

BIG STEEL PLANT MAY COME TO LONDON WOULD EMPLOY NOT LESS THAN 150 MEN

As Business Grows Would Employ Fully 1,000
It Is Said.

ST. THOMAS IS AFTER THE PLANT

But London Has a Good Chance
If the Authorities Take the
Matter Up at Once.

London may secure one of the largest steel industries in the United States.

During the past week, Messrs. Rich, Goodenough & Rhinn, of Detroit, together with other Detroit capitalists, have been in St. Thomas, looking over that city as a prospective site for the firm's operations.

A conference was held between the council of St. Thomas and the members of the deputation, and the matter was discussed at some length. Nothing definite was done.

The St. Thomas papers contain nothing about the affair, as they are maintaining an agreed upon silence.

Disappointed With St. Thomas.
It was learned, however, that the Detroit men were somewhat disappointed in that no proposition was submitted to them by the city representatives.

London's claims were laid before the members of the party, and were most favorably considered.

A proposition will be submitted to the St. Thomas council, after which London will be considered.

The firm will employ from 150 to 1,000 men within five years.

It is understood that the Wilcox plant on Chelmsford Green will be looked over by the capitalists.

London Can Get It.
"London can get this steel company, if it goes after it properly," said a gentleman to The Advertiser, "London is just as well situated for such an industry as St. Thomas."

"It's up to the manufacturers' committee to be up and doing."

St. Thomas appears to feel that by keeping the matter dark, it can "clinch" it, but it is known that Londoners are cognizant of the negotiations, and there may be something doing shortly.

May Submit Proposition.
It was expected that the city council of St. Thomas would make a proposition to the firm, but no such proposition was made, and the promoters went back to Detroit, and may submit an offer to the council of that city very shortly.

A proposition will probably be made to London, too.
The firm is backed by Detroit capital exclusively.

It has a plant in that city employing considerably over a thousand men, and has also other plants in different parts of the States.

The company manufacture malleable iron and malleable steel and brass work. It will also make a specialty of railroad steel.

An Exclusive Field.
It will have an exclusive field in this country, manufacturing a line that is at present manufactured practically by the United States Steel Corporation.

"I know of one large automobile manufacturing in Canada that last year refused \$85,000 worth of orders because it could not get a certain class of steel castings," said a prominent citizen who is acquainted with the move, to The Advertiser today.

"Nearly \$40,000 of this amount was in cash advances, and the firm had to send the money back. You know it hurts a merchant or a manufacturer or anybody else to send back money they once have their hands on. The case of this auto firm is similar to the others, I presume. All this class of work must be imported from the United States. This firm will manufacture steel goods, and will incidentally boom the automobile business, as well as kindred manufactures."

Another Firm.
The United States Steel Corporation is also looking for sites in Canada, and will probably establish a plant along the River St. Clair or Detroit River, on the Canadian side.

"I know the firm all right," said a man who is in touch with the situation, and it is a splendid concern. It is not one of these companies that wants the earth, and then try to interest local capital in it. This firm is backed by very wealthy men. It is part of an old established firm, and is looking for a Canadian site for a plant.

It realizes the growing importance of the Canadian field, and is anxious to get in on the ground floor. The plant will require three acres and a half to begin with, and will be built in units, so that it can be added to without trouble. It is a good proposition."

SPRINKLED SALT ON WALK A LOCAL MAN UP IN COURT

Magistrate Love Looked Into the Case and Came to the Conclusion That George Mason Should Be Discharged
—A Colored Brother In Trouble.

For sprinkling salt on the sidewalk on Richmond street yesterday, George Mason appeared in the police court this morning charged with breaking the city bylaws.

It was a new one on Magistrate Love, who had to be informed concerning the bylaw which provides that a fine of from \$1 to \$50 may be collected from persons found guilty of putting salt or any similar substance on the sidewalks.

The object apparently is to preserve the walks, as the chemical action of the salt is said to be injurious to them.

In view of the facts Magistrate Love allowed Mr. Mason to go.

A Peculiar Charge.
Robert Hackett, a colored man, ap-

peared on a charge of using vile language.

His worship considered it rather a peculiar charge, especially as Mr. Hackett is a deacon in a colored church.

However the man admitted that he had used the language, and made a number of statements about his wife, who he says has left him.

Mr. Hackett was given a warning, and bound over to keep the peace for a year towards his wife in the sum of \$100.

Mark Twain's Double.

A farmer from Westminster, who bore a most striking likeness to Mark Twain, stated that he had come in to see his daughter, and had a few glasses too many. He was allowed to go.

Tactful Edward Writes the Kaiser Says Public Not With the Times

His Majesty Sends Most Friendly Epistle to German Emperor.

Berlin, March 10.—A local news agency today declares it has learned from an unimpeachable authority that King Edward has sent a letter to Emperor William couched in the most cordial and friendly terms, concerning the revolution by the London Times of the existence of private correspondence between the Emperor and Lord Tweedmouth, first lord of the ad-

miralty. It has been charged that the Emperor in his letter attempted to influence British legislation. In the matter of naval appropriations. According to this agency, King Edward in his letter takes the viewpoint that the British parliament and the public as well as an immense majority of the press of England, sharply disapprove of the action of the London Times, which is a sensational way, caused the British King to write to Emperor William. The King's action it is added, will create the best impression both in Germany and England.

Collegiate and St. George's School Fire Chief Suggests Some Things

Runway, Telephones and Electrical Alarms Needed—An Important Matter.

The condition of the city schools is still a matter of much conversation on the streets and in the homes, and there is not that implicit confidence in the perfectness of arrangements for fire protection that there might be.

This is especially true of the Collegiate Institute.

As pointed out in The Advertiser yesterday, there are so many turns to the stairways that a congestion and consequent dangerous possibility of

a crush in case of fire are almost certain.

There are no fire escapes from the second floor, which is much higher than the average second story.

A Serious Matter.
"Not long ago there was a fire drill in the school," said a man in close touch with the Collegiate. "The first part of the students got started all right, but there was some difficulty in opening the doors, and there was a miniature crush in an instant."

"The whole line had to be halted until the doors were opened. Had this been an actual fire, conditions would have been terrible. I tell you there will have to be a great deal of improvements in exits and fire escapes."

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Persistent Burglar at Komoka Made Three Attempts To Enter House

County Police Have Been Notified and Are Working On Case.

Komoka citizens are much excited against what appears to have been the attempted burglary of the home of Mr. E. J. Hord, C. P. R. switchman, at Komoka, yesterday morning about 7 o'clock, while Mr. Hord was at work at the station, which is only about ten rods away from his home.

Heard Footsteps.
Mrs. Hord, who is an invalid, was lying awake awaiting the arrival of a young lady from the village who acts as a nurse to her, when she heard footsteps in the kitchen.

Thinking it was the nurse, Mrs. Hord at first made no sound.

A moment later, however, she asked who was there.

She received no reply, but heard the intruder open the drawer of a bureau which stood in the kitchen. There he screamed and the would-be thief beat a hasty retreat.

Investigation proved that nothing of value had been taken, the burglar having probably been scared away too quickly.

A Second Attempt.
Not satisfied with his first attempt the intruder, whoever he was, returned about 1 o'clock and tried the front door.

Then he knocked lightly and when Mr. Hord asked who was there there was a sound of hasty footsteps on the sidewalk as the caller departed.

Mr. Hord was now thoroughly aroused and he prepared to give that mysterious caller a warm reception should he return again.

Once Again.
Along about 3 o'clock this morning, the visitor called again. This time Mr. Hord did not reply, but jumped out of bed, and made for the door. Evidently the man outside heard him coming, for when the door was thrown open all that could be heard was flying footsteps down the road.

The matter was reported to High Constable Hughes this morning, but so far there is no clue to the mysterious visitor.

It is supposed that he was a tramp.

During his conversation with Mayor Stevely in Toronto the other day, Earl Grey intimated that every municipality in Canada would be asked to contribute towards the fund to purchase the Plains of Abraham.

"I do not know what the city will do yet," said Mayor Stevely this morning when spoken to in reference to the matter. "Earl Grey said that

each municipality would be asked to contribute, but I cannot say whether I will bring the matter to the attention of the council or not. I expect a communication of some sort from him officially on the subject. When that comes, we will know what we can do. I think the scheme is a splendid one, and worthy of the support of loyal Canadians."

CITY WILL CLEAN STREETS AND SUE FOR THE COSTS

Chairman Gerry of the Board of Works Reads the Riot Act to the Street Railway, Which He Says Must Do the Work at Once to Avoid Trouble.

"The London street railway has got to clean the streets," said Ald. Gerry, chairman of the board of works, to The Advertiser, this morning.

"The streets are in a very bad condition and must be looked after. If the work is not done very soon I will order City Engineer Graydon to put on a large force of men, and sue the company for the cost. The streets must be kept as clean as possible."

BAD FOR WHEELING.

The large amount of snow and ice on the streets has made it very bad for cartage companies and delivery wagons.

It is impossible to use sleighs, and the wheels get into the gutters, making a great strain on the horses to pull them out. One wagon upset on Richmond street this morning, and a horse fell down on Dundas street, badly straining itself in getting up.

Some of the outlying streets are much worse than the downtown streets.

Thomas Hogan Jumped From Express Found He Was on the Wrong Train

Young Englishman Almost Lost His Life Near Pottersburg.

Thomas Hogan, a young Englishman, who has been living for some time with Mr. Anderson, a farmer on the fifth concession, of London Township, had a very close call from being killed at Pottersburg last night.

As it is, he lies in Victoria Hospital in a very bruised state.

His physicians think, however, that he will recover.

Hogan tried to jump from a G. T. R. express having discovered that he was on the wrong train.

The train was moving rapidly at the

time, and Hogan described a variety of slides, slips and somersaults that would make a fortune if he could do them in vaudeville.

Sometimes he was on his head, at others on his ear, and when he finally came to rest he was unconscious.

Thought He Was Killed.

At first it was thought he had been killed, but Dr. Schaefer, who was called to revive him, and had him removed to once to Dr. Drake's office and then to Victoria Hospital, where it was found that he had been badly cut, and that he was bruised from head to foot.

Hogan, it is understood, wanted to go to friends in Westminster, and did not notice that he was on the wrong train until he saw Pottersburg station.

He will be able to leave the hospital in a few weeks.

Young Woman's Miraculous Escape Struck by Engine, Dragged 40 Feet

Miss Fewings of St. Thomas Victim of a Serious Accident.

Miss Edith Fewings, daughter of the late Chief of Police Fewings, of St. Thomas, had a miraculous escape from death at the Richmond street crossing of the Grand Trunk this morning at half past eleven.

An eye witness of the affair told the Advertiser that he saw Miss Fewings standing on the first track and that he called to her to look out as Express No. 12, from Windsor, was pulling in from the west at a high rate of speed.

Paralyzed With Fear.

The young woman apparently did not notice the train, and when she did seemed utterly paralyzed and unable to move.

In a second more she was struck by the cow catcher, and those looking were horror stricken, expecting to see her fall under the wheels every second.

No one can explain how it is that she did not, as a handbag which she

had on her arm went under the wheels and was ground to pieces in an instant, only the strings remaining on her sleeve.

Applied the Brakes.

Engineer Pryor, of the express, at once applied the air brakes, but Miss Fewings had been dragged fully twenty-five feet on the station platform before the engine stopped.

In that distance she was at times on her face, and from contact with the rough board one side of her head and part of her face is badly lacerated and bruised.

Taken to Hospital.

As soon as the train stopped she was picked up and carried to the Grigg House and in a few minutes was taken to Victoria Hospital in the police ambulance.

Dr. Beecher, who attended her, states that Miss Fewings is suffering severely from shock but does not anticipate that her injuries will be fatal.

The injuries to her face and head, while very painful, will completely heal in a couple of weeks.

Resting Quietly.

At three o'clock this afternoon Miss Fewings was resting quietly and showed no unfavorable symptoms.

It has been learned that Miss Fewings came over on the traction line this morning and had just arrived on the station where she was to meet a friend when the accident happened.

DEATH OF MRS.

E. J. LIDDICOATT
Esteemed Lady Passed Away Last Night at Home on St. James Street.

Mrs. Liddicoatt, wife of Mr. Ephraim J. Liddicoatt, proofreader of The Advertiser composing room, died at her home, 185 St. James street, last night, after a long illness. Mrs. Liddicoatt was the youngest daughter of the late William Treblecock.

Two sisters were Mrs. Miriam Ferguson, who died in October, 1905, and Miss Matilda Treblecock, whose death occurred in December, 1903.

One sister, Miss Clara Treblecock, resides in this city, and one brother, Mr. Thomas Treblecock, lives in the United States.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Liddicoatt leaves three children, the youngest of whom is 19 months old. She was a prominent member of the New St. James' Presbyterian Church, and a member of the Ladies' Aid.

The funeral will take place from her late residence to Mount Pleasant Cemetery on Thursday afternoon.

VESTINGS DESTROYED.

Toronto, March 10.—Fire early this morning did \$3,800 damage to the premises and stock of the Miller Manufacturing Company, Limited, 251 Mutual street. The greatest damage was done in the stock room of the company, where a large quantity of cotton and fancy vesting was destroyed. The loss is covered by insurance.

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW—FAIR AND MILD. FORECASTS.
Toronto, March 10-8 a.m.
Today—Moderate, variable winds; fair.
Wednesday—Southerly winds; fair and mild.

Local Temperatures.

The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the local observatory for the 24 hours ended at 8 p.m. yesterday were: Highest, 35.5°; lowest, 9.5° above zero.

TEMPERATURES.

Stations.	8 a.m.	Min.	Max.	Weather.
Calgary	28	34	34	Fair
Winnipeg	19	8	34	Cloudy
Parr Sound	0	-6	6	Fair
Toronto	16	12	24	Fair
Ottawa	0	-2	2	Fair
Montreal	6	2	12	Fair
Quebec	-2	-8	8	Clear
Father Point	2	-2	2	Clear

Minus (-) means below zero.

The first column in the above table records the temperatures at 8 o'clock this morning, and the second column records the minimum temperatures during the 24 hours previous.

WEATHER NOTES.

A pronounced area of high pressure covers most of the United States and also Canada from the great lakes to the Atlantic.

The weather continues cold from Ontario to the Maritime Provinces, while in the Western Provinces it is mild, with southerly winds.

YESTERDAY'S TEMPERATURES.
Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, 4 below-zero; Atlin, 10 below-zero; Victoria, 22-48; Vancouver, 28-53; Kamloops, 22-34; Edmonton, 28-53; Battleford, 8 below-zero; Prince Albert, 24 below-zero; Calgary, 18-52; Regina, 6 below-zero; Winnipeg, 18 below-zero; Port Arthur, 12 below-zero; Parr Sound, zero-28; Toronto, 14-22; Ottawa, 6-32; Montreal, 12-18; Quebec, 6-24; St. John, 24-40; Halifax, 26-36.

LONDON CAMP UP IN THE AIR COL. PETERS LOSING FAITH

Militia Bodies Will Be Sent to the Tercentenary in Quebec Instead of This City.

NOTHING OFFICIAL ON THE SUBJECT

But Rumor Is Persistent in Toronto and London That There Will Be no Camp Here This Year—All Other Camps To Be Dispensed With.

