.

ENGLAND, SCOTLAND, IRELAND—Fullest and best ships represented at F. B. Clarke's, Richmond street, next Bank of Commerce.

"EPHESIANS" and "MATTHEW"—By Norman H. Camp, St. Andrew's Sunday school building, May 1 to 5.

SERVICE OF PRAISE—St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Monday evening next, April 30, 8 o'clock. The choir and soloists of the church will be assisted by Emma Brewer, contralto; Samuel I. Slade, basso, soloists of Woodward Avenue Presbyterian Church, Detroit, and the Imperial Male Quartet, Charles E. Wheeler, organist. Rev. Dr. Ross presiding. A silver collection of not less than 10 cents from each person taken at the doors.

REV. F. STEVEN—Friday evening, Christian Workers' Church, Stereopticon views of China. Admission free. Collection.

DANCING—ADVANCED CLASS EVERY Wednesday evening. Special rate for balance of season. Call or phone 1774. Dayton & McCormick.

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING—By R. B. Millard, Waltz, two-step. Lessons any hour. Residence and academy, 346 Princess avenue.

LONDON MINERAL BATHS—NEW baths now open. Everything new.

62 PUPILS ATTENDED LONDON CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC last year. Barron hears all pupils play, and gives reports.

CHOICEST MUSIC FURNISHED for private parties, balls, banquets, etc. Telephone 1255. Tony Villa's Italian Harpers, 122 Queen's avenue.

TONY CORTESE—THE ORIGINAL London Harpers. Music furnished for all occasions. 161 Maple street. Telephone 1570.

MEETINGS.
BOARD OF TRADE—THE ANNUAL meeting of the Board of Trade will be held Friday, 27th inst., at 3 p.m. Report of power delegation, election of officers and committee, annual reports and financial statement, and other important business. Arthur W. White, president; J. A. Nelles, secretary.

LONDON COUNCIL, No. 238 ROYAL Academy, will meet this Friday evening at 8 o'clock, in Duffield block. Samuel M. Jepson, secretary.

REGULAR CONVOCACTION OF ST. GEORGE'S R.A. Chapter, No. 5, in the Masonic Temple, this Friday evening, at 8 o'clock. General business. Visitors welcome. W. Spittal, Scribe E. Dr. R. W. Shaw, Z.

LOST AND FOUND.
LOST—WHITE BULL-TERRIER PUPPY. black spot on back. Reward, Hotel Bayview.

LOST—SMALL LEATHER CIGAR case, containing book. Finder call on David Mairs, 435 Ridout street.

DOG LOST IN NORTHERN PART OF city, black cocker spaniel. Reward at 445 Adelaide street.

FOUND—FOXHOUND. OWNER may have same by applying at Metropolitan Hotel.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.
FOR SALE, CHEAP—LOTS ON FORWARD avenue, Kensington Heights, high and dry, beautiful view, twelve minutes' walk from market, small monthly payments. Call Dr. Wilson, corner Talbot and Dundas.

FACTORY SITE, No. 81 CLARENCE street, free soft water; power supplied at 38 per horse power per annum, up to 300-h.p. The London Soap Company.

FOR SALE—FIVE ACRES LAND, seven-roomed brick house, good repair; new barn, 6000 orchard, 25 minutes' walk from market; will sell cheap, owners leaving. Apply No. 138 Dundas street, Tel. 1213.

FOR SALE OR RENT—NEW BRICK house, on Colborne street, near St. James. Apply 400 St. James street. St.

TO LEASE OR SELL—BEAUTIFUL home, every convenience, up to May 1; also cottages. Full particulars at 413 King street.

DUNDAS STREET, NEAR WILLIAM street—Brick two-story and 413 bed-rooms, double parlors, dining-room, kitchen and summer kitchen, all conveniences; fruit trees; lot 40x220 feet. Thomas C. Knott, Room 101, Masonic Temple.

FOR SALE—TEN LOTS IN NEW SUBURB, near Fraser Heights. Lot 10x120, 875 to 800 each. J. F. Suggs, 112 Masonic Temple.

MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—DRUG CLERK, IMPROVER of one or two years' experience. Apply immediately. R. A. Mitchell, 114 Dundas street, London.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, AGED 14 to 16 years, to learn the fur business; references required. Apply at once, John Marshall & Co., 88 to 90 Dundas street.

BARKER WANTED, APPLY E. DUNN opposite Normal School.

WANTED—IMPROVER, TO WORK ON ice cream and cake. Apply The Nasmith Company, Limited, Stratford, Ont. 12c

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WITH SOME experience in the drug business. Apply to C. McCallum & Co. 12c

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, AS WAITER, Apply The Steward, London Club. 11c

WANTED—BOY WITH WHEEL, To carry parcels, \$3 per week. Apply Ashland's shoe store. 12c

CYLINDER PRESSEDEER WANTED, Laiding & Jones, Clarence street. 11c

WOODWORKERS OR MILLWRIGHTS for the building machine erecting, boy for young men for sheet iron shop. The George White & Sons Company, Limited, King, Toronto. 6c

WANTED AT ONCE—YOUNG MAN to learn general store business; references required. Address W. H. H. Elmville, 11c

WANTED—EXPERIENCED PAINTER and paperhanger; young man preferred. Apply, stating wages expected, to J. H. Mullen, Dorchester. 11c

WANTED—MEN AND BOYS FOR PACKING, bricklaying, plastering, three best trades, U.S. & Government employ; graduates, union cards guaranteed; catalogue free. Coyne Bros., Trade School, New York, Chicago, St. Louis. 6c

WANTED—MTN AND BOYS FOR FACTORY. Apply to The McCormick Manufacturing Company. 9c

YOUNG MEN WANTED TO LEARN telegraphy and quality for position on Canadian railways. Forty to sixty dollars per month. Positions secured. Dominion School of Telegraphy and Radio, Toronto. 11c

APPRENTICE WANTED FOR LITHO-GRAPHING. Lawson & Jones. 11c

SALESMEN WANTED FOR AUTO-SPRAY, best compressed air hand-sprayer, liberal terms; sample machine free approved. Cavers Bros., Galt, Ont. 4c

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT, AP-PLY Grigg House. 12c

WANTED—FANCY IRONERS, PLAIN ironers and starchers. Parliam Steam Laundry Company of Ontario, Ltd. 11c

LAUNDRESSES WANTED, APPLY AT once, Victoria Hospital. 11c

DRESSMAKERS, SKIRT AND WAIST hands, at Miss Hopper's, 473 Dufferin street. 11c

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT, AP-PLY over Mrs. Bluthner, 367 Dundas street. 10c

GENERAL SERVANT—HOUSE CLEAN-ING over Mrs. Bluthner, 367 Dundas street. 10c

YOUNG GIRL FOR GENERAL household; house cleaning done. Apply Mrs. William D. Mills, 461 Princess avenue. 10c

WANTED—A GENERAL SERVANT, family of three, no washing. Apply 262 Central avenue. 10c

GOOD SKIRT, COAT AND WAIST makers wanted. Smallman & Ingram. 7c

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—GOOD GIRL for small family; references required; no housecleaning; high wages. Apply evenings, 474 Colborne street. 6c

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GENERAL servant, high wages; laundry work. Apply Mrs. Gunn, 138 Kent street. 6c

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GENERAL servant, family of two. Apply 262 Piccadilly street. 6c

GOOD COOK WANTED, APPLY MRS. T. H. Smallman, Waverly, South London. 4c

COOK, HOUSEKEEPER, GENERAL servant, no night work, wanted. Apply Mrs. Payne, Intelligence Office, 366 Dundas street. Phone 1570.

WANTED—GOOD COOK, FAMILY OF three; no laundry work; \$12. Apply Mrs. Furness, 662 Talbot street. 6c

HELP WANTED.
CANVASSERS WANTED FOR ST. THOMAS and Woodstock. No delivery. Collecting, salary or commission. Apply 362 Clarence street, London.

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LONDON, FRIDAY, APRIL 27, 1906.

San Francisco.

"How many architects and draughtsmen can you furnish us, and how quickly can they leave for San Francisco?" This telegram from the mayor of San Francisco to the mayor of New York reflects the buoyant spirit of the stricken people, and sounds the keynote of the future. Probably a fairer city, purged of such plague-spots as Chinatown and the "Barbary Coast," will rise from the ashes. The phoenix is already spreading its wings. This lesson of hope and confidence has been taught by appalling catastrophes in other cities—Chicago, Charleston, Galveston and Baltimore, to name a few in recent times. The city of Lisbon, greater than ever, stands where it stood in 1755, when the earthquake killed 40,000 people. Two thousand years of volcanic activity have not driven mankind from the slopes of Vesuvius. To return to modern instances, the city of Galveston was overwhelmed by a tidal wave, but a more substantial city sprang up on the sands, secured against the invading sea by engineering science; and the city of Charleston, partly destroyed by earthquake, still thrives and prospers. Chicago is bad enough, but it is a much better city because the flames swept away many of its rickety structures thirty-five years ago. Baltimore is also fair because of its baptism by fire. So will San Francisco be, if it heeds the teachings of disaster.

The destruction of property caused directly by the earthquake was small compared with the ravages of the holocaust. The shocks severed the water supply and prevented effective fighting of the fires which sprang up. Blocks of ramshackle tenement houses adjoining the business district were an easy prey for the flames, and there were not sufficient open spaces, in spite of the dynamiting of rows of buildings, to check the march of the conflagration in any direction. Only a fortunate change of wind saved the sections of the city now untouched. One result will be that a better class of houses will replace the burned-down tenements and in the business districts a more stable type of building, contrived to withstand seismic disturbances as far as possible, will be generally introduced. It is likely also that more open spaces, to be utilized as parks or playgrounds, will be distributed among the congested quarters of the city to serve as fire-breaks. Thus evil will be over-ruled for good, and the beautiful city standing at the portals of a continent will continue to play the great part in the destinies of the Pacific and the Orient for which nature has evidently designed her.

Fruit in Manitoba.

Manitoba may yet develop into a very fair fruit country. This is the verdict of officers of the Canadian Department of Agriculture, after years of careful research and experiment. At Brandon, the other evening, Mr. H. L. Patmore told the Forestry and Horticultural Society that while the extremes of climate in Manitoba make it impossible to grow varieties of apples common in Ontario, it is possible, by procuring hardy trees and allowing them to become acclimated, to have exceedingly good crops. The fruit produced, indeed, is claimed to be, for color and quality, unequalled in any other climate. It has, of course, been long known that currants, gooseberries and raspberries can be grown without trouble in Manitoba; but so far the toothsome strawberry has not been successfully cultivated. The enthusiastic horticulturist does not despair, however, that some day the right plant will be found and secured. Great faith may be placed in the fruit-growing properties of this Northland. It must not be forgotten that in the early days many people thought that the peach belt did not extend north of Rochester, N. Y., but we now know that the finest peaches on the continent are grown on the Niagara peninsula of our province, and in this most favored Western Ontario. Then it was thought at one time that fruit could not be grown in the region of the Georgian Bay. We, however, now raise the finest plums there, as well as apples, strawberries, and all bush fruit. And so as Manitoba grows in settlement and development, and the horticultural instinct is fostered in the progressive toilers on her fertile plains, we may expect to see the new province producing an ever-increasing quantity of the fruit she requires. The same view holds good, to a considerable extent, of Saskatchewan and Alberta. Meanwhile, for a consideration, the fruit-growers of Ontario will be glad to supply their wants as becometh brethren.

The Three-Fifths Clause.

Mr. Ross divided the Legislature yesterday on the three-fifths clause of the Government's license bill, but his amendment to make the local option law effective by a bare majority vote was rejected by 64 to 21. When men like Mr. Crawford, of West Toronto, who has made a life-long profession of prohibition principles, are found voting to cripple the local option movement, the temperance organizations may well question the strength of a sentiment which legislators feel they can flout with impunity.

