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## LONDON LADY TELLS OF REVOLUTION

### Mrs. Carr-Harris Is in the Thick of the Fighting in Mexico.

### SOLDIERS IN THE YARD

**Living in a House With the Ex-Governor of One of the Mexican Provinces.**

Mrs. Carr-Harris, a former London lady, who is now living in the town of Cananea, in the Province of Sonora, in Northern Mexico, writes as follows regarding the troubles that are taking place there now. Mrs. Carr-Harris is a daughter of Mrs. Donald McLean, of 445 Piccadilly street. Her letter, in part, is as follows:

"We are having very exciting times just at present, with a promise of even more interesting things to follow. Our house is continually guarded and our yard filled with soldiers at night. Everyone feels sure that something must happen soon, as the insurrecto forces are gradually increasing. That's why the governor has come. While Canadian papers say very little, the American papers are filled with accounts of happenings, true and otherwise.

"We happen to live in a small wing of the house occupied at first by the mayor of the town, and just at present by General Torres, ex-governor of Sonora. So we are in the very centre of Diaz affairs, and it is not to be denied that a residence as far removed as possible from either of the above-mentioned worthies would be much more desirable.

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## WANT THE HOURS OF SALE CURTAILED

### Memorial Sent to Government By the Temperance People of London.

### MOVE FOR EARLY CLOSING

**Desire That the Matter Shall Go to a Vote of the People in This City as Soon as Possible.**

A memorial asking the Ontario Legislature to reduce the hours that the hotel bars shall be open in London from 8 o'clock in the morning until 8 in the evening from Monday to Friday inclusive, and from 8 in the morning until 1 in the afternoon on Saturdays, was forwarded to Toronto this afternoon.

The memorial was indorsed unanimously by the London Temperance League, the W. C. T. U., the Middlesex Temperance League, and was also signed by a large number of leading members of various city churches.

**To Change the Law.**

"We want to have this matter acted upon by the Legislature at once," said Prof. J. H. Bowman, who is in charge of the temperance campaign in London and district, to The Advertiser, this afternoon. "We want the Legislature to change the law so that we can submit the matter of early closing to a vote of the people. I am confident that it would carry here. As matters stand at the present time the city council has no power whatever to shorten the hours, as they are regulated by the law passed some time ago by the Legislature. We want that law amended so that London and any other city can if it is so desired, submit the matter to the citizens, and have the hotels closed earlier if the plebiscite carries."

**An Active Campaign.**

The memorial, which was sent this afternoon, is a direct result of the visit to London recently of Ald. McCarthy, of Toronto, who is inaugurating a very active campaign in Toronto to secure the earlier closing of the bars.

## SLUSH-ICE IS GOING OUT OF THE RIVER

### Men at Pump House Have Been Watching For Body of Wilson Boy.

The slush ice, which had accumulated in the river during the past few days of cold weather, broke up again today, and is again going over the Springbank dam this afternoon.

While the men at the pumphouse have kept a sharp watch for any signs of the body of the little Wilson boy who was supposed to have been drowned near Clark's bridge over a month ago, nothing has been discovered. As there is nothing to prevent a body going over the dam, it is thought that if the boy did meet death in the river he may never be located.

## CORSICAN FEUD AT WINNIPEG

**[Canadian Press.]**

Winnipeg, March 20.—Gaston Morosin, who killed Nicholas Govarri in a sensational pistol duel at a local hotel Saturday, in the presence of a large crowd, was captured at midnight without a struggle. The tragedy was the climax of a Corsican feud. Both men are prominent in the underworld.

## AN UNKNOWN HERO DIES IN AMBULANCE

### Killed While Making Splendid But Fruitless Attempt to Save Another.

**[Canadian Press.]**

Cleveland, Ohio, March 20.—An unknown hero died in an ambulance after he had snatched Ernest Baker, a child of 6, from in front of a fast train on a grade crossing yesterday afternoon. The man's attempt to save the boy proved fruitless, the lad dying in a hospital.

The child was standing bewildered on the tracks as a train was coming from each direction. The man ran forward, picked up the boy, and escaped one train, but stumbled in front of the other. Not a letter or mark was found on him to establish identification.