Col. Peters, D. O. C., stated to The Advertiser this morning that he had as yet received no word regarding the camp at London this summer, and could not say whether it would or would not be held.

Considering the enormous expense the Government would be put to in taking so many soldiers to Ottawa, he did not now think it likely that the regular camps would be held, although he expressed the opinion that the training camp would be far better for the men than the trip to Quebec.

Col. Peters thinks there is sure to be some dissatisfaction among some of the regiments, as they can not all go to Quebec, and they are sure to think they are being discriminated against.

In contradiction of the above, the following item appeared in yesterday's St. Thomas Journal:

"Col. Robertson has received a notice from Col. Peters stating that a composite battalion from the city corps of military district No. 1 shall train at London camp this year for a period of six days, commencing June 15, it is proposed to furnish, if possible, one or more companies from the Twenty-fifth Regiment for this battalion."

If the camp is not held here this year it will mean a loss of many thousands of dollars to the people of London, as the men usually spent all their pay here, and London merchants supplied the Government with the food they consumed.

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Port Matters Before L. and P. S. Board Improvements of City Property Talked

Delegation To See Commission Re Ottawa Avenue Derailed.

Improvements to the city property at Port Stanley, and the lease or sale of the land to the Price Elevator Company, of Port Stanley, were the main matters discussed at the meeting of the London and Port Stanley board in the city hall at noon today. The matter of the Ottawa avenue derail of the street railway company also came up, and the city will be represented at the meeting of the Dominion railway commission, either at Ingersoll or at Chatham.

City Solicitor Meredith gave two opinions on the question of the lease

of the Port Stanley property. He pointed out that the city had no right to lease the property to Mr. Price for a number of years. Then Mr. Price asked if he might buy the property. Mr. Meredith was of the opinion that the city had not the right to sell the property. The city had the right to sell property that was of no use to it, but this property did not come under that category. He would go into the matter thoroughly as soon as possible, and give a more definite opinion. This was merely his offhand opinion, as it were. Mr. Meredith advised that the committee visit Port Stanley, look over the ground, and discover if some arrangements could not be arrived at between the company and the board. He also thought the difficulty might be overcome by legislation from the Dominion House (Continued on Page Eight.)

Saunby Case Once Again In Court

In Divisional Court, Toronto, before Chief Justice Mulock and Justices Clute and Riddell, in Saunby vs. London Water Commissioners, L. P. Hinchmuth, K. C., for plaintiff, moved for judgment on a stated case submitted by arbitrators, G. T. Blackstock, K. C., and W. E. Middleton, K. C., for defendants, contra.

The question was as to whether certain evidence could be admitted, the plaintiff objecting that such evidence, in so far as the same concerned the judgment of August 28, 1902, and the order of the court of February 25, 1901, or the findings of the assessors and special referees, was not admissible. Decision reserved.

More Summonses in Riot Case

Judging by the number of summonses which are being issued and have been issued in connection with the Dart-Flannigan riot at Pottersburg, Saturday night, there may be need of a wing to the magistrate's court at the court house as well as the Middlesex Law Library.

In addition to the summonses and warrants mentioned in yesterday's Advertiser, the following summonses were served today:

J. F. Flannigan vs. Wm. Tassemann, trespass, assault on Mrs. J. Flannigan, and using abusive language.

William Tassemann vs. John Flannigan, attempt to assault.

Witnesses: Frank Flannigan and William McCormick.

The cases will be thrashed out before Squire S. F. Glass at the court house on Thursday.

DEATH OF MRS.

WOOD IN DETROIT

INSANE SWEDE

FIRES ON CASTLE

Christiana, March 10.—A Swede apparently insane, fired on the royal castle here with a Remington rifle at noon today. A dozen bullets were discharged, several of which crashed through the windows and embedded themselves in the interior walls of the castle.

The man was promptly seized by the police and disarmed. At the police station he declared that it was his intention to kill King Haakon. He still had forty or fifty cartridges in his pockets. King Haakon and Queen Maud were absent from the castle.

A DYNAMITE EXPLOSION

Kenora, March 9.—In a dynamite explosion on Saturday evening at Gordon Bros' camp, Grand Trunk Pacific, construction works, north of Kalbar, Ont., four men lost their lives and three sustained what may be fatal injuries. The dead are: Herbert Dunn, an Englishman; Nicholas Kok, an Austrian; C. Tochanan, and Philip Vilezar, an Italian. Jacob Kobay, the foreman, who lies in the hospital here, was drilling a hole at the time of the explosion, which occurred without any warning.

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SEEK CHEAPER HOUSES

Many Chinese Laundrymen After Places on King Street.

Property owners on King street between Clarence and Wellington streets, report a considerable demand for houses for Chinese laundry purposes. One man recently rented his house for a laundry for ten years, getting \$3 a month more for it than he had formerly got for house purposes. Several other landlords have been approached by Chinamen, but although negotiations are on no contracts but the one mentioned have been closed. The Chinese claim that stores on the main streets, suitable for their work are too scarce and too high-priced for them.

DR. A. W. CHASE'S CATARRH CURE... 25c.

Is sent direct to the diseased parts by the Improved Blower. Heals the ulcers, clears the air passages, stops droppings in the throat and permanently cures Catarrh and Hay Fever. Blower free. All dealers, or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Toronto and Buffalo.

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MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used for over THIRTY YEARS by MILLIONS OF MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEething, with PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES THE CHILD, SOFTENS THE GUMS, KILLS ALL PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for diarrhea. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's."

MACKAY'S QUERIES NETTLED BECK

Didn't Like Reference Re Power Commissions Expenses.

71 MUNICIPALITIES ASK TERMS

Committee to Take Up Redistribution to Consist of Five Government and Three Opposition Members.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, March 10.—There was a brief tiff between the Premier and Hon. Adam Beck on one side, and Hon. Mr. MacKay, on the other, in the Legislature yesterday afternoon. Mr. MacKay had on the order paper a lengthy motion for a return demanding voluminous information regarding the negotiations between the hydro-electric commission and the municipalities of Ontario, and when the order was reached, he moved its adoption without making any comment.

Hon. Mr. Beck said that the return was ready, a week's work having been crowded into two or three days to oblige the leader of the Opposition. Mr. Beck thought, however, that Mr. MacKay owed it to the Government to give some slight explanation of his reasons for asking for a return which imposed so much work on the commission.

The Premier added that while there was no hard and fast rule, it was the practice for the mover to explain a motion of this kind. There was no suggestion from Mr. MacKay as to the need for all this information being given.

Mr. MacKay said his motion was prompted by his desire to learn where the municipalities stood, and to what extent they were bound by the commission. He wanted the facts before he attempted to discuss the situation. He reminded the Government that the commission had cost the Province some \$75,000, and he was surprised that his right to ask for the information should be questioned.

Beck Nettled.

Mr. Beck, nettled at the reference to the cost of the commission, retorted that the Opposition had been willing to have \$10,000 spent for a report on producer gas, a report which the commission had prepared at one-fourth the sum named. Mr. Beck said that he had no objection to giving the return, he only wanted to hear some reason why it should be given.

Mr. Whitney added that the Government was willing to give every information, and the motion was passed. Mr. MacKay's second motion, regarding the alleged approaching of the Government by a capitalist with a proposition for the Province to take over the Electrical Development Company, stands till today, the Premier stating that he would then be ready to make a full statement.

Seventy-One Want Power.

Simultaneously with the passing of Mr. MacKay's motion, Mr. Hanna laid on the table the return in question. Seventy-one municipalities had asked the hydro-electric commission for a supply of power. The commission had furnished each with an estimate, these estimates being given in the commission's three published reports. The form of contract was not required to be submitted until after the municipal bylaws had been passed. Twenty-one municipalities had submitted and carried bylaws. Ottawa was the only city which had entered into a contract with the commission. The commission had given the municipalities no estimates, further than those contained in the published reports.

As to Redistribution.

Mr. MacKay asked the Premier when an announcement regarding the redistribution bill might be expected.

The Premier replied that the bill was an entirely new one and not an amendment of the former act. A great many constituencies would remain unchanged, and the number which it was intended to change were gradually decreasing. A special committee of eight members, five of them Government supporters, would probably be moved today, and such schedules as were ready, which involved no radical changes, could be passed at an early date, leaving important changes for fuller discussion.

Mr. MacKay asked if the census of 1901 was being taken as the basis for the bill.

The Premier replied that that census was the latest authoritative information, and while the Government was not bound to accept it beyond the bounds of reason, that census was being largely followed.

Drainage Cases.

On motion of Mr. McMillan (Glengarry), a return was brought down, showing the number of cases tried by the drainage referees, with the expenses, outside of the referees' salaries, as follows:

J. B. Rankin, Chatham—1900, 16, \$1,150; 1901, 26, \$1,262; 1902, 30, \$1,660; 1903, 29, \$1,514; 1904, 24, \$1,615; 1905, 23, \$1,425; 1906, 42, \$1,293; 1907, 44, \$1,324.

George F. Henderson, Ottawa—1906, 5, \$197; 1907, 24, \$700.

An order showing the number of division court clerks and bailiffs who have lost office under the present Government was brought down. The number of division courts in Ontario is 227. From Feb. 1, 1905, to Feb. 1, 1908, 64 clerks resigned and 37 were removed. Of the latter, 32 were charged with improper partnership, and the others with drunkenness, inefficiency or dishonesty.

In the same period 91 bailiffs resigned and 54 were removed, 44 of them for improper partnership.

The three Middlesex clerks removed were E. Rowland, J. L. Patterson and Wm. C. Harris, all for improper partnership.

There were no Middlesex bailiffs dismissed.

Mr. McElroy gave notice of an amendment to the act respecting

No More Rheumatism

"FRUIT-A-TIVES" CURED HIM.

Christopher D. Graham is a well-known citizen of Ottawa, formerly in the City Hall and largely instrumental in forming the Ottawa Hunt Club. Mr. Graham's voluntary testimonial as to the great benefit he received from taking "Fruit-a-tives" will carry conviction.



Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 26th, 1907.

Dear Sirs:— I have been a sufferer from Rheumatism for a long time—pains in my shoulder and joints practically all the time. I tried various treatments without benefit, and then I was recommended by a friend to try "Fruit-a-tives." I took several boxes of the tablets and now, for a long time, I have been entirely free from all rheumatism and rheumatic pains. I suffered from hemorrhoids, or piles, for years. I used all kinds of ointments and treatment and nothing did me any good, but after taking "Fruit-a-tives" for my rheumatism I am entirely cured of these dreadful piles.

(Sgd.) C. D. GRAHAM.

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sheriffs, which will allow the sheriff of Carleton County to close his office at 1 o'clock Saturdays, a privilege only enjoyed at present by the sheriffs of Toronto and York. There is little business for the Carleton sheriff on Saturdays, and few Ottawa lawyers work on that day.

Mr. John Smith (Peel) gave notice of his bill to give the provincial franchise to married women owning property. This bill was ruthlessly killed by Premier Whitney two years ago. Mr. Smith (Soo) is on Mr. Gamble's trail, as indicated by the two following notices of motion:

Order of the house for a return showing the amounts expended on the colonization roads in the district of Manitoulin during 1902, 1903, 1904, 1905, 1906, and 1907, respectively.

Inquiry of Ministry.—Is J. Russell McGregor, who is license commissioner for the district of Manitoulin, and also revising officer for the voters' lists, in that district, for the Ontario Government, the same J. Russell McGregor who is acting and active secretary of the Conservative Association for the Manitoulin district, and who has called the Conservative convention for that constituency? 2. Is R. R. McKissock, barrister, now of Sudbury, still treasurer of the district of Manitoulin? If not, who is?

The following notices of motion have also been given:

Mr. Smith (Soo)—Order of the House for a return showing the number of bridges built by the present Government over the Spanish and Sauble Rivers; where the bridges broke, and on two bills now in committee, and the appropriations made for each.

Mr. Preston (Brant)—To amend the assessment act.

Mr. Hoyle—Bill to amend the fish and game act.

Mr. Hoyle—Bill to amend the ditches and watercourses act.

Questioned regarding the correctness of a report in the Toronto Evening News, that the Government was formulating an extensive reforestation scheme, Mr. Cochrane, after adjournment, said that the story was probably based on two bills now before the House, one providing for the setting apart of districts pronounced by Government inspectors to be unsuitable for agricultural purposes, and the other giving the Government power to sell matured pine on crown lands by the thousand feet, by measure, the cutting to be done under Government supervision. Mr. Cochrane did not specifically state that these measures were not the forerunners of a comprehensive policy of forest preservation.

Jay of the Boer War, entitled "Delmarree," by J. L. Martin, Missouri's well-known writer of verse, is now out, and pronounced by critics one of the finest poetic works in the English language. It is fashioned after "Evangeline," and its pathos and enduring love of woman weave it into the hearts of the American people. If you enjoy a beautiful story of love and war, this book ought to appeal to you. Send 30c, postal note, today for illustrated volume. Address J. L. Martin, Hale, Mo. 97c-wyt

M. Antoine Charette, a clever young chemist of Paris, has informed the Academy of Science in that city that he has succeeded in producing by artificial means crystals of large size having all the characteristics of diamonds.

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Special Bedding Sale Comforters and Blankets

Tomorrow (Wednesday) morning we will lay out some money-saving opportunities in the above lines; broken lots and odd ones, where there are only two, three or four left of a kind; also Blankets, which have been much used as samples, and become counter-soiled. All such must now be cleared out of the way, and we commence our spring housecleaning in this section tomorrow. Come early for the choice, as the quantities are limited. Housefurnishing Department—Second Floor.

- 4 only, Down Comforters, size 60x72, regular \$4.75 and \$5.00 each. To clear at only \$3.65
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POOR JUDGMENT CAUSED DISASTER

Government Commissions Report on the Collapse of the Quebec Bridge.

Ottawa, March 9.—The Quebec bridge commission have turned in their report as to the cause of the disaster.

The report says the collapse was due to the failure of lower chords in the anchor arm near the main pier, due to defective design. Stresses which caused the failure were not due to abnormal weather conditions or accident, but were such as might be expected in the regular course of erection. The design of the chords that was expected by the designers, and approved by Mr. Cooper, the consulting engineer.

Errors in Judgment.

The report says: "The failure cannot be attributed directly to any cause other than the errors in judgment on the part of these two engineers. These errors of judgment cannot be attributed either to a lack of common professional knowledge, to neglect of duty or to a desire to economize. The ability of the two engineers was tried in one of the most difficult professional problems of the day, and proved to be insufficient for the task."

"We do not consider that the specifications for the work were either satisfactory or sufficient, the unit stresses in particular being higher than any established by past practice. The specifications were accepted without protest by all interested. A grave error was made in assuming the dead load for calculations at too low value and not afterwards revising the assumption. This error was of sufficient magnitude to have required correction of the bridge, even if the demolition of the lower chords had been of sufficient strength, because if the bridge had been completed as designed, the actual stresses would have been considerably greater than those permitted by the specifications. This erroneous assumption was made by Mr. Slapacka and accepted by Mr. Cooper, and tended to hasten the disaster."