The majority principle in local option legislation has stood in this Province for fifty years. In every State of the Union, also, which has a local option law—few have not—a bare majority governs. The introduction of the three-fifths rule in this Province by the present Government was a surprise to the public, and was undoubtedly designed to check the growing strength of the local option agitation. It is only fair to bear in mind, however, that the Government is repudiating no pledges. Mr. Whitney, unlike Mr. Ross, stood on no definite temperance platform, when he appealed to the electors. The convention of his party refused to lay down any temperance plank, and the friends of the temperance cause had fair warning that they had nothing to expect from a victory of the Conservative party. Many of the militant temperance people, probably the great majority of them, helped to overthrow the Ross Government. Just as they had no reason to hope for favors from the Conservative party, so they have no reason to complain because that party has chosen to favor the liquor interests. The Government evidently believes that it will suffer no severe penalty at the hands of its temperance supporters, and the conduct of so-called temperance members like Mr. Crawford confirms the impression.

The announcement of the Minister of Mines that anthracite has been found in New Ontario belongs to that class of information which is "important if true."

The splendid outburst of sympathy for the 'Frisco sufferers is matched by their buoyancy and energy of spirit.

The Canadian West may have its snowfalls, but its volcanoes have stopped working.

The Whitney Government's majority rose to 43 when the House divided on an Opposition temperance amendment. And yet some good temperance folks wonder why they can't have prohibition.

Thirteen thousand military veterans have applied to date for land grants in New Ontario. The land grant legislation has proved expensive, but it demonstrated the existence in this Province of a great martial population.

Dr. Pyne slanders the school system of Ontario when he says that Canadian banks had to go abroad to find competent junior clerks. The fact is that competent young Canadians would not look at the salary—50 a year—offered by the bank which advertised for help in the old country.

Trouble in the Studio.

The wailing infant had upset the photographer's chair, kicked a hole in the paper rocks and made faces at the little bird, which is supposed to bring a smile to all youngsters, when they are having their pictures taken. "Isn't he too cute for anything?" chirped the proud mother. "And just to think I call him 'Tootsie.'"

"Tootsie," grunted the impatient photographer. "H'm! I'd call him Cod-liver Oil."

"Why so, sir?"

"Because he's so hard to take."

At a Disadvantage.
[Cleveland Plain Dealer.]
"Yes, I went out and threw the ball around a little with the boys on the back lot. Got an awful bruising stinger on my right thumb. Never saw my wife so mad."

Chicago and San Francisco.
[Hamilton Times.]
Chicago has got its nose put out of joint. The Chicago fire and Mrs. Leary's cow have been the record for so long in the conflagration line that it believed it could not be beaten. Now here comes the San Francisco blaze that makes the historical Chicago fire look like a chimney affair. The Chronicle says: "The population of San Francisco in 1890 was 234,732, and the population of Chicago in 1870 was 298,987. The area of the Chicago fire of 1871 was three and a half square

miles, and the area of the San Francisco fire is already eight square miles. The Chicago fire rendered 23,500 people and the San Francisco fire 150,000 people homeless. In the Chicago fire 200 people and in the San Francisco fire perhaps 1,000 people lost their lives. The Chicago fire has ceased to be the record.

Spring.

[Sam Kiser.]
[After Tenneyson, but not immediately.]
Now rings the woodland loud and long,
The distance takes a lovelier tone.
The mover wrecks a bed or two,
And utters language loud and strong.

Now dance the lights on lawn and lea,
The flocks are whiter down the vale,
And day by day the northeast gale
Engenders wicked thoughts in me.

The Discoverer of Radium.

[Montreal Herald.]
If somebody had to slip on a Paris pavement, to run over, and die, there are many in that city whom the world could better spare than Professor Curie, the discoverer of radium. The decease of Providence did not admit of appeal, however, and doubtless there are thousands of scientists who feel that if their title to fame was as secure as his the fates might snap their shoers whenever they felt like it. Professor Curie was born in Paris in 1859, and became a professor of chemistry in 1895, in which year, also, he met Marie Sklodowska, a Polish girl, as her name indicates, herself a mathematician and on the way to become a scientist of renown. They were married, and by pooling their intellects became the discoverers of hitherto unknown elements, of which radium was the latest and most noteworthy. Everything the scientific world could do to honor the man and his wife who made the discoveries, which admittedly point the way to further revelations of the most tremendous import, has been done. Scientists are too matter of fact, as a rule, to wish to die, like Mirabeau, at the height of their renown, for with them the most they can do is but the beginning of what can be done. If Curie did envy such a passing, he has had it.

San Francisco.

[Sam E. Kiser, in Chicago Record.]
They will build it well, they will build it strong;
Its streets the children of men will throng;
It will be superb with its lofty domes,
And its marble halls and its stately
Ran never home can it ever be
The city I journeyed far to see.

They will make it great, they will make it fair,
And fortune-seekers will gather there.
Its wharves will call to the wide world's fleets,
And traffic will roar through its hand-some streets.

But the hands of men can never restore
The far-famed city that is no more.
They will leave no trace on its flames-wreathed hills,
Of the twisted beams or the blackened
sills.

And over the hallowed where lies dead
The realm of beautiful trade will spread;
But however they build and whatever the cost,
They can never give back what the world
has lost.

They will build with hope, they will build with pride,
They will build it long, they will build it wide;
With quenchless courage and splendid
zeal
They will build a marvel of stone and steel;
But the city that stood by the wide blue
bay
Forever and ever is swept away!

They will build it strong, they will build it great,
And a greater city than that which fell
Will gleam on the hills that are desolate,
And riches will stream through its Golden
Gate;

But no man ever again may see
The city that was and has ceased to be!

Johanne Knew Better Than That.

[Milwaukee Sentinel.]
"I was just having a little business chat with your sister," said Mr. Williboy.

"Aw, that don't go with me," retorted little Johanne, "when sister talks business with a guy she always takes him in the conservatory."

How to Predict Safety.

[Washington Star.]
"When in doubt," said the weather expert, "always prophesy bad weather."

"What for?" asked the young man who is learning the business.

"Because if it turns out to be correct people commend your accuracy and if it's wrong their minds are so relieved that they don't find any fault."

The Easter Bride.

[Philadelphia Bulletin.]
Here's the old superstition which the Easter bride, who fortunately is always married in white, may take for what it is worth.

Married in gray, you will go far away.
Married in black, you will wish yourself back.
Married in brown, you will live out of town.
Married in red, you will wish yourself dead.

Married in pearl, you may live in a whirl.
Married in green, ashamed to be seen.
Married in yellow, ashamed of your fellow.
Married in blue, he will always be true.

Married in pink, your spirits will sink.
Married in white, you have chosen aright.

Giraffes Tangle Telegraph Wires.

[Bulawayo Chronicle.]
There has been a temporary interruption in the telegraph service on the Victoria Falls line. It appears that a herd of giraffes, became entangled by their necks in the wires at Inyanga, 136 miles from Bulawayo, and pulled about a mile down, breaking three of the iron poles.

The telegraph lineman was, fortunately, near at hand, and communication was interrupted only for a few hours. This is about the third time since the opening of the Falls line that similar interruptions have occurred. In two cases elephants were responsible.

CANADA BEATS THE WORLD

[From the Ottawa Free Press.]

Canada has today the biggest railway mileage compared to population of any country in the world. There is at present constructed and in operation one mile of railway to 290 inhabitants. The United States with all its progress in railway building has but one mile of railway to 378 people; France one mile to 1,317 people; Germany, one mile to 1,818 people; Great Britain, one mile to 1,850 people; Russia one mile to every 3,400 people.

These interesting statistics, compiled for the Engineering Journal of Canada, show that railway building must take rank as Canada's greatest constructional problem.

The first railway built in Canada, says the Engineering Journal, was the St. Lawrence and Champlain; rails of wood with spiked strips of iron, opened in 1836. And in those days the optimistic "tour" who predicted that Canada, in exactly the lifetime of one man, 70 years, would have built and manned 20,691 miles of modern railway, would have been put in Canada's first lunatic asylum.

In 1861—just a quarter of a century ago—Canada had 1,800 miles of railway, carrying 1,825,000 passengers, 1,459,446 tons of freight and earning an aggregate of \$6,722,860 on a paid-up capital of \$28,273,986. On June 30, 1905, there was 29,591 miles of railway in Canada, including double trackage, being an increase of nearly 1,600 miles over 1904.

Add to this 3,622 miles of sidings, and it is possible to see how Canadian railways for the year 1904-5, carried 25,788,723 passengers; freight, 50,899,957 tons, earning in gross \$106,467,159 on a paid-up capital of \$1,248,866,414. In less than 27 years the mileage has increased 1,500 per cent; passenger traffic, 1,440 per cent; freight, 3,400 per cent.

It is easily seen on what class of traffic Canadian roads have had this remarkable expansion; not on the passenger train, the parlor car and the sleeper, but in the box car, the flat car and the hopper. Canadian passenger traffic represents in some sections a dead loss, in others is a mere feeder for freight traffic. Freight tonnage on an average for 25 years has increased 136 per cent a year over 1861.

POEMS THAT LIVE

The Gude-Wife

[James Linen.]
I feel I'm growing auld, gude-wife,
I feel I'm growing auld, gude-wife,
My steps are frail, my eel are bleared,
My pow is unco bauld.
I've seen the snaws come pursecure years
O'er hill and meadow fair,
And, blinlie, were it no for you,
I'd gladly slip awa'.

ARTIFICIAL GEM BETRAYS ITSELF

No Matter How Perfect, It Lacks Sympathetic Attraction for Human Mate.

Paris, April 27.—Science has come to the conclusion to deny that the belief that precious stones have a peculiar sympathy with human character and bearing thereon is no idle superstition. A professor of the Conservatory of Arts and Crafts says that the mutual attraction of people and stones is beyond dispute.

He throws cold water on the belief that sapphires can open prison doors or that diamonds make brave men invulnerable. But after three years' experimental observation he maintains that a preference for certain jewels indicates certain temperamental qualities and even characteristics of physiognomy.

For instance, the ruby invariably attracts people of dark eyes with long eyelashes.

The diamond tempts the blue-eyed who boast long lashes.

And both blonde and brunette alike if of a nervous temperament yearn for emeralds.

Easy-going natures fall under the spell of blue stones.

But more than all these scientific facts is the discovery that the sympathy of the stone is a sure test of its genuineness. No matter how perfect artificial stones may be, even those made from the dust of the real having undergone an unnatural crystallization they do not possess the subtle sympathetic attraction. When an easy-going woman turns the cold shoulder on a turquoise collar, you may be positive the turquoise is artificial.

As it is the fashion in Spain, like most continental countries, for the bride to supply all the household linen, Princess Henry of Battenberg has given a large order to an Irish firm for the drapery and linen necessary. Very beautiful it will be, and the marking is to be done by Irish peasant women, who are noted for the extreme beauty of their embroideries.

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organs to attend at the castle to discuss the different political issues of the day.

J. H. CHAPMAN & CO

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35 pieces Stylish Spring Tweeds, etamines, voiles, taffeta cloths, etc., etc. In nobby check, plain and stripe effects—liberal showing of fashionable grays and light shades, widths 42 and 44 inches wide. Worth 40c, 45c and 50c yard. On sale Saturday 25c ya. l.

35c 50 pieces Ultra-Fashionable Dress Goods, including tweeds, mohairs, etamines, serges and prunella cloths, in wide variety of leading shades, suitable for sheets, etc., shirtwaist dresses and skirts. Worth fully 50c, 65c and 75c yard. Special for Saturday selling 35c yard.

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These offerings demonstrate in no unmistakable manner, both the price and the style advantage of buying in this section.

Wash waists are indispensable, especially in view of the general use of coat and Eton suits. When you must have waists, why not buy where a saving may be made.

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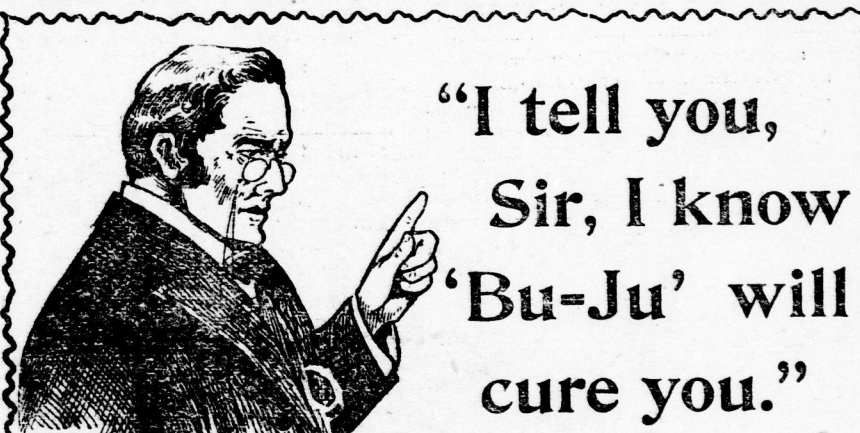
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Her Hidden Destiny

"Take away those flowers," she said, pointing to the glassed basket in which the stephanotis was.

