

40TH YEAR, NO. 388.

LONDON, ONTARIO, TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 1902.

WHOLE NO. 18744.

Births, Marriages, Deaths.

DIED.
HOLYWELL.—On Nov. 17, 1902, at the residence of Mr. Emerson Stephens, 100 Wellington street, Mary Ann Holywell, in the 67th year of her age.
 Funeral from above address on Wednesday, Nov. 19, services at 2:30 p.m.; funeral at 3. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

SMITH.—At Detroit, on Sunday, Nov. 16, 1902, Fred Smith, in his 62nd year.
 Funeral from his brother-in-law's residence, Mr. J. H. Arcoff, 456 Ann street, on Wednesday, Nov. 19, at 2:30; services at 3 o'clock. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

COLE.—In this city, on Nov. 17, 1902, Annie, the beloved wife of Charles Cole, in her 65th year.
 Funeral on Wednesday, Nov. 19, from her late residence, 58 Front street, at 2:30; services at 3 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Woodland Cemetery.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

GRAND, FRIDAY NIGHT.

The Great Melodramatic Success.

The Scout's Revenge.

Seats on sale tomorrow, 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c.

BY KIND PERMISSION OF LIEUT. COL. Little and others of the regiment, the Seventh Band will give a grand concert in the City Hall on Wednesday evening, Nov. 19, in aid of Victoria Hospital. Vocal music by best local talent. Silver collection at the door.

WOMAN'S MORNING MUSIC CLUB.—First regular concert (tomorrow (Wednesday) afternoon, at 4:15.

"MESSIAH" CHORUS—SOPRANOS AND ALTOS only tonight (Tuesday), Conservatory of Music. Thursday, full chorus, Dundas Center.

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CHRISTMAS SAILINGS TO LIVERPOOL.—Calling at Havre and Bristol. Departure, Saturday, Nov. 22; Bavarian, Saturday, Nov. 29; last steamer from Montreal, Lake Ontario, to Liverpool, Nov. 20. F. B. Clarke, agent, Allan, Beaver, Cunard, American, Anchor and other lines, next advertiser.

SPECIAL—THE STEAMSHIP LAKE Megantic will sail from St. John's to Bristol direct, Thursday, Dec. 11. Only 24 hours, Bristol to London, England, via Great Western Railway. F. B. Clarke, agent, Richmond street, next advertiser.

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LONDON DANCING ACADEMY, CORNER Dundas and Clarence streets. Ladies' classes, Tuesday night; gentlemen's, Wednesday. Come and learn the latest dances.

MEETINGS.

ST. ANDREW'S HIGHLAND CADETS.—London, Ont., Nov. 18, 1902. By order of the commanding officer, commencing on Friday, Nov. 19, 1902, and until further orders, the company of the Regiment will parade at the Drill Shed, in plain clothes, at 4:30 p.m., on Friday, Nov. 19, 1902. Apply to J. H. Munro, Colonel commanding, 8 A. J. C.

MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—AN OFFICE BOY.—Apply Dr. Kingsmill, 40 Park avenue.

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WANTED—KITCHEN GIRL.—APPLY at Olympia Restaurant.

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WE HAVE REDUCED OUR PRICES in pork, corn and get them when they're cheap, at 10 to 15 Market House. James A. Anderson.

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FOR SALE—HIGH-CLASS THOROUGH-bred colts, dogs, young or grown; pedigrees furnished; prices low. P. B. Stothers, Trafalgar street. Phone 465.

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TO LET—UNION FURNITURE VAN.—Furniture carefully handled. John Biggs, Cathcart and Bruce, South London, late of London Furniture Company. Phone 235.

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LOST—SMALL BROWN PURSE, containing money and light-colored handkerchief. Return to this office.

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WANTED—POSITION IN EXPRESS office by young man of one year's experience. Can furnish A1 references. Write Box 365, Sutherland, Ont.

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AN ESTABLISHED BUSINESS FOR sale—will pay 10 per cent on investment. Good location for selling. Box 41, Advertiser.

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WANTED—TWO BOARDERS; GENTLE-men preferred. Apply 130 Albert street.

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At Jones' Auction Rooms,
 On Wednesday and Thursday
 Afternoon and Evening,
 Nov. 19th and 20th,
 at 2:30 and 7:30 each day. Catalogue sale. Goods now on view.

A HONEYMOON CAR

With Women as Conductors, Porters and Brakemen.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 18.—The Kurk-Zarkoff Railroad is advertising a special car for honeymooners, "designed by the renowned engineer and architect, Kregland, and furnished in the very latest Parisian style. It is the easiest-running car in the world," contains the prospectus, superintended by female conductors, porters and brakemen. The sleeping apartments are three times the size of those in Pullman cars, and the walls between the compartments can be removed if a young couple want the coach to themselves. None but newly-married couples are permitted to use the car.

The Toronto City Council has adopted a graduated license fee for

PORTUGAL'S KING WAS WELCOMED

Entertained by King Edward at Windsor Castle—The Czar's Health Failing.

London, Nov. 18.—The King of Portugal arrived at Windsor last night from France to pay a visit to the King and Queen of England. King Edward, who had come directly from Sandringham, met him at the station. The two monarchs embraced one another most cordially, and then drove to the castle. A great banquet was given in honor of the royal guests.

As the present is the first occasion on which King Edward has visited the town of Windsor since his illness, the inhabitants of the royal borough gave him an elaborate reception.

The other ruler at present in England, the German Emperor, had good shooting on the estate of the Earl of Lonsdale, whose guest he has been at Lowther Castle since Saturday. The Emperor will take lunch on Friday, on his way to Germany.

CZAR'S HEALTH FAILING.
 St. Petersburg dispatches convey news of a pressing problem raised by a succession of disasters to the imperial household—disasters that promise to transfer the imperial scepter to the uncle of Nicholas, the Grand Duke Vladimir.

The health of Czar Nicholas is steadily deteriorating. His malady, described as fainting spells, indigestion, hardening of the arteries and epilepsy, has not been checked by the special regimen laid upon him during the last two years.

Dispatches from Livadia describe the Czarina as plunged into deepest dejection and as sitting for hours without uttering a word. She believes that were the Czar gratified in his desires for an heir to the throne all other trouble would count for little.

Czarowitch Grand Duke Michael is also said to be going into pulmonary decline, and in the event of the demise of both Nicholas and Michael, the diadem of the Romanoffs would pass to Vladimir, eldest uncle of the Czar, who is now in his 55th year.

MITCHELL MADE A GOOD WITNESS

Operators' Counsel Could Not Trip Miners' Leader.

THE GREAT BONE OF CONTENTION

Proposition for Yearly Trade Agreement Discussed—Union Discipline Defended.

Seranton, Pa., Nov. 17.—In the presence of as many persons as could be jammed into the superior court room today, Wayne MacVeagh, for the miners, continued his brilliant battle of cross-examination before the anthracite coal commission. The two men, the one in his thirties and the other in his seventies, were followed with intense interest by both the commissioners and the crowd throughout the day and the contest will be resumed in the morning.

The fourth term of the union proposition, which calls for a yearly trade agreement and which means a straight-out recognition of the union, was the bone of contention, and, although four hours were taken up in a discussion of the question, not much material progress was made. Wayne MacVeagh attempted to show the utter irresponsibility of the union and its inability to make contracts which it could not live up to. His principal argument was the alleged boycott and he often hard-pressed the miners' president for an answer. The latter, however, slowly and deliberately gave his replies, but they did not always satisfy his inquisitor. Mr. MacVeagh, in the presence of the assembly, expressed his admiration of the ability of the witness and on one occasion when Mr. Mitchell parried a question regarding the boycotting of a coal and iron policeman by a hotelkeeper, the distinguished attorney threw up his hands, laughed and said:

"Mr. Mitchell, you are the best witness for yourself that I ever confronted."

Mr. MacVeagh weighed heavily on what he said was a reign of terror in the anthracite region during the period of the strike. He read a list of four names of men who were killed during that time and also submitted in evidence about 75 printed pages of acts of alleged violence, boycott and intimidation, and with the assistance of stacks of other documents maintained that it would be utterly impracticable for the coal companies he represented to enter into agreements with an organization that could not control its own men.

UNION DISCIPLINE GOOD.

Mr. Mitchell maintained that the discipline in the organization is as good as it possibly could be where 147,000 men were involved. He claimed that the strikers were not entirely responsible for the acts of lawlessness that were committed. He regretted

that members of the union had in some instances violated the law, even after they had been warned to refrain from doing so, but made the excuse that in times of great excitement there was always more or less disorder.

In answer to questions he said that where there was a reign of terror, and he had no information that such was the case during the late strike, conditions arise that are "intolerable" or "unfortunate." Replying to specific instances pointed out to him by Mr. MacVeagh where men had been deterred from going to work through fear of personal harm or social ostracism for themselves and families, Mr. Mitchell said that in some cases men may have been deterred, but denied the assertion that such alleged acts prevented the mines from being operated. He said that when the strike was declared every mine worker in the region quit work and remained out even after the entire National Guard of the State had been thrown into the coal fields. In short, he said, that the men would not have gone to work under any condition.

The miners' president, no matter how skillfully he was questioned, could not be dragged into a flat admission that he, as president of the union, approved of the boycott complained of by the companies. He had his personal opinions of the boycott, but would not express them as being the sentiment or policy of his organization.

The investigation is dragging too slowly to suit the commissioners, and it is likely the commission will probably tomorrow take

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SEVENTH REGIMENT ENJOYS COL. LITTLE'S HOSPITALITY

The Popular Commanding Officer Entertains His Men.

End of Drill Season Marked in a Pleasant Manner.



AST night, after the regular drill, the last of the season, Col. Little, of the Seventh Regiment, treated the regiment to a most enjoyable supper, in the drill shed. The management of the affair was placed in the hands of the sergeants of the regiment, and the result was a most successful evening in which the whole regiment passed off, reflected great credit upon all concerned. Under the gallery at the east end, where the tables were laid, the hall was hung with Union Jacks and long strings of flags, and otherwise prettily decorated. Following a short drill the men were marched in, company by company, and seated, and the supper was served.

After the cigars had been passed around, the toast, "The King," was proposed by Col. Little and drunk to by all in the hall. The enthusiastic manner, the company singing "God Save the King."

In responding to the next toast, "The Canadian Militia," Major Cronyn said that he felt very like a certain young clergyman who had been asked by an older pastor, wherein lay the success of his sermons. The younger man replied: "I'll tell you. When you prepare your sermons, you write them out and the devil standing at your elbow sees it all and steals the hearts of your hearers. Now, when I preach, the devil himself doesn't know what I am going to say." Major Cronyn said that he felt in the same position, and he felt proud, he said, to have been a member of the contingent that did not crown the King. He thought that the Canadians were probably the best regiment at the coronation, though they were unfortunate in the diversity of their uniforms. Above everything, he would like to see the Seventh become the crack shots of the Dominion. He was certain, however, that the regiment would hold up its end as a Canadian regiment.

A GOOD SAMARITAN

Being Helped Himself Wishes to Help Others.

The papers were never so filled with advertisements of remedies that will cure every known disease, as they are today; these are invariably accompanied by testimonials from people testifying in the strongest terms to the virtue and merit of the particular preparation advertised; but because so much is claimed for the medicine, it has come to the point where most readers regard such testimony as pure "fake" and made up out of whole cloth.