"The loss of life on Aug. 29, 1907, might have been prevented by the exercise of better judgment on the part of those in responsible charge of the work for the Quebec Bridge and Railway Company and the Phoenix Bridge Company."

The report also finds that the failure of the Quebec Bridge Company to appoint an experienced bridge engineer as chief engineer was a mistake, the result being a loose and inefficient supervision of the work. The steel used was of good quality, but the serious defects were the fundamental errors in the design.

In its report on the effect of the financial limitations upon the design of the bridge, the commission states that "it must have been clear to the engineers from the first that the finan-

WHY TEA IS DEARER

Mr. P. C. Larkin Tells the Reason Why.

Says the Russians Do Not Want China Tea, and the Planters Prefer to Grow Rubber to Low Growth Tea—Some Teas Not Affected.

"The package teas which have been selling at twenty-five cents a pound will be increased to thirty cents." A newspaper representative who waited upon Mr. P. C. Larkin, president of the Salada Tea Company, Toronto, one of the largest vendors of package teas, for corroboration or denial of the report, found it to be unhappily true.

"The wonder is," said Mr. Larkin, "that the advance was not made earlier, for the planters of the lower growth teas have during the past year been getting up to as high as six cents per pound increase over the prices given in past years."

"And is this an abnormal condition of the market, or is there some unusual reason for the advanced prices of last year?"

"It is a matter of increase in the demand and restriction in the output which has forced the hands of the wholesale purchasers. The prices had been steadily advancing for the past two or three years, but the wholesalers held on in the hope that the market might be forced back to normal rates. This hope is now abandoned. The demand from all the English-speaking countries for Ceylon teas has increased, and during the past two years the Russians have acquired a taste for it in preference to China tea, and their dealers have helped to force up prices."

"Is the increase in all teas uniform, or is there a greater advance in some qualities than in others?"

"The advance is principally confined to the lower growth teas. Because of the elevation at which the tea plant is grown in the valleys the product is not so fine and rare as the teas grown on the hillsides, and consequently does not bring so much on the market. Lately the Cingalese planters have found that they can make more money by growing rubber in the valleys instead of the low-growth tea, and it is in these teas the increase will be most felt."

"How great will the advance be in the respective teas?"

"The teas which have been selling for twenty-five and thirty cents will be raised five cents per pound. The other teas which are not so much affected by the conditions I mentioned will be probably left at about where they were. We will not make any change in them ourselves, and I expect none of the wholesalers will, but as to the other teas it has been made absolutely necessary."

"Do you think the market may adjust itself later on, Mr. Larkin?"

"I do not think so. The conditions are against that. For years the planters had complained that they were not making money, and now that they have everything in their favor, and with the large profits they made last year from their gardens, it is unlikely that they will make any concessions."

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS.

DEATHS.

FOURTH—In this city, on Sunday, March 8, 1908, Mercy, beloved wife of Frederick Forsyth, in her 60th year. Funeral from the family residence, 685 Van Street, East London, on Wednesday, March 11, at 2:30 p.m.; service at 2 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Zurich papers please copy. 96u

LIDDICOTT—In this city, on March 10, 1908, Julia Anne Liddicott, beloved wife of E. J. Liddicott. Funeral private, on Thursday, March 12, from the family residence, 185 St. James street, at 3 p.m.; service at 2:30. 97u

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

GRAND TONIGHT
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ALICE STREET RINK—SKATING TO-NIGHT; splendid ice. Skating afterwards. Phone 1988. b

WESTMINSTER RINK—EMPLOYEES' benefit tonight. Hockey on roller skates. Skating before and after the game. Cadet Band. Unusual admission. Coupons canceled. b

THE LAST BENEFIT BALL of the season will be given by F. C. Myers at the Big Bell Restaurant, King street, Wednesday evening, March 11. Every body welcome. Tickets, 50c; ladies free. Heel Orchestra in attendance. 96u

MUSIC FURNISHED FOR PARTIES, balls, banquets, etc. Call on J. W. W. Italian Harpers, 122 Queen's avenue. 97u

LEARN TO DANCE—PRIVATE LESSONS by R. B. Millard, 345 Princess avenue. Season open. Call and register. 97u

TONY CORTESE—ORIGINAL LONDON Harpers. Music furnished for all occasions. 161 Maple. Phone 1570.

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MEETINGS.

A REGULAR MEETING OF ST. JOHN'S Lodge, No. 29, will be held in the Masonic Temple, at 8 o'clock this evening. Visitors welcome. M. D. Dawson, secretary. St. John's Lodge, No. 29; James O. Weldon, W. M.

CANADIAN BIBLE SOCIETY—FIRST meeting in London. A public meeting in connection with the annual meeting of this society will be held in the Y. M. C. Auditorium on Thursday, March 12, at 8 p.m. The subject will be "The World's Work of the Bible and Foreign Bible Society." Right Rev. Dr. W. H. Salter, D.D., Lord Bishop of Huron, "The Bible in National Life." Rev. E. B. Salter, Winnipeg, "Bible Society Work in the Great West." Collection in aid of the society's work. 97u

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST, SUNDAY—A GOLD BRACELET, Reward, \$35. Simcoe street. b

LOST—OPEN-FACED LADY'S GOLD watch, Elgin movement, watch attached to fold with gold chain, and a bottle, chain pendant. "A. W. W." Reward, Arthur W. White, Wootley road. 96u

LOST—GRAY SQUIREL, MUFF, SUN- DAY evening, outside Bennett's. Reward on return, 233 Ontario street. 96u

LOST, THURSDAY—A FOX TERRIER, head of tan color and body white; answers name "Mac." Reward at 486 Piccadilly for return. 96u

WANTED.

WANTED TO PURCHASE—A COM- FORTABLE house, centrally located, on easy payments. Address, stating particulars, to Box 51, this office. 97u-xt

WANTED TO RENT—SIX OR SEVEN room house, modern conveniences. May 1; give full particulars. Apply Box 53, Advertiser. 97u

COMINGS WANTED—SELL YOUR combings, any shade. 223 Dundas street. 97u

WANTED—BARN, FOR REMOVAL, state price, size, etc. J. Straith, 567 Elizabeth street. 97u

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

FARM FOR SALE—FOUR ACRES, LOBO Township, cor. 1, corner lot 12; frame house and barn, half-acre strawberries, 15 miles from Lobo village. Apply William Jardine, Lobo P. O. 97u

STORES—WE HAVE A LARGE NUM- BER of first-class grocery and other stores in this city for sale. If you want a store of any kind, call and see us. We will be pleased to give you full particulars. Knott & Sangster, Room 101, Masonic Temple. 97u-xt

FOR SALE—DWELLING AND BUSI- NESS stand on York street, between Talbot and Ridout streets. With good furniture, new range and two bedrooms, seven bedrooms, and bath, and other household furniture. For further information call 76 York street. Mrs. W. S. Fugley. 97u

A NICE LITTLE FARM OF 10 OR 15 acres—Comfortable brick house, spring water, one mile from city limits. The London Soap Company. 97u

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MALE HELP WANTED.

MAN WANTED. APPLY 278 TALBOT street. b

UPHOLSTERERS WANTED BY THE Lang Company, 124 Dundas street. 97u

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS CANYASSER; none but hustlers and honest men need apply. Apply Mr. Perryman, 205 Dundas street. 96u

CAPABLE MAN FOR DELIVERY wagon wanted. Apply Box 52, Advertiser office. 96u

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS MARRIED man on farm; good hand at cows. Box 40, White Oak. 96u

EXPERIENCED DRESSGOODS SALES- MAN. Apply T. F. Kingsmill. 97u-xt

ARE YOU OPEN FOR A BETTER POSI- TION? If so, learn telegraphy. No other profession offers better opportunities. Send for particulars. Dominion School of Telegraphy, 9 Adelaide street, Toronto. 97u-xt

WANTED—A GOOD FARM HAND. AP- PLY Henry Scott, Talbot P. O. 97u-xt

WANTED—COMPETENT MAN AS head shipper; none but well-qualified with good experience, need apply. C. Somerville, 613 Dundas street. 96u

CANYASSER—A TRAINED SALESMAN of good appearance; weekly salary paid. 353 Clarence street. 97u

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WANTED TO MAKE DRAPER- YS by the Lang Company, 124 Dundas street. 97u

EXPERIENCED WAIST MAKERS wanted. Apply Miss Har- greaves, J. H. Chapman & Co. 97u

WANTED AT ONCE—GOOD PLAIN cook. Apply Protestant Orphan's Home. 97u

WANTED—GOOD PLAIN COOK, FOR private house; upstairs girl and girl for general work. Apply McEwen's, 504 Richmond. 97u

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST in light housework. Apply 98 Stanley street. 97u

A CAPABLE GENERAL SERVANT wanted immediately. Apply Mrs. John Mills, 475 Princess avenue. 97u

A GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK on farm, near city; no milking or churning. Apply Mrs. Sloan, West London. 97u

MILINERY APPRENTICE WANTED. Aust & Quayle, 110 Masonic Temple. 97u

WANTED—EXPERIENCED HOUSE- WIFE. Apply Housekeeper, Tecumseh street. 97u

WANTED—HOUSEMAID. APPLY TO Mrs. C. S. Moore, 280 King street. 96u

WANTED—GENERAL MAID OR woman, in family of two. Address Box 45, Advertiser. 97u-xt

WANTED—GIRL TO ASSIST IN housework. Apply 123 Kent street. 96u

WANTED—APPRENTICES AND IM- PROVERS for dressmaking and ladies' tailoring. Miss F. Brown, 467 Dundas street. 96u

MAID WANTED FOR GENERAL housework; two in family. Apply Mrs. H. H. Watson, 586 Waterloo street. 96u

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WANTED—200 LADIES TO GET OUR prices on bread and confectionery. Big B-B Restaurant, 123 King street. Phone 124 K. 97u

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FOR SALE—FIVE STEERS, COMING 8 years old; one gray bull, coming 2 years old. G. Carris, Ballymore. 97u

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Cut Flowers, Carnations, Tulips and Daisies, Ferns and Palms. 7-10 a pack- et. Our Plant Food, and have beauti- ful flowers, the worth of your money this week for 5c. A. J. Morgan, 113 Dundas street. 97u

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GO TO THE BIG WATCH SIGN, KING street, for jewelry. W. J. Wray & Co., 120 Dundas street, in Emerson's Drug Store. 97u

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DR. ENCLIS WILL BE ABSENT FROM the city until May 1. 97u

DR. R. OVENS, EYE AND EAR SUR- GEON—Phone 1013. Office, 223 Queen's avenue. Residence, 358 Richmond street. 97u

F. L. BURDON, M.D., L.R.C.P. AND S. (Edinburgh)—Special attention diseases women, children. Office and residence, 461 Waterloo. Phone 258. 97u

DR. SHOEBOOTHAM, CORNER RICH- MOND and John. Phones: Office, 494; residence, 2202. 97u

DR. NORMAN H. HENDERSON, COR- NER Park and Dufferin avenues. Eye, ear, nose, throat. 97u

DR. ERNEST WILLIAMS, 363 QUEEN'S avenue—Hours, 4-8. Special attention diseases of children. 97u

DR. GEORGE McNEIL, NORTHEAST Phone 2109. 97u

DR. PINCEL-OFFICE, 44 WELLING- TON street, London. Electrical treat- ment of diseases of women a specialty. 97u

DR. NORMAN H. BEAL (RETURNED from England). Office, 534 Dundas street. Phone 83. 97u

DR. McLELLAN, EYE AND EAR SUR- GEON—Removed to 664 Richmond, op- posite Albert. Hours, 9 to 4:30, 7 to 8. 97u

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LONDON, TUESDAY, MARCH 10.

WHERE THE GRIEVANCE LIES.

In its clamor for "original docu-
ments" the Opposition is in the pos-
ition of a borrower who abuses his
creditor for refusing to advance him
more money without security, before
he has repaid previous loans.

One of the most vociferous of the
band—Mr. Foster—has kept original
returns since the last session of Par-
liament, and when reminded of the
fact promised to "try to find them."
Yet attached to every return is this
printed request:

"This sessional paper is the prop-
erty of the House of Commons and
must not be taken from the precincts
of the House. The member receiv-
ing the same for reference or infor-
mation is requested to return it to
the journal office at his earliest con-
venience."

Mr. Leforgey, another Parliamentary
noise, kept a paper for 261 days and
returned it minus several pages. Mr.
Ames, of Montreal, the Pinkerton of
the Opposition, has not returned five
documents of the many he took out.
Mr. Barker, of Hamilton, retained a
return improperly for 108 days. Since
January 255 returns have been brought
down at the request of the Opposition,
involving an enormous amount of labor
in the departments. One return de-
manded by Mr. Borden consisted of
1,000 type-written pages, and he ad-
mittedly forgetting that he had asked
for it! The practice of furnishing
copies of documents instead of origi-
nals was a protective measure, in
view of the mutilation and disappear-
ance of so many original returns. The
Government adopted the rule that the
originals would be supplied only when
reasons were given, but the Opposi-
tion raised such a din that it was
agreed to supply originals, but under
the strictest safeguards in future.

It will be seen that all the fuss and
clamor at Ottawa arose from an abuse
of privilege by Opposition members,
and that it is the Government that has
had a grievance, not its opponents.

CANADA'S MINERAL PRODUCTION.

Every Canadian feels a deep inter-
est in the development of the coun-
try's mineral resources, which are a
great factor in the future progress of
the Dominion. The preliminary re-
port on the mineral production of
Canada in 1907, just issued, is a sat-
isfying document.

The first half of the year was a
period of marked activity in the min-
ing industry. Notwithstanding the
financial stringency in the United
States later on in the year, the ef-
fects of which were to some extent
felt in the Dominion, Canada's min-
eral output in 1907 was over nine per
cent better than in 1906. The total
value of the output was about \$86,
183,477—the largest in the history of
Canadian mining. This total is made
up as follows: Metallic, \$42,434,987;
non-metallic (including structural ma-
terials and clay products) \$34,149,390;
mineral products not returned (esti-
mated) \$299,000.

While the total net increase over
1906 was \$7,126,169, there were min-
erals which showed decreases, name-
ly, gold, \$2,230,426; chrome, \$18,958;
corundum, \$27,051; gypsum, \$824—a
total of \$3,855,820. The large de-
crease in gold production—over 28 per cent
—practically represents a falling off in
every district, with the possible excep-
tion of Nova Scotia.

An increase is indicated in pig iron
production from Canadian ore of
\$257,967; lead lost about 12 per cent,
while in nickel there is but little
change. The output of silver was 50
per cent greater—amounting to about
\$12,750,044—in spite of a falling off in
British Columbia; the large increase
being wholly due to the shipments from
the Cobalt district. The rapid
development of that district has re-
ceived from the smelters, close esti-
mates have been made by the mine-
owners. Returns from twenty-four
shipping mines show the ore shipped
as approximately 14,557 tons, contain-
ing 9,914,956 ounces of silver. At the
average price of refined silver for the
year, this would be worth \$6,476,555,
and it represents an average return of
651 ounces of silver or \$444.87 per
ton of ore shipped.