The man obeyed, and as the door closed after him, Lord Keith said, in a surprised tone:

"I thought you were fond of stephanotis, Barbara."

"The smell makes me feel faint," she replied, bending over the tea tray and pouring out his tea with much deliberation, measuring out the sugar and cream as if their quantity were a matter of extreme moment.

Anything, anything, the girl was saying in the depths of her anguished heart—anything to delay the recital which must give them both so much pain! She carried the tea to him and stood beside him as he drank it, very pale and grave now; the light was dying out of her eyes, the fever of excitement was departing; the hand with which she had given him the tea had been hot and burning, that which she held out for the empty cup was cold and clammy as that of a corpse.

"Will you have some more?" she said abruptly.

"My dearest child, did you ever see me take two cups of tea?" he queried in reply.

She made no further remark, but, turning away, put the empty cup on the silver tray, stood beside the table for a moment, then went back to his side and sank down on the cushions at his feet, and lying her head against his feet, and his shoulder.

He put his arm around her with a protecting tenderness which became him so well, and there was silence for a time.

How could she tell him? How could she tell him? The girl thought, as she crouched there in the freight, her heart fainting within her at the thought of his suffering and anger. She could not do it! Again and again she tried to speak, but words failed her, a lump rose in her throat, a film passed over her eyes.

Lord Elsdale's gentleness that morning, the sympathy with which he had listened to her story, the affection with which he had taken her up to his arms, and pressed his trembling hand upon her head, and told her that whatever her birth, she was still his loved and adopted child, had cheered and strengthened her greatly, but the cheerfulness and strength were dying away now—she felt weak and helpless.

Lord Keith was tired enough to make the repose and softness of the warm and fragrant room grateful to him as he leaned back on the cushions of the great arm-chair, his arms thrown round Barbara, the girl's beautiful head resting against him. He had forgotten that she had anything painful to tell him, and had given himself up wholly to the repose and peace of the moment.

"I am afraid I am not very sociable, love," the young man said presently. "You must forgive me, for I am very tired this evening. By the bye, Lord Elcheveley gave me ever so many messages for you, Barbara. I am almost inclined to be jealous."

"Are you?" she questioned, hardly knowing what she said or taking in the meaning of his words, as she sat drooping against his shoulder, her eyes closed, her lips colorless and pinched.

"Yes—or rather, I should be if you were not mine and I had not perfect faith in you."

"Then you have perfect faith in me?" she asked, forcing a smile.

"You know I have, my dearest."

"Then I will try to justify that faith," she said gravely, and steadily; and in the silence that followed she tried to collect her thoughts to tell him the story she had herself heard from the lips of the man who so short a time after lay dead on the very spot where he had told it to her, to tell him what she felt would separate them forever! How could she do it? Not there in his arms, with his head on his breast, her hand in his strong, tender clasp! Not there—not there—she bowed her head from his slowly, she half disengaged herself from his fond embrace; she raised her aching head, then her strength failed her, and, weeping bitterly, she sunk upon his shoulder.

Everard let the tears have their way. He had noticed the strange, unusual agitation under which she had been laboring, and had ascribed it to the excitement of the dreadful event at Darley; he was wise enough to feel that the tears would be a relief. He did not know the girl was weeping over the death of her brightest hopes and of her love, mourning them as lost forever.

Bitter as they were, the tears brought great and merciful relief with them, easing both the overburdened heart and brain; and, when at last they ceased, the sobs dying away into long sighs, Barbara was stronger, better prepared for the ordeal which was before her.

"My poor little darling," Lord Keith said, tenderly, "I am so grieved for you."

She raised her eyes to his with a sudden, yearning look.

"Forgive me for distressing you, Everard," she said, "I bear with me for a few moments, and I will tell you what must be told."

"Are you well enough, dear? Let it

wait until tomorrow, or until later tonight," he urged, alarmed at the deadly pallor and troubled to see her suffering.

"Let me tell you now, while I have strength to do so," she answered, feebly, "it is so hard to tell."

She added, raising her tiny trembling hands to her burning eyes for a moment, "that I don't quite know how to begin. But you will not interrupt me, will you, Everard? You will hear me patiently to the end, will you not? And you will let me tell it in my own way, no matter how stupid a way it is?"

"I will not interrupt you, darling," he replied, smiling, anxious only to soothe her, not dreaming what she had to tell, "and I will hear you to the end. You shall do full justice to your talent as a raconteur; but is it necessary that you should keep me at arm's length, Barbara? Come back to your old seat, love," he added, fondly drawing her down to the cushions again, for she had risen.

After a moment's hesitation, she yielded and sat down; but she did not rest her head against him as before, and her hand lay cold and unresponsive in his. He watched her tenderly and anxiously, thinking how lovely she was even then, when she was so pale, and when her eyes were so dim and heavy with unshed tears.

"Do you remember once long ago in Italy," the girl began tremulously, "how we sat in our rooms at Rome and found me reading by the firelight?"

"Reading and crying over your book," he replied, smiling. "I remember it perfectly, Barbara; you had on a pink gown, with great Etruscan bands about your throat, and you looked very beautiful with the tears in your eyes."

"Did I?" she said wistfully. "Shall I tell you what I was reading?" she continued. "I refused then, you know; I had no particular reason, only that I thought I could vex you a little by refusing. I will tell you now."

"What was it, love?" he asked, smiling a little, yet touched by her earnestness.

"It was a poem by Robert Buchanan," she answered, her troubled eyes leaving his face and going to the fire. "Have you ever read it, I wonder? It is called 'Jane Lewson'."

"Jane Lewson?" No, I have not read it. I do not think I have read any of his poems. Is it so touching, sweet?"

"I think it would break my heart, to read it now," the girl returned tremulously, her head sinking forward upon her breast, her voice breaking pitifully.

"Then you shall not read it again," he declared. "What is it about, dear?"

"It is a story—a story of a pitiful little story," Barbara answered, speaking with the firelight on her pallid face— "of three sisters living together in a grim, terrible house, terrible not because of poverty, though they are poor, but because there is little love there, and what little there is finds no expression—it is subdued. When I say that they were poor," the girl continued, "I do not mean that they were so poor that they lacked the necessities of life, or anything of that kind, but that they were not rich; they had suffered for all their simple wants, and might have been happy, I suppose, had they been chosen."

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"Why do you say 'poor girl,' dear?"

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Chinamen Came Out of Underground Burrows Like Rats Maddened With Fear.

San Francisco, April 27. — Of the scenes that marked the transformation of this, the gayest, the most carefree city on the continent into a wreck and a hell, it is hard to write. That the day started with a blind, general panic goes without saying. People woke up with a start to find themselves floundering on the floor. In such an earthquake as this it is human instinct to get out of doors, away from falling walls. They stumbled across the floors of their heaving houses to find that even the good earth upon which they placed their reliance was away and rising and falling, so that the sidewalks cracked and great rents opened in the ground. The three minutes which followed were a eternity of terror. We learn here of at least two people who died of pure fright in that three minutes when there seemed no help on earth or heaven. There was a roar like a great burst of thunder, and from all about came the crash of falling walls. It died down at last, leaving the earth quaking and quivering like jelly. Men would run forward, stop as another shock, which might be greater any moment, seemed to take the earth from under their feet, and throw themselves face downward on the ground in a perfect agony of fear. It seemed to be two or three minutes after the great shock was felt before the people found their voices. There followed the screaming of women, beside themselves with terror, and the cries of men. With one impulse people made for the parks as far as possible from falling walls. These speedily became packed with people, in their nightgowns, who screamed and moaned at the little shocks which followed every few minutes. The dawn was just breaking, but there was no other light, as the gas and electric mains were gone, and the street lamps were all out. But when a light came, white there came a light from the east, the burning warehouse district. The brave men, with no families to watch over, struck out to help. They were in the early morning, light able to see the business district of the city burning before them. From every direction came the fire engines, called for from the outlying districts by the faint for all their simple wants, and might have been happy, I suppose, had they been chosen."

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National Guard of California, when they were mustered and called out later in the day. And all this time, and clear up until noon, the earth was shaking with little tremors, many of which brought down walls and chimneys. At each of these the rescuers, even the firemen, would stop for a moment, paralyzed. The big clock shook, the breakfast after the big one, drove even those who had determined to stay by the stricken city to look for means of escape by water.

ANTHRACITE SITUATION

President Mitchell Out With Two New Propositions.

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., April 26. — The anthracite miners will hold a convention at Scranton next Thursday in order to take action upon the reply of the operators, if any, to two propositions submitted to President Baer and his associates today.

The decision to call a convention of the miners of the three districts was reached at a meeting of the general anthracite scale committee held here today.

President Mitchell tonight made public two propositions, together with a request for another joint conference submitted by the miners' scale committee to President Baer and his associates.

The first proposition asks for an increase in wages ranging from 5 to 15 per cent, according to the wages on record.

The second proposition asks for an advance equal to 10 cents per ton upon the total production of coal, to be added to the wages of employees and apportioned in such percentage as may be agreed upon.

The committee of the international exhibition, which is to be held at Milan this year, will probably organize a lottery, the first prize of which will be \$250,000.

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But they can't help it. If more work is put on them than they can stand it's not to be wondered that they get out of order. Backache is simply their cry for help.

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will help you. They're helping sick, over-worked kidneys—all over the world—making them strong, healthy and vigorous. Mrs. F. Ryan, Douglas, Ont., writes: "For over five months I was troubled with lame back and was unable to move without help. I tried all kinds of plasters and liniments but they were no use. At last I heard tell of Doan's Kidney Pills and after I had used three-quarters of the box my back was as strong and well as ever."

Lithograph or
Tinted Cushion
Tops, regular
25c, for 15c.

Woods' Fair

Ladies long
Gloves, in
black or white,
50c pair.

Children's Reefers, \$1.35

Children's Reefers, made of ladies' cloth, in cardinal, cream and gray, with large sailor collar, full sleeves, collar and sleeves trimmed with four rows white silk braid, lined throughout with fine satin. Saturday only \$1.35

Fine Lawn Waists, \$1.25—Ladies' Fine Lawn Waists, with front made of Mexican or velvet embroidery and tucks, tucked back, new sleeves, with long cuffs. Sale price \$1.25

50 Ladies' Skirts, Saturday, \$1.00 — Fine Lonsdale Cambric Skirts, in four different styles, full gored, with flounce trimmed with tucks, insertion and Limerick lace, regular \$1.50, Saturday \$1.00

Ladies' 25c Hose, Saturday, 15c

Ladies' Cotton Hose, perfectly seamless feet, full fashioned, absolutely stainless, regular 25c. Sale price 15c

Boys' Hose, 25c

Boys' Heavy Cotton Hose, fine ribbed, stainless dyes, spliced heel and toe, full sizes. Sale price, pair 25c

Ladies' Long Sleeve Cotton Vests, in pure white, taped neck. Sale price, Saturday, each 15c

Ladies' Vests, in white or cream, short sleeves and sleeveless. Sale price, Saturday, two for 25c

Ladies' Fancy Comb Sets, \$1.75

Ladies' Beautiful 3-piece Comb Sets, with gold trimmings, set with garnets and diamondettes, regular \$2.25. Sale price, set \$1.75

Dainty Necklaces, in pearl, turquoise and gilt, selling at 10c

Big Soap Special

Peerless Laundry Soap, regular 5c bars, selling at 10 for 25c

Standard Laundry Soap, regular 5c bars, selling at 12 for 25c

25c and 35c Books, 15c

A splendid showing of Books, nicely bound, all good titles by best authors, our regular 25c and 35c line. Saturday, for 15c

Our stock of summer reading is also complete, at 10c

Good Hair Paint Brushes, in four different sizes, regular 15c, sale price, each 4c

Candy Special for Saturday

Chocolate Dipped Dates, regular 15c, sale price, pound 10c

Peters' Milk Chocolate, cake 10c

Brittle Taffies, in walnut, peanut and butter, sale price, pound 10c

Mixed Nuts, selling Saturday, pound 15c

Our Fancy Goods Department is growing with tremendous strides in everything that is up-to-date. In the line of fancy work linen, cushion tops, lace, etc., we stand second to none. Our stock is always new and complete. A visit to our department will convince you. We will mention a few of the many bargains.