We are glad, however, to vouch for the reliability of the following from Mr. William Lichtenwalter, proprietor of the largest printing house in Canton, Ohio, regarding the Pyramid Pile Cure, for which nothing is claimed, except that it will cure any and every form of piles.

"For several months past I have received so many inquiries from sufferers asking if my testimonial is authentic, that I am inclined to send in a bill to you for postage and stationery. It is now two years since I was last troubled, and my return is as clear and clean as any man who never had piles, although I suffered with protruding, bleeding and internal piles for twenty-seven years. I will not attempt to detail the agony I suffered, being too happy to say I believe I am cured, after two years of evidence."

"What will cure one man will sometimes cure another; whether it was the Pyramid Pile Cure that cured me, I cannot say; but I have been free from piles for two years after using your treatment. I leave sufferers to draw their own conclusions."

"I will answer any communication that a sufferer may ask, and will refer to any business house, bank or manufacturer of Canton, Ohio, concerning my identity, among whom I have lived for forty-eight years."

Pyramid Pile Cure is sold by druggists for fifty cents a package, and will be mailed to any address by Pyramid Drug Co., Marshall, Mich., upon receipt of price.

Drop this card asking for their little book describing the cause and cure of piles.

been that Col. Peters should propose the toast "The Canadian Militia," but that he had thought it too much for him, and, wanting something smaller, had chosen the name of Lieut.-Col. Little. Col. Little felt proud of being the commander of so excellent a regiment as the Seventh is. It was something he had never anticipated when he had first joined, but his enthusiasm had carried him on. The regiment had the best non-commissioned officers in the Dominion. He complimented the non-commissioned officers on their zeal and their care of their men. And the men, said he, had the reputation of behaving in the most creditable manner always—not only as soldiers but also as gentlemen. He liked to see a man when he went into anything, no into it thoroughly. One thing he would say in conclusion, the Seventh Regiment, either as a regiment or individually, could always count on him to give any assistance that was needed. (Applause.)

The toast "Our Regiment," proposed by Major Cronyn, was responded to in short, bright speeches by Major Hayes for Company 1, Lieut. Beecher for Company 2, Capt. Graham for Company 3, Lieut. Ingram for Company 4, Capt. Campbell for Company 5, and Lieut. Little for Company 6.

Sergeant Major Milligan and Col. Serjt. Slippi replied to the toast "The Non-Commissioned Officers of the Regiment." Sergeant Major Milligan said that he felt bound to have acted as color-sergeant in the Canadian contingent that went to the coronation, and the result was a most successful evening in which the whole regiment passed off, reflected great credit upon all concerned.

In proposing the toast to "Our Commanding Officer, Col. Little," Col. Peters, D. O. C., said that the regiment had great cause to congratulate itself on possessing so good a colonel, and that it was up to each and every man to support him. Moreover, the regiment was fortunate in having a colonel who possessed a high standing in the business community. Commanding a regiment was not all "beer and skittles," it was enough to turn a man's hair gray," he said. Seriously, however, he felt proud to have had the pleasure of proposing so popular a toast to so efficient an officer.

Col. Little, replying, said he felt grateful for the honors that had been done him. He commented upon the fact that the original intention had

THE FARMERS' INSTITUTES.

Toronto, Nov. 18.—A supplement section of the Farmers' Institutes report, bringing the records down to June 30 last, shows the membership on that date to have been 22,948, compared with 20,387 the previous year. The attendance at last season's meeting totaled 147,642, compared with 151,623 the previous year. There were 791 meetings held, which will be increased to beyond 800 this season. Halton County has the banner institute with 840 members and an attendance of 5,560. The programme of this year's meeting is published together with the list of subjects which each delegate is prepared to speak upon, covering every phase of agriculture.

Victim of Stock Craze.

Toronto, Nov. 18.—Charles H. Cornell, of 260 Robert street, committed suicide in the Rosedale ravine, near Park road yesterday morning. He had been in the stock market, and had lost heavily during the last week. The losses preyed upon his mind, and he had been despondent.

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FIRST WITNESS IS PRESIDENT DAVIS

Royal Commission Begins Its Inquiry Into Tobacco Case.

BUSINESS SHOWS AN INCREASE

Head of American and Empire Companies Tells of Organization of Concerns and Acquiring of Plants.

Montreal, Nov. 12.—Only one witness was examined yesterday, when the royal commission appointed to inquire into the alleged combine on the part of the American Tobacco Company of Canada and the Empire Tobacco Company, which commission has been sitting in Ontario and New Brunswick, resumed its sessions in the courthouse here, Mr. Justice McTavish, of Ottawa, presiding. Mr. Mortimer B. Davis, Montreal, president of each of the companies named, was in the witness box all day, and his testimony was not concluded when the court adjourned until this morning. He told of the organization of the American Tobacco Company of Canada and of the Empire Tobacco Company, and of their acquiring certain cigarette factories. He also testified as to the coming into force of consignment agreements, under which those handling the companies' cigarettes and tobacco for the retail trade were to be given varying commissions. These agreements were originated for the purpose of giving a uniform rate to the retail trade, and a system of prizes that was introduced was for the purpose of increasing consumption.

Senator Landurand, K. C., Mr. Max Goldstein and Mr. O. E. Fleming, of Windsor, Ont., appeared for the Canadian manufacturers, at whose instance the commission was appointed, and Senator Beique, K. C., and Mr. C. S. Campbell, K. C., were for the tobacco companies.

Examined by Mr. Goldstein, Mr. Davis said that the offices of the American Tobacco Company in Canada and of the Empire Tobacco Company were in Montreal. There were offices at Granby, but the affairs of the companies were directed from Montreal, where witnesses were in the office. Both companies were under his immediate direction. He was a member of the firm of D. Ritchie & Co., which carried on a business in the manufacture of tobacco in Canada. At that time there was also an American cigarette company, which was a manufacturer of tobacco in Canada. It manufactured under license from Kinney Bros., an American concern, which had been merged into another company in the United States. The business of Ritchie & Co. was acquired by the American Tobacco Company of Canada in 1885, through Mr. Butler, the American Tobacco Company, of the United States. The Canadian company got a federal charter before starting operations.

APPROVE THE AGREEMENT.
The minute book of the directors' meetings showed that at a meeting held Dec. 18, 1885, the directors approved a copy of the consignment agreement, by which the consignment were paid those handling the company's cigarettes for the retail trade. It was in consequence of the agreement for protection that the consignment agreements were originated, their object being to do away with the middleman. The American directors did not come to Montreal for the meetings, although they were more heavily interested than the Canadian ones. He was not aware of the existence of those consignment agreements, somewhat similar in terms to that of the consignment agreement, and so far as he knew the latter was not based on use in the United States.

THE AMERICAN TOBACCO COMPANY OF CANADA.
The American Tobacco Company of Canada manufactured cigarettes and cut tobacco. The American Tobacco Company of Canada controlled the Empire Tobacco Company, although there were other tobacco companies in the Dominion. The factory of the Empire Company was at Granby, and Mr. Archibald was the proprietor when it was purchased by the present owner. It manufactured plug tobacco, made out of Canadian combination leaf, and it was the competition in foreign leaf tobacco that led to the manufacture of Canadian plug.

ACQUIRES JOLIETTE PLANT.
The American Tobacco Company of Canada acquired the Joliette factory about three years ago, but it was closed last spring. This was because the factory was in a bad state of repair, and it was thought that it would be more convenient to have the factory where the leaf was. When that factory was running it manufactured plug, chewing and plug smoking from Canadian leaf. The business of L. Larue was acquired in 1896. It was a Canadian cut tobacco factory. The same factory was still used, and Mr. Larue was manager.

The court then adjourned for lunch, and on reassembling Mr. Davis confirmed his evidence. The American Tobacco Company of Canada manufactured the same cigarettes in Canada as the American Tobacco Company of the United States made. The former company manufactured under license from the latter. It was in 1890 that the "exclusive" tobacco contract was started. It was not the company that started it, but the Grocers' Guild asked for it, and it started in London, Ontario, and extended over the Province of Ontario.

It was afterward started in the Province of Quebec, but it had not yet gone to any of the other provinces. He would not be surprised, however, if the jobbers in the lower Provinces asked to have the agreement put in force, as there was a benefit to be got out of it.

CONTRACT IS VERBAL ONE.
The contract relating to the handling of cut tobacco was a verbal one only. Those who handled the company's cigarettes and cut tobacco got 12 per cent on the sales, those who handled cut tobacco as well, only got 5 per cent. The wholesale grocers in the west did not want the optional clause in the contract, which gave the tobacco wholesaler the right to buy the tobacco "exclusive." He did not consider that the number of selling agents had anything to do with the demand from the consumer, and he did not want the Empire Company's tobacco.

THE CONSUMER GOT 60 PER CENT MORE.
The consumer got 60 per cent more plug, chewing and smoking, tobacco, for his money, when he bought the whole lot, than when he bought the tobacco separately. The proportion of the sales of the American Tobacco Company in Canada and of the Empire Tobacco Company were far in excess of all the others, and it was for this reason that the companies took hold of the trade when in a crude condition, and had spent a lot of money in developing it. The companies had about 60 per cent of the cut tobacco business.

EMPIRE FACTORIES' PURCHASE.
Examined by Mr. Fleming, witness said that before he went into the business of the Empire Tobacco Company, the Ontario farmers did not know how to cure their tobacco, and it went bad of their hands. When the Empire factory was purchased, it was in a wretched condition, witness considered that it was only a nucleus of a tobacco business, and it had since been developed. He said that he had been in the business of the growing and curing of Canadian leaf tobacco. The natural channel for distributing goods was to the retail trade direct, and not through middlemen.

He did not fear competition in the Canadian tobacco trade, and the "exclusive" clause was not introduced in the contract on that account; it was put in because the company wanted to know that their selling agents were selling the goods in the best way. Witness declined to say how much and whether or not anything was paid to the American Tobacco Company in the United States for the license granted the Canadian company; and in this he was upheld by his lordship, who thought that the fact that the Canadian company had a license was sufficient. The object of having the contracts, witness said, was to have a uniform price to the retailer.

HAS SYSTEM OF COUPONS.
There was a system of coupons and tags in connection with prizes, which were given in order to increase the consumption, for the cheaper you made your goods, the more you sold. The main aim was to create consumption, and that was why the two companies he represented had developed so much. Mr. Fleming—Why do you offer these prizes in one line and not in another? The Witness—The same answer; to increase consumption.

MR. FLEMING—Is not a fact you offer a prize for the largest number of cigarettes sold in Hamilton. The Witness—For every five packages a man buys he gets a package free.

MR. FLEMING—Does that apply all over the country? The Witness—No; in Montreal and Hamilton.

MR. FLEMING—Why? The Witness—To increase the consumption.

MR. FLEMING—Why in these particular localities? The Witness—Because we want the consumption increased in these particular localities.

MR. FLEMING—Is it not a fact that that is where the opposition have their factories? The Witness—We do it to increase our consumption.

MR. FLEMING—Is it not a fact that you have been asked to introduce the coupons into other towns and cities besides Montreal and Hamilton? The Witness—I don't know that it is.

MR. FLEMING—Who would know? The Witness—The secretary might know, perhaps.

MR. FLEMING—You also offer premiums to the salesmen? The Witness—Yes.

MR. FLEMING—In view of the fact that your goods are so much superior to those of the opposition companies, why is it necessary for you to do this? The Witness—As I said before, we do this to increase consumption of the domestic leaf, to get the consumer from the foreign leaf on to the domestic leaf.