Among the non-metallic products,
the asbestos industry shows substan-
tial progress—an increase of 10 per
cent in quantity, with higher price.
Coal mining also shows a steady
growth in all fields, with higher prices
realized. Large increases are also
shown by natural gas and petroleum,
which is particularly gratifying, as
indicating that these fields in Ontario

have not yet reached the exhaustion
point.

Coal still holds the position as rela-
tively the most valuable mineral
product in Canada. Four years ago
gold held that distinction. In 1906 it
was second, and last year it fell to
fifth place. Copper is second, nickel
third, silver fourth. Lead is in eighth
place, and pig iron in tenth. The total
shipments of iron ore from Canadian
mines were 210,996 short tons, valued
at the mine at \$662,441, as compared
with 248,831 tons, valued at \$589,206.
In 1906. Of these shipments, 27,453
tons went to the United States. Cana-
da's total pig iron production in
1907, from both Canadian and import-
ed ores, was 651,962 short tons, valued
at \$9,125,226—an increase of nearly 9
per cent.

An idea of the progress of Canada's
mineral development is furnished by
a table showing the annual production
since 1886. For ten-year periods the
figures are:

1886 \$10,221,255

1896 22,474,256

1907 86,183,477

In twenty-one years the production
has increased nearly eightfold.

B. C. AND THE G. T. P.

The Government of British Colum-
bia and the Grand Trunk Pacific Rail-
way Company have reached an under-
standing regarding certain matters in
dispute, and a contract based thereon
is now awaiting the sanction of the
Legislature. This removes all im-
pediments in the way of carrying on
construction work through the Prov-
ince. Chief among the questions which
this agreement will settle is the trans-
fer of the ownership of an Indian res-
ervation near Prince Rupert. Al-
though it has been advised that the
transfer of the reservation made some
time ago by the Dominion Govern-
ment would be held good by the courts,
the company has agreed to pay \$2.50
per acre for the 15,000 acres in ques-
tion, and to reconvey to the Govern-
ment one-fourth of the area as it is
surveyed. At the same time the com-
pany secures a right-of-way one hun-
dred feet wide across the Province,
together with the necessary land for
sidings, stations, etc., the right to take
timber from crown lands for construc-
tion purposes and ten years' exemp-
tion from taxation. The contract re-
cognizes the principle, always held in
British Columbia, that the Dominion
Parliament cannot grant a right of
way over Provincial crown lands.

An important feature of the agree-
ment is that the company binds itself
to commence construction from its
western terminus by June 1 of this
year, and to proceed as vigorously as
possible with the work towards the
Province's eastern boundary. Already
work has been started from Edmon-
ton westward, so it is not too much
to expect that within a very short
time construction will be under way
between the Alberta capital and Prince
Rupert from both ends. By the bar-
gain the company will purchase ma-
terial and supplies in the Province,
other things being equal. The Victoria
Colonist says that a contract will soon
be let for one hundred miles of the
British Columbia line at an estimated
cost of eight and one-half million dol-
lars, and predicts that the railway will
be completed three years hence.

Nothing is said in the agreement
about white labor. It is understood,
however, that the company has prom-
ised not to employ Asiatics unless it
can prove to the Government that
white labor is not to be procured. But
that this is not satisfactory to some
members of the Legislature is shown
by a resolution, of which notice has
been given, that no agreement shall be
entered into with respect to exemp-
tion from taxation until the company
has given a bond that it will not em-
ploy Orientals.

Meanwhile, the people of British
Columbia are looking forward to the
great stimulating effect this railway
construction is certain to have upon
the development of the Province and
upon business generally.

The Kaiser's letter may have been
foolish, but not so much so as the
furore it raised in Great Britain.

Mr. Foster promises "more scandal,"
just as though the insurance commis-
sioner hadn't given him enough.

The surplus energy expended by
Londoners in trudging through slush
week would have cleaned the city's
sidewalks twice over.

Fowler, M. P., is reported to have
been received with "ringing cheers" by
the Opposition. This, of course, ac-
quits him of the charges of a certain
Montreal Journal, which he has not
ventured to prosecute.

Saturday Night speaks of the "mu-
tish" obstinacy of the Federal Opposi-
tion. Mutility is good. The Opposition
prided itself on its long nose for
scandal, but mostly revealed long ears.

The Quebec Bridge Commission
places the blame for the collapse of the
bridge primarily upon the Philadelphia
engineer who designed it. The Com-
mission will be censured in some
quarters for not discovering that the
plans were really prepared by Sir
Wilfrid Laurier

A SENSATION DELAYED.

[Blagende Blatter.]
"Why so dejected, Baron?"
"Hard luck! Wife ran away with chauff-
eur—I'll never get such a good man
again."

IN HARD LUCK.

[Judge.]
Mrs. De Style—I suppose your daughter
is to have her coming-out ball very soon,
isn't she?
Mrs. Ross Quack—Oh, dear, no. My
daughter has another year at school be-
fore becoming a debutante, and will not
make her debut until next season.

HIS AFFINITY.

[Cleveland Leader.]
"Smart? Say, that girl has brains
enough for two people!"
"No wonder you want to marry her."

SERVED HIM RIGHT.

[Baltimore American.]
Master of the House—Sarah, bring me
an infinitesimal portion of cheese.
New Servant—If you please, sir, we
ain't got that much in the house.

THERE IS NO DEATH.

[George Franks, in the Stellar Ray.]
There is no death! 'Tis but the glad un-
folding
Of the freed spirit's wings, as with one
flight
He roars into the glorious, rich beholding
Of Life, where Dawn, victorious, con-
quers Night!
Who has not had a glimpse of such a
vision,
Through prisoned in his perishable clay,
At which these mock in ignorant derision,
Who crave the darkness rather than the
day!

There is no death! Those who have left
before us
Are ever whispering of the joys beyond,
And whispering so, they constantly im-
pire us.
To tell our weaker friends lest they
despond:
And oh, the grand, majestic truths they
teach us.
Those manifestations of our progress on
this earth;
And we rejoice that messages may reach
us—
That Hope supreme within us may have
birth.

There is no death! Cease then to mourn
and sorrow
When those you love shake off their
shackles grim;
For they but rise within the bright to-
morrow,
And you should raise a glad thanksgiving
hymn!
O joy, when 'tis our turn to go and meet
them,
And till that day, with each succeeding
breath,
I'll think that thought with which I faint
shall greet them:
There is no death, thank God, there is
no death!

THE REST CURE.

[Life.]
Wife—Must you go to the club tonight,
dear?
Husband—It isn't absolutely necessary,
but I need the rest.

NO HOPE FOR HER.

[Baltimore American.]
Young Wife—Doctor, can't you give me
any hope?
Knowing Physician—I am afraid not,
madam. While your husband's age is
against him, his vitality insures his re-
covery.

WELL OCCUPIED, IN EITHER CASE.

[Tombstone Epitaph.]
It is beautiful to see a young girl start
out with the avowed intention of devoting
her life to teaching school, and yet few
people blame her seriously when she quits
to get married.

HIS CAPITAL.

[Judge.]
She—The papers say there would be no
pamper if people only had confidence in the
banks.
He—Well, I'm not worrying. Confidence
is the only thing I ever had in a bank.

KIDNAPPED.

[Philadelphia Ledger.]
"So that's the actress who was kid-
napped the other night?"
"Yes."
"I can understand the management put-
ting up such a job, and why did they
permit her to be brought back?"

COMPENSATION.

[Edna Wheeler Wilcox.]
I may not reach the height I seek,
My untired strength may fail me;
Or, half-way up the mountain peak,
I'll find my strength may fail me.

But though that goal I never gain,
Herein lies life's comfort for my pain—
I will be worthy of it.

I may not triumph in success,
Despite my earnest labor.
I may not grasp results that bless
The efforts of my neighbor.
But though that goal I never gain,
This thought shall always dwell with me—
I will be worthy of it.

The golden glory of love's light
May never fall upon my way.
My path may lead through shadowed
night.

Like some deserted byway,
But though life's dearest joy I miss,
There lies a nameless strength in this—
I will be worthy of it.

EYES AND EARS.

[Puck.]
As civilization advances and human re-
lations grow in complexity, the man who
has eyes yet sees not, and ears yet hears
not, finds more and more his place. The
time will come, perhaps, when eyes will
be chiefly useful for wearing stylish glasses
on, and ears to hang the chain over.

DREARY NOVEMBER.

[Milwaukee Sentinel.]
The day is cold and dark and dreary—
I wonder where the sun is, dear?
Below I went to get some coal,
But only found a yawning hole—
The bin was empty, dreary.

UNWELCOME SOUL-GUEST.

[Chicago Record-Herald.]
Annie Besant says she is the present
owner of the soul of Mrs. Blavatsky. One
of the disagreeable features of theosophy
is that an individual cannot pick out the
soul he or she would like to have, but
must accept any kind of a soul that
comes along and demands admission.

THE BOOZER.

[Cleveland Plaindealer.]
"I wouldn't give a straw for the man
who is continually drinking."
"Such a man wouldn't use it if you
did."

SPOTTED.

[Harper's Weekly.]
Someone had given little Willie a pocket
compass. His teacher was carefully ex-
plaining its different points.
"See," said she, "you have the north
in front of you, the east to your right,
and the west to your left. Now, what
have you behind?"
Willie pondered for a moment. "There,"
said he, "I know someone would see that
patch, but mother says I must wear those
trousers for a month yet."

THE QUIET HOME
SECRET IS OUT

Rhythm in Words and Music
Can Cure the Squalis of
the Baby.

Chicago, March 10.—A demi-semiquaver
in a soft falsetto tone is the best thing
for baby when he is peevish. Don't jump
him up and down like the handle of a
pump in the dry season, but soothe him
gently and purr to him until the proper
nervous rhythm is re-established.

When baby yells it is not because he
has the croup, poor little thing, but be-
cause he is fond of sound and is doing
his best to execute a nocturne in the up-
per register. A little Schumann or a tone
poem by Strauss is better than all the
soothing syrup in creation.

The Illinois Congress of Mothers heard
all about this application of the new
thought to infant psychology at Hull
House yesterday. They were introduced
to the higher thought curves by Mrs. M.
B. Blouke, who read a paper on "Music
in the Home as an Aid to Harmony."

Culture was given a tremendous boost dur-
ing the afternoon, and there was a great
stimulation of the cerebral centers.

Just to illustrate the effectiveness of the
new method of cultivating harmony—
which is to say, silence—in the home,
Mrs. Blouke executed a few semiquavers
herself in a tone so soft and sibilant that
women in the back rows thought it was
an exposition of Delarue movements, and
clapped at the wrong time.

She crossed her arms and wavered gen-
tly from side to side to show how baby's
nerves may be brought into their proper
relation with the general movement of the
body, which are soothing. After that a few
saccharine sentences poured into his ear
will do the business.

Baby should awaken in the morning to
the murmur of sweet sounds, and should
go backward to a slow march or pro-
cessional. After a while he will take the
cue and life will be one grand sweet
song.

"The little baby likes sound," said Mrs.
Blouke. "He likes the rhythm of verse
instinctively, and it has a very soothing
effect upon him. If baby is naughty, try
playing to him, or sing him some little
ditty. You should do everything to avoid
cries, and it is easier to do this by ac-
customing baby to musical sounds which
will restore his nervous rhythm."

"If he is fretful, just soothe that little
song, 'Ding, dong, ding, dong,' into his
ear, and it will attract his attention."

Here the speaker "soothed" the song
and rocked herself back and forth in time
to the rhythm.

"Be sure you make it sprightly, and it
should be optimistic in tone. Baby will
like that. Such songs as 'Good Morning,
Merry Sunshine,' put him in just the
right key."

Business of illustrating song, while
thought was circulating through the audi-
ence, a sudden patting of air to re-
enforce circulation of said waves.

Then the speaker rapped sharply on
the table, and the audience began to
take notice. Presumably that was
what baby would be expected to do.

"Another song which baby will like,"
continued Mrs. Blouke, pianissimo, "is
this:

"Tap, tap, tap."
"What's that tapping in the old oak tree?"

"It will please him, and later on he
will be able to tap the table, and it
will afford him additional pleasure. I
would suggest a quiet song for bedtime,
a march or something like that, you
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tiful Ribbons at One-quarter Off the Regular Prices

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sist—neither can you—for you get the chance tomorrow just as we got it—very much
below the wholesale cost.

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to \$7 each, at each\$1 25, \$1 50 and \$2 00
Inlaid Gilt Back Combs, worth \$2 each, choice,
each\$1 25
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\$2 each, choice\$1 25
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today.

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Nominal Surplus Placed at \$56,466
Water Commission Adopts Estimates

1908 Figures Below That of 1907,
So Surplus Is
Larger.

The water commissioners held a
short but important meeting yesterday
afternoon when the estimates for the
year were struck.

The figures will be submitted to
the council at its next meeting.

In the items of revenue a decrease
in the water rates charged to the city
is noticeable, and is due to the fact
that this year the commissioners are
charging only \$15 for hydrants, in-
stead of \$25, as they think they will
have sufficient revenue to cover this.

A meeting of great importance is
called for Friday afternoon next when
it is understood that some definite
scheme will be proposed to meet the
shortage in the water supply.

The commissioners refused to talk
but from questions asked Engineer
Moore it seems fair to infer that the
high-pressure fire fighting system, to-
gether with the introduction of met-
ers, is uppermost in their minds.

At yesterday's meeting Engineer
Moore was asked many questions re-
garding the location and size of
mains, and it was finally decided only
to place the sum of \$15,000 in the
estimates for waterworks extension
this year.

The question of how the high-pres-
sure system, if installed could be con-
veyed to East London and the fair
grounds, was asked, and all the com-
missioners seemed to favor laying the
main up York street, as it would give
a greater supply of water in the fac-
tory districts at a maximum pressure.

The question of six or eight-inch
main for Dundas street, was brought
up, and Engineer Moore stated that
for a high-pressure system the cost
of the main per foot would vary from
about \$1 75 for an eight-inch main to
\$1 25 per foot for a six-inch.

Chairman Jones thought it lateral
mains connected with it every three
blocks there would be a sufficient sup-
ply to supply good fire streams.

Five Streams.
Engineer Moore said such a system
would supply five fire streams at a
good pressure.

It was pointed out that this was in
striking contrast to the steam and
pressure at the car barns fire.

In connection with the estimates
Commissioner Darch thought the com-
missioners ought to be permitted to

establish a fund of their surpluses and
suggested that the council be asked
to permit this.

Chairman Jones

FOR A MILLION OF MONEY

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CHAPTER XV.

A Startling Discovery.

Selma Hammond stood holding the door of her room, and staring in blank amazement at Olive, until her weak eyes dropped and signaled alarm. Then she turned and threw open the door.

"Sakes alive, what has aaked you? Course you can go if you have a mind."

But when the way was thus made free for her, Olive began to be ashamed of her sudden panic. The desire to learn what connection there could be between this girl and the Merriwells took the place of fear, and she hesitated.

"Those photographs! What are they to you?" she asked eagerly.

"Say! You don't mean you know either of them?" cried Selma, in unmistakably genuine astonishment and curiosity.

On the instant Olive decided that she was sincere. "Who are they?"