## CLOSE THE BARS AND COMPENSATE

### Striking Sermon on the Liquor Traffic Preached by Methodist Pastor.

### WOULD CLOSE THE CAFES

**And Turn All the Business Over to the Hotels, But Sale of Liquor Would Have to Stop.**

"Give the Hotelkeeper a Square Deal" was the subject of Rev. G. W. Dewey's sermon at the Empress Avenue Methodist Church Sunday evening. The pastor spoke from the text, "As ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them."

"We do not have to accept the opinions of any man," said the speaker. "Christ laid down this great principle of the text, and the premier, the hotelkeeper and the people should stand together on this one common platform.

**Output of the Bar.**

"Let us look at the output of the barroom," continued Mr. Dewey. "Does the bar make a man a better citizen? No man can truthfully say that it does. It has a degrading influence both on the man who drinks and the man who sells.

"It is not the man who drinks that suffers most, but his wife and children. No drunken mother should be permitted to raise a child. It should be cared for by others. The bar paralyzes industry. The man who patronizes the bar cannot be depended on at his work or employment. The man who buys beer can't buy books.

**Scum of Society.**

"The scum of society gathers in the barroom, and graft and bribery are hatched there. But we must give the hotelkeeper a square deal. He invests in a building; the Government gives him authority to sell liquor. Then you have no right to rob him. Messrooms and clubrooms have no right to compete with the barrooms.

"I would cut off all sale of liquor," said the speaker. "Cut off all lunchrooms, cafes, etc. Turn all the trade to the hotels, but do away with the bars. We have 26 too many bars in the city, but not enough hotel accommodations. Do away with the bar, and then give the hotelkeeper the full privilege of any other citizen. Now, he cannot aspire to a school trusteeship or to municipal honors; but do away with the bar, and he is just as good and respectable as any other merchant.

**Compensation.**

"I would compensate them," Mr. Dewey concluded. "I know the idea is not popular, but I am not seeking popularity. Canada would be in pocket if she would compensate the hotelman, if by so doing she could shut up the bars of this country.

"Finally, if no drunkard shall inherit the kingdom of heaven, then no drunkard-maker can. And no hotelkeeper will say he is on the road to heaven while he is in the liquor business. So I would go to him and say, 'My brother, I want to liberate you from that which deprives you of your full privileges as a citizen, of your manhood, of your proper relationship towards your Maker, and of your hope of heaven.'"

## C. P. R. NAVVIES ARE BEING BROUGHT HERE

### Work On the Improvements in London Will Soon Be Rushed.

The C. P. R. have more than 50 navvies quartered in boarding cars and expect 30 more to arrive in the city tonight from various parts of the district, and as soon as all the necessary tools arrive the men will be set to work getting everything in shape for making the improvements that will be rushed through in London this summer. The C. P. R. are taking on a large number of men of all sorts who will be used in connection with the work.

## IS NOT FAIR TO THE PEOPLE

### Should Not Be Made to Pay for Watering in Front of Schools, Etc.

### LIGHT ON THE SUBJECT

**Three Cents a Foot Is Ample to Pay for Watering Unless These People Are To Be Made Pay for All Such Work That Is Done.**

The street watering rate should be fixed at 3 cents a foot, not 4 cents, as has been suggested by the members of No. 3 committee some time ago.

The difficulty arises over the fact that heretofore the citizens who pay for watering the street in front of their property, have also had to pay for watering the market, in front of schools and parks, and, in fact, in front of every public building in the city, including exempted property.

This is not considered a square deal, and many property owners have protested against it. A still stronger protest will be made tonight at the city council.

According to the figures prepared by Deputy Engineer Wright, it will cost approximately $14,500 to water the streets. If property owners alone pay, the price will be 4 cents. This has been the practice for some years, with the exception of last year. The balance then had to be made out of the general funds.

However, if a 3-cent rate is levied on property owners, a revenue of about $12,800 will be obtained, leaving the city council approximately $1,700 to raise out of the general rates for watering in front of schools, etc.

**Three Cents Right.**

When questioned about it, Mr. Wright thought that 3 cents was an equitable price to pay.