Replying to further questions by Mr. Fleming, the witness said that they had had a new brand of chewing tobacco on the market, known as "Stag," which they sold at about 25 cents a pound. He declined to say what the company got any profit out of it at the time, and the judge would not rule that he must answer the question.

The court then adjourned until this morning at 10:30 o'clock.

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Is an old, well established and reliable preparation. Has been prescribed and used over 40 years. All the druggists in the Dominion of Canada sell and recommend it as being the only medicine of its kind that gives relief and gives universal satisfaction. It promptly and permanently cures all forms of Nervous Weakness, Headache, Rheumatism, Impurity, and all effects of Abuse or Excesses, the Excessive use of Tobacco, Opium, Stimulants, Mental and Physical Exhaustion, and all early signs of Decay. It is a powerful, safe, and reliable remedy, and is sold in packages of six, or six for one. One will please; six will cure. Mailed promptly on receipt of price. Send for pamphlet—free to any address.

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Wood's Phosphorine sold in London by C. McCallum & Co., and Anderson & Nelus, druggists.

HOW THE BODY BREATHES.

There is a homely old saying that nobody ever dies except for want of breath. There is more truth in this than most people know. Breathing means more than is generally imagined.

The lungs are not the only organs with which we breathe. The whole body breathes. This is not a figure of speech. It is an actual fact.

What the lungs do when they breathe is to take in oxygen and give out carbon dioxide, and the same process goes on all over the body all the time in the little cells that make up the nerve-centers, tissues and blood. This is called internal respiration. It is the chief process in the work of tearing down used-up tissue and allowing new material to be built in its place.

If we could understand this process entirely we would understand life, but we can only study it through its effects. We know that Scott's Emulsion helps this process of cell and tissue-repairing to go on very rapidly. We know it very speedily produces good blood and healthy flesh, but we can only partly explain why.

The emulsion contains elements which are very sensitive to oxygen, and the inmost life cells are always hungry for oxygen. Perhaps the emulsion helps them to get it. That is how a great chemist accounts for it.

Scott's Emulsion is rich in carbon, and carbon is particularly needed in sustaining the energy which shows itself in heat and various forms of both mental and muscular activity. It contains an abundance of other properties which we know are specially demanded by the system in conditions of poor health. But no theory will entirely account for the beneficial effects of Scott's Emulsion, just as no theory will quite explain the curative effects of sunshine.

This emulsion combines the full strength of the whole cod liver oil, perfectly emulsified with the highly medicinal properties of hypophosphites of lime and soda. This combination not only makes the oil easy to take and easy to digest, but greatly increases its natural value. Scott's Emulsion is beyond doubt richer than any other known food or preparation in the nourishing properties needed when the blood is poor or the system run down.

Each package of Scott's Emulsion bears the trade mark label of a man carrying a big fish on his back.

We'll send you a sample free upon request.

SCOTT & BOWNE,
55 Front St., W., Toronto.

THIS ADVERTISEMENT CHANGES EVERY DAY
176-178 Dundas Street, London,
Tuesday, Nov. 18, 1902.



Children's Dresses, 39c

Children's Wrapperette Flannel Dresses, in cardinal and black, dresden patterns and fancy stripes, with short yoke and bishop sleeves; full skirt, with hem on bottom; a nice-looking, comfortable and serviceable little garment; our regular 50c line, in sizes 1, 2 and 3, for, each.....39c

2 Specials in Underwear.
About 2 dozen only, Men's Pile Lined Undershirts (only slightly soiled with dust), regular 50c and 65c, Wednesday, for, each.....35c
1 dozen only Ladies' Light-Weight Pile Lined Vests, with long sleeves, closed front, special, Wednesday, 15c, or 2 for.....25c

See the display of our beautiful new Calendars, at Stationery Department.

A Bargain in Nickel Tea Kettles.
About 4 dozen Nickel Teakettles, Nos. 8 and 9, regular price \$1.25 each, Wednesday, our price, each.....79c

CHINA SPECIALS FOR WEDNESDAY.
New China Syrup Jugs, fancy decorations, regular 25c, Wednesday, offered at 15c.....15c
3 dozen only, China Celery Trays, in pink, blue and gold, fancy design, regular 75c, Wednesday, each.....50c
4 dozen China Porridge Sets, pink and white, gold handle, regular 35c, Wednesday set.....25c

5c CROCKERY SPECIALS.
20 dozen white ironstone Individual Vegetable Dishes, Wednesday, each.....5c
2 dozen only White Bowls, at each.....5c
2 dozen 7-inch Platters, Wednesday, each.....5c

This is a good time to buy a Parlor Lamp Globe. We are showing handsome china ones, up from.....75c

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UNIVERSAL FOOD CHOPPERS

\$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00.
Suitable for raw and cooked meat, vegetables, fruit, and for pulverizing bread, almonds, etc.
Axes, Hatchets, Buck Saws, Crosscut Saws, Cold Blast Lanterns, Ash Sifters, Weather Strips, Stove Pipe Varnish, Coal Scoops.

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REID'S HARDWARE, 118 North Side Dundas Street.

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produce heat.
E. B. Eddy's Matches
Create Fire.

The latter is indispensable to the former. No fire can be started with so little trouble as with an

DON'T experiment with other and inferior brands. Use EDDY'S.
OUR BRANDS: "King Edward," 1000s. "Headlight," 500s. "Eagle," 200s and 100s. "Little Comet."

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WESTERN ONTARIO.

Dr. King, who resided with his daughter, Mrs. Alex. Cowan, died at Kingsville on Friday.

Mrs. Etienne, of Mitchell, will attain her 83rd birthday on Dec. 21.

Mrs. James M. Watson, son of Mr. John Watson, clerk of Mornington Township, was elected Republican member of the State Legislature of North Dakota for Butternut County.

Mr. J. C. Boulton, of the Molsons Bank, Woodstock, has been removed to Waterloo. Previous to leaving he was the recipient of a solid gold locket from customers of the bank and business men generally.

Col. Otter will recommend Major E. D. Cameron for the colonelcy of the Deffen Rifes, Brantford. Mr. Cameron will accept.

George J. Duffy, M. C. R. foreman, St. Thomas, was painfully injured on Saturday. Mr. Duffy was assisting in placing a steel tire on the drive wheel of an engine, when the two fell upon him. He was bruised about the arms and his back badly hurt. He is now improving.

While out hunting on Saturday afternoon, John S. Peterson, the 15-year-old son of W. Sanderson, St. Thomas, was accidentally shot in the left foot. He was carrying a gun with the muzzle toward the ground, when in some unaccountable manner the weapon was discharged and the shot entered the ball of his foot, splintering the bone.

Catarrah Sufferers.

The mucous membrane lines all passages and cavities communicating with the exterior. Catarrh is an excessive secretion, accompanied with chronic inflammation, from the mucous membrane. Hood's Sarsaparilla acts on the mucous membrane through the blood, reduces inflammation, establishes healthy action, and radically cures all cases of catarrh.

Illinois history will be represented at the World's Fair, St. Louis, by a series of great paintings specially made portraying the great historical events of the state.

ITS POWER GROWS WITH AGE.—How many medicines loudly blazoned as panaceas for all human ills have come and gone since Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil was first put upon the market? Yet it remains, doing more good to humanity than many a preparation more highly touted, and extending its virtues wider and wider and in a larger circle every year. It is the medicine of the masses.

Albert Toilet Soap Co., Mfrs. MONTREAL.

NO MORE GUESSING
at the oven-heat, if you have a "FAMOUS ACTIVE" range with a thermometer.
No other thermometer registers the heat so accurately as the "FAMOUS", which is put in the oven-door of every "Famous Active" Range.
On the dial of the thermometer is marked the proper degrees of heat necessary for baking bread, cakes, pies, etc.
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WHISKARD'S

Three Busy Stores
228, 230, 232 Dundas Street

COME TO THE Clearance Sale

MANY lines clamor for special mention, but only a few can be accommodated. Make up your mind to see the bargains for yourself. Let your watchword be "Economy" and come to our Great Clearance Sale.

Millinery.

A SMART array of emphatically good offerings for those who readily appreciate positive reductions in prices and are prompt to take advantage of them. There'll be quick buying in this department until the lots are cleared out. Ten per cent off, remember.

White Ostrich Feathers for \$2.75, worth \$5.00. Ten per cent off.

Special line in Black Feathers, \$2.50, \$4.00, \$5.75 and \$6.00 each. Ten per cent off.

White Pompadour, 49c and 59c each. Ten per cent off.

See our Camelhair Hats, worth \$1.25, for 59c. Ten per cent off.

Special line in Breasts, all colors, regular \$5.00, our sale price \$3.50 each. Ten per cent off.

Black Silk Velvet, worth \$1.25 a yard, for 65c; worth \$1.50 a yard, for 50c. Ten per cent off.

Silk Sale.

THESE goods are well worth having at regular prices, but close buying gives them to you for less money than you'd expect. Ten per cent off, too.

Fancy Check Silks, worth 50 cents, must clear them out, sale price 25 cents a yard. Ten per cent off.

Tartan Silk in all plain shades, special at 47 cents a yard. Ten per cent off.

China Silk in all plain colors, 24 inches wide, special at 45 cents a yard. Ten per cent off.

Satin in all colors, worth 75 cents, clearance sale 39 cents a yard. Ten per cent off.

Satins, suitable for fancy work, regularly sold at 50 cents, clearing sale 25 cents a yard. Ten per cent off.

Silk Laid, 6 inches wide, regularly sold at 75 cents, sale price 12 1/2 cents a yard. Ten per cent off.

Underskirts and Underwear.

THE qualities are worthy—unusually so—you'll be impressed with them. Genuine economy in the prices and the 10 per cent off as well.

Black Satana Underskirts with deep flounce and frills, special at \$1.69 each, 10 per cent off.

Black Satana Underskirt with flounce and hemstitched frill, worth \$1.50, sale price \$1.10 per cent off.

Colored Striped Skirt, worth \$1.50, for \$1.00, 10 per cent off.

Ladies' Undervest, fleece-lined, special at 25c, 35c, 50c each, 10 per cent off.

Ladies' All Wool Vests, at 69c, 75c, 85c and \$1.00 each, 10 per cent off.

SPECIALS.

YOU can save money on each one. That's the sum and substance of the whole matter. Ten per cent off.

Plaids, in all shades, worth 25c, clearance sale 20c each. Ten per cent off.

White Felt is now in stock. Ten per cent off.

Clothes Brushes, worth 15c, now selling at 7c each. Ten per cent off.

Togues in cardinal, navy, black and cream, plain or with fancy stripes, special 25c each. Ten per cent off.

Black Velvet Ribbons, satin back, at 50c, 15c, 20c, 25c and 35c each. Ten per cent off.

Canton Flannel, heavy weight, regularly sold at 10c, clearance sale 8c each. Ten per cent off.

Gilbert Linings in black and grays, worth 20c and 25c, clearing at 12 1/2c and 15c each. Ten per cent off.

Watered Linings, worth 10c, clearing at 5c each. Ten per cent off.

Flannelette Blankets, two cases only, in gray and white, 11-4, special at 50c pair. Ten per cent off.

Wool Blankets, heavy weight, sold at \$2.50 elsewhere, clearance sale \$2.25 pair. Ten per cent off.

PREMIER HAS GONE SOUTH

Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier Leave for Virginia.