72 yards Repp in cardinal, blue and brown, splendid for covering furniture, etc., regular 55c, Saturday, yard 45c

50 yards of Heavy Bleached Linen, 82 inches wide, make elegant linen suits, regular \$1.75, sale price, yard \$1.22

A Word About Music

In going through our stock of music we have selected a number of copies of the latest music which we will offer at an exceptionally low price. Below are only a few of the many copies, all selling at 10c, or 2 copies for 15c

The Glory Song, Dorothy Vernon Waltzes, Would You Care, Love's Desire Waltz, Bedelia Malone, I'm the Only Star That Twinkles On Broadway, A Trip to the Moon, My Irish Daisy.

Wall Paper Department

We carry a larger and better assorted stock of Wall Papers than any store in Western Ontario. By buying large quantities we buy cheaper and therefore can sell at a lower price than our competitors. Buy your paper from us this season and you will wonder why you haven't before. We have experienced salespeople to help you make your choice and consider it no trouble to show paper.

200 rolls of oak and gold striped paper, regular 30c, Saturday, roll 18c

200 rolls of green and white moiré, with gilt, regular 35c, Saturday, roll 20c

500 rolls assorted designs, very fine papers, regular 15c, Saturday, roll 8c

600 rolls paper with border, regular 7c, Saturday, roll 3c

Basement Specials on Saturday

Saturday morning from 8 to 12 o'clock, we will put on sale a quantity of 4-cent, blue enameled dish pans, 14-quart size and regular 8c. Saturday morning special sale price 43c each. Only one sold to each customer.

Special Offer for Saturday

As this is the last Saturday in the month we are going to try and make it interesting for our basement buyers, exceptionally so in the dinner and tableware department. We will give away free next Saturday, 1 dozen cups and saucers, value \$1.25, with every dinner set sold at any price over \$1, and with each toilet set sold we will give a nickel tea pot, value 75c, free of charge.

Splendid
showing of
Valencienno
and Trench
Lace and
Insertion.WOODS'
FAIRBig showing
of Children's
Hats, in
cream, car-
dinal, blue
and white
at 50c.

SENATE ALSO INVITES

Would Have King and Queen Pay
Canada a Visit.

Ottawa, Ont., April 26. — The Senate today debated and unanimously approved the resolution to invite their Majesties the King and Queen to visit Canada. The resolution was moved by Hon. R. W. Scott, seconded by Hon. Senator Loughheed, the new leader of the Opposition.

In seconding the resolution, Senator Loughheed remarked that the King had evinced the greatest interest in Canada and had appreciated its value as part of the empire. The senator was sorry he could not say as much for the King's advisers. They had treated this part of the empire with a good deal of indifference; not a British premier had ever visited Canada. Not a cabinet minister had come to Canada while holding office.

There had never been any concerted effort on the part of a British Government to develop this part of the empire. They had never attempted in any way to divert to Canada the

Martyrdom Described

Kingston Man Tells How He Suffered
and How He Was Released.



Chas. H. Powell, Dr. Leonhardt's
Anti-Pill.

"For years a martyr," is how Charles H. Powell, of 105 Raglan street, Kingston, begins his story. "A martyr to chronic constipation, but now I am free from it and all through the use of Anti-Pill."

Many, who are now suffering from this complaint will be glad to learn from Mr. Powell's story that there is hope for the most stubborn case. He continues: "I was induced to try Anti-Pill by reading the testimony of some one who had been cured of constipation by it. I had suffered for eighteen years and had taken tons of stuff recommended as cures, but which made me worse rather than better. Doctors told me there was no cure for me."

Dr. Leonhardt's Anti-Pill is for sale by all druggists and by The Wilson-Fyle Co., Limited, Niagara Falls, Ont.

capital which was flowing into the United States, and which had been a great agency in the building up of that country.

British statesmen had done something to turn this tide of men and money to Canada, the Dominion would today be a far more powerful factor in the empire.

Several other senators also spoke for the resolution. After being carried, it was ordered to be conveyed to the Governor-General for transmission.

BRANTFORD KICKS ON RATES

Says Discrimination Is Made in Favor
of Montreal Concerns.

Brantford, Ont., April 26. — The manufacturers of Brantford, through the board of trade, have laid a complaint before the Dominion railway commission about the unfair discrimination in the matter of railway rates on manufactured goods to Manitoba and the Northwest. Correspondence is now being conducted with the officials of the commission, and important concessions are expected.

The discrimination lies in the fact that at present the manufacturing firms of Montreal and the east have an equal rate, despite the fact that Brantford is several hundred miles closer. The local firms have to bring their raw material that much farther, yet have not the advantage which ought to result in the shipping of the finished material.

Prior to the starting of the agitation the discrimination was even more pronounced, and the equal rate has been obtained as the just fruits of the movement directed by the local men. The employees of the Brantford Gas Company are out on strike. They asked for a raise from \$1.50 to \$1.75 per day and were refused.

GUNNER BERRY GUILTY

Member of Quebec Garrison Sen-
tenced to Life Imprisonment.

Quebec, Que., April 26. — The jury in the case of Gunner John Berry, charged with the murder of Gunner Hall on the citadel in November last, brought in a verdict this evening, finding the prisoner guilty of manslaughter. Judge Bosse immediately sentenced Berry to imprisonment for life.

Peter Has a Fall.

Belgrade, Servia, April 26. — King Peter while out riding this morning fell off his horse and injured his ankle.

LAKE SHIPPING

MAY BE TIED UP

Loaders and Longshoremen
Threaten to Walk Out.

AT BUFFALO, CHICAGO, DETROIT

Strike of 20,000 Transport Workers
May Blockade the Opening
of Navigation.

Chicago, April 27.—Shipping on the great lakes is facing a general tie-up May 1 through a strike of 20,000 longshoremen and transport workers. The probability of a complete blockade at the opening of navigation was reported in Chicago to be growing hourly.

Practically every transport interest on the lakes will suffer seriously unless efforts being made by various carriers' associations and lake unions to bring peace are successful. Chicago, especially, will feel the loss in lumber and grain shipments. Cleveland and the Lake Superior ports will experience a stoppage in the ore and coal trade. Every port on the lakes will share in a tie-up of general lake freight and passenger traffic.

Holding the key to the threatening situation is the Lake Pilot's Union, which comprises nearly all the loaders and boat hands from Duluth to Buffalo.

The latter organization proposes to precipitate a general strike if necessary to obtain the pilots' demands. This means that practically every man working on lake steamers is awaiting orders to quit work May 1. Not a boat will leave port on that day if the strike edit is issued from national headquarters at Detroit. Shipments will come to an abrupt standstill, leaving millions of tons of freight on boats, docks or in warehouses.

In the lumber slips along the Chicago and Calumet Rivers alone 2,200 loaders stand ready to strike. As many more grain shovellers at the elevators are prepared to join them. The ore and steel handlers number nearly 10,000. In addition to these men, tug hands, firemen, oilers, water tenders, and other employees are counted upon to quit.

The transportation companies thus far have refused to deal with their pilots as a union. They have taken this ground chiefly because they consider that the pilots, or "mates," are agents of the companies rather than employees.

Negotiations looking toward peace have not yet reached the conference stage, although a request for a meeting to discuss the situation is reported to have been sent to the officials of the Longshoremen's Union, President Daniel J. Keefe is expected to respond to the invitation for a conference and meet the officers of the Lake Carriers' Association within the next few days at Cleveland.

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He conferred last evening with several operators relative to the calling of a joint peace convention of operators and miners. The operators, however, thought the two sides are too far apart to permit a settlement of the strike at this time.

Active preparations were continued by the mining companies looking to the hiring of non-union engineers, firemen and pumpmen wherever strikes of these men are called. No additional walkouts were reported in Illinois during the day, but the shafts of the Rock Island Coal Company in Indian Territory became involved. Guards were placed about the mines to protect the property.

President W. C. Perry, of the Southwestern Operators' Association, is expected to arrive today from Kansas City on his way to Washington, where he will appeal to President Roosevelt on the part of the mine operators to arbitrate upon the miners. No radical move, it is said, will be made by the operators pending the result of the conference.

In a statement issued by the Illinois operators it was asserted that only 2½ per cent of the tonnage represented by association mines are operating under agreement with the miners, while about 2½ per cent of independent tonnage is being mined in the state by union miners on the basis of the 1903 wage scale.

INSURANCE COMMISSION

Little of Interest Elicited at Inquiry
Into Manufacturers' Life.

London, April 26.—Little of interest was elicited at this morning's session of the commission. A good deal of yesterday's evidence was gone over again in more detail; the sepulchral looking box of Manufacturers' Life yawning best the steps of the commissioners' desks; again Mr. Junkin, the witness box, was virtually surrounded by counsel for the commission for the provinces, and his own legal advisers. Somewhere in the center of the group was a ledger, which was giving rise to some discussion, apparently profitless and most interesting. The history of the holdings of Hon. G. A. Cox was finally traced, and was disappointed a few who had gathered like vultures about carrion. Counsel also traced in some detail the transactions between Messrs. Mackenzie & Mann, and the Manufacturers' Life. This was largely a repetition of on-terms session at Ottawa, and was as a tale that has been told. There will be a great deal of unimportant detail with which it will be necessary to deal, but which has little interest to the average layman.

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DESTROYED BY TORNADO

Town of Bellevue, Texas, Is Reported
Swept Away.

Forth Worth, Texas, April 26. — A tornado, it is reported, has swept away the town of Bellevue and damaged the town of Stonsburg.

Meager advices state that Bellevue is destroyed, 12 to 15 persons being killed and many injured and missing. Fire is destroying the ruins caused by the tornado.

A special train has been started from Bowie, Texas, 125 miles distant, for the scene.

Bellevue has 1,500 inhabitants.

RECESS FOR LEGISLATURE

Adjournment for Three Days, Law
Department Being Behind.

Toronto, April 26.—The lieutenant-governor will attend at the Legislature tomorrow afternoon to assent to the supply bill and other measures which have passed the House, and an adjournment will be taken till Tuesday next.

The law department is behind with its work, necessitating the recess. Tonight Col. Matheson announced the \$50 guarantee would fall due on Tuesday. He had hopes that the Province would be relieved, but provision would have to be made to renew, and he introduced a bill for the purpose, which passed all its stages. Unless the whole loan were taken up, the Government would release the bonds of the allied industries in proportion to the amount of the loan taken up.

NOTHING TO FEAR

PARIS IS ASSURED

French Govt. Pouring Troops
Into Capital Against May
Day Trouble.

Paris, April 27.—The prefect of police, M. Lepine, yesterday made a reassuring reply to hundreds of letters which anxious persons had addressed to him. He said that precautions had been taken to maintain order in the streets on May 1, and prevent attempts against life or property.

Besides the full force which he has on duty, reinforcements, consisting of 28,000 infantry, cavalry, and artillery, will arrive here tonight, tomorrow and Saturday.

These troops will be disposed throughout the city, with precise orders. Special surveillance will be maintained over the water and gas conduits.

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Always Remember the Full Name

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Laxative Bromo Quinine

Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days

on every
box 25c

Foot Guards for Gotham.

Ottawa, April 26. — It is practically certain that the Governor-General's Foot Guards will go to New York this year and that in future there will be an annual outing.

WHILE MORE PREVALENT in winter, when sudden changes in the weather try the strongest constitutions, colds and coughs in any season. At the first slight of derangement use Bickel's Anti-Constipation Syrup. Instant relief will be experienced, and use of the medicine until the cold disappears will protect the lungs from attack. For anyone with throat or chest weakness it cannot be surpassed.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM

\$71.75

To California

and Return

Good going April 24, May 3, return limit, July 31, and

\$73.75

Good going June 24 to July 7, return limit, Sept. 15. Account National Educational Convention, San Francisco.

Choice of any direct route going and returning, and certain stopover privileges allowed.

For tickets and information call on E. DE LA HOOKE, city passenger and ticket agent; E. RUSE, depot ticket agent; or address J. D. McDONALD, D.P.A., Room 28, Union Station, Toronto.