"Why, they just raised me, sure. I call her auntie; but I don't know whether she is that or not. The man's her son, Gilbert, when he isn't Gideon Mawford. About as big a tough as ever skipped from the police of Chicago. I'll tell you, if you like; but don't you stay if you'd rather hop."

"Tell me. I helped you today. Tell me," said Olive, excitedly.

The woman of the house brought in the tea then, and the interval gave Olive time to recover self-possession.

"I don't know who my father was, and never knew my mother either," said Selma, as she poured out a cup of tea and handed it to Olive. "All I know is that auntie raised me, and raised me real hard, too. She was on the stage; and a beauty at that. I can tell you. But say, who are you, anyway? I didn't catch your name at the police station."

"My name is Olive Parmenter; and those two have done me a grievous wrong. Don't tell me anything if you'd rather not."

It was the other's turn to be excited. Uttering her favorite exclamation, she

nearly let her cup fall in astonishment.

"Sakes alive! You don't say! Why, you're the missus I came over to meet. If he knew we'd met, he wouldn't say a thing! My!" she cried. "Shouldn't I tell you! And after what you did for me today, too."

After some moments, out came her story. She had been brought up by Mrs. Merriwell as a drudge; put to do all the household work, with kicks, blows, and abuse as her only payment, thrust into a thousand temptations, and at last, when the rest were forced to leave the States, put into prison on a false charge of theft.

Olive's blood boiled as she listened to the recital.

"But I'm getting some of my own back," continued Selma. "I told you I was getting wise to their plans; and I'll tell you. He was the head of a bunch of crooks—thieves, you know—both swells and had to skip. But when he came over to the whole and marry you, I don't know the whole of that game; but it was crooked, you bet. When I came out of prison, I heard he had come over to this side, and one of the gang they had bested put up enough money for me to follow him. I rounded them up all right, all right; and then bluffed them into taking care of me."

"Do you really mean that Gilbert Merriwell is a thief?" cried Olive.

"You ask any police captain in Chicago. About as warm stuff as any crook. Why, the gang is operating here in London! There's a Madame Boncourt at the head with him. She's a swell head, sure. Does the society play somewhere in London; spreads herself with a big splash; but a crook the rest, sure. There's a big scheme on foot about some papers, in which someone in your foreign bureau, or whatever it is called, is involved."

"The foreign office, do you mean?" cried Olive, eagerly. She was now intensely excited. "Do you know the name? Was it Fenwick?"

"I don't know; but I can find it all out. I should like to do it for you, because I'd like to see you again," she said very simply. "Guess you're about the only soul in this big city of yours I care to, either."

For a moment Olive hesitated whether to tell the whole story of the Merriwells' treatment of her to this strange girl; but decided to wait for a while; at all events, until a future meeting. "When can I see you again?" she asked.

"You will do me a service if you shall remember all my life if you can get me the information about all this."

"Sure I will. Either meet me anywhere you like, or come here, say in two days' time, I'll have it all right, all right."

"Thank heaven we have met!" cried Olive earnestly. "But you'll not say a word about me?"

"That's a cinch, sure," was the reply, with a smile. "If they got wise to it, guess they'd be mad and just want to see the seas between us."

"Then you had better know how to write to me in case of need," said Olive shrewdly; and she wrote down Mr. Casement's address and gave it to Selma.

The girl took the paper, read it over two or three times, and then lit a match and burned it very deliberately. "Reckon it's safer," she said, innocently.

With a smile at her caution, Olive rose to go. She was anxious to get away to think over all she had learned. Selma held her hand and looked wistfully into her eyes. "Guess you're about the only girl I ever thought I'd care to kiss," she said, nervously, and almost sadly. "But maybe you do not cotton to such tricks. Don't, if you don't mean it. I know you are white as I sized you up."

"But I do," declared Olive, and kissed her.

Selma sighed. "I hope we shall meet again; but it would just be my luck not to."

Impulsively, Olive kissed her again. She was deeply touched by the weakness of her manner. "We shall be friends, Selma; you'll see," she said.

"I just love to hear you say that; but I—!" and she finished with a doleful shake of the head and another deep sigh, as the tears well up in her eyes. "Your going just makes me feel awful lonesome again; you bet. Don't forget me."

When Olive left the house, she hurried off at a quick pace, and calling

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the first hansom she met, drove to her house, and on the drive her thoughts were busy with all the strange news she had learned from Selma Hammond. And the girl was to the full as strange as the story she had told. Olive was, however, convinced of her sincerity.

"It is like a special intervention of Providence," she said to herself. Just when she had been on the verge of despair, this wonderful confirmation of her belief in Gilbert Merriwell's rascality had come to urge her forward with redoubled energy.

Gideon Mawford! A Chicago crook; and a leader of crooks. She knew the meaning of the term well enough, and in a moment it was plain how he and his mother had been able to concoct their plans against her at Sheffield so rapidly. They had been able to use some of the "bunch," as Selma had termed them.

It was indeed a momentous discovery; and Olive was busied to tell Jack all the great news. She debated with herself whether she should not tell Inspector Robson when they were discussing that evening the incident in which he had rendered her such timely help in the afternoon. But she decided to tell Jack first; and afterwards, if necessary, to run down and discuss it with Mr. Casement.

She put one question to the inspector. Turning the conversation upon Chicago and the police methods there with criminals, she said: "I heard the other day of a regular gang of thieves there with a Madame Boncourt at the head. Did you ever hear of them, Mr. Robson?"

"I mustn't tell office secrets, Miss Parmenter, but we have their records at yard. Pinkerton's sent it to us," and he went on to describe the official system of detective work. Pinkerton's, favored in the United States, it was a sufficient confirmation of the truth of Selma's statement, and when Jack came on the following day Olive told him all that had occurred.

But he was so much taken up with the story of the crooks, that he did not have time to ask her what she thought of the matter. That girl must have been a bit hysterical about her narrow escape; and as for what she hints about the Foreign Office, he shook his head with a confident smile. "Let 'em try."

"But the rest of the news, Pack?" "Do you believe it?" "I am sure Selma Hammond was sincere."

"Then it proves one thing. You mustn't attempt to fight such people empty-handed. And that means," he ended with a glance and a smile. "I know what you mean, of course."

"All roads lead to Rome, dearie. You had better marry me."

But she shook her head. "No, Jack. Not yet, if ever. I feel that I ought to find out everything, and when I've done it well see about that. Not before."

"What adamant!" he laughed. "I shall never cease to pester you, and you'll have to yield in the end. So you may as well do it at once. Besides, have you thought of this? Supposing all this girl told is true; supposing this Merriwell is the confounded scoundrel she describes, and supposing again that you were to be successful in bringing him to book, I say, supposing all this, and it's a pretty big supposition—how would it disprove that marriage at Sheffield?"

"Of course, I don't see that yet," agreed Olive, readily. "But it will come out of it, Jack. I am sure of that as I am that—that—"

"That I love you? he put in, taking her hand.

"Yes," she nodded brightly. "As sure as I am of that."

"Then if you are so dead sure, what's the need of our waiting?"

"All roads lead to Rome, as you said, don't they? But I'm not so sure of it as to risk your future on it, my dear. Yes, I am impatient," he replied, speaking with unusual seriousness; "and I'll tell you the reason. I can't bear the idea of your being alone here, and taking on this big, up-hill fight against these people. Your terrible experience at Sheffield has thoroughly frightened me. It shows to what fearful lengths these people are ready to go; and frankly, I am afraid, yes, horribly afraid, that they will go on scheming and plotting against you until they succeed. I can't sleep at night when the thoughts take hold of me. I wouldn't care so much if you were in some place of safety—say with Mr. Casement or Mrs. Taunton, where you could be properly protected, and would have plenty of people about you, so that these brutes couldn't get at you. But here, alone, you seem to be at their mercy. Oh, Olive, do put that pride of yours away, and let us get married."

"All roads still leading—"

"Don't joke about it, Olive. It makes me wretched, he declared, earnestly. To Be Continued.

BIG FIRE IN JAPAN.

Tokio, March 9.—A fire at Nigata, which started at 6 p.m. yesterday, was extinguished at 2 o'clock this morning. In a district comprising twenty-one of the principal streets, fifteen hundred houses were destroyed, the area being swept clean. The loss was some loss of life but the number is not known.

A WIRELESS WONDER.

Washington, March 9.—About the last place that the navy department expected to hear from the Atlantic battleship fleet for at least six months was what has happened. The navy department today received a telegraphic message from its wireless station at Pensacola, which had been in direct communication with the battleship fleet, a most remarkable performance, considering that the wireless impulses were obliged to traverse the Gulf of Mexico, part of Mexico, and again traverse several hundred miles of ocean. This particular message came from Rear-Admiral Thomas, in command of the second division, and was as follows: "Have you any important news from home?"

A drunken man who now attempts to use a motor car in Delaware is liable to be arrested and fined \$100, or imprisoned for thirty days, or both, under the state's new motor vehicle law.

PANAMA CANAL A HUGE BLUNDER

Former Engineer Stevens Prophecies Failure for Uncle Sam's Big Dutch.

New Haven, Conn., March 9.—John F. Stevens, a vice-president of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, and a former chief engineer of the Panama Canal, has issued a statement regarding the waterway, in which he prophesies its failure.

Mr. Stevens says that the canal will not help the United States in its trade with South America, as practically all of the inhabitants of the southern continent are east of the Andes.

Mr. Stevens also says that in the commercial relations of the United States with the islands of the Pacific, and the far east, the canal will be of little value. The coal and wheat centers of the United States are inland.

Their products have to be started on their way by rail. When once loaded on cars it will be no cheaper to ship to the Atlantic and then ship to the east by way of the canal than it would be to ship directly to the countries on the east, and then go on board ship.

Furthermore, Mr. Stevens believes that the coal supply of the United States is fast diminishing, and that China will be the coal country of the future. Siberia, he says, will be the wheat country of the future, with Indiana second. The Panama Canal cannot hope to become anything other than an expensive, according to Mr. Stevens. It will not meet expenses, and it will cost more than is expected. It will be an advantage to European countries, and not to the United States.

The date of the finishing of the canal he fixes as January, 1915.

The idea of the canal being of great value to the United States in times of warfare since the American naval forces can be quickly sent from one coast to another, he says, is utterly absurd. It would take time for the ships to get around and during that time hostile shells could have done their work. Mr. Stevens believes that it would be a far wiser plan of defense to put the money that the canal will cost into a greater navy.

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BIG WOLF PACK
TREES TRAPPERS

In the Morning Hunters Managed to Pick Off Nine and Collected \$135 in Bounties.

Port Arthur, Ont., March 9.—From dusk to dawn, with the thermometer below zero, clinging to a slim tree, while a pack of twenty ravenous timber wolves kept up an incessant chorus beneath, was the fate of Tom and Patrick Murphy, two trappers, in Silver Mountains, near here, Friday night. They started off into the woods, and before they had gone far they heard the baying of wolves, which gradually became more distinct. They thought but little of the matter until they realized that the wolves were on their tracks, following them at a good speed, but two shots failed to scare off the leaders, so the Murphys got into a tree just in time, as the leaders made a snap at them. In their hurry to reach safety Tom tore off a portion of his clothing and, without food or overcoats, the men were kept in the tree all night.

When morning came, the wolves scattered out of sight, but the men managed to pick off nine of them, for which they collected \$135 in bounty here today.

FURNITURE IN TOMB

Welshy Man Building Mausoleum Like Bedroom for Wife's Ashes.

New York, March 9.—A handsome granite mausoleum furnished like his first wife's bedroom in every detail is being built by John Jamieson of Rockaway, on his beautiful lawn, for the repose of the ashes of the wife now dead four years.

A year and a half ago Mr. Jamieson announced his intention of forming a second marriage, and introduced as his prospective bride, Miss Harriet Barber, then a teacher in a Rockaway public school.

The daughters thought their mother should be remembered in some marked way, and Mr. Jamieson and the woman who was to become his second wife agreed with them. The plan for the mausoleum, which is now approaching completion, was worked out between them.

It was the intention of Mr. Jamieson and his daughters to have the body of the first Mrs. Jamieson interred in the tomb. It was found that the authorities would not permit this, so her body was cremated and the ashes placed in an urn which will stand on the marble mantel.

Some of the first Mrs. Jamieson's personal effects and the furniture and bric-a-brac of her bedroom will be transferred to the tomb some day next week. The furniture will be placed just as she left it when she died, and the reproduction made as complete as possible.

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MEET DEATH SMILING

Italian Murderer Goes to the Chair With His Face Beaming.

Ossining, N. Y., March 9.—Antonio Strollo, an Italian, who killed a man in Van Cortlandt Park, New York, for the purpose of robbery, went to death in the electric chair at Sing Sing Prison today with a smile, after a cheery good-bye to those who had been summoned to witness the execution. Strollo showed the most extraordinary composure. When he entered the death chamber with a light, spry step, his face was beaming, and the smile was never absent for an instant. Four contacts were made before the man was pronounced dead.

Strollo killed Antonio Torselli, a fellow countryman, in Van Cortlandt Park last summer. Torselli's face was literally slashed to pieces. In all there were 36 stab wounds in the murdered man's body. The execution was witnessed by three New York assemblymen. They declined to give their names. Judge Edmund S. Terry, of Brooklyn, was also present. It is said a bill is being prepared for presentation in the assembly, which provides for the abolition of capital punishment and that the assemblymen who came here today did so to see for themselves the manner in which the capital punishment is carried out.

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PRESERVATION OF FORESTS

Ontario Government May Adopt Radical Measures for Reforestation.

Toronto, March 9.—It is understood that Hon. Frank Cochrane, minister of lands, forests and mines, has under consideration a comprehensive plan for the preservation of Ontario's forests and reforestation.

The plan is believed to be a radical and extensive one, under which the crown will secure the return of hundreds of acres of forest now held by licensees in the northern portion of the province and will arrange for the taking over of tracts of land in Ontario capable of growing white pine in perpetuity.

It will be remembered that in his recent address the prime minister, Hon. Mr. Whitney, intimated that in the near future the Government proposed an official tackling of the forestry problem. This, it is learned, has been under the attention of the minister of lands, forests and mines for some months, and that Hon. Mr. Cochrane will recommend many important advances along the lines of conserving the forest wealth of the province. His plans are contemplated a reorganization of the whole existing system.

United States manufacturers have been turning covetous eyes towards Canadian forests, and the minister proposes to put the timber laws of this province in a condition to effectually prevent their depletion.

Hon. Mr. Cochrane's proposals are believed to be comprehensive and far-reaching. They will extend over several years. A start will be made at the present session of the Legislature, when the minister will put through a bill taking power by legislation to sell matured timber on forest reserves under special regulations calling for great care in the handling of the debris. A qualified forester and government ranger will indicate the trees to be cut, as where pine reaches a certain stage it goes back and should be taken out on maturity.

The estimates provide the extra sum of \$45,000 for fire and forest ranging and forest reserve, and the most rigorous care is to be taken on all work.

Following this, it is probable that the Government will take up the question of the old licensees, all granted prior to 1932, giving the right to cut all the timber. The Government will undertake, where possible, to get rid of these licensees and reinvest the property in the crown on an equitable basis, either by allowing the licensees a certain time to cut timber of a certain size or by settling with them forthwith.