Doukhobors Were Not Clubbed—T.R. Pedley's New Office.

Ottawa, Nov. 18.—The Premier, accompanied by Lady Laurier and his brother, Mr. Henri Laurier, left yesterday afternoon for Hot Springs, Virginia. He will remain there about three weeks, although his friends would like him to enjoy a holiday of longer duration. Sir Wilfrid's temporary disposition has vanished, and he will be a great surprise if he does not return from his trip in better health than he has been for years.

IN AROUSEMENT.

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QUEER BLUNDER AT BRUSSELS

Police Arrest J. Kier Hardie, M.P., in Connection With Attack on Leopold.

Brussels, Nov. 17.—The police have arrested an Englishman, James Hardie, on suspicion of his having been connected with the attempt made Saturday by Robini on the life of King Leopold.

Hardie turns out to be James Kier Hardie, M.P., the former chairman of the Independent Labor party and well known labor leader. He was subsequently released and lodged a complaint at the British legation. Apparently the police were ignorant of his identity and in spite of his protests he was taken to a police station.

Mr. Hardie threatens to make his arrest an international affair, and will appeal to the British Foreign Office immediately after he returns to England. He says that he had a postal remittance telegraphed to him, addressed to the "Maison de Peuple," and that the police, through a breach of confidence, became cognizant thereof.

After Mr. Hardie's arrival at the police station the officers asked him if he knew Robini, and he was released only when he proved he was a member of the British House of Commons.

Wounded vanity, says a Rome correspondent, is considered to have been the chief motive for Robini's attempt to kill the King of the Belgians. Robini was denounced last May by the International anarchist press as a spy and expelled from the party. Evidently his attack on King Leopold was due to a desire to prove himself an anarchist without fear or reproach.

Correspondent adds that Robini has long been known to the police of various nations as a dangerous anarchist. He was watched by the police of London until the end of last month, when he disappeared, only reappearing when his criminal purpose was all but effected.

Excise Court Judgments.

Ottawa, Nov. 17.—In exchequer court today Justice Budge gave judgment in the following cases:

King vs. Wright, \$100.00, for liquor for land appropriated for rifle range. King vs. Turnbull Real Estate company, \$100.00, for liquor for land appropriated for rifle range.

King vs. King, \$100.00, for liquor for land appropriated for rifle range. King vs. Corkery, \$250.00, for liquor for land appropriated for rifle range.

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A PASSIONATE DRUNKARD.

Wife Writes a Grateful Letter to the Samaritan Remedy Company, Whose Tasteless Samaritan Prescription Enabled Her to Reform Her Drunken Husband.

"How could I express my gratitude for the good your remedy has done for me. I was a passionate drunkard and my husband was before he has been drunk only twice since I have started to give him the tablets, and since I have given him the four tablets at a time he has stopped drinking altogether. Just think how good it is to be able to sleep in peace, and to be sure he will not get up in the middle of the night, beat my poor children, and break all the furniture in the house, and to be sure that the next night I will sleep in the house and not freeze in the open air with my children. Let me thank you a thousand times, and may God send you and your many happy days—Azilda Bonneau.

FREE SAMPLE and pamphlet giving full particulars, testimonials, and how to use the tablets. Address: Samaritan Remedy Co., 23 Jordan Street, Toronto, Canada.

Also for sale at Strong's Drug Store, 184 Dundas Street.

"Billy" Boyd Remanded.

Chatham, Nov. 18.—"Billy" Boyd was this morning arraigned on the charge of bawling out the Hermitage, of Winnipeg, out of \$2,000. As the complainant was a week while Mr. Herriman will be summoned.

Excise Court Judgments.

Ottawa, Nov. 17.—In exchequer court today Justice Budge gave judgment in the following cases:

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THE LONDON ADVERTISER COMPANY (Limited). LONDON, ONTARIO.

London, Tuesday Nov. 18.

Two Policies Before the Country.

Sir John Macdonald's biographer says that he (Sir John) "believed that a mutually preferential commercial arrangement between England and Canada, under which a small duty should be levied upon foreign corn coming into the United Kingdom, and a similar advantage accorded to British manufactures by Canada, would not raise the price of food in England and would result in a large and permanent development of trade, both to the mother country and the colony."

Sir John might have been incredulous had he been told that within a few years his own party would array itself against this policy. At that time the prospect of a revival of the import tax on corn in Great Britain was considered very remote, and imperial preferential trade had only a speculative interest. Today it has become a question of practical politics, and there is an almost positive assurance that the colonies can obtain favored treatment in the British market if they offer sufficient inducements. This condition of things has been hastened by Canada's preferential policy and by the statesmanlike course of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who refused to antagonize British public opinion by demanding that the British people tax themselves in return for Canadian favors.

The Conservative party of this country, the self-styled "British" party, the party that claimed to be the champion of imperial preferential trade (when there was little chance of getting it), is now swallowing its professions and placing itself against the movement for drawing the various portions of the empire closer together in trade relations. The pretensions of the Conservative party have been completely shattered. It declares that the Canadian tariff on British imports is too low and is injuring some branches of home industry. On the other hand, Mr. Chamberlain declares that the Canadian preference is insufficient and that British goods must be admitted to the Canadian market on easier terms, before a preference in the British market can be hoped for. The Canadian Government is willing to grant the mother country still greater advantages for the priceless boon of a British preference. The Conservative party demands that the favors already granted the mother country be withdrawn. These are two distinct policies and they create a new situation in Canadian politics.

The Late George A. Henty.

Thousands of boys all over Canada and the United States, together with not a few children of larger growth, will feel that they have sustained a personal bereavement in the death of George A. Henty, war correspondent and author of books for boys, who died on Sunday on his yacht at Weymouth, England. Mr. Henty's stories have been to the lads of the present generation what those of Balzac and King were to the boys who are now concerned with the larger affairs that make up the duties and responsibilities of manhood. For the seventy or more boys' stories that Mr. Henty wrote, he chose a wide variety of historical settings, ranging from the days of the ancient kingdoms of the earth down to the opening of the twentieth century. Despite the diversity of locality, his books are identical in one respect, and that is in presenting as the central figure a manly, courageous and high-minded youth, who cannot fail to win the admiration of the boy who peruses the story. Mr. Henty's books thus have a twofold value in teaching boys the history, customs and manners of bygone ages in an attractive form, and in inculcating in them high ideals of manliness and Christian courage. It would be well for the future of the youth of the country if such books as Mr. Henty's were placed in their hands as a substitute for the trashy detective and criminal stories upon which so many waste their time and their intelligence. It is to be hoped for the sake of the boys themselves, that the vogue of Mr. Henty's stories will not die out for years to come.

Looking to Canada.

"The only country we can look to for the timber we must have is Canada," says the English publication, Engineering. The mines, the railways, the telegraph—all these require enormous quantities of timber, which Great Britain yearly imports. In 1901 the number of loads of pit-props imported for use in the mines was 1,579,810. There are in use in Great Britain ninety million railroad ties, and the annual consumption for renewals is about 3,750,000 a year. Engineering estimates the value of timber used on British railways every year at £1,250,000, exclusive of what is needed for rolling stock. In Great Britain there is less area under forest than in any other country under Europe except Portugal. There are only five European countries which export timber—Russia, Sweden, Austria-Hungary, Norway and Roumania—and the amount exported by these five countries is nearly 2,500,000 tons short of the total amount required in Europe. Germany, with 26 per cent. of its area

under forest, admirably managed on scientific principles, imports nearly half as much as Great Britain. France, with 18 per cent. of its area under forest, and that scientifically managed, as in Germany, imports 1,250,000 tons of timber a year. Belgium, with 17 per cent. under forest, imports still more largely in value though somewhat less in weight. Denmark, Italy, Spain and Holland all import. Of the timber imported into Great Britain in 1899, more than nine-tenths in weight and nearly four-fifths in value was coniferous wood, which is grown in the temperate countries of the northern hemisphere, and this is the timber which is most largely consumed in engineering work. Hence the conclusion that the mother country must look to Canada. Engineering says:

"Canada is said to have still 33 per cent. of its area forested—that is, nearly 800,000 acres—but much of what is called forest is not timber-producing. The United States is making increasing demands for timber, and Canada itself, with its enormous resources in water power, will soon be a large consumer of its own forest produce. The one industry of wood paper pulp will consume an immense area of forest. There are wood pulp companies now holding 250,000 and 300,000 acres of forest, and the Lake Superior Paper Company has obtained an immense area (8,000,000 acres, it is said), of spruce forest to supply its water power mills with material for making wood pulp."

In agriculture as well as in forest products, Great Britain would do well to place increasing reliance on this country.

Wives of Public Men.

Mr. Chamberlain's graceful tribute to his wife, whom he calls his "best and truest counselor," calls attention to the conspicuous part which the wives of British public men play in their husband's affairs. There is no other country in which women are so active a force in politics. The Primrose League is one evidence of this. It is customary for the wife of a British politician to aid in her husband's canvass. The higher her social rank, the greater her opportunities. Dumas likes to be flattered by the attentions of a high-born lady. The wives of "rich statesmen" may exercise their influence in other ways. Lord Palmerston's most effective ally was his wife, who used her popularity in the salons to promote his interests. The world knows what a debt Lord Salisbury owed his late partner in life. Mrs. Gladstone was wholly immersed in her husband's business. Lady Randolph Churchill, now Mrs. Cornwallis-West, canvassed electors on behalf of her husband (No. 1) and son. The present Lord Lansdowne owes his advancement, it is said, to the cleverness and social prestige of his wife. Instances may be multiplied. Critics of the war office claim that "petticoat intrigue" has a great deal to do with preferments in the army.

Whatever the Kaiser may think of the British army, he goes to England when he wants good shooting.

Mr. Chamberlain says the National Policy struck a blow at British trade. So it did, and the same party in this country is quite ready to hit British trade again.

Goldwin Smith has willed his brain to a Cornell University professor. It's a great brain, and many a man would give a good deal to possess it in full working order.

The president of the local Conservative Club wishes it understood he passed no reflection on the judiciary. This is a rebuke to Mr. Whitney, who has said some hard things about the judges who composed the West Elgin commission.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier has left for Hot Springs, Va., for a three weeks' rest, which he has richly earned. He will be out of the reach of public dinners there. May he return invigorated for work, of which there will be plenty at the ensuing session.

Mr. Monk, M. P., claims that Quebec is not being fairly treated because the portfolio of public works has been given to an Ontario minister. He intends to make this an issue in his own province. Mr. Monk is the politician who denounced Sir Wilfrid Laurier as a creature of Chamberlain's. He is Mr. Borden's right-hand man in the House, and is too high in the party to be repudiated. He will make more trouble for the Opposition than the Government if he keeps on.

The Old Story.

Whitney has come to life. He was at London last night, with the same old troupe and the same old song and dance that he has utilized so long in lieu of a policy.

A Terrible Prospect.

[Cleveland Plaindealer.] Lord Kelvin says that in 400 years all the coal in the world will be exhausted. And just think of the price it will command during the 39th year.

Unequal Distribution.

[Washington Star.] A millionaire I'd like to be. Alack! 'tis scarcely fair. The others get the millions, And I only get the air.

An Apprehension.

[Washington Star.] "There are good trusts and bad trusts," said the hopeful man. "Yes," answered the cheerful citizen; "but the bad ones are accumulating so much profit and power, that I'm afraid it won't be long before the good trusts are led into temptation."

A Valid Excuse.