WABASH

SPECIAL EXCURSIONS TO THE

PACIFIC COAST

during season of 1906. Mystic Shrine, Los Angeles, California. Tickets on sale June 24 to July 6; final return limit, Sept. 15, 1906. The Wabash is the shortest and direct line to all Pacific coast points. For full particulars address any ticket agent, or J. A. RICHARDSON, district passenger agent, King and Yonge street, Toronto.



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Do You Want the Best Clothes?

or will you be satisfied with the "just ordinary," "fairly good" kind, that's so plentiful at present. You owe it to yourself to get the best your money will buy, and that best is undoubtedly here. No matter how long you've been buying at any other store, drop sentiment and get business-like long enough to investigate the value of this, London's Youngest and Smartest Clothing House.

The Right Spring Suits

There's a smartness in the cut and a perfectness of fit in these suits that impresses a man in a moment. It's not confined to the higher priced lines, it's prominent in every garment we show. The best models produced by over half a dozen of Canada's best makers and of Hart Schaffner and Marx, of Chicago, are here, and give your choice a scope not possible elsewhere.

The color and pattern range is magnificent, and contains scores of the newest shades in grays, as well as the most wanted cloths in blues and blacks. The prices range all the way from \$5 to \$25. We specially emphasize today the lines at

\$10.00 \$15.00 \$20.00

The Smartest Spring Coats

Could you have one of our Spring Coats side by side with those of other stores, you'd see in a minute why we're enjoying such a splendid spring coat trade. Our coats fit snugly around the neck, have splendid broad shoulders, and have a perfect skirt drapery.

We show the Short Topper in shades of dark olive, tan whipcord, plain, dark gray venetian and tan worsted coatings. The 40-in. Chesterfield, with or without silk-faced lapels, in plain gray chevrons, and black vicunas. The popular raincoats in a splendid assortment of the newest patterns in every good shade and color. Prices run from \$5 to \$22.50 with special emphasis on the lines at

\$7.50 \$10 \$12.50 \$16 \$18

Boys' Natty Spring Suits

Here's a stock of boys' clothes that stands between you and the high prices that are asked by most places for boys' clothes of good quality. We've picked carefully in choosing this stock from the best makers of boys' clothing in Canada. The styles are correct in every particular; the qualities are dependable.

Boys' Three-Piece Suits, sizes 28 to 33.

\$3.50 \$4.00 \$4.50 \$5.00 to \$8.50

Boys' Two-Piece Suits, in single and double breasted

Norfolks; sizes 22 to 33.

\$2.00 \$2.50 \$3.00 \$3.50 to \$5.00

Wanted Spring Furnishings

Men's Double-Thread Balbriggan Underwear, in all sizes, Canadian and French makes 37 1-2c and 50c

Boys' Soft Front Shirts, in new and smart patterns and colors. Extra good values at 50c and 75c

Men's English Cashmere Sox, in blue, tan and black, seamless and spliced heels and toes; 3 pairs for 50c

Men's Fine Soft Front Colored Shirts, in a splendid range of handsome new patterns; at 50c, 75c and \$1.00

Boys' Blue Eton Caps, another lot in now of fine, all-wool serge; English make; at 25c

R. J. Young & Co.

A GUIDE FOR TRAVELERS

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

(Corrected to date.)

MAIN LINE—SARNIA TUNNEL TO
SUSPENSION BRIDGE AND
TORONTO.

Arrive from the east—4 a.m., 10:40 a.m., 11 a.m., 11:20 a.m., 6:35 p.m., 7:45 p.m., 10 p.m.

Arrive from the west—12:15 a.m., 12:20 a.m., 11:10 a.m., 1:25 p.m., 4:10 p.m., 6:25 p.m.

Depart for the east—12:20 a.m., 12:25 a.m., 8:10 p.m., 11:20 a.m., 11:32 a.m., and 8 p.m. express run through to Chicago without change. The 11:10 a.m. express amalgamates with the 11:25 express at Port Huron.

Depart for the west—4:15 a.m., 7:40 a.m., 11:10 a.m., 11:32 a.m., 1:55 p.m., 8 p.m.

The 7:40 a.m. and the 1:55 p.m. trains stop at all stations. The 4:15 a.m., 11:32 a.m., and 8 p.m. express run through to Chicago without change. The 11:10 a.m. express amalgamates with the 11:25 express at Port Huron.

Arrive—11:40 a.m., 10:55 a.m., 1:25 p.m., 6:35 p.m., 10:55 p.m.

Depart—6:20 a.m., 10:45 a.m., 2:50 p.m., 5 p.m.

LONDON, HURON AND BRUCE.

Arrive—9:45 a.m., 6:10 p.m.

Depart—8:15 a.m., 4:50 p.m.

Trains marked thus * run daily.

Those not so marked run daily except Sunday.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Arrive—From the east—11:30 a.m., 9 p.m., 11:30 p.m. From the west—5 a.m., 8:35 a.m., 10:20 p.m.

Depart—For the east—5:05 a.m., 8:40 a.m., 5:25 p.m. For the west—11:35 a.m., 8:10 p.m., 11:35 p.m.

*From Chatham only.

*Runs only to Chatham.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY.

Arrive—6:55 a.m., 11:10 a.m., 6:10 p.m., 9:45 p.m.

Depart—7:15 a.m., 2:20 p.m., 5:30 p.m., 10:25 p.m.

FERIE MARQUETTE RAILWAY.

Arrive—10 a.m., 12:15 p.m., 2 p.m., 4:45 p.m., 10 p.m.

*From Walkerville.

Depart—8:45 a.m., 9:45 a.m., 2:35 p.m., 4 p.m., 6:40 p.m.

*To Walkerville, without change.

*To St. Thomas only.

SNAP-SHOTS AT VARIOUS SPORTS

Dan McEwen has entered Geary, 2:06 1/4, in the Neponset purse, at Readville, Mass. Texas Rooker and Jubilee are entered in the same race.

By way of inducing people to patronize his future books, Kid Weiler, the bookmaker, prints fac-similes of checks he once handed out. A picture of the binful he kept is inadvertently omitted.

As a blow to poolrooms the officials of Aqueduct will not permit reports of races to go out for twenty minutes. What a hardship it will be on the rooms to wait twenty minutes longer for the pay-off?

Appendicitis must be growing cheaper, as a player in the South Atlantic League has just had an attack.—Charley Dryden, in the Philadelphia North American.

The Fort Wayne team of the Central League has a player named Ifft. Sounds like a foul tip.—Cleveland Press.

"Garage" is a French word being introduced into the English language by automobilists. The American for it is a shed where you keep your auto at night.—St. Louis Republic.

James J. Jeffries is willing to fight again. Mrs. James Jeffries says she is not willing James J. Jeffries shall fight again. Looks like James J. Jeffries will not fight again.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

The Toronto baseball team won a game. They still have over one hundred chances to lose.

It is a good thing the prince got out of Toronto before the ball season opened, or he would have received want attention.

McMahon and Adamson wrestle in this city on May 15. Keep the date in mind. Adamson is an old London boy, and is a good man. The match looks good.

Golden Shore won at Memphis the other day at 4 to 1. As usual, there were very few on.

The Toronto Telegram is once more in a joyful mood since the Torontos and Tecumsehs are admitted to the N. A. L. U. The teams are there all right, but it's a puzzle to find the players. From what we can see of the line-up, they have about as much chance to win as the Marlboro hockey team had last winter.

In speaking of the recent English Rugby game, one Toronto man says that what is good enough for England ought to be good enough for us. Not vet. Look at their dukes and things.

Ram's Horn, who won the Queen's County handicap at a mile in such impressive style at Aqueduct, will be a starter in the \$10,000 Excelsior Handicap, one mile and a sixteenth, to be run at the Jamaica track next Saturday. For the Excelsior Ram's Horn will pick up 117 pounds, or a pound less than he carried in the Queen's County, when he stepped a mile in 1:39 2-5, with nothing to make him stretch his neck. As Ram's Horn is essentially a weight carrier and is also a high-class horse in many respects his appearance in the Excelsior will be of particular interest inasmuch as he will meet some crack thoroughbreds. Roseben will start in the Sterling Stakes at a mile over the Aqueduct track on Wednesday, but whether he will go in the Excelsior or not cannot be said just now. His import in the Excelsior is 120 pounds, but the distance, it is believed, is a trifle too far for him. Furthermore, Trainer Weil received instructions directly after Roseben's triumph in the Carter Handicap to point him for the \$10,000 Metropolitan, one mile, to be run at Belmont Park on May 10. Looking over the list of eligibles for the Excelsior and leaving Roseben out of the calculations, Ram's Horn may measure strides with such handicap performers as First Mason, 115; Bad News, 113; Ormonde's Right, 111; Eugenia Burch, 110; Dolly Spanker, 109; Red Knight, 107; Von Tromp, 106; Santa Catalina, 105; Race King, 98; Batts, 92, and others, in which case the New Orleans star will probably be heavily supported by the public.

TORONTO TAKES FIRST

Eastern League Opens for Season—
Montreal Also Wins.

At Newark—	R. H. E.
Newark.....	10 000 0100-2 5 1
Batteries—McCaffery and Toft; Carrick and Shea. Umpires, Conahan and Kern.	
At Providence—	
Rochester.....	00000000-0 1 2
Providence.....	00000000-0 1 2
Batteries—Cleary and Steelman; Cronin and Barton.	
At Jersey City—	
Montreal.....	020100000-3 8 2
Jersey City.....	100000000-1 6 3
Batteries—Pappaluso and Cronin; Moskman and Vandergrift.	
At Buffalo—	
Buffalo.....	004000002-5 10 2
Baltimore.....	000000000-1 5 3
Batteries—Klasinger and Wood; Mason and Byrne.	
IN THE AMERICAN.	
At Detroit—	R. H. E.
Detroit.....	00200001-3 7 2
Cleveland.....	000101000-2 8 1
Batteries—Silver and Payne; Hess and Baelow. Umpire, O'Loughlin.	
At Philadelphia—	
Boston.....	10012000-12 11 2
Philadelphia.....	00000000-0 4 1
Batteries—Winter and Graham; Coakley, Bartley and Powers. Umpires, Hurst and Evans.	
At Washington—	
Washington.....	10101002-5 12 0
New York.....	10100000-3 10 1
Batteries—Kison and Kirtledge; Chas. Griffith and Kleinow. Umpire, Sheridan.	
At St. Louis—	
St. Louis.....	100000000-1 7 0
Chicago.....	100000110-3 11 0
Batteries—Jacobson and Rieck; Altrock and McFarland. Umpires, Connor and Connolly.	

IN THE NATIONAL.

At New York—	R. H. E.
Philadelphia.....	100000002-3 8 2
New York.....	200000011-4 6 1
Batteries—Pittenger and Doolin; Taylor and Bowerman. Umpires, Conway and Ematt.	
At Chicago—	
Chicago.....	002000001-4 8 1
Cincinnati.....	002000000-3 8 1
Batteries—Landgren and Kling; Chech and Phelps. Umpires, Carpenter and Klein.	
At Boston—	
Brooklyn.....	200000100-3 8 1
Boston.....	001000000-1 3 1
Batteries—Stricklett and Bergen; Pfeiffer and O'Neil. Umpire, O'Day.	
At Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh-St. Louis game postponed, rain.	

AMERICAN STANDING.

Philadelphia.....	4	50
Washington.....	4	50
Detroit.....	4	50
Chicago.....	4	50
St. Louis.....	4	50
Cleveland.....	4	50
New York.....	4	50
Boston.....	4	50

NATIONAL STANDING.

New York.....	7	3	70
Pittsburgh.....	7	3	70
Philadelphia.....	7	3	70
Chicago.....	7	3	70
Boston.....	7	3	70
St. Louis.....	7	3	70
Cincinnati.....	7	3	70
Brooklyn.....	7	3	70

BOSTON GETS NEW TWIRLER.

Boston, April 24.—The Boston National League Club today purchased the release of Pitcher Witherup from the Akron, (O.) team and he has been

President Says, "Better Without a Senior Series"

If Three Remaining Clubs Desire to Continue, However, It Will Be Continued.

Toronto, April 26.—The defection of the Tecumsehs and Torontos from the C. L. A. caused considerable speculation today in lacrosse circles in regard to the composition of the senior series of the association for the coming season.