Another feature of Hon. Mr. Cochrane's plan, it is understood, is to effect arrangements by which the province will take over certain tracts of land in older Ontario, where the sandy soil makes for forestry rather than agricultural development, and such as are now growing young white pine, with a view to handling them scientifically to maintain the forests in perpetuity.

COULD NOT CASH CHECK

Indicted Financier Had \$30 Check Returned—Wife Also Refused.

New York, March 9.—Charles W. Morse, late head of the "trust," and a leading financier, under indictment, was unable to get a check cashed, which he received on Saturday. Finally he gave the check to his wife, to be deposited in her own bank. She handed it to the receiving teller, who handed it back to her with a smile, remarking that it would be unsafe to leave it in the bank, since it might be seized under the attachment.

Mr. Morse told this story yesterday as an illustration of the plight in which he has been placed. He is, he said, unable to deposit any money in any institution in the city with any reasonable hope of getting it out again.

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ARMED DEPUTIES GUARD MURDERER

Anarchist Slayer of Denver Priest Protected From Mob Violence.

Denver, March 9.—Anticipating the presence of a large crowd at the opening of the trial today of Giuseppe Alia, the Syrian, who, in cold blood, murdered Father Leo Heinrichs, of St. Elizabeth's Church, while he was giving the sacraments on Sunday, Feb. 23, Sheriff Alexander Nisbet had stationed deputies along the walls, and in the entrance ways leading from the jail to the courtroom, and also in the courtroom itself. This precaution was taken to frustrate any attempt at mob violence, although the authorities do not look for any real outbreak of this kind.

Alia's case was the first on the criminal docket, and Judge Whitford, who is taking his turn on the criminal bench, had ordered present an open panel of 100 veniremen.

It was expected that the defense of Attorney Widdicombe, representing Alia by appointment of the court, would be largely guesswork. In the hope of saving the life of his client, and to be prepared for combating this defense the prosecution had summoned eight of the most skillful brain specialists in the city to be present, for the purpose of observing the defendant, and thus be in readiness to give expert opinion as to his sanity. The defense had arranged also for three alienists to serve their side.

When Alia was taken from the jail to the courthouse he was under the guard of Sheriff Nisbet and four deputies, each armed with a brace of revolvers. His men had explicit instructions to keep the jail ground clear of and to arrest anyone who showed any evidence of intention to attack the prisoner. Spectators in the courtroom were closely scrutinized and all suspicious characters were excluded from the building.

THE BY-ELECTIONS FOR SIX MONTHS

Liberals Were Elected in Six and Conservatives in Three.

Ottawa, March 9.—A return of by-elections for the Commons held during 1935, issued yesterday in blue book form, show that during the year fourteen by-elections were held. Of these, five were by acclamation, the members elected being all Liberals, namely: Hon. Wm. Pugsley, Hon. Geo. P. Graham, Hon. Jacques Bureau, Pius Michaud, (Victoria, B. C.), and C. E. Major (Lafayette). In the nine contested constituencies Liberals were elected in six and Conservatives in three. The aggregate Liberal majorities totalled 5,318, and the aggregate Conservative majorities 1,590, to which Major Beattie's majority in London against the Labor candidate contributed 1,935.

DECISION FOR SCHMITZ.

San Francisco, March 9.—That former Mayor Eugene E. Schmitz was unlawfully convicted of extortion and sentenced to five years in prison was reaffirmed today by the state supreme court.

Today's decision also applies to Abraham Ruef. It is believed that Schmitz and Ruef will immediately apply for release from the county jail on bail.

The prosecution purposes at once to bring to trial some of the many other charges preferred against them.

Some time ago the rice supply being short, prisoners in Japanese jails were fed largely on barley. The result was the immediate cessation of new beriberi cases.

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TORTURING SKIN DISEASE Afflicted this bright little girl

Mrs. F. Miners, of 311 Suffolk Street, Guelph, Ont., says: "A year since, while living in Oshawa, Ont., my little daughter Lorinda, six years of age, contracted a skin disease on the upper part of her body. This first broke out like tiny water blisters, afterwards taking the form of dry scabs. These would disappear for a short time and then reappear worse than ever. The clothes coming in contact with the skin set up such a severe irritation that it was impossible to keep her from scratching. We tried various preparations and healing lotions and ointments, but with no result. The child was greatly relieved, and the child rested easier. The scabs and scabs fast disappeared and in a short space of time the skin was completely cleared from the disease. It is now some months since we used Zam-Buk, and there being no sign of any more eruptions breaking out on her body, we believe Zam-Buk has worked a complete cure."

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BRITISH

At a village near Exeter the wife of a farm laborer has just given birth to her twenty-second child. All his family are alive and doing exceedingly well.

The Swanses trawler Hene Castle, of 162 tons, steamed out of Swansea Docks on a voyage to Japan, a distance of 12,000 miles, which is a record for a small boat of this size.

At Amersham, Bucks, two years ago, a plowman named Harris lost a watch while plowing. Recently another plowman named Bird, threw up the watch with his plow while plowing in the same field.

At Chester street, on Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Simpson and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Naylor celebrated the fifty-second anniversary of their wedding at Pelton Church. Mr. Simpson and Mr. Naylor are cousins.

A bog near the stationhouse at Robbinston, on the Caledonian Railway, nearly swallowed up a locomotive which over-ran a siding. It required three days' arduous work on the part of the engineering staff to rescue it.

The Hon. Hugh Archibald Wyndham, brother of Lord Leconfield, of Petworth, Sussex, and nephew of Lord Rosebery, was married at St. Peter's, Eaton Square, to the Hon. Maud Mary Lytleton, daughter of Viscount Cobham.

While hunting with the Ribblesdale Buckhounds at Lord Ribblesdale's seat, near Gisborne Park, Lancashire, Miss Marjorie Garnett, daughter of Councillor T. Garnett, of Clitheroe, was thrown from her horse, sustaining serious injuries.

The text of the bill introduced by Mr. Jesse Collins, M. P., with the object of promoting nature study in public elementary schools, was published on Monday. It provides for school gardens and such collections of examples as may be necessary for the illustration of the instruction given.

Sir Charles Dilke's summer residence at Shepperton, Epsom, bordering on the Thames, has been entered by burglars, who made a clean sweep of the interior, collecting articles from the various rooms and turning out cabinets and cupboards. Many articles were packed ready for removal.

Color-Sergeant Herbert George Shepherd, Gordon Highlanders, was sentenced at Aldershot on Monday to six months' hard labor for embezzling £119 15s 10d, the property of the King, and afterwards to be handed over to the military authorities as a deserter.

The steam trawler Crane, of Grimsby, ran ashore on the Strik Rocks, near Tolborough. The crew were landed by the steamer Crane. The trawler Crane is one of the vessels which was struck by the shells of the Baltic fleet off the Dogger Bank in 1904, several of her crew being killed and injured.

The rail motor car which plies between Bournemouth and Ringwood narrowly escaped being wrecked about a mile from Ringwood on Monday night. The line is being repaired, and one of a pile of wooden blocks was in some way placed across the line, and as it weighs at least 2 cwt., it is thought that it must have been placed there deliberately.

When a 17-year-old girl named Norah Kettle was charged at Birmingham police court on Monday with attempted suicide, the explanation given by her father was that she had contracted the habit of smoking an inordinate number of cigarettes, amounting often to four packets a day. The case was adjourned for a month on the girl promising to give up cigarette smoking.

THAT LATE TRAIN FINE.

A measure has been introduced in the House of Commons imposing a penalty of \$5 per minute on all late passenger trains, except where physical impossibility can be proven. The late train is, of course, a great inconvenience, and if it could be brought in on time by an act of parliament the traveling public would welcome such an act. But it is scarcely likely that trains are delayed just for the purpose of inconveniencing the public or to suit the convenience of the railways. If the truth were known it would probably be found that the railway companies are as anxious to have their trains running on time as are the people who travel. Indeed many of the accidents that occur to railway trains are attributed to the anxiety of the companies to bring in their trains on time, and it has been seriously suggested more than once that the companies should be punished for such accidents when they are attended by danger. Between a proposal on the one hand to punish for not being on time, and a proposal on the other to punish for making extra efforts to be on time, the railway companies may be puzzled to know just what to do. One thing the companies might be expected to do for the convenience of the traveling public, and

Japan is perhaps the only country in the world where the fashions in women's dress have not changed materially in 2,500 years.



LITTLE LORINDA MINER, GUELPH

AN EKFRID WEDDING

Interesting Event at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Beattie.

A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized on Wednesday, March 4, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Beattie, when their only daughter, Eva M. A., became the bride of Mr. John Neale, a prosperous young farmer of Carleton Place.

The bride, who was given away by her father, looked charming, attired in a traveling suit of navy blue broadcloth. After the ceremony and the congratulations of friends had been received, the party repaired to the dining-room, where a sumptuous repast was served.

The groom's gift to the bride was a gold watch and chain, and to Mrs. Beattie a sardonyx brooch. The bride was the recipient of many valuable gifts which testify to the high esteem in which the young couple are held by their many friends.

Amid showers of rice Mr. and Mrs. Neale left on the 3 o'clock train for near points. On their return they will reside at the groom's home in Ekfrid.

TO HEAD BISLEY TEAM

Leut.-Col. Labelle, of Montreal, Has Been Appointed Commandant.

Ottawa, March 9.—Leut.-Col. A. E. D. Labelle, of the Sixty-fifth Brigade, Montreal, has been appointed commandant of the Bisley team, and Major W. C. King, Forty-third, Bowmanville, adjutant.

DIED OF BLOOD-POISONING.

Toronto, March 9.—A pathetic death is that of Miss Nellie Wallace, aged 22 years, a student at the Normal School, who came from Blind River, near the Soo. Some time ago, while trying to remove an ingrowing toe-nail, Miss Wallace slightly lacerated the flesh. She paid no attention to the small wound, which finally developed blood-poisoning. Everything possible was done for her, but the girl died a few hours before the arrival of her parents from Blind River.

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TRAVELERS' GUIDE

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY. SARNIA TUNNEL TO SUSPENSION BRIDGE AND TORONTO

Arrive from the east—3:50 a.m., 10:56 a.m., 11:12 a.m., 11:22 a.m., 6:25 p.m., 7:48 p.m., 10 p.m.
Arrive from the west—12:09 a.m., 3:15 a.m., 11:13 a.m., 1:10 p.m., 4:10 p.m., 6:25 p.m.
Depart for the east—11:14 a.m., 3:20 a.m., 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m., 11:22 a.m., 2:05 p.m., 4:25 p.m., 6:53 p.m. (Eastern Flyer).

The trains leaving at 7:30 a.m. and 2:05 p.m. stop at all stations.
Depart for the west—3:55 a.m., 7:40 a.m., 11:18 a.m., 11:35 a.m., 1:49 p.m., 8:05 p.m.
The 7:40 a.m. and the 1:40 p.m. trains stop at all stations.

LONDON AND WINDSOR.
Arrive—10:40 a.m., 1 p.m., 6:50 p.m. (Eastern Flyer), 11 p.m.
Depart—6:35 a.m., 11:27 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 7:55 p.m. (International Limited).

STRATFORD BRANCH.
Arrive—7:15 a.m., 11:15 a.m., 1:30 p.m., 6:35 p.m., 11:10 p.m.
Depart—6:10 a.m., 11 a.m., 2:50 p.m., 5 p.m.

LONDON, HURON AND BRUCE.
Arrive—10 a.m., 6:10 p.m.
Depart—8:30 a.m., 4:50 p.m.
Trains marked thus run daily. Those not so marked run daily except Sunday.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY.
Arrive—6:55 a.m., 11:10 a.m., 5:10 p.m., 9:50 p.m.
Depart—7:15 a.m., 2:20 p.m., 5:35 p.m., 10:10 p.m.

Runs through to Waterford.
PERE MARQUETTE RAILWAY.
Depart—5:40 a.m., 6:50 a.m., 9:45 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 3:40 p.m., 12:15 p.m., 1:50 p.m., 4:40 p.m., 9:20 p.m., 11:30 p.m.
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Arrive—From the east—11:30 a.m., 8 p.m., 11 p.m. From the west—4:30 a.m., 8:20 a.m., 5:20 p.m.
Depart—For the east—4:40 a.m., 8:45 a.m., 3:28 p.m. For the west—11:35 a.m., 8:53 p.m., 12:10 p.m.
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PARIS SIX TO LONDONS TWO IN FIRST CARLING CUP GAME

Local Team Minus Its Regular Forward Line Outplayed By the Parisians in Poor Exhibition of Hockey—Second Contest on Friday

Paris 6, London 2.
The above score tells more than two columns of writing could do—but there is yet something to be said about the first game of the Carling Cup series, played last night in the Parisian icehouse.

Excuses from a losing town are in bad form. However, it is only fair to London to state that, with the exception of Abram, and Wagner, who have played several games with the locals, the forward line was a new one. Orr could not get away for some reason or another, and Bole decided to go at the last moment—and as a consequence missed the train.

Without Bole, its scoring machine, the London forward line was lost, and the Parisians had little to do most of the time but to shoot.

Little Combination.
The game, while fast, was almost totally devoid of combination plays, and what little that was done in that line was performed by Paris.

Both teams checked hard and close, but although London had the advantage in weight, Paris broke through in a manner which at times was most discouraging to the local defense, which worked like trojans.

However, Collins on right wing, was nailed hard and fast throughout the contest by Little Gill, while Wagner was seldom dangerous on the other wing after the first half. Abram checked back, and broke up combinations in his usual clever manner, but could not get shaped right for a shot. Munroe worked hard, but was haggard so close that he was nearly suffocated. This boy looks like a possible comer, though and that settled London's scoring chances.

Occasionally Casselman or Thompson cleared—but only for a moment, then they were either tripped or checked up short.

One noticeable feature of the game was the total absence of dirty work on the part of the London players, not one of them being ruled off, while several of the Parisians took the count for tripping and slashing.

The game, on the whole, was fairly fast, although there were moments when one could fancy himself at a London City League contest without undue exertion.

London Starts Fast.
For the first five minutes London kept the Paris defense on the jump. Then the Parisians awakened and getting away on a two-men combination, laced one straight at Pearson, and scored on a follow-up when the shot was blocked. Time 5 minutes.

A minute later London tied when Casselman rushed and passed to Collins, who returned to Wagner, a few feet off the net. 1-1.

A Peculiar Play.
London drove next blood on a rather peculiar, but nevertheless heady play. Thompson cleared, and took a shot ten feet out. The puck went high, struck the boards back of the net, and bounced out on the ice again, and Wagner came up with a rush and scored. 2-1.

Things now looked bright for the Londoners, and the three or four odd rosters who accompanied the team cheered up.

It was not for long, though, for London scored no more, although it came within a hair of it on several occasions.

Kenny forced the rubber up the ice by sheer pluck, but lost it in mid-ice and before he got back Paris had worked a couple of short, jerky passes and scored. 2-2. Time, 11 minutes.

THE HANDBOOKS.