[Tit-Bits.] An honest countryman, anxious to explore the wonders of the British

Museum, obtained a special holiday a short time since. Accordingly, taking with him a couple of lady friends, he presented himself at the door for admittance.

"No admission today, sir," said the keeper. "But I must come in. I've a holiday on purpose." "No matter. This is a close day, and the museum is shut." "What?" said John, "ain't this public property?" "Yes, but one of the mummies died a few days ago and we are going to bury him." "Oh, in that case we won't intrude," said John, as he retired.

A Photograph.

[Exchange.] It dropped from a bureau recess. A photograph—carte de visite. I had thought I would clear out the mess And make the thing tidy and neat.

A pensive and beautiful face. A crown of luxuriant hair. A person of exquisite grace. That fashion could hardly impair.

Her eyes into mine seem to gaze. Reproachfully asking if I Remember the sweet bygone days— My answer is only a sigh.

Ah, yes! I remember quite well. Sweet girl, all the vows that we swore. As we walked in the meadow or dell. And you gave me the rose that you wore.

I think that you gave me a rose. I took your white hand, I am sure; And took something else, I suppose. For all that you look so demure.

Our trust by the old locust tree— Or was it in town that we met? It really seems awful of me. But somehow I almost forget.

I loved you, at least—that I know— With a pure, yet a passionate flame. Even now I can feel the old glow. But—I wish I could think of your name!

Where She Has Never Been.

She's been in France and Germany. She's journeyed up the Nile. She lived in England for a year In almost regal style. She's been in Florida and crossed The broad Pacific, too; The wondrous canyons of the West Have spread beneath her view.

She's been in London and Berlin, Paris, Venice, Rome, and Spain. But not a square away from where She sits at ease at home. A poor, sick child is dying in



A room that's small and bare; It might be made more cheerful—yet She never has been there.

AFRO-CANADIAN TRADE

May Be Greatly Increased by Well Directed Effort.

Canada and Australia Favored by South African Importers.

Ottawa, Nov. 18.—J. G. Jardine, Canadian trade commissioner in South Africa, writes, under date of Oct. 10, that British exports to that country are on the advance, in spite of foreign competition.

"It is, therefore, abundantly evident that South African importers are certain to place a large percentage of their orders with the mother country, and at the same time give the preference to Canada and Australia over the United States and Germany. Even the Dutch are disposed to purchase from the colonials whenever possible. Somehow they have a sincere respect for the courage and physique of our colonial contingents."

The Australians are securing large orders for cheap and light agricultural machinery. Some of these have been placed with them by the Government. Mr. Jardine thinks Canadians could have a show if they made an effort. Johannesburg will spend in the next few years upwards of \$20,000,000 upon drainage, waterworks, electric tramways, and new buildings. Durban, Pretoria, Pietermaritzburg, Port Elizabeth, Kimberley and Cape Town will undertake similar large works, and the Government railways will need rolling stock, locomotives, etc. The corporations are favorably disposed toward Canadian goods, and our manufactures.

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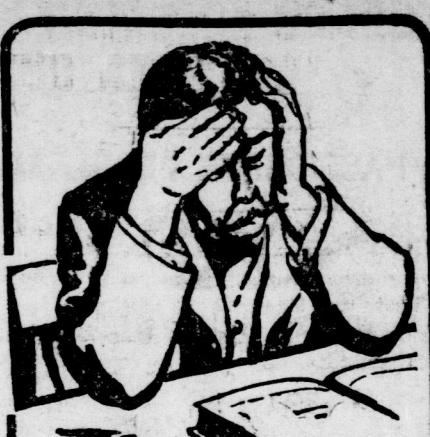
By some sudden sound she drops the vase upon the floor. She is nervous and may be told that nervousness is a luxury which only a rich woman can afford to indulge in.

Nervousness in woman is commonly but symptom of womanly disease. It is useless in such cases to "doctor" for the nerves alone. Cure the disease which attack the delicate womanly organism and nervousness will be cured also.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes weak women strong, sick women well. It establishes regularity, dries weakening drains, heals inflammation and ulceration, and cures female weakness. It tranquilizes the nerves and induces refreshing sleep.

"In the fall of 1897, I was troubled with nervousness, headache, heart trouble and female weakness," writes Miss H. M. Ensey, of Sala, Oswego Co., N. Y. "Last summer I wrote you and you advised me to try your Favorite Prescription and 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I did so and I began to improve rapidly. Continued taking the medicine, half a dozen each of Favorite Prescription and Golden Medical Discovery for the space of five months, and in less than a year had regained my former health."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets clear the muddy complexion.



Headache.

Pain across the forehead or at back of head is dangerous. It slowly but surely weakens the intellectual powers, impairs the vitality and will. Headache sometimes from the eyes but more frequently is caused by a disordered condition of the stomach and digestive organs. Do not suffer. The pain can be cured by the harmless remedy

Abbey's Effervescent Salt

It never loses its effect. Cures by driving out the poison, and does not simply deplete the system as do so many preparations containing narcotics. Abbey's in the morning will make you well and keep you well.

turers of builders' materials, trams, locomotives, railway coaches and freight cars, sleepers, windmills, etc., should be able to secure a share of this business.

Mr. Jardine thinks that Canadian business men would do well to appoint agents at all the important centers, handling our goods alone. Industries could unite for this purpose. If Canadian trade in Africa is to grow, the number of agents with capital and energy must be increased. So far we have only three altogether.

MUSIC AND DRAMA

A NEW MELODRAMA. "The Scout's Revenge" will have its first production in this city at the Grand next Friday evening. It is the work of John A. Fraser, a young author, who has done some very creditable play-writing. It is said to tell a dramatic story in a skillful manner, introducing some thrilling climaxes and a goodly amount of comedy.

HAVE YOU TRIED

MALT BREAKFAST FOOD?

Young and Old Are Delighted With It.

The purest, most delicious, healthful, nutritious, and altogether the most satisfactory breakfast cereal ever placed before the public is Malt Breakfast Food. It is a food that if not, you are missing one of the luxuries of life that costs little money—an agent that keeps the digestion of young and old in perfect condition as they play and eat. It is a food that is economical; one package makes a meal for twenty-five people. Recommended by thousands of physicians as a true health food. Your grocer sells it.

Japanese national flags are alleged to be practically unobtainable just now in London.

SURE CURE FOR HEADACHE.—Bilious headaches, to which women are more subject than men, becomes so acute in some subjects that they are utterly prostrated. The stomach refuses food and there is a constant and distressing effort to free the stomach from bile which has become undigested. Malt Breakfast Food is a speedy alternative, and in neutralizing the effects of the undigested bile relieves the pressure on the nerves, which cause the headache. Try them.

Noise, says Health, is one of the greatest foes to health that is encountered in city life.

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills cure Anæmia, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Weakness, Excitation, Throbbing, Painful Spells, Dizziness, or any condition arising from Impoverished Blood, Disordered Nerves or Weak Heart. y Warsaw, Russia, is going to have a statue of Chopin.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over FIFTY YEARS BY MILLIONS OF MOTHERS for their CHILDREN. It is a SURE CURE FOR ALL THE CHILD SOFTENS THE GUMS, ALLAYS ALL PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for DIARRHEA. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Give it and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's" Soothing Syrup.

Climate and topography, as well as the condition of the roads, and the individuality of the people, militate against the future of the automobile in Brazil.

THERE ARE SO MANY cough medicines in the market that it is sometimes difficult to tell which to buy; but if we had a cough, a cold or an affliction of the throat or lungs, we would try Eick's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. Those who have used it think it is far ahead of all other preparations recommended for such complaints. The little folks like it, as it is as pleasant as syrup.

The automobile has not yet found its place on the tariff list of Brazil, but comes in under the head of machines, paying 50 per cent. ad valorem. Haydon's Yellow Oil is good for man or beast. Relieves pain, reduces swelling, allays inflammation, cures cuts, burns, bruises, sprains, stiff joints, etc.

Customs duties on automobiles imported into Mexico are the same as on carriages intended to be drawn by horses.

Coughs, colds, hoarseness, and other throat ailments are quickly relieved by Vapo-Cresolene-tablets, ten cents per box. All druggists.

Pittsburg is the richest city per capita in the United States.

MOTHER GRAVES' Worm Exterminator has no equal for destroying worms in children and adults. See that you get the genuine when purchasing.

RUSH! RUSH! RUSH!

So busy selling goods. No time to write advertisements. Crowded store the best evidence we are keeping faith with the public.

Two things which are magnetic—first, the quality—second, the low price, wonderful value.

REMEMBER

KINGSMILL'S

Are Offering Tremendous Inducements to Clear Out the Entire Stock and Open the New Store With New Goods.

Exceptional diseases require exceptional treatment.

The time is short until Christmas.

Each day there is a good deal to do.

There is no single Corset made which will fit every individual.

There is not a single manufacturer in the world who meets all the requirements. No two human bodies are exactly alike. Some are short and some are long, some are crooked and some are straight, some are fat and some are lean. Bust measures vary, waist measures vary, hip measures vary. This is why we are obliged to buy from so many makers and keep so many kinds.

You find Thompson's Celebrated Glove Fitting (made in England)—

"La Noblesse" 3950, regularly sold at \$3.50, reduced to..... **\$2.50**
3945, " " \$3.00, " **\$2.00**
3924, " " \$4.00, " **\$3.00**
3757, " " \$4.00, " **\$3.00**
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C. P. Coutille, A la Sirene, French Made—Mignon, C45 Imperial, reduced **25 per cent.**

H. S. Elite, American Made—French Coutille, real Whalebone filling, in White, Black and Gray, regular \$2.50, reduced to..... **\$1.25**

Tailor Made—1,318.0. Gray, White and Black, regular price \$2.00, reduced to..... **\$1.50**

P. N. American Made, Cork Lined Busk—in various numbers to fit different figures. **25 per cent off regular prices.**

Gracilus, one of our Classical Corsets, made from the best material, as shown in the West End Drapers, London, England, regular price \$4.00, reduced to..... **\$2.00**

Easy Wear, for Tailor Fitting Costumes, in Black only, full range sizes. This too is considered a Classical Corset—has a rubber band at the hip, regular price \$4.50, for..... **\$2.25**

B. and I. Patent Bias Filled Corsets, in various makes and sizes. The above are all High-Class Corsets, made for and sold to the best trade, and mark the price. About 1,000 pairs to select from.

Crompton's Yatisi, usually sold at \$1.25, reduced to..... **95c**

Cleo, regular price \$1.25, reduced to..... **75c**

Pearl, in Drab only, regular 75c, reduced to..... **47c**

KINGSMILL'S

English has been made a compulsory subject of study in Austrian schools.

TO THOSE OF SEDENTARY OCCUPATION—Men who follow sedentary occupations, which deprive them of fresh air and exercise, are more prone to disorders of the liver and kidneys than those who lead active outdoor lives. The former will find in Parnele's Vegetable Pills a restorative without question the most efficacious on the market. They are easily procurable, easily taken, act expeditiously, and they are surprisingly cheap, considering their excellence.

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MARKET REPORTS.

THE LOCAL MARKET.

London, Tuesday, Nov. 18. The disagreeable weather of this morning had a telling effect on the attendance at the market here today. The supply of produce was very light, and prices as a rule were unaltered.

Grain—Six loads of oats sold at 90c to 95c per cwt. No wheat offered.