President Miller, of the C. L. A., said today that the senior series had always been a great source of trouble to the association, and it would be better without one. However, it would be unfair to the three remaining clubs—St. Catharines, Brantford and Chippewas—and if they wanted to continue they should be encouraged to do so. A meeting of the C. L. A. committee of management will be held Friday night at the Iroquois, and some definite conclusion arrived at. Bradford, last year's intermediate champions, notified Mr. Miller that they will not play senior. Their grounds are too small and otherwise inadequate.

Mr. Miller does not think a senior team would make it go in Hamilton, where the people have got to be educated to lacrosse. However, Toronto Junction seriously contemplates entering a team, with Fred Graydon and Cy Pitcher as co-managers. The Junction is a red-hot lacrosse town, and would support a good team.

With St. Catharines, Brantford, Chippewas and Toronto Junction playing a double schedule there should be an interesting series. "I think it a good thing for Toronto people that Tecumsehs and Torontos were admitted to the N. A. L. U.," said Mr. Miller. "They will not have a chance of seeing some good lacrosse without waiting for the final game of the Junior C. L. A. series."

On the C. P. R. diamond the other night, Lower L. of the London Colliery, defeated Lower H. in a ball game by 16 to 5. W. Lee umpired.

Fred Hamby, of the Chippewas, said his team were in the field to stay. They would agree to the admission of either Toronto Junction or Hamilton or both. The team would be on more of an equal footing now, and better lacrosse would result.

GLOOMY OUTLOOK FOR ATHLETICS.

St. Catharines, April 26.—The news from Montreal of the admission of the Torontos and Tecumsehs to the N. L.

RECORD LIST FOR THE STAKE EVENTS

Some of Best Quality Horse Flesh Entered for the Woodbine Races.

TORONTO, April 26.—An unprecedented list of nominations for the stake events of the Ontario Jockey Club for the spring meeting at Woodbine, May 19, to June 2, is announced today by Secretary Fraser.

Entries from every prominent racing center in America have been received, and the only question difficult of solution, returns to the list with a strong provide sufficient stable accommodation for all those wishing to race at Woodbine.

Owners with stake entries will receive the preference and the prospects are for the finest racing ever seen in Canada. The list of entries is much superior to that of any previous meeting.

Mr. Dymont, of Barrie, has Fort dian, returns to the list with strong strings, headed by his good handicap horse, Ormonde's Right. His son, Willie, will have a good stable here, too, including Ben Hodder, his crack three-year-old.

Thomas Clyde, formerly of the Goughacres stables, Geo. C. Bennett, Fred Cook, George Hendrie, W. J. Young, Amos Turner, A. Brown & Co., E. S. Gardner, W. Z. Dearman, J. K. Madigan, C. C. Smith, W. B. Miller are among the more prominent owners from across the line, while all the Canadian stables will be largely represented.

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Who Made That?



This is a common expression heard on the streets, and applies to our "High-Grade" Suits and Top Coats. We only ask a few moments of your time on Saturday to show you our spring lines, and you will say they are the most perfect models that have been shown. Without doubt we know that our clothing is one hundred per cent ahead of any other make and we've a reason for making such a bold statement. We employ the very best skilled artists. We manufacture for our own stores, and the clothing is sold by our own salesmen. We make only such clothing as our customers want and we do not have to accept the cheap, ill-fitting clothing made by the sweat-shop system.

Specials in Men's Suits for Friday and Saturday Selling

Try and make your purchases as early as possible in the day, as the rush later in the day makes it difficult to attend to you as we would like to do.

Men's Suits, \$6.50 Worth \$8.00

Light and dark chevots, in the 32-inch Sack Coat; guaranteed all-wool; all sizes, 36 to 42. Special \$6 50

Goodwood Sack Suits, \$16.00 and \$18.00 Worth \$20 and \$25

This lot includes the most perfect models we've ever shown. The Form-Fitting Goodwood is the popular garment and is a specimen of clever tailoring. Single and double-breasted styles with two-button side and center vents. In all the new twilight grays, gunmetal and quaker shades. This model is also shown in fancy blue worsteds with invisible plaids. Special \$16 and \$13

Men's and Young Men's Goodwood Sack Suits, \$14.00 and \$15.00--Worth \$18.00

All the new tones in gray shades. Blue and black chevots; made with 3-inch lapels, 10-inch side and center vents; all garments are perfect fitters and front unbreakable. Special \$14 and \$15

Men's Suits, \$7.95--Worth \$10.00

This lot is of extra quality, in light and dark tweeds; made in the latest style, with the straight fronts, broad shoulders; 31 and 38 in. long. Special \$7 95

Men's Suits, \$10.00--Worth \$13.00

We've got about fifty suits in this lot, including light and medium chevots, worsteds and fancy tweeds; every garment is new spring lines; some sizes broken. To clear for Saturday, special \$10 00

Young Men's Suits, \$5.95--Worth \$7.50

Light and dark tweeds and serges, sizes 33 to 35; made in the very latest styles, and extra tailoring and fine-quality trimmings. Special \$5 95

Boys' Brownie Wash Suits

In all sizes to fit ages 3 to 10 years. A big lot of blouse styles in fancy cotton fabrics 50c; 75c; 95c to \$3 00

Boys' 3-Piece Suits, \$3.95--Worth \$5.00

We have about 25 suits in this lot in dark and light tweeds, all sizes, 29 to 33; every suit well made and perfect in fit. Special \$3 95

Boys' 2-Piece Suits, \$2.50--Worth \$3.25

This lot shows the very best quality that we ever manufactured for the price; light and dark tweeds, in plain sack coats and Norfolk styles. Special \$2 50

Boys' Motor Caps, 25c--Regular 50c

About fifteen dozen Boys' Blue Serge Motor Caps, all sizes, 6 1-4 to 6 7-8. Special 25c; regular 50c.

Boys' Brownie Overalls

In plain and fancy stripes, with bib and braces; ages 3 to 8 years. Special 19c

Boys' Rubber Collars

About ten dozen Boys' Rubber Collars, in all sizes, 12 to 13 1-2. This lot to clear 19c; regular 25c.



J. M. HICKEY, Manager.

158 Dundas Street, LONDON.

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WANT WALK REPAIRED

And Because of Its Condition Hotel License Is Held Back.

The license commissioners, through Inspector Galpin, have notified the city to repair the walk on the south side of King street, between Talbot and Ridout streets.

The commissioners say that the walk is allowing water to run into the Morkin House premises, much to the detriment of the property, and as the city shares in the revenue from the license, the walk should be repaired at once.

"In justice to Mr. Morkin," the letter concludes, "we would say that it is because of the condition of this walk that we are holding back the renewal of his license for the full term of one year."

QUEER EPISTLES IN THE MAILS

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sent his parents a letter notifying them of his removal, but it was misdirected and did not reach them. Hence their surprise yesterday on getting a letter from Berkeley, stating that he was at San Francisco, when the disaster occurred. Mr. Lockard states that his boarding-house was badly wrecked. He was aroused by the rocking of the bed and falling pillow, and made his escape by a skylight to the roof, saving nothing but a coat. He reached Berkeley the following day and took shelter at the Y. M. C. A. All the public buildings are being utilized by refugees—whites, colored people and Chinese—no race or color line being drawn.

They Shoot to Kill.

Mrs. R. McKenzie, of 510 Talbot street, received a letter from her son, F. R. McKenzie, who is a sergeant-major in the first squadron of cavalry, stationed at Sacramento, and has been called to San Francisco, where he is now on duty. The letter was dated San Francisco, April 21, and the following are extracts from it: "Wednesday night we went to San Francisco to help in the work of keeping order, in this place of ruin and desolation. Words cannot describe the extent of the destruction by fire. Picture San Francisco from the ferry to beyond Van Ness avenue, and the entire width, both north and south of Market street, a complete mass of burned buildings, only fragments of walls standing remaining of many, and the rest completely destroyed by fire, and you have some small idea of the disaster. So far we have had no work to speak of, but cannot tell at what minute we might be called. There is very little danger here now as the fire is under control and must just burn itself out. The military is pressing in to service many wagons and autos, and if drivers are at all unwilling to accept the command they are speedily forced to obey at the point of a rifle or pistol.

"Last night a man was caught walking down the street with a handful of money and was shot down. Yesterday a baker refused to bake some bread and was killed for it. When we find it necessary to shoot, we have orders to shoot to kill, as they already have enough shot to take care of.

"While it is extremely pitiful, there are some very funny things to be witnessed. People are using baby carriages and all sorts of impromptu wagons to carry away their belongings.

"We expect to receive horses today or tomorrow, and will then be assigned to mounted duty.

"All wagons have armed guards on them."

A Unique Epistle.

One of the most unique epistles from San Francisco arrived in London yesterday. It was a postcard in the shape of a cuff, and was addressed to Mrs. Walter Milburn, 154 Mill street, in this city. There was no postage stamp on it. The cuff read:

"Friday morning. I am all right. Had a hard time. Am camped out in a small park. Fire is all out. Art."

Mrs. Milburn's son, Arthur, has been located in San Francisco for some time past, and this is the first word received from him since the disaster.

The cuff was of polka dot design, and was only one of the many queer missives received here.

Mrs. Joseph Brown, of 3 Horn street, received a message from her brother, Edward Drake, who is a fireman, stating that both he and his family had escaped injury, but had lost everything in the recent earthquake.

Mr. Robert Kidner, of the City Gas Company, has received a letter from Mr. Thomas Wastie, ex-fire chief of London, and now a resident in San Jose, California, stating that San Jose got through the earthquake all right, the shock being very slight.

Mr. Wastie added that the quarter of San Francisco in which his two married daughters reside escaped serious injury, and he consequently has no fear for their safety, though he has not as yet heard from them.

When the earthquake occurred, and all the wires were down, Mr. Wastie sent a special messenger by wheel in an attempt to get a message to his daughters, but the wheelman found it impossible to get through the lines of soldiers drawn up around the city.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

April 26. Reported at. From.

Hudson.....New York.....Hamburg

Prinz Eitel.....New York.....Hamburg

Friedrich.....New York.....Hamburg

Calabria.....Boston.....Liverpool

Saxonia.....Boston.....Liverpool

Magister.....Liverpool.....New York

Berlin.....Boston.....Liverpool

Ivernia.....Liverpool.....Boston

Philadelphian.....London.....Boston

Manitowick.....London.....Boston

Hungarian.....Glasgow.....Portland

Danubian.....Father Point.....Glasgow

Frederick.....St. John.....Liverpool

According to information supplied by the Institute of Tropical Research, recently founded in connection with Liverpool University, Ceylon, has in the last season, shipped 100,000 pounds of rubber, all produced from the island plantations.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

NURSE GIRL WANTED. APPLY 338 Dundas street.

GET NOTICE MONDAY

Hotelmen Will Then Know Who Must Quit Business.

It was announced today that on Saturday night the license commissioners will mail notices to quit within three months to six license-holders in London.

Thus the unwelcome missives will reach their destinations Monday morning.

As yet there is nothing official as to who will be cut off, and local merchants complain that eight or nine license-holders are holding out and refusing to lay in a stock of goods until they learn whether they are among those who are to lose their heads.

"Those places which will be given three months to sell out will not give much time or attention to the care of the public," a gentleman on the inside said to The Advertiser today. "They'll try to get all they can out of the bar."

GOT MUSIC CABINET

Presentation to Retiring Organist of St. James' Church.

The members of the choir of St. James' Church, South London, 40 strong were entertained last evening at the home of Mr. J. A. Thomas, who is retiring from the church warden's office. A very pleasant time was spent. During the evening, Mr. Clarence Gilmour, organist of the church, was presented with a handsome mahogany music cabinet on the occasion of his leaving St. James' to assume the position of organist and choir-master of the Askani Street Methodist Church. The presentation was made on behalf of the choir by Messrs. Dr. Thomas, Harry Schwieger and Reginald Stevens, and it was accompanied by an address, read by Miss Ethel McNeil, which expressed the sincere regret felt at the resignation of Mr. Gilmour. The latter very suitably acknowledged the gift, and thanked the members of the choir for the hearty co-operation extended him during his two years as choir leader and organist.

Mr. Gilmour has succeeded in building up a splendid choir for St. James' and it is with regret that the congregation, as well as the choir, sees him leave.