According to the illustrious "Jim" Stephen, Toronto has rid itself of the octopus, to wit, the handbook man. And yet the papers are full of printers' ink pictures of great wealth and how a two dollar note parlayed will win a king's ransom, if perchance you follow the tips of Mike McGukin. Properly run and limited as to dates, the rascaille is not the worst place in the world, that is as it is run by the O. J. C., for instance. The mischief comes from the handbook gentry, who lay in wait for the man with a large family, who cannot afford admission money and plays the ponies on the sneak.

The handbooks, when they were rampant about town undoubtedly supplied the lubricating oil that sent many the young man down the chute, not to mention those who held out on the cash register. Is Toronto com-

Fraser took a trip to the land of stopwatches and repentance for tripping.

With the puck some twenty feet out from London's net and the homebrews gathered five deep in front of it, Paris slipped its third point through as if by a miracle. 3-2.

Another Paris forward here took a rest for slashing.

London displayed a weak attempt at combination after this, but it came to naught and shortly the fast Paris forwards were hugging London's goal.

Eventually Gill slipped through four locals and looked like a sure bet. Ken checked and the day was saved.

Paris then began playing for time by long lifts, and holds over the slides. Wagner, on a close follow-up, nearly scored just as the whistle blew. The puck rested several inches inside the posts, but failed to hit the net.

Shiny in the Second.
Shiny was the order of almost the entire second half, and slashing was indulged in frequently.

London couldn't get even a symptom of combination going in this session, and although the boys all worked hard, there was no stopping the Parisians, who played a mixture of rough and ready hockey, combined with plenty of slashing and tripping.

Jay Thompson nearly scored a point for Paris by accident, giving the puck a shove in the wrong direction.

Then, after twelve minutes of fairly even play, Lovett passed to Fraser, who made the score stand 4 to 2.

Thicknell, on a clear rush, repeated a minute later. Score, 5 to 2.

Paris' last point was landed via a hole in the side of the net, being shot at an impossible angle by Lovett, who was as much surprised as anyone, when the disk went through. However, the London defense empire did not catch the play, and it went.

Paris was having much the best of the argument when the final whistle put a stop to things.

Fraser and Gill were off during the half.

Much credit is due the London defense for keeping the score down as low as it was, for Paris had its regular team on the ice—and, well, every body around these days designs remembering the two attacks of heart failure the Parisians gave us when they played here and at Paris in the district series.

The game was witnessed by approximately 250 people, who yelled themselves hoarse at the pleasure of seeing the much-feared Londoners taken into camp.

An effort was made at half-time to get the consent of Paris for the return game at London, on account of the financial prospects, but a deaf ear was turned to all proposals, and the next contest will be played at Paris Friday night.

The line-ups: Paris, Pearson.....Goal.....Peelbes Casselman.....Point.....L. Fraser Thompson.....Cover.....A. Kuhlman Abram.....Rover.....A. D. Fraser Munroe.....Center.....J. Tinnick Collins.....R. Wing.....Lovett Wagner.....L. Wing.....W. Gill Referee—Duff Adams, Brantford.

Notes of the Game.
Both Collins and Wagner scored goals; which the referee decided were on outside plays.

As one oldtime Paris hockey fan put it after the game: "It served us blooming right." It takes the regular team all it can do to take the Parisians into camp, and a pickup

team has no business monkeying around such hardened veterans as the Carling Cup holders.

Fraser and Thompson had all kinds of fun out of the game. Every time they got within reaching distance of one another or the other would go into the other full tilt, and say "This is rugby."

Gill, for his weight, is a wonder, and he is the candy infant in the eyes of the Paris rosters, who seemed to take an especial delight in seeing Gill and Casselman come together on the boards. Gill weighs about 110 in his hockey impudence, while Cass' tips the meat bar at 185 at least.

Tinnick missed Davy Bole. Dave used to get real mad when the little white top slammed him across the shins, while Munroe took it all as a matter of fact, having doubtless grown used to it in the city league.

The natives of Paris fairly shrieked themselves hoarse over the "great" victory. "Those dogged cockneys got it at last from our boys," they yelled in unison after the affair was over, and when the multitude was leaving the rink everybody took the opportunity to yell in the London dressing room: "How do you like the Carling Cup? Eh?"

Jack Abram was not feeling in the best of trim before the game, and tried to get Secretary Powell to go on in his place. "Nix," said George. "Likewise, nay."

At half-time it was found necessary to appoint a second penalty time-keeper on account of an apparent shortage in the time some of the Paris "Cut-ups" were off the ice. One man—Fraser—was off exactly ten seconds by the writer's watch in the first half, when he had been given a minute by the man with the whistle.

Paris did not appear to play the game it is capable of, but its jerky passes were bothersome all the same, and kept the London defense guessing every time the opposing forwards came down the ice.

Next Friday, of course, the local intend—or rather expect—to reverse the order of things. If the regular team—that is the one which defeated Hamilton is on, there should be a decided drop in Parisian conceit.

DAVE BOLE



London's fast center man, who was sadly missed at Paris last night, Dave has promised to turn out Friday night for the second game of the Carling Cup series, and if he does there will doubtless be a different tale to tell on Saturday morning. Bole's equal as a center has not been seen around here in the intermediate ranks in years.

Bole's chief ability does not, as some people fancy, lie alone in the fact that he is a sure shot, but in that, by superior stickwork, he is able to place himself in a position from which a shot counts.

Waterloos Are City League Champions Romp Away From Varsity Seven

Hermits Defeat St. Johns and Get In Second Honors.

The Waterloos trimmed the Western University team last evening by the score of 12 to 5 in the city league series, incidentally winning the championship of the league by so doing. The Hermits finished bang-up second by defeating the St. John's team 4 to 1. There was a much better crowd present than is usually the case, and the games created considerable interest.

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Bernhardt.
The bright shining light of the Waterloos was one Bernhardt. This is not the Divine Sarah—not yet, for he is not long on sylph-like figures, but he was busier than a blonde at a summer resort. Be it remarked he played coverpoint and almost every other place. For covering ground he made a flea look like a sloth. Bernhardt was the best shown last evening. That is saying something, for Bobby Hague never played a better game of hockey than he did last evening. He scored many goals, and his attention to combination work helped to a number of other goals. Davy Bole was there or thereabouts most of the session, and played his usual strong, steady and winning game. Jimmy Orr was brilliant in spots, mostly as a conversationalist. The others were only fair.

A Wide Open Game.
The game was as wide open as a Western town on a fair day. The Waterloos had most of their men on the forward line all the time, and when the other fellows broke through a score generally resulted. They did not break through, however. The sterling combination work of the Waterloos kept them well to the front all the way.

The half-time score was 7 to 2 in favor of Waterloo, and the full-time score 12 to 5. The thin red line of the Waterloos practically scored whenever the fevered fevered up as follows:

Waterloos—Goal, R. Orr; point, Knott; cover, Bernhardt; rover, Bole; center, Hague; left wing, J. Orr; right wing, Hague.

Western University—Goal, Eichenberger; point, MacArthur; cover, Turner; rover, Featherstone; center, J. Wagner; left wing, George; right wing, Pugh.

Hermits Take the Other.
The second game went to the Hermits. There was as much energy wasted in this game to make a son of rest drop dead of pure fright. Both teams were willing workers, and they were given every opportunity. They sailed in from the drop of the hat, and whooped it up until ten bells. It was not a hockey game exactly, but it was full of exciting climaxes and half-breath escapes. The Hermits had some the better of the play. Their defense was much stronger, and their forward line worked with better purpose.

The best player on the Hermit team was Dickson on the wing. He skated very fast, and handled a stick very effectively. His work was the feature. Another youngster who was not far away was Producers, of the St. Johns. This auburn-haired boy is coming, and coming fast. He's a game lad, handles a stick well and shoots accurately. He has the size and will be tough medicine shortly. Producers was the best on the losers' team. The Hermits defence played steadily and held the opposing forwards well. Nichol, of the Saints, on point, played a good steady, hard game. He pulled off a stunt in the checking line, however, that should have netted him a half hour rest. It was bad. Lackie was not at home on cover. Legg worked hard. Callahan and Woolley were also industrious. Youngs, Turner and MacArthur played hard.

The Hermits were in the lead all the way. They got an early start when Dickson shot a goal, to be followed in a few minutes by Turner. Producers got the Saints only goal by a pretty shot from the wing. MacArthur and Dickson got away nicely and made the score 3 to 1 in favor of the Hermits at half time.

Youngs scored the only goal for the winners in the second half. Jack Brown refereed both games satisfactorily. He had few penalties to hand out, although he should have given one or two players longer than one minute on the penitent bench.

The teams lined up as follows: Hermits—Goal, Hodge; point, Livingston; cover, Fetterly; rover, Turner; center, MacArthur; left, Youngs; right, Dickson.

St. Johns—Goal, Parkinson; point, Nichol; cover, Lackie; rover, Legg; center, T. Woolley; left, Producers; right, A. Callahan.

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The bright shining light of the Waterloos was one Bernhardt. This is not the Divine Sarah—not yet, for he is not long on sylph-like figures, but he was busier than a blonde at a summer resort. Be it remarked he played coverpoint and almost every other place. For covering ground he made a flea look like a sloth. Bernhardt was the best shown last evening. That is saying something, for Bobby Hague never played a better game of hockey than he did last evening. He scored many goals, and his attention to combination work helped to a number of other goals. Davy Bole was there or thereabouts most of the session, and played his usual strong, steady and winning game. Jimmy Orr was brilliant in spots, mostly as a conversationalist. The others were only fair.

A Wide Open Game.
The game was as wide open as a Western town on a fair day. The Waterloos had most of their men on the forward line all the time, and when the other fellows broke through a score generally resulted. They did not break through, however. The sterling combination work of the Waterloos kept them well to the front all the way.

The half-time score was 7 to 2 in favor of Waterloo, and the full-time score 12 to 5. The thin red line of the Waterloos practically scored whenever the fevered fevered up as follows:

Waterloos—Goal, R. Orr; point, Knott; cover, Bernhardt; rover, Bole; center, Hague; left wing, J. Orr; right wing, Hague.

Western University—Goal, Eichenberger; point, MacArthur; cover, Turner; rover, Featherstone; center, J. Wagner; left wing, George; right wing, Pugh.

Hermits Take the Other.
The second game went to the Hermits. There was as much energy wasted in this game to make a son of rest drop dead of pure fright. Both teams were willing workers, and they were given every opportunity. They sailed in from the drop of the hat, and whooped it up until ten bells. It was not a hockey game exactly, but it was full of exciting climaxes and half-breath escapes. The Hermits had some the better of the play. Their defense was much stronger, and their forward line worked with better purpose.

The best player on the Hermit team was Dickson on the wing. He skated very fast, and handled a stick very effectively. His work was the feature. Another youngster who was not far away was Producers, of the St. Johns. This auburn-haired boy is coming, and coming fast. He's a game lad, handles a stick well and shoots accurately. He has the size and will be tough medicine shortly. Producers was the best on the losers' team. The Hermits defence played steadily and held the opposing forwards well. Nichol, of the Saints, on point, played a good steady, hard game. He pulled off a stunt in the checking line, however, that should have netted him a half hour rest. It was bad. Lackie was not at home on cover. Legg worked hard. Callahan and Woolley were also industrious. Youngs, Turner and MacArthur played hard.

The Hermits were in the lead all the way. They got an early start when Dickson shot a goal, to be followed in a few minutes by Turner. Producers got the Saints only goal by a pretty shot from the wing. MacArthur and Dickson got away nicely and made the score 3 to 1 in favor of the Hermits at half time.

Youngs scored the only goal for the winners in the second half. Jack Brown refereed both games satisfactorily. He had few penalties to hand out, although he should have given one or two players longer than one minute on the penitent bench.

The teams lined up as follows: Hermits—Goal, Hodge; point, Livingston; cover, Fetterly; rover, Turner; center, MacArthur; left, Youngs; right, Dickson.

St. Johns—Goal, Parkinson; point, Nichol; cover, Lackie; rover, Legg; center, T. Woolley; left, Producers; right, A. Callahan.

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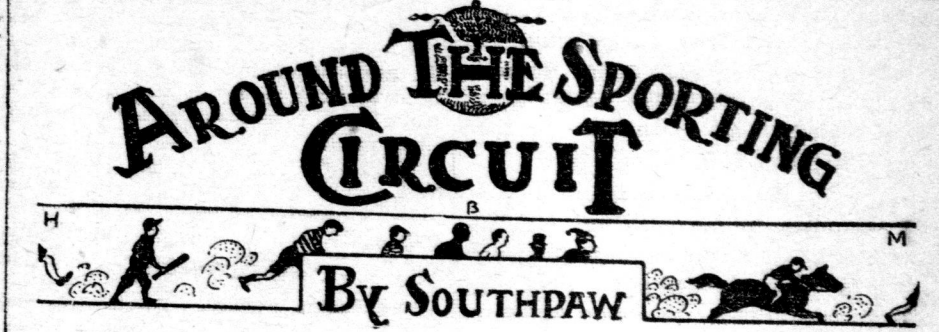
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made a sick-looking crew out of their opponents.
The London Pickups, under Captain Harvey, were the surprise of the tourney, defeating the Toronto West Ends and the Hamilton Stars. The teams did not play full games, the halves being of fifteen minutes' duration.

The Scores.
Hamilton Seniors 22, London 17.
Toronto West End 22, London 34.
Stars 20, London 22.
The London team was as follows: Harvey, Polson and Skinner, forwards; Strach, center; Brock and Wood, defense.



AROUND THE SPORTING CIRCUIT
By Southpaw

THE "Y" BASKETBALL TEAM which made such a good showing at Hamilton yesterday, came home this morning on the same train that bore the Londoners from Paris. The knights of the floor were tired, but nevertheless well satisfied with their showing. Three games is too much for one short day. The team just had time to get from the train to the rink and begin playing yesterday afternoon.

With the exception of Strach, however, all the boys looked to be in good trim. The genial captain showed marks of battle by way of swollen lips and scratches.

PARIS HAD THE TIME of its life last night—and small wonder! Think of taking the scalp of the team that held Collingwood down to within one goal of the round for the finals. As a financial success the trip to the burg along the railroad was not a howling success, just \$18.75 being London's share of the receipts. As Jay Thompson put it,

Gravel Beds and Beef in Court Two Peculiar Cases Tried Today

In Which Farmers Were the Litigants—Decisions Reserved.

There was more excitement at the sitting of the East End Division Court before Judge Macbeth this morning than there has been in a long time, and two cases in particular were most interesting from a spectator's standpoint, as well as from a legal view.

Isaac Kilbourne, a Westminister township farmer, sued John Shore, a neighbor, for \$14.50, for gravel which the plaintiff had gathered together, and the defendant taken away.

Plows the Creek. According to the evidence, Mr. Kilbourne had been in the habit of plowing up a certain dry portion of the creek bed in order to obtain access to the gravel embedded therein. Sometimes he would plow the bed up one week and then the next proceed to draw the loose gravel away.

Then, according to Mr. Kilbourne, Mr. Shore proceeded to cart away all the loose gravel there.

The next day, or shortly afterward, when he went to yet the gravel it was gone.

The plaintiff held that by plowing up the creek bed he had secured a claim on the gravel at that spot, while the defense contended that the creek was public property, as was also the gravel in it.

Decision reserved. J. C. Judd for plaintiff; F. Perrin for defendant.