Hay and Straw—Twelve loads of hay sold at 10c per ton for the best, and 8c per ton for medium quality. The loads were sold by 10:30 o'clock. No straw offered.

Butter and Eggs—There was no change in this line, and offerings were light.

Vegetables—Three large loads of potatoes offered, sales were made at 90c to 95c per bag wholesale. The supply of other vegetables was small and prices were as quoted.

Fruits—A few barrels of apples sold at 15c for choice fruit. Grapes sold at 20c to 30c for the 10-pound boxes.

Poultry—Not a great deal offered; a few lots of live turkeys sold at 90c per pound, dressed, and 10c to 15c; ducks and chickens as quoted.

Dressed Hogs—About 20 offered; prices ranged from 17c to 18c per cwt, mostly at the first-named figure.

Butchers Meats—Considering the day, there was a large supply on sale; prices were about as quoted, and sales slow.

GRAIN, PER CWT.

Wheat, sprouted 1.15 @ 1.16
Wheat, good 1.12 @ 1.13
Oats 1.00 @ 1.01
Barley95 @ .96
Corn85 @ .86
Rye75 @ .76
Lime60 @ .61
Clover50 @ .51

GRAIN, PER BUSHEL.

Wheat 63 @ 64
Oats 30 @ 31
Barley 25 @ 26
Corn 20 @ 21
Rye 15 @ 16
Lime 10 @ 11
Clover 8 @ 9

DAIRY PRODUCE.

Butter, per cwt. 20 @ 21
Butter, crock, per lb. 18 @ 19
Eggs, doz., basket lots 19 @ 20
Eggs, doz., new-laid, 18 @ 19
Honey, strained, per lb. 9 @ 10
Honey, in comb, per lb. 13 @ 14
Cheese, whole, 10 @ 11

FRUITS.

Apples, per bushel 1.15 @ 1.16
Apples, per barrel 1.12 @ 1.13
Pears, per bushel95 @ .96
Crabapples, per bushel85 @ .86
Citrons, per bushel75 @ .76
Grapes, 10-lb. basket 20 @ 21
Chestnuts, per bushel 30 @ 31

POTATOES.

Potatoes, single bag, 1.00 @ 1.01
Potatoes, per bushel95 @ .96
Onions, per bushel85 @ .86
Beets, per bushel75 @ .76
Carrots, per bushel60 @ .61
Cabbages, per doz. 25 @ 26
Cauliflowers, per doz. 30 @ 31
Pumpkins, each 1.00 @ 1.01
Squashes, per doz. 20 @ 21
Sage and savory, doz. 10 @ 11
Peppers, per bushel 15 @ 16
Cauliflowers, per doz. 30 @ 31

POULTRY, DRESSED.

Chickens, per pair 75 @ 76
Ducks, per pair 65 @ 66
Geese, each 50 @ 51
Turkeys, per pair 85 @ 86

LIVE POULTRY.

Chickens, per pair 45 @ 46
Ducks, per pair 35 @ 36
Geese, each 25 @ 26
Turkeys, per pair 55 @ 56

MEATS.

Dressed hogs, per cwt. 17 @ 18
Pork, hindquarters, lb. 10 @ 11
Pork, forequarters, lb. 9 @ 10
Beef, carcasses, common, 6 @ 7
Beef, forequarters, 5 @ 6
Lamb, by carcass 8 @ 9
Lamb, by quarter 7 @ 8
Veal, per cwt. 6 @ 7
Mutton, per cwt. 5 @ 6

Hay, per ton 10 @ 11
Straw, per ton 5 @ 6
Baled hay, whole stock, 10 @ 11

Hogs, per cwt. 17 @ 18
Pigs, per pair 10 @ 11
Sows, per cwt. 14 @ 15
Fat cattle, 10 @ 11
Cows, each 25 @ 26

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ENGLISH MARKETS.

BRITISH APPLE MARKET. Toronto, Nov. 17.—Messrs. Woodall & Co. called today: Twenty-three thousand barrels. The market continues active. Greenings, 15s to 16s; Baldwin's, 15s to 16s; Spies, 15s to 16s; Russets, 15s to 16s; Kings, 15s to 16s; seconds, 4s less.

Shipments last week, as far as reported: From Boston 26,491
From Montreal 12,400
From New York 32,900

DETROIT BEAN MARKET. Detroit, Nov. 18.—Beans are in less and prices hold without change. Quotations: Cash and Nov. 25s; Dec. 27s; Jan. 28s; May, 30s.

AMERICAN MARKETS. CHICAGO. Chicago, Nov. 17.—Grain markets were active today, and higher prices ruled. December wheat closed 7c higher. December corn, 1c higher; oats, 1/2c higher; January provisions were 1/2c higher. Primary receipts of wheat were 1,082,000 bushels, and 100,000 bushels for tomorrow. Wheat, 15c; corn, 10c; oats, 8c; soybeans, 15c; hogs, 20c; cattle, 15c.

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OIL MARKETS.

PITTSBURGH.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Nov. 17.—The oil market closed at 11 1/2.

OIL CITY.

Oil City, Pa., Nov. 17.—Credit balances, 11 1/2; certificates, no bid.

LONDON.

London, Nov. 17.—Petroleum, American refined, 2 1/2; sugar, 2 1/2; refined, steady; No. 2, 1 1/2; No. 3, 1 1/2; No. 4, 1 1/2; No. 5, 1 1/2; No. 6, 1 1/2; No. 7, 1 1/2; No. 8, 1 1/2; No. 9, 1 1/2; No. 10, 1 1/2; No. 11, 1 1/2; No. 12, 1 1/2; No. 13, 1 1/2; No. 14, 1 1/2; No. 15, 1 1/2; No. 16, 1 1/2; No. 17, 1 1/2; No. 18, 1 1/2; No. 19, 1 1/2; No. 20, 1 1/2; No. 21, 1 1/2; No. 22, 1 1/2; No. 23, 1 1/2; No. 24, 1 1/2; No. 25, 1 1/2; No. 26, 1 1/2; No. 27, 1 1/2; No. 28, 1 1/2; No. 29, 1 1/2; No. 30, 1 1/2; No. 31, 1 1/2; No. 32, 1 1/2; No. 33, 1 1/2; No. 34, 1 1/2; No. 35, 1 1/2; No. 36, 1 1/2; No. 37, 1 1/2; No. 38, 1 1/2; No. 39, 1 1/2; No. 40, 1 1/2; No. 41, 1 1/2; No. 42, 1 1/2; No. 43, 1 1/2; No. 44, 1 1/2; No. 45, 1 1/2; No. 46, 1 1/2; No. 47, 1 1/2; No. 48, 1 1/2; No. 49, 1 1/2; No. 50, 1 1/2; No. 51, 1 1/2; No. 52, 1 1/2; No. 53, 1 1/2; No. 54, 1 1/2; No. 55, 1 1/2; No. 56, 1 1/2; No. 57, 1 1/2; No. 58, 1 1/2; No. 59, 1 1/2; No. 60, 1 1/2; No. 61, 1 1/2; No. 62, 1 1/2; No. 63, 1 1/2; 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CHAPTER XII

An expression of wonder overspread Kenneth's features as he met the startled, horrified look of the woman before him. What could be the meaning of the woman's strange looks and deportment? The people had been passing rapidly off the boat, and the three were now almost alone, so there were very few, if any, to observe the curious tableau.

Kenneth was sure that he had never seen the lady before, he did not even know her name, and yet there was in that almost petrified glance of abhorrence which she bent upon him an expression which betrayed that she had discovered something both familiar and repulsive about him.

Perhaps she was annoyed and angry because of the caress which he had given and received from her little niece, he thought at first; but surely she could not be so unreasonable to suppose that he had been actuated by the purest of motives in according to that childish request.

He felt very awkward for a moment, and was in some doubt as to just how he ought to conduct himself. The spell was broken by the child herself.

"Auntie, what is the matter?" she cried. "What makes you look that way at that kind gentleman who saved me? Why don't you say something to him, and tell him how much we thank him?"

Madam was recalled to herself in an instant, and became calm, proud and dignified, as when Kenneth had first seen her, though she did not fully regain her color.

"I beg your pardon, sir," she said, with polished courtesy. "I hope you will excuse my apparent rudeness, but, as you turned just then, there was something in your face and bearing which reminded me of a friend who died many years ago. Will you kindly tell me to whom we are so deeply indebted?"

"My name is Keith, madam—Kenneth Keith—"

"What more he would have said was stayed upon his lips, for the woman's face again suddenly blanched to the hue of death, even her lips grew livid. She swayed dizzily where she stood, and, throwing out one hand, she clutched wildly at an iron post for support.

Kenneth sprang forward, thinking she was about to fall in a swoon.

"I fear the effects of this accident have been too much for you, madam," he said, with kindly concern. "Let me lead you to a seat."

"No, no! Do not touch me!" she cried, with a gasp and a gesture of repulsion. Then she added, in a quieter tone, while she struggled for composure: "Excuse me, I—I shall be better soon. Ah, yes; the excitement has been more than I could bear."

She staggered forward and sank weakly upon the seat where her niece was reclining, caught her in her arms with a passionate movement and buried her aching face in her neck.

"Why, Auntie Kate, the young girl demanded, "what is the matter with you?"

"Oh, my darling—mine—mine!" she murmured, and no one shall ever rob me of you," she murmured, incoherently, and evidently losing her composure again.

Kenneth moved quietly away a few steps, and left the two together.

He could not understand her strange words or this excessive emotion, which seemed to unnerve her even more than her great peril of her niece had done. He tried to believe that the shock and the intense strain upon her nerves had been the cause of this sudden breaking down, and yet he could not reconcile her peculiar treatment of himself with it.

"What can you mean, auntie? Nobody wants to rob you of me, I am sure," returned Miss Belle, regarding her with surprise. "I do not think you are treating the kind gentleman nice at all," she continued reproachfully. "What would have become of me but for him?"

The woman lifted her head and kissed the child passionately, while for a moment she searched her face anxiously.

"Thank you, Mr. Keith," she said, but without meeting his eyes. "I am sure you have done but true for me, and I am very grateful to you. I cannot express half what I feel. I believe it would have killed me if my darling had been drowned. I shall never forget the debt that we both owe you, and I, with a furtive glance at him, "I can testify to our indebtedness in any more substantial way. I hope I may be permitted to do so."

Kenneth colored slightly at these last words.

CHAPTER XII (Continued.)

"You allow me to call a carriage to take you to your residence?"

"Thank you, that will not be necessary; our coachman—I see him coming now—can do all that we require. Do not let me detain you a moment longer, Mr. Keith, for you wet condition is a sad reproach to me."

Kenneth thought she appeared anxious to get rid of him, at which he was considerably chagrined and disappointed, for she had not once hinted at her own personal acquaintance with him, and he was very curious to know who she really was.

Her coachman approached her at that moment, and she turned to speak to him, while Kenneth stepped back to the side of her niece once more.

"She smiled up at him in the most courteous and pleasing way."

"Isn't it queer," she remarked, "that your initials should be the same as mine?"

"Are they?" Kenneth inquired.

"Yes," she said, "your name was Kenneth, and mine was Kenneth."

"Well, auntie, is Katherine Kavanagh, K. K. don't you see?"

Kenneth's face lighted; he had learned the name of the woman about whom he was so curious, in spite of her own reticence upon the subject.

"It is a little singular," he returned, "that you should tell me your own name, that I may know whom I have been so fortunate to save today?"