Last evening Mr. Schwieger, soloist was presented with a beautiful scarf pin.

THE REVENUE BILL

Provisions Relating to Railway Tax and Maintenance of Insane.

As fuller particulars of the new supplementary revenue bill, introduced by Col. Matheson, are known, it is learned that municipalities will not be called upon to pay more for the care of the insane than they will receive from the railway tax. For example, if the city, on the basis of having only 77,000 population, will receive only \$2,960 as a railway tax, this will be the maximum amount it will be compelled to pay for the maintenance of the care of its insane patients.

It is also pointed out that the Government will only ask the 10 cents a day for what are known as "poor" patients, namely, those whose relatives are unable to pay for their maintenance. But this contention does not amount to much, as but a very small percentage of those committed to the asylum are maintained by relatives.

The bill provides that the municipality shall be compelled to pay the 10 cents a day only for such poor persons committed to the asylum as are proven to have been bona fide residents of such municipality. Thus London would not be called upon to pay the 10 cents a day for any persons who might be dumped on to the municipality, and then committed.

"KNOCKED DOWN" \$107

Cash Register Did It Before Lucky Discovery Was Made.

The happiest man in London today is "Jimmy" Gleason, the well-known pool parlor proprietor, of Dundas street.

Mr. Gleason is about to leave his present premises, and among the articles he has sold is a cash register.

This he sold to a man in South London, but before it left the shop "Jimmy" thought he would clean it up for the purchases.

The register had been used for years and had always been deemed honest, though Mr. Gleason at times missed odd sums of money and laid the discrepancy at the doors of divers persons too numerous to mention. But it turned out that the register all the while had been "knocking" down on its own hook.

Great was "Jimmy's" surprise yesterday when on pulling out the drawer and attempting to shake out the dust he found a large number of greenbacks, with some silver and pennies.

In all they totaled the sum of \$107.67.

As the register had been operated from year to year, odd bills fell in behind the drawer, and the coins had also been lost in the same way.

DEAF MUTE DANCED FLING

Too Much Booze Made Him Altogether Too Hilarious.

An aged deaf mute had the police called aged entirely to himself this morning.

The policeman was apparently respectable, but he had been hitting the booze too hard, with the result that he was looked up by the police.

As neither the police magistrate nor the court officials could converse with him in the sign language, pencil and paper had to be brought into use to question him. Asked if he was drunk, the mute wrote:

"I was not very drunk. I danced the Highland fling. Go on to Hyde Park. Five beers."

It is thought that the old man is employed as a laborer near London. He had about \$20, and a gold watch. He was allowed to go on his way rejoicing.

CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

—Mr. J. C. Nicholson, Lucknow, is among those who qualified for the degree of B.A., at McGill University.

—Dr. Carman and his daughter, Mrs. Wm. Gilles, of New York, are visiting the latter's mother-in-law, Mrs. Gilles, of the Hamilton road.

—The firemen had a run to 193 Bathurst street yesterday afternoon, where a spark from a chimney had set fire to the roof of a shed. The damage was very slight.

—The Bishop of Huron was among those present at the meeting of the general board of the Missionary Society of the Church of England, held in Toronto yesterday.

—Mrs. Adam Beck and Miss Marjorie Gibbons were among the London ladies present at last evening's performance in connection with the horse show at Toronto.

—The Saskatoon (Sask.) Phoenix says: "Mr. W. E. Green, of London, Ont., was in town for the past few days... and purchased eight lots north of the Battleford trail."

—Residents of Horton street, between Burwell and Maitland streets, have complained that the block is not being watered. It is thought the street was left off the list by mistake.

—The funeral of the late Mrs. Eliza Burwell Galpin took place from the undertaking parlors of Smith, Son & Clark, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. The Rev. M. Sage conducted the services at 4 p.m.

—Those desirous of seeing the Canadian Northwest will have a splendid chance during the coming C. P. R. excursions, which leave this city on June 8 and 19, and on July 3 and 17. Two months' time will be given on these excursions.

—Windsor's number of tavern licenses will be only nine less than London is to have. All the licenses granted in Windsor last year have been renewed, and four that were cut off have been restored, making 23 tavern licenses and 23 saloon licenses.

—The annual meeting of the board of trade will be held this evening, at which the election of officers for the year will take place. There will be a report of the power deputation by ex-Ald. Stevely, and several new committees will be named in addition to all old committees. The president, Mr. Arthur White, will also give his first annual address.

—The semi-annual service of praise given by the choir and soloists of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, under the direction of Mr. Wheeler, is announced for Monday evening next. Several artists of prominence have been engaged for the evening and a programme of exceptional merit will be rendered.

—The many friends of Dr. John Hutchinson, the well known ball player, will be very sorry to hear that he is seriously ill in St. Joseph's Hospital. The doctor was in an accident at the Maitland street crossing of the Grand Trunk Railway about a year ago, and it is said his health has not been good since that time.

—The death of William Francis Pope, aged 39 years, took place yesterday afternoon at his home, 7 Oxford street. Deceased leaves a wife and four children, the eldest of whom is 8 years. He is also survived by his mother, and two brothers, James and Fred, of this city. Mr. Pope was a member of the City of London, and an employee of Beck's box factory. The funeral will take place from the family residence, on Saturday, at 2:30 p.m., services at 2, to Woodland Cemetery.

Rev. W. B. A. Eiersmann will officiate.

CHARGED WITH STEALING.

Edward McGarvey was brought into the county jail at noon today by Chief Wilson, of Stratford, on a week's remand. McGarvey is charged with stealing buggy cushions from Alex. Craik, and also a cart and some cushions from G. N. Dunn. P. M. Noble will try the case.

FINEST WALKS IN CANADA.

London has now 101 miles of cement walks, and they are declared by outsiders to be the finest in Canada. Mayor Coupe, of Waterloo, England, who was in London yesterday, said the local walks were the finest he had seen since he has been in Canada. The mayor left this morning for the east.

A horse attached to Leavens' bakery wagon got in a hurry for his lunch at noon today, and started on a sprint up Dufferin avenue, he forgot to turn quickly enough at Picton street, and scattered bread to the breeze. He kicked himself free from the wagon and went on his way rejoicing. The wagon was not smashed much.

FIRE DOES DAMAGE.

Fire slightly damaged the roof of the residence of Wm. W. Hodgson, 143 Maitland street, at 1:30 today. The cause is thought to be a defective chimney. No insurance. The firemen used only the chemical extinguisher on the blaze.

T'WAS ONLY A DOG.

An attempt at suicide was made in this city the other day. Out from a third-story window at Carling and Richmond streets, a form was seen to plunge and fall on the ground. Kind friends gave their assistance, and the doctor was sought. After a while the doctor pronounced his patient out of danger. It was merely a dog that took the plunge. Catlike, he alighted safely.

MAY BE MR. SEATH

His Name Mentioned as Superintendent of Education for Ontario.

Toronto, April 27. — It is understood that Mr. John Seath, the educationist, is to be appointed superintendent of education for the Province of Ontario.

G. T. P. DEBENTURE BILL

Question of an Issuance of \$23,000,000 Before Railway Committee.

Ottawa, April 27. — At the railway committee today the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway bill authorizing the issue of debentures to the amount of \$23,000,000 was reported. Mr. Fitzpatrick would not interfere with the Government mortgage clause. The bill for the incorporation of the G. T. P. railway was discussed, but held over until the next meeting.

'Phone 56

We are always waiting at our end of the line.

When you have a drug store need and are unable to come to our store of the telephone, we will deliver it. We will send to your home for prescriptions, and deliver the remedy after it is compounded. Get the habit of remembering Phone 56 whenever you have occasion to think of drugs. An emergency may arise when our service will be of the utmost value to you.

W. T. Strong

CHEMIST AND DRUGGIST,

184 Dundas St.

OUR VOLUNTEERS IN GOTHAM

Seven Hundred Strong and Carrying Arms by Special Permission

New York, April 27.—Major-General Grant was reviewing officer for the Military Athletic League in Madison Square Garden last night, and after the parade there was a fine card of special military parts, and before the review some great athletic contests. Tonight the Duke of Cornwall's Own Rifles, the Forty-second Regiment, Canadian Militia, Lieut.-Col. Henry M. Pello, commanding, will make their appearance 700 strong. They come under arms by special permission of the war department, and are to tour in the American cities before leaving New York.

Col. Charles A. Denike, Tenth Regiment, National Guard, commanded the review. His headquarters are at Albany, and the regiment is made up of the separate companies throughout the state.

TORONTO LIFE VACANCIES

Messrs. W. T. White and Home-Smith Fill Places of Phillips and Burt.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Toronto, April 27.—The vacancies on the Toronto Life directorate occasioned by the withdrawal of Joseph Phillips and E. J. Burt have been filled by W. T. White, as president, and R. Home-Smith, as vice-president. Mr. White is general manager of the National Trust Company, the liquidators of the York Loan, and Mr. Smith is manager of the real estate department.

CANUCKS BUY PUEBLA LINE

Syndicate Takes Another Big Part of Mexican Tramways.

Mexico City, April 27.—The Canadian syndicate, which recently purchased the street railway lines of this city, it was said yesterday, has purchased all properties in Puebla of the Puebla Tramways Company with some 27 kilometers of track. A change will be made to electric power and 24 kilometers will be added. It is probable that the electric undertaking in Puebla will be organized under a separate company, and that \$6,000,000 gold will be expended in improvements. Werner, Belt & Co., of London, owned the Puebla street car lines.

THE NURSE'S BILL

Passes the Legislature Committee With Important Amendments.

Toronto, April 27. — The amended Graduate Nurses' Association bill was ratified by the committee of the Legislature today, and will be reported to the House this afternoon. One of the most important amendments provides that instead of the association being governed by an elective council of fifteen members of the association, seven members shall be elected by the nurses and eight male members shall be appointed by the Government from the hospital boards, and four of these must be medical practitioners. This council will decide what hospitals are to be the standard which shall admit their graduate nurses to the association without further examination.

CARNEGIE SEES TORONTO

Drives Through the Main Street and Meets Prominent Citizens.

Toronto, April 27.—Wrapped up in it was a winter's day, Andrew Carnegie arrived in the city at 12:05 today. He was met at the depot by Mr. E. P. Peacock, president; A. E. Hues, secretary, and several other members of the Canadian Club, and taken in an automobile around the principal streets, after which Mr. Carnegie met the board of the public library and discussed the new building. He then met a deputation from Victoria College, consisting of Dr. Potts, Chancellor Burwash, A. E. Ames and Chester D. Massey, when there was some discussion of the offer Mr. Carnegie has made of \$50,000 for a new library for the college on the condition that the institution raises a like sum. Afterwards Mr. Carnegie proceeded to the city hall, where he was welcomed by the mayor. The Carnegie took luncheon with Mr. Goldwin Smith and spent the afternoon at the Grange. He will address the Canadian Club this evening.

BRITISH LABOR BILL

Passed Second Reading, Mr. Balfour Reserves His Criticisms.

London, April 27.—After a long debate, the trades disputes bill, which is designed to define the liability of trades unions for damages through their acts, and which marks the legal limitations of persuasion and picketing in times of strikes, passed its second reading without opposition in the House of Commons yesterday. The former Prime Minister, Mr. Balfour, in the course of a speech, made

it clear that while he and his colleagues would not challenge the bill at this stage, they would reserve detailed criticism to when it reached the committee.

HENSALL.

Hensall, April 26. — Considerable property has been changing hands in Hensall lately. On Tuesday, Hunt & Boyd, of London, took over the Kolehon Engine Works. Their agreement with the village calls for ten employees before the end of the year.

Mrs. W. McCloy and family left this week for New Ontario, where Mr. McCloy is a bushranger for the Ontario Government. Their house was sold to Mr. G. Hudson, and he is moving into it.

Mr. D. Grassick, of Stanley, has bought Mr. J. Kemp's brick residence. Mr. Kemp will likely build. Mr. John Johnston, of Hay, has decided to leave the farm in the fall and has bought Mr. T. Welsie's new house on King street.

Mr. McDermore is putting in a cement foundation for the house he is building on the lot he bought from the Robertson estate.

Mrs. Pollock died quite suddenly on Saturday evening. The funeral took place from the Methodist Church on Tuesday. Dr. Mead officiated.