Bert Whitney in a New Circuit

This week's "Variety" says:

A new circuit of theaters, comprising four hundred houses, consisting mainly of one-night stands, extending from the Atlantic to and through the Middle West, is in progress of formation now with B. C. Whitney, of Chicago, as general manager, and Alfred E. Aarons, late general manager of Klaw & Erlanger's Advanced Vaudeville movement, in control of the Eastern end. The new circuit is to be known as the Whitney & Aarons Circuit of clean theaters, one of the chief objects sought being the establishment of clean quarters for the actors and sanitary dressing rooms. At present the circuit, which will start active operations Aug. 1, next, embraces theaters in New York State, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin, Michigan and Canada.

Mr. Whitney, before the organization of this circuit, was in control of eighteen theaters in the Southern part of Canada and ten in the State of Michigan. The new circuit expects to effect many radical reforms in the booking and conducting of theaters in the Whitney & Aarons Circuit. These reforms provide for the abolition of abuses that have hurt the one-night stands, both from a business viewpoint and from the viewpoint of the public, who want first-class attractions. It will in no way interfere with the circuits already in existence, but will work with them.

The Eastern offices will be located in New York City, while the Western offices, in charge of Mr. Whitney, will be in Chicago.

Jewels Presented to Lambeth Lodge

A joint meeting of the A. O. U. W. lodges of the city was held in the rooms in the Albion block last night, when Grand Master Charles E. Cameron, of Iroquois, Ont., was present and presented a set of officers' jewels to Lambeth lodge for securing the largest number of new members since Jan. 13.

D. D. G. M. W. Armitage presided, and during the evening addresses were given by Grand Master Cameron, of Iroquois, Ont., and Bro. Steyvers, of Brantford, and Organized Van der Brugg, of Wood County, Wis., who presented a set of officers' jewels to Lambeth lodge, and P. M. A. Bannatyne, refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

AN EDUCATIONAL CLASS

Nearly Fifty Persons Take Advantage of Course Given by Y. M. C. A.

Nearly fifty persons were present at the opening of the educational class in the Y. M. C. A. last night. The pupils varied in age from about ten to sixty years, and several of the men were of the age of the crowd as well as a number of the women. The large majority were young men whose ages would run from 18 to 30 years, all filled with the desire to learn to read and write, and to do simple arithmetic. Secretary Wilson, Mr. D. A. McDermid, Dr. H. A. Stevenson and Mr. W. Talbot took charge of the young men and for over an hour instructed them on the blackboards with which the room has been fitted up. A number of persons have very kindly donated supplies of pencils and scribbles, and several of the city teachers will divide the duties of teaching the classes with others who, it is expected, will offer their services in this good cause. The next class will be held on Monday evening.

DEATH OF MRS. SELLERY.

Kincardine, March 10.—Mrs. Frank Sellery, of this town, died last evening at Hensall where she was visiting her son, Dr. A. Sellery. She was in her 53rd year, and J. Cocker, of Brantford, is a brother.

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MASONS OFF FOR THE QUEEN CITY

Big Crowd Took In the Excursion to Toronto Today.

The excursion of St. John's Lodge, 2934, to Toronto today was very large, and the excursion was a most successful one.

Many prominent Masons took in the trip. The members of St. John's Lodge will visit a Toronto lodge and exemplify the third degree.

COLLEGIATE AND ST. GEORGE'S

(Continued From Page One.)

St. George's School.

Some alarm has been felt about St. George's school, and it has been expressed by some of the parents of children attending this school.

Fire Chief Clark and an Advertiser reporter visited the school this morning, and found little needed there that was not needed in all the city schools.

This is the largest and newest school of the number. There are two large hallways, one leading to the back, and one to the front.

There is sufficient space between the two stairs to prevent both being put out of commission except in a very extreme case.

The new part of the building is heated by hot water, and there does not seem to be much danger from that source.

The fire drill is regularly maintained, and this morning the school was cleared by Principal Wyatt and Assistant Principal Brown in eighty seconds, without rush.

Runway Suggested.

"I have suggested a runway at the back leading on both sides of the second story," said Fire Chief Clark. "It can be built for a small cost, and would insure absolute safety to the second story at the back."

"With this the school would be absolutely safe, I think."

Every school should have a telephone. Look at the school in case of an alarm, the principal would have to turn half a block to a grocery store to turn in an alarm.

There should be a telephone in each school, and an electrical alarm in every room. "Fire escapes for the front part of the school would reassure parents very much."

MATTERS BEFORE THE BOARD

(Continued From Page One.)

of Commons. The company might be willing to pay for the cost of this legislation.

On motion of Ald. Beattie, the board will go to Port Stanley and look the situation over. No effort will be made to dispossess Mr. Price at present, and it was the opinion of the board generally that some arrangements will yet be arrived at to keep the firm at the Port.

The Derail Question.

Ald. Booth brought the matter of the Ottawa avenue derail of the street railway Company. The Dominion Railway Commission will meet in Ingersoll and Chatham shortly, and the city should be represented to protest against the laying of the present derail which is only twenty-five feet from the tracks.

On motion of Ald. Beattie, City Solicitor Meredith was instructed to bring the matter to the attention of the Dominion Railway Commission at once, and that Ald. Booth, Ald. Saunders, and Ald. Rose be a committee to appear before the Dominion Railway Commission with City Solicitor Meredith in case a deputation is thought advisable.

Parks Commissioner Pearce appeared before the board and suggested that the beach and hill at Port Stanley be improved by planting flower beds and planting trees. The place at present was not a credit to the city, and could be improved at a small cost.

As a start he suggested that 200 trees be secured and planted along the beach, and on the hill. These trees could be purchased for \$75 per 100, he thought, and would be quite suitable.

Mr. Pearce was instructed to prepare an estimate on the cost of improving the property, the committee to visit the Port and suggest the improvements thought necessary.

District Passenger Agent Kearns wrote in regard to complaints that had been made regarding the holding up of Pere Marquette trains at Waterloo. He declared that the Grand Trunk kept Pere Marquette passenger trains waiting on account of the freight traffic, and discriminated against the Pere Marquette.

The communication was filed. The Bartlett Tour Company of Cleveland, who are anxious to come to the Port about July 2, wrote regarding steamboat facilities to Port from Cleveland. The Port Stanley board of trade also asked the Port Stanley board to take up the question of allowing passengers to be taken on the Pere Marquette ferries, Marquette and Bessemer II, running to the Port from Conneaut.

The matter will be taken up by Mayor Stevely with the Pere Marquette shortly.

BEFORE SINGLE JURY

Toronto, March 10.—Chief Justice Meredith this morning gave an order that the action taken by the liquidators of the Ontario Bank against the former directors should be tried before a single jury instead of going to a judge and jury.

The application for the change was made on behalf of defendant directors by Mr. Charles Ritchie and Mr. William Douglas. Three arguments were advanced against a jury trial, that public opinion had been influenced against the defendants, that the case was too complicated to be submitted to the ordinary jury and that on account of the large number of shareholders of the bank one of them, or a friend, might secure a place on the jury. Chief Justice Meredith agreed with these contentions.

Those present were Mayor Stevely,

Local Items

The many friends of Mrs. E. Barry, formerly of this city, will regret to learn that she is seriously ill at her home in Toronto Junction.

Among the passengers booked by F. B. Clarke to the old country are the following: F. A. Judd, C. Hanks, William McEwen and wife, T. Young and T. E. Underwood and wife.

Center Bruce Liberals.

The Liberals of Center Bruce will meet at Glamis on Thursday, March 13, to select a candidate for the Legislature in opposition to Colonel Hugh Clark, M. P.

Medical Health Officer Hutchinson is busy analyzing the time being brought to the city by the Pere Marquette Railway. "I have not finished my analysis yet," he said this morning, "but as far as I have got the ice is all right."

Meeting in London.

About three hundred of the shareholders of the Colonial Portland Cement Company met in the Masonic Temple this afternoon to transact general business and elect officers.

Will Dine Them.

At a recent meeting the Western Fair board decided to entertain at luncheon certain delegates from each of the various local and visiting newspaper men, local and visiting, will also be entertained in the banquet hall over the administration building.

FLAT WHEEL PLAYED

HAVOC WITH RAILS

The Grand Trunk remaining gang had a busy time on Saturday afternoon as a result of a flat wheel on the loaded freight train. Nothing was reported. The chairman remarked that there were a number of independent systems springing up in the west and cases might arise in which these would have difficulty in lining up with municipalities.

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FOUR MONTHS FOR ST. THOMAS FORGER

St. Thomas, Ont., March 10.—Jas. A. Moore, who was recently found guilty of forgery to the extent of some \$15,000 on the Dominion Bank, was today sentenced by Judge Colter to four months' imprisonment in the county jail without labor. The sentence is to run from Dec. 25, 1907, which practically means that only one month is yet to be served.

HENDRIE IS HEAD OF RAILWAY COMMITTEE

Bill for Extension of Southwestern's Is Considered.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Toronto, March 10.—Hon. J. S. Hendrie was elected one month to act as chairman of the railway committee of the Legislature at its first meeting for the session today. Col. Hendrie, in returning thanks for the honor, said that the attitude of the Dominion Government toward roads which had obtained provincial charters had resulted in railways going away from the jurisdiction of the Ontario Government to that of the Dominion.

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City and District

—H. W. Fry, of this city, has purchased the business of McCrae & Co., at Sarnia.

—Miss Allison Dickson, of this city, is in Woodstock, visiting Mrs. B. Cochrane.

—Lieut. Bert Jennings, of the Twenty-fifth Regiment, St. Thomas, intends coming here shortly in order to qualify for a captain's commission.

—Mrs. Minnie E. Cooke, widow of the late Mr. J. H. Cooke, of Denver, Col., desiring to express her sincere thanks to sympathizing friends, especially the members of the Masonic order, for their kindness during her recent bereavement.

—The pastor and people of Adelaide Street Church are arranging to hold an Evangelistic mission for two weeks beginning March 22. T. R. Shields will preach each evening, and D. B. Towner, Mus. Doc., one of the most noted chorus masters in America, will conduct the singing, in which it is expected that a choir of 100 voices will take part.

Mr. Ross Here.

Mr. Duncan C. Ross, M. L. H., West Middlesex, was in London yesterday.

Horse Fall.

A horse attached to F. W. Paul's grocery wagon fell on Dundas street, while crossing the railway tracks, just east of The Advertiser building, and traffic was blocked for some minutes, this morning.

On Full Time Again.

The Globe-Wernicke factory at Stratford, which has been working only eight hours a day for some weeks resumed a ten-hour schedule on Monday.

Late Mrs. Blackwell.

The funeral of Mrs. Wm. Blackwell was held this afternoon from the family residence, 510 York street, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery, and was very largely attended. The services were conducted at the house by Rev. Dyson Hague, of Memorial Church, of which deceased was a member. The seven sons of Mrs. Blackwell were her pall-bearers. Among the floral offerings were some very beautiful tributes from friends throughout the city. Banqueted the Champions.

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Mr. J. Lamont Galbraith, L. R. A. M., of this city, has published a new composition of his own to the words of "Lead Kindly Light." It was successfully introduced to London by his pupil, Miss Isabel Wilkie, and afterwards sung with acceptance by Mrs. A. S. Cochran (Miss Jean Robb), of Colborne Street Methodist Church. This new composition, set to Newman's famous words, has been recently published by Messrs. Whaley, Royce & Co., Toronto, and is now on the market. In his setting, Mr. Galbraith has caught the true spirit of the words and has produced a song at once simple and musically, entitling him to a place in the forefront of our Canadian composers. "Lead Kindly Light" is also being introduced in Boston by one of the leading contralto singers in that city. It is interesting to note that Mr. Galbraith has had songs published in the old country by houses of such fame as Ricordi and Chappell, London, England.

A WHEAT SOCIAL

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Very Pleasant Time Was Spent Last Night by Large Crowd.

Five hundred people were present at the shredded wheat social given in the Hyatt Avenue Methodist Church last night, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the church.

The entire programme and refreshments were furnished by the Canada Shredded Wheat Company, of Toronto. The programme consisted of eighteen numbers, instrumental and vocal, and proved very popular. During the evening addresses were given by Mr. J. M. Gunn, Rev. E. B. Lanceley, and Rev. W. McAllister, Rev. D. E. Martin, pastor of the church, presided.

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Old Boys' Name Their Committees

Organization for Reunion Begun

Meeting of the Executive Was Held Last Night in the City Hall.

Committees were named and considerable other business was transacted at a meeting of the executive of the Old Boys' Association, at the city hall. The meeting was very largely attended and was most enthusiastic.

One of the most important matters that came up for discussion was the question of membership tickets.

Last reunion the sale of tickets practically meant a subscription.

At the suggestion of the secretary, Mr. B. C. McCann, it was decided to give to every subscriber a reserved seat in the grandstand at Queen's Park.

This would greatly improve the sale of tickets and consequently enlarge the membership.

The suggestion was regarded as a timely one, and was adopted without opposition.

Ex-Ald. Gillean Is Treasurer.

Mr. McCann asked to be relieved of the work of treasurer. He pointed out that the transfer of membership tickets for reserved seats would mean considerable work, and his office was not centrally located for that purpose.

The request was granted by the committee, and Mr. Thomas Gillean was chosen as treasurer.

It was thought that the sale of membership tickets will be larger than ever. This will make it very convenient for those who will attend the reunion programme in the park, as seats can be secured a considerable time ahead.

Twenty Thousand Stickers.

The committee decided to purchase 20,000 stickers.

A large number of commercial travellers had offered to distribute these stickers when on the road, to advertise the reunion.

This was thought to be a splendid suggestion, and was adopted.

Lawson & Jones offered to print the stickers for \$20 and the contract was awarded to that firm.

These stickers will also be sent to Old Boys by the secretary.

Exclusive Privilege.

The London Printing and Lithographing Company asked for the exclusive right to print the official envelopes for the Old Boys. The firm offered to give the executive 10 per cent of the gross proceeds for this exclusive privilege.

This offer was accepted.

The executive committee and the chairman of other committees will form an attraction committee, and will be convened shortly for the purpose of selecting attractions.

Present at the meeting were: Geo. C. Ross, Jas. McCormick, S. H. Craig, R. W. Glover, Ald. Stevenson, W. C. Coe, R. K. Cowan, R. A. Little, John Whitehead, Squire Chittick, Dr. Becher, E. R. C. Struthers, The Gillean, Ald. Ferguson, W. C. Fitzgerald, Wm. J. H. Ward, W. C. Bell, Walter Blackburn, Ald. Saunders, C. W. McGuire, H. R. Abbott, J. Timm, Col. Frank Reid, Capt. McManis, S. J. Douglas, Fire Chief Clark, Dr. J. D. Wilson, Wm. McFarlane, Ald. Moorehead, Dr. Claude Steward, Ald. Rose, Arthur Keene, W. R. Meredith, R. A. Carrothers, Capt. Little, John Townsend, Major A. A. Campbell, E. J. Leonard, C. R. M. Graham, J. Innes Carling, G. C. Hunt, C. W. Miller, F. B. Ware, Harry Rana-han, H. C. Becher, Dr. Bentley, Jerry

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Military Committee.

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