"Katherine Kavanagh," she said, "the child replied, "that auntie always calls me Belle. I think that Kenneth is a good name, and she concluded, looking admiringly up into his face, and thinking how well it suited him."

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Toronto II. Defaults and New Game Is Fixed.

Wonderly Again Riding at the Washington Races.

LONDON, Nov. 17.—The O. R. F. U. executive met tonight with President Ballantyne in the chair. The other members present were George S. Gibbons, F. Thompson, A. W. McPherson, George Ballard and Secretary Frank D. Woodworth.

The intermediate series, on motion, was again taken up, starting from Morrison's expulsion in the London-Toronto protest. The executive decided that the Argonauts were not entitled to compete again, and the following schedule was drawn up:

Toronto at London, Nov. 22; London to pay Toronto \$50.

Final winner at Peterboro, Nov. 29; Peterboro to pay \$50.

When the representatives of the Toronto club were informed of this decision after the meeting they declared their intention of defaulting. The London club will be ordered to play in Peterboro Saturday, and will receive \$50 on their expenses. Word was sent to this effect to Capt. Crawford.

The junior semi-finals, the Well-lesleys are, of course, the favorites at Kingston next Saturday, the latter to guarantee \$50, and Hamilton goes to Gall without guarantee. It is not expected that Torontos will fill their engagement.

THE TURF.

Wonderly Riding Again.

Washington, Nov. 17.—This was a good day for the six events at Benning. True Blue, the equal choice favorite in the third race, was the only favorite to finish first for the better. Weather cloudy; track fast. Summary:

First race, 7 furlongs—Syrin, 124 (Roberson), 5 to 1 and 2 to 1; 1; Unmasked, 119 (Lyne), 3 to 1 and even; 2; Ilyria, 87 (Reamer), 20 to 1. Time, 1:36 1/2.

Second race, 2-year-olds, 5 1/2 furlongs—Sacharometer, 112 (Gannon), 5 to 1 and 2 to 1; 1; Mount Kisco, 112 (Redfern), 6 to 1. Time, 1:07 1/2.

Third race, 2-year-olds, 1 mile and 70 yards—True Blue, 103 (Redfern), 3 to 1 and even; 1; Benckart, 107 (Wondery), 5 to 1 and 2 to 1; 2; Mosketto, 102 (Pollock), 5 to 1. Time, 1:52 1/2.

Fourth race, 3-year-olds and up, 1 1/16 miles—Great Anson, 106 (Roberson), 12 to 1 and 5 to 2; 1; Parly, 107 (Redfern), 9 to 1 and 2 to 1; 2; Ray, 107 (O'Connor), 5 to 2. Time, 1:47 1/2.

Fifth race, 2-year-olds, 5 furlongs—Sir Faust, 101 (Wondery), 30 to 1 and 12 to 1; 1; Leading Light, 96 (Gannon), 13 to 1 and 6 to 5; 2; Heavy fog that it took 7 to 1. Time, 1:27 1/2.

Sixth race, 3-year-olds and up, 1 mile and 40 yards—April Showers, 124 (Redfern), 10 to 1 and 4 to 1; 1; Cameron, 122 (O'Connor), 9 to 10 and out; 2; Young Henry, 122 (Lyne), 7 to 1. Time, 1:52 1/2.

AT LATONIA.

Cincinnati, O., Nov. 17.—The track at Latonia was sloppy today, and the last race was run with a heavy fog that it was impossible to see the horses until they were within a few yards of the wire. Summary:

First race, 1 mile and 70 yards—St. Bluff, 99 (Parker), 30 to 1 and 1; 1; Secundus, 102 (J. Daly), 15 to 1 and 2 to 1; 2; Mosketto, 102 (A. Hall), 15 to 1. Time, 1:54 1/2.

Second race, 1 mile—Antagonist, 98 (J. Daly), 4 to 1 and 2 to 1; 1; Tom Hall, 94 (Lindsay), 30 to 1. Time, 1:48.

Third race, 1 1/16 miles, selling—Falcade, 102 (Scully), 13 to 1; 1; Zorn, 109 (C. Kelly), 15 to 5; 2; Rose of May, 95 (S. Bonner), 5 to 1 and 2 to 1; 3; Corvone, 104 (J. Williams), 7 to 2. Time, 1:54 1/2.

Fourth race, 1 mile and 70 yards—Nearest, 97 (Houder), 7 to 2 and 4 to 1; 1; Frank B., 105 (C. Kelly), 4 to 1 and 2 to 1; 2; Graven, 125 (Asper), 25 to 1. Time, 1:43.

Fifth race, 5 furlongs—Kilmorie, 107 (Lindsay), 5 to 1 and 2 to 1; 1; Longworth, 109 (P. Williams), 7 to 2. Time, 1:34 1/2.

Sixth race, 1 mile and 70 yards—Nearest, 97 (Houder), 7 to 2 and 4 to 1; 1; Frank B., 105 (C. Kelly), 4 to 1 and 2 to 1; 2; Graven, 125 (Asper), 25 to 1. Time, 1:43.

Chicago, Nov. 17.—Jordan, the even-money favorite in the fourth race, the chief event at Lakeside today, failed to get any part of his race, as he was sent to Dr. Stephens, with Hoodwin second and Andes third. Weather was cloudy and cold, and there is a law against shooting live birds in New York State, hence the recent activity over the river. Indeed, Fort Erie is getting to be some pumpkins. If you want to play the races, see a championship prize fight, or enjoy an afternoon's sport with the gun, just skip over the river on a ferry boat, and there you are. And Fort Erie isn't bigger than a postage stamp, either, but it's reaping a golden harvest.

HOCKEY.

STRATFORD ORGANIZES.

Stratford, Nov. 17.—At a well attended meeting held here tonight the Stratford Hockey Club was reorganized, and the following officers were elected: President, A. F. MacLaren, M. P.; Vice-president, J. P. Forbes; Secretary, Charles Parquharson; Treasurer, E. Edmunds; Captain, C. R. Rankin; Executive committee, W. Pelthick, D. A. MacLachlan, W. Fern, Frank Gifford, D. M. Ferguson, John W. Chovan, and J. C. Makins as the delegate to the O. H. A. annual meeting.

NOTES.

Stouffville will have two teams in the O. H. A. this winter. Every man who played on the Brantford hockey team last year is again available. And there are some new ones who will figure.

It has been decided to organize a hockey club in Mount Forest for the O. H. A. to be known as the Lorne Hockey Club, and with the fine rink now being put up a very successful season is expected.

As soon as the Berlin team is completed a protest against the O. H. A. will be taken and sent to the other clubs by the W. O. H. A. to show them there

will be no fingers on the champions' team. The team will be a new one, as most of last year's players have better pay to play with the Portage Lake Club, of Houghton, Mich.

The prospects are that Winnipeg will have a good team this winter. Scanlan will play on the right wing, Tony Gingras on the left, and Cadham in center, but the man for the position of rover has yet to be produced. There is a lot of talk to the effect that Claude Nash, formerly of the Winnipeg, will be the man, but there is no way of confirming the rumor. Charlie Colman, of the Winnipeg lacrosse team, formerly of Port Hope, is also in the field. He played a star game in Ontario, and if he makes good there he will be given a chance.

CURLING. RINK AT RIDGETOWN. Ridgetown, Nov. 17.—At a meeting held last week the Ridgetown Curling and Cockey Association was organized for the purpose of purchasing and conducting the various clubs are as follows: President, W. B. Graham; vice-president, A. Whitman; secretary-treasurer, R. B. Hunter; directors, Dr. M. W. A. P. Campbell, J. G. Montgomery and Dr. Gray; trustees, R. Reid and J. E. Thatcher. The officers were empowered to negotiate for the rink.

SEVENTH REGIMENT A. C. Corp. Fred Coles announces in connection with the Seventh Regiment Athletic Association, that the secretaries of the various clubs are as follows: Hockey, Color-Serg. George Sippi; whist, Pte. Johnson; indoor baseball, Serg. Rider. Col. Little has given the organization his official support and has personally requested the members of the regiment to take an interest in it.

AQUATIC. CORNELL AT HENLEY. London, Nov. 17.—Cornell's entry of the new Henley regatta has inspired the organization of the Cornell Club of London. Seventy-five former students of Cornell University have joined. They are mostly electrical or mechanical engineers employed by Charles T. Yerkes and the new electrical establishments here.

THE RING. YOUNG CORBETT SURPRISED. Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 17.—"Young Corbett" and "Crocky" Boyle, of this city, shared six rounds tonight. The fact that Boyle stayed the limit was a matter of surprise to the spectators, but after the first round he appeared to be Corbett's equal and fought gamely.

REAGAN LOST. Chicago, Nov. 17.—Clarence Forbes won the decision over "Johnny" Reagan, of New York, after six rounds of fast fighting tonight. Both men were clever, but Forbes proved the faster of the two and took a decided lead during the last three rounds. In the same ring "Kid" Broed, of Cleveland, and "Young" Movatt, of Chicago, went six rounds to a draw.

Freight for the North. Toronto, Nov. 18.—The C. P. R. freight officials here have issued a circular directing agents to accept freight for Temiskaming points and recalling their prohibitive circulars on this point, dated Oct. 23 and Nov. 7. Freight officials here state that there is such an enormous amount of freight moving generally that, notwithstanding their increased equipment, it will come forward when the Ontario crops begin to move, which they say is not yet the case.

Ali-British News Service. Ottawa, Nov. 18.—At a meeting of the board of trade yesterday, Sir Sandford Fleming strongly advised an all-British news service, and said that while he was not an advocate of selling the cable service at too low a cost, he thought it could be given at a lower rate than that at present decided on. He wanted to see the cable utilized to rid the public of the inconvenience and annoyance of the Eastern Extension Company.

Clawed by a Bear. New Westminster, B. C., Nov. 17.—Mr. J. J. Cambridge, court registrar in this city, and the well-known field captain of the New Westminster lacrosse team, had an experience with a bear. Mr. Cambridge was out hunting with Messrs. George Rennie and Charles Dwyer, in the vicinity of West-



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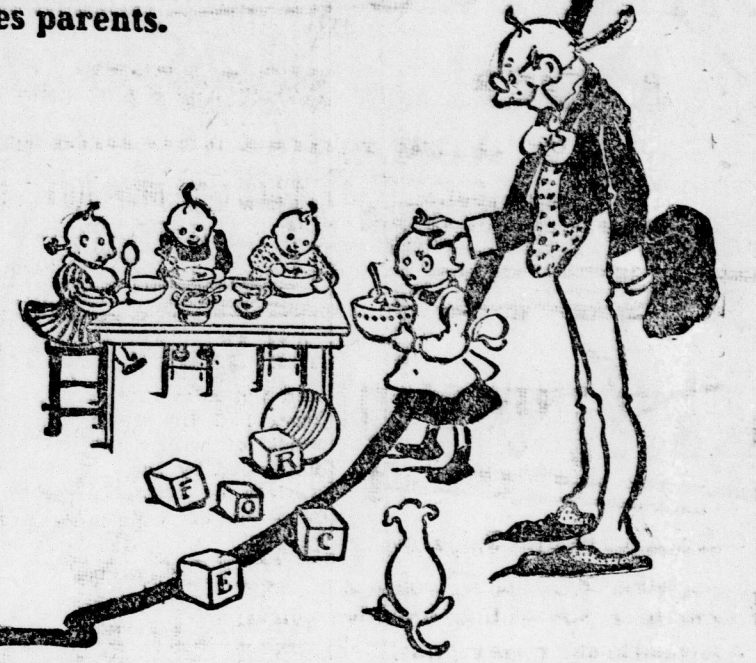
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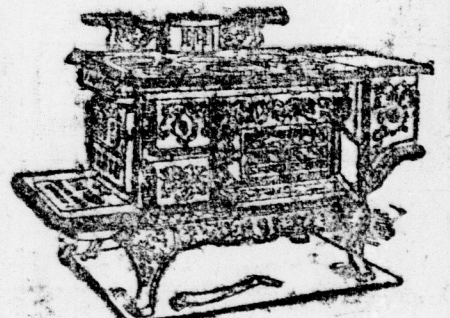
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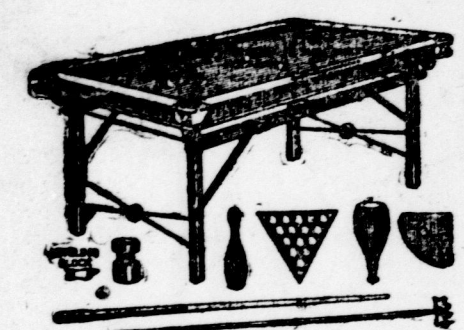
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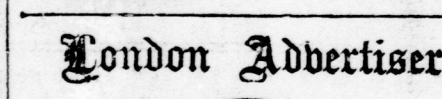
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LONDON AND DISTRICT

—It is said that a branch of the Traders' Bank will be established here soon.