The I. O. O. F. will celebrate the anniversary of the order by attending divine service in the Opera House on Sunday afternoon, when Rev. Mr. Doherty will conduct the services.

Miss Vera Murdoch has been appointed organist of the Presbyterian Church, to succeed Miss McCloy, who left this week for New Ontario.

The lawn bowlers expect soon to be able to try their hand at the game. Principal McKay attended the teachers' convention in Toronto last week. The village assessment has increased over last year's figures by about \$40,000.

Petitions for cement walks are being circulated. Soon their will be nothing else in the village.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

Reported by C. N. Spencer, stockbroker.

Market Lane, for The Advertiser.	Chicago, April 27.
Wheat—	Open. High. Low. Close.
May	79 1/2 79 3/4 79 1/2 79
July	79 1/2 79 3/4 79 1/2 79
September	78 7/8 78 7/8 78 7/8 78
Corn	
May	46 1/2 46 1/2 46 1/2 46 1/2
July	45 1/2 45 1/2 45 1/2 45 1/2
October	32 1/2 32 1/2 32 1/2 32 1/2
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STOCK MARKETS.

Toronto, April 27, 12:30 p.m.

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J. M. WILLIAMS, Consulting Chemist,
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THIRTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The London Advertiser of April 27, 1871.)

We are pleased to learn that the conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church has decided to station Rev. J. S. Williamson in this city again.

Dr. Macchattie will lecture on Monday evening next in Bishop Cronyn Hall, before the Church of England Y. M. C. A. subject, "The food of man, and its relation to his work."

The Sabbath school teachers of the city will meet this evening in the Congregational school room at 7:30 o'clock, for united prayer in behalf of the Sabbath school labor, and to encourage each other in the good work. It is hoped all will attend.

Dr. Lynch arrived today at Komoka, direct from Manitoba, and is the guest of Dr. Smith. He will be in London in a few days, when, no doubt, he will be able to satisfy inquiring friends as to the true position of affairs in that province.

In the case of Wm. Sparksman, charged a few days ago before the police magistrate, by Mr. Benjamin Fortner, London township, with being one of a gang of young men who trespassed on his sugar bush on March 25, and destroyed a quantity of sap and sugar, his worship delivered judgment today, imposing a fine of \$10, with \$5 costs, and to pay a portion of the damages. Two weeks' time was given to hand over the cash.

Our obituary notices this evening include the death of Stephen Alfred, eldest son of Mr. Stephen Saunders, of this city, who occurred last evening. Deceased was a promising young man of eighteen years of age, of quick intelligence, and gentle and amiable disposition. None knew him but to praise. He was for

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some time past connected with the drug establishment of his uncle, Mr. G. W. Saunders. The funeral will leave the residence on Dundas street at 9:30 tomorrow forenoon. The family have the sympathy of the public in their distressing bereavement.

LONDON AND DISTRICT

—Mr. George W. Yates, of Toronto, private secretary to the Minister of Crown Lands and Mines, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, is improving.

—Rev. A. B. Winchester, of Hanover, united in marriage, at Toronto, on Wednesday, Miss Florence Tupper, of this city and Mr. Herbert Pepper, of Hanover.

—W. Feasenden, a London old boy, who has been located in Toronto for some time, has been appointed local manager for the Williams Sewing Machine Company here.

—Rev. Father Stanley, of this city, is temporarily filling the place of Father Hogan, formerly parish priest of Strathroy. Father Hogan has been removed to Windsor by His Lordship Bishop McEvay.

—On behalf of a number of gentlemen who accompanied the late Countess of Guelph, on their recent trip to Mexico and the south, ex-Mayor Kennedy, of Guelph, has forwarded to Dr. Eccles, of this city, a handsome easy office chair, as a mark of their appreciation of the many services and kindnesses which the doctor rendered the party during the trip.

—A very pleasant time was spent last evening, when a large number of friends gathered at the New Bernard Hotel to tender a farewell reception to Mr. George Mattinson, who is leaving for Montreal. Speeches were made, songs were sung, and the Italian harpers supplied splendid music. Mr. Mattinson leaves London on Monday.

A fashionable wedding took place at Berlin on Wednesday, when one of Berlin's charming daughters became a bride. The ceremony was performed at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. D. W. Salter, who united in wedding Miss Ada Bell, a young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dilmon Klob, to Graham Lackner, of the Sovereign Bank, this city. The assistants were dispensed with, though the bride had as her attendants, Miss Cora Batzner and Ada Weaver, as flower girls, and her sister, Miss Allie, acted as maid of honor. The bride wore a rich wedding costume and was the recipient of many valuable and useful presents.

—Miss Taylor's meetings in Dundas Center Methodist Church still continue to draw a large attendance. The subject treated last night was the practical side of the Book of Ephesians. Miss Taylor presented the everyday life of an ideal Christian, and tactfully adapted her many personal lessons to each one present. Her address was deep, but stirring, and her illustrations bright and to the point. No stereotyped phrases or hackneyed expressions, but an original search of the Scriptures, impressive and helpful.

LECTURE ON PALESTINE.

In the Memorial Church last night Mr. H. A. Oilel, of Weybridge College, Toronto, delivered a very instructive lecture on "Life in Palestine." The custom of Arabs and Bedouins were briefly touched on. The lecture included the work of 20 people. One feature of the lecture was the representation of a Jewish wedding, as seen in the Orient. Mr. Ben Oilel is a young man who is raising funds to put himself through college, by giving lectures through the country. He has lived among the peoples of Northern Africa, Palestine, Italy and other European countries, and is master of the languages of the different people amongst whom he has lived, and is thoroughly capable of handling such a subject, as that of his lecture.

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PURE FOOD SHOW MAY 17 TO 26

Arrangements Made for Attractive and Interesting Exhibit at Princess Rink.

All arrangements have been made by the Grocers' Section of the Retail Merchants' Association of Canada of the city of London to hold a pure food show in the Princess Rink, commencing on May 17, to May 26, which will eclipse anything that has ever been shown in this city. In addition to food products which will be exhibited by the highest class of manufacturers in handsomely decorated booths, the committee have decided to engage the highest class musical talent, so as to combine instruction with entertainment.

The regular price of admission will be 25 cents, but 50,000 tickets will be distributed among the retail grocers, who will give them to their customers and friends, and which will admit adults for fifteen cents and children for ten cents any afternoon or evening.

The Dominion Secretary, Mr. E. M. Town, of the Retail Merchants' Association, of Canada, and who was secretary for the very successful Pure Food Show which has just closed in Toronto, and which attracted upwards of one hundred thousand people, was in the city yesterday, conferring with the grocers' committee here and giving them all the pointers he could to assist them.

The grocers are very enthusiastic in the matter and they say that they want to show the citizens of London what they can do when they get their shoulders to the wheel. We wish them every success.

The committee includes: C. H. Lee, chairman; Frank Harter, secretary; Ed Ryan, treasurer; F. H. Robinson, Thomas McCormick, T. A. Rowat, F. E. Smythe, F. Harley, John Goodge, Thomas Shaw, F. W. Paul, C. N. Summers, H. Langford, H. P. Kanahan and John Diprose.

COST WILL NOT EXCEED 45 CENTS

Vitrified Brick Pavement Will Be Laid on York Street West.

A deputation, consisting of Mr. J. H. Vanstone, Mr. Graydon and others, waited on the board of works last night in regard to the vitrified pavement which is to be constructed on York street, from Talbot to the river.

Mr. Vanstone said the people of the street are willing to have the improvement made, but they wanted some guarantee that the cost would not be charged 75 cents a foot, as was last quoted there, instead of 45 cents a foot, the price set out on the revised notices.

City Engineer Graydon gave the positive assurance that the people will not be compelled to pay more than 45 cents a foot, and perhaps only 40 or 41 cents.

"To be on the safe side, I have named 45 cents a foot as the price, but I hope to be able to build the pavement for 40 or 41 cents a foot," Mr. Graydon said. "This will cover the sinking fund and interest, too."

Mr. Vanstone made the suggestion that a rock seal pavement would do just as well for York street, and would cost much less, but the engineer said such a pavement would not do at all for the street, and the matter dropped.

The deputation, appearing satisfied, the board decided to proceed with the construction of the pavement in the usual manner.

It was also agreed to do all the necessary draining on the hill on York street at the expense of the city. This decision was reached on motion of Ald. Garratt.

Ald. Wyatt for a time objected.

"It is not fair to the people," said the latter, "to drain the hill at the general expense for the people of York street. When the Talbot street pavement was put down, the city charged the cost of the culvert at Carling's Creek to the new pavement, and made the people pay for it by a frontage tax."

As Ald. Wyatt did not press his objection, the motion of Ald. Garratt was adopted.

On motion of Ald. Saunders, it was decided to allow the paving of Richmond street, from the G. T. R. tracks to Horlans, Miss Taylor, and the street, to be done by the city.

A bylaw to establish certain newly-opened-up portions of Mary Place, Duchess, Mackenzie and Tecumseh avenues as public streets, was recommended to the council to be passed. All the new streets are located on the Mackenzie estate in South London.

CIRCLES ENTERTAINED

Local King's Daughters Spend Pleasant Evening at Christ Church.

The circles of the King's Daughters of London were entertained by the circle at Christ Church last night. Rev. R. S. W. Howard, B.A., rector, occupied the chair, and Rev. Dr. Bethune conducted the devotional exercises. Mrs. Savage gave an interesting and inspiring address on the work of the Daughters.

The vocal selections of Mr. and Miss Wright in a duet and Miss Cousins in a solo were delightful. Refreshments were served in the school room after the programme.

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VOTE FOR HIMSELF?

Interesting Point Raised in Connection With Librarianship.

The Public Library board met last night and postponed the appointment of a librarian for a week.

The question was raised as to whether Mr. Manigault, who is a member of the board, and is also an applicant for the position of librarian, has the right to vote for himself.

Local legal lights say there is no room for an argument on this point. Mr. Manigault may vote for himself, if he chooses.

However, the matter has been referred to the city solicitor for his opinion.

LATEST SPORTING NEWS

LAWN BOWLING.

WILL BE AT TOURNAMENT.
Strathroy, April 26.—The Strathroy Lawn Bowling Club has reorganized for the season with the following officers: President, L. H. Dampier; vice-president, H. C. Pope; secretary, treasurer, O. E. Fortner. It was decided to sublet the tennis grounds to a tennis club that will shortly be formed. The two organizations to be managed separately. It was decided to send two links, comprising the cream of the local bowlers, to the Western Ontario bowlers' tournament, which takes place at London in July.

DR. McDONALD IS PRESIDENT.

Kincardine, April 26.—The Kincardine Lawn Bowling Club has reorganized, with the following officers: Honorary president, Wm. Bishop, sen.; president, Dr. J. A. McDonald; vice-president, J. D. Miller; secretary, Dr. W. J. Bruce; treasurer, M. J. Macpherson; auditors, J. H. Scougall, and W. A. Rutton; managing committee, Messrs. Ross, Harvie, Kerr, Scougall, Miller, Miller, McDonald, Malcolm and Bruce.

THE TURF.

MEETING FOR WINGHAM.

Wingham, April 26.—The Wingham Turf Association will hold a spring meeting this year on Wednesday and Thursday, June 6 and 7. A good programme for the two days has been arranged, the first day there being 2:50, 2:25 and 2:15 classes. The second day there are 2:25, 2:21 and 2:11 classes. Trotters will be allowed five seconds. The entries will close on May 30 and the horses eligible May 23. The purse in each event is \$300.

EASY WIN FOR BROODCLOTH.

New York, April 26.—The Flushing stakes, selling, the feature of the closing day at Aqueduct today, resulted in an easy victory for the odds-on favorite, Broodcloth. The favorite broke in front, and making all the pace, won easily by a length. He was bid up to \$2,500, an advance of \$1,500 over his entered selling price. The stable kept the horse by the customary bid of \$5. Four favorites won.

BASEBALL.

JUNIOR LEAGUE FOR STRATFORD.

Stratford, April 26.—A meeting will be held in the Y.M.C.A. Friday night for the purpose of forming a junior city baseball league. Last year the league was under the jurisdiction of the Y. M. C. A., and was composed of four teams. This year the league will be in charge of an executive which will be appointed Friday night. Already six teams have signified their intention of entering, and it is expected

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