—Mrs. Robert Logan has returned home after an enjoyable visit with her son, John W. Logan, 146 Twelfth street, Detroit.

—Ottawa Free Press: Mr. Justice and Mrs. Mills have taken a house in Concession street, at the corner of Primrose avenue and Concession street, directly opposite Mrs. Christie's residence.

—Mr. A. L. Shipley, station agent for the G. T. R., at Lucan, for a number of years, has resigned from the service to accept a more lucrative position in Toronto, and assumed the duties of his new position yesterday.

—Mr. John M. Gunn, M. A., last night addressed a meeting on the referendum in Knox Church, South London. Mr. Alex. McQueen presided. There was a general discussion of the question after Mr. Gunn's address.

—Phillips Thompson, of Toronto, has been appointed organizer and lecturer for the province by the Ontario Socialist League. It is their intention to commence an active propaganda of the

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doctrines of Socialism. Mr. Thompson has had a long journalistic career and is an able writer and speaker.

BAD FIRE AT BAKERY. Five or six hundred dollars' damage was done by fire at Carroll's bakery on Wellington street about 10:30 last night. The firemen worked for an hour before it was extinguished. Mr. John Gilmore owns the building.

GIVEN FIRE PROTECTION. The new Sherlock-Manning Organ Company, about to start in East London, and in the course of a couple of meetings of the water commissioners, held yesterday. The board granted their request and ordered a main to be laid to their factory.

DIED AT DETROIT. Mr. Fred Smith, at one time a resident of this city, died at Detroit, Oct. 15. He was the fifth son of the late Archibald Smith, and is survived by three brothers and three sisters: David, of Chicago; John, of Allouez; James, of this city; Mrs. George Perkins, of Detroit; Mrs. John Arcott, of this city. The funeral will take place to Mount Pleasant Cemetery tomorrow afternoon.

MR. EDMUND G. TANCOCK'S DEATH. Friends of Mr. Edmund G. Tancock, formerly of this city, New York, will learn with regret of his death at the residence of his family on St. James street. The cause of Mr. Tancock's death was a rupture of the heart due to a collision with another man while endeavoring to catch a train at Hamilton last July. After the accident Mr. Tancock came to London, and in the course of a couple of weeks had apparently recovered. Shortly afterward, however, he began to complain. The physicians were unable to do anything for him.

DIED IN EMERALD ISLE Brother of Aged Londoner Passes Away.

The Mayo News, of Westport, Ireland, contains in its issue of Saturday, Oct. 16, the following notice of the death, at the ripe old age of 80 years, of Mr. Edward Birmingham, brother of one of London's best known old citizens, Mr. W. T. Birmingham, of Ann street. The News says:

"We announce this week with sincere regret, the death of Mr. Edward Birmingham, proprietor in 32 old-established saddlery establishment, on the North Mall, Westport. Mr. Birmingham was a member of one of the oldest and most respected families in the district, and by his kindly disposition and ever cheerful spirit endeared himself to all who knew him. In his last illness all that medical skill could do for him was done by his nephew Dr. L. Birmingham, the respected medical officer of Westport district. He died full of years, and fortified by all the rites of Holy Church. His funeral to the family burial place at Aughvale on Tuesday was very largely attended, and as the funeral services passed through the town, the shops were closed, and completely shuttered. The last prayers at the grave were said by the Rev. M. McDonald, Adm. Westport, assisted by Rev. J. O'Toole, P. P. Killemea. We tender to the relatives the expression of our sincere condolences."

"CASTE" WILL BE PLAYED Col. Denison's Generous Offer Accepted by the I. B. S.

At a meeting of the Irish Benevolent Society on Saturday night, it was decided to accept with sincere thanks Col. S. A. Denison's generous offer of an amateur production of the proceeds of which were to be given to the society to be devoted to the furnishing of hospital rooms, one in Victoria and the other in St. George's. Col. S. A. Denison's generous offer to Robertson's well-known and delightful comedy, "Caste," and the performers will be prominent society people of this city. The Grand Opera House has been engaged for Tuesday, Dec. 9. Col. Denison's offer is an exceptionally generous one, he providing everything needed for the production. The society's only expense will be the rent of the Opera House. The object is a worthy one, and Londoners cannot do better than assist it by their liberal patronage. They will at the same time be assured of a pleasurable evening and an enthusiastic performance of a standard comedy.

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NONE OF THE ALDERMEN
OPPOSE NEW ELECTRIC LINE

Only They Want Information Upon Certain Points.

Council Therefore Took No Action Regarding New Radial Road.

THE city council met last night, but dealt with few important matters. It was expected that some time would be taken up discussing the decisive recommendation that the council enforce the bylaw respecting the Southwestern Traction Company's application, but this motion was referred back so that the aldermen may get more knowledge upon certain disputed points. The only other matter touched upon which might be of general interest to the public was the petition that public meetings be called for the discussion of the referendum. Such action would have involved expense, which some of the aldermen did not feel justified in meeting, but the majority favored granting the use of the city hall for the public discussion of this question.

THE REFERENDUM. A petition signed by a number of citizens asked that the city council call public meetings for the public discussion of the referendum. The granting of the prayer of the petition was opposed by Ald. Pritchard, Ald. Douglass and Ald. Jolly, and favored by Ald. Greenleaf. The latter said that he could see no reason why this should not be done. The purpose of it was, he said, to educate the people so that they might know how

to vote upon this important question, which was a moral question and should be discussed publicly. Politics should not enter into it. He, himself, and many others had not a clear idea of the referendum, and he thought that this would be a good way to learn more of it.

Ald. Douglass and Ald. Pritchard thought that if the petition were granted, it would be an advocacy of the referendum on the part of the council. Ald. Pritchard said that it was ill-becoming and bad judgment on the part of the petitioners to ask this.

"Both sides could discuss it if the petition is granted," said Ald. Winnett. "There is no other side to this question."

"Haw! Haw!"—this from Ald. Pritchard.

When the council recovered, Ald. Greenleaf went on to say that the meetings would be for educational purposes—to teach aldermen who didn't know what to do, how to vote.

"Well, I wouldn't pay \$10 to teach the aldermen anything," said the mayor.

Ald. Stevely proposed and moved, that no action be taken on the petition, but that the city hall be granted to the petitioners, for the nights which will not conflict with other meetings, for the discussion of the question of the referendum. This motion carried.

THE COUNCIL'S MISTAKE. Some time ago the council appointed three firemen—two upon the recommendation of the chief and No. 3 com-

mittee and the third upon its own account. This latter appointment was called into question by members of No. 3 committee, and Ald. McMechan asked subsequently for a ruling as to its legality. The city solicitor gave his opinion last night that the appointment of the third man, made as it was, was illegal. The bylaw expressly provides that appointments of firemen can only be made by No. 3 committee on the recommendation of the chief.

"Where are you now, Douglass?" said Ald. McMechan to Ald. Douglass, who was the champion of the third appointment.

The latter replied that if this was illegal, the council did many illegal things.

The council was clearly in the wrong, but as none of the aldermen seemed to know what to do under the circumstances they sent it back to No. 3 committee. In the meantime the third man is not legally on the staff.

WILL STUDY IT MORE. The clause in No. 1 committee's report urging the council to take action in the matter of the London and Southwestern Traction Company was not pressed. Ald. Greenleaf explained that he had moved this recommendation in the expectation of getting in the meantime some information from the city solicitor upon points which he thought should be cleared up. He had not been able to get this information, and therefore moved that the clause be referred back.

Ald. Winnett and Ald. Pritchard took this opportunity of declaring most solemnly that they were not opposed to the new road, and they complained bitterly of having been badly used by the press upon the score of not having done what was right—"most unjust criticism," said Ald. Pritchard. Indeed there was quite an outburst

of good-will for the road, and several of the aldermen explained that they do not oppose it, but wished to act with their eyes open.

MUNICIPAL WOODYARD. In answer to an inquiry, Ald. Winnett reported that the municipal wood-yard had received 62½ cords of hardwood, 22½ cords of pine wood, which, with freight, etc., cost \$1,274 75.

Of this amount 52½ cords of hardwood had been sold and 8½ cords of pine wood, for which \$674 75 had been received.

There were 149 cords of pine wood and 8 cords of hardwood yet to sell, which would leave a deficit of only \$28 02.

Pritchard wanted to know if the license commissioners had the power to send city policemen to inspect hotels. No one could give him the information which he desired.

Upon the recommendation of the finance committee, Mr. Robert Ironside, former assistant city engineer, was, on account of his serious illness and failure to serve, the last ten days, granted his salary in full to Dec. 31 this year, less the amount paid him as inspector of local improvement work.

Ald. McMechan brought up the question of whether Mr. Ironside was not entitled to his full salary anyway for the bylaw by which he was appointed, and which had not been annulled.

COMMUNICATIONS. Messrs. Purdon & Purdon wrote to the council, saying that they had been informed that there had been no abatement whatever of the whistling and shouting every morning before 6 o'clock on the L. E. and D. R. R. They stated that nothing could be done to prevent this so long as the residents of the neighborhood would not be disturbed. Writing further, Messrs. Purdon & Purdon said that it was understood that the company wished to lay more tracks on Bathurst street, a move that was much opposed by residents of the street, which would practically be converted into a railway yard and destroyed for street purposes. Messrs. Purdon & Purdon stated that they were instructed to take proceedings to prevent the grave damage that would accrue from the laying of additional tracks. Referred to No. 2 committee.

An application was received from the Globe Casket Company for a bylaw fixing their assessment on real estate and personally for 1903 at \$25,000. Their present assessment is \$45,000. In their application they stated that their factory is operated the year round with 80 hands and upward employed. The com-

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Prof. Twining, of Yale, finds that the varying consistency of ice is due to the different temperatures at which it is frozen. If it is frozen at just below the freezing point it is transparent, while if it is frozen at a much lower temperature it is porous and opaque, owing partly to the imprisoned air bubbles.

The duties on automobiles in Argentina are 25 per cent of the declared value.

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