"For years the citizens have had to pay the whole cost of street watering," he stated. "That has been the practice. As a result, the council has paid nothing for watering the parks, or the market, the whole expense of this being borne out of the rate levied on the property owners. To my mind this is not fair. The property owners should pay the cost of watering the streets in front of their premises, but they should not be asked to pay more. The general public benefits by watering the parks, and the expense should be borne out of the general rate. The same is true of public buildings. The city should be in a position to afford to pay that much. If the property owners, however, are to pay the whole cost, I will have to recommend that 4 cents a foot be charged. It figuress out a fraction less than that, but it would be quite difficult to figure out each man's proportion. Therefore, I would recommend that rate.

**Make Entire City Pay.**

"However, I am not in favor of charging the property owners who petition for street watering for public buildings, etc. We should bear that out of the general rate. If 3 cents is charged property owners, and the city is charged a like amount for public property, the revenue will be sufficient to pay all the expenses. That, to me, is the equitable method of doing business, and I will recommend that. It is up to the council, then, to take whatever stand they wish, but that is my opinion."

A number of the aldermen, when seen, agreed with Engineer Wright. They do not think it fair that ratepayers should pay for all the street watering, but will insist in the council tonight that the rate recommended by the deputy engineer, 3 cents, be adopted.

A number of citizens are not in favor of the high rate, saying that their property is taxed too much for the benefits received.

## HAYS ASKS JUDGE TO HOLD INQUIRY

### Private Investigation of Grand Trunk Strikers' Cases at Montreal.

**[Canadian Press.]**

Montreal, March 20.—At the request of Mr. C. M. Hays, of the Grand Trunk, Judge Barron will this week hold an investigation here into the case of the men who have not been taken back into the service of the company since the late strike. The investigation will be a private one, and no counsel will be employed on either side.

## SPECIAL FREIGHT DITCHED

**Fireman Believed To Be Beneath a Wreck in Quebec.**

**[Canadian Press.]**

Quebec, March 20.—An engine and six cars belonging to a special freight of 16 cars, when three miles west of Belair Station, left the track and tumbled into a ditch. It is believed the fireman, a man named Groul, is beneath the wreck, as he jumped as the cars left the track, and has not since been heard of. The work of removing the wreck is proceeding. The passengers from and to Montreal this morning were transhipped at the scene of the wreck. The cars are badly smashed.

THE LATE JAMES L. WILLIAMS AND MRS. WILLIAMS.

The oldest Methodists of London. Mr. Williams died yesterday at the age of 94 years. His wife died exactly four weeks ago yesterday. She was also 94 years old. Mr. Williams was the father of Col. Williams, formerly in command of the Seventh Regiment, and was an uncle of Lady Mann, of Toronto, wife of Sir Donald Mann.

## CITIZENS MAY SOON KNOW TRUTH

### Water Commissioners May Have Deficit On Niagara Power in London.

### $130,000 A YEAR NEEDED

**Unless the Government Foregoes the Interest and Sinking Fund This Year—Situation Is Growing Interesting.**

The water commissioners are doing a little figuring regarding Niagara power.

The estimates will be brought down in a week or so, and it will be necessary for the commissioners to present a statement of their estimated receipts and disbursements, in order to see whether or not the city council will have to set aside some money to make up any deficiency.

Of course, the interest and sinking fund on $235,000 paid for the distribution service has been provided for out of the general funds. Each year the sum of $14,500 has been put in the estimates for that purpose, and following the usual custom that amount will again be placed in the estimates this year. That was figured on, when Ald. Eckert stated that the rate would be 22½ mills, probably less. It scarcely squares with the ante-election promises that none of the cost of the scheme would fall on the taxpayers.

**$130,000 Needed.**

However, there are other things to consider, and it is these that the commissioners are figuring on. It is understood that it will require receipts of about $130,000, to make the business pay its way.

This includes, of course, about $40,-

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## TRIED TO BUNCO THE LOCAL POLICE

### William Rymal, of Palmerston, Had His Nerve With Him in London.

### TOLD A HOLD-UP STORY

**Said He Had Been Attacked and Robbed by Two Men on Richmond Stret South — Finally Told the Truth.**

Declaring that he had been held up at the point of a revolver and forced to give up $10, William Rymal, a laborer from Palmerston, walked into the police station on Saturday evening shortly after 8 o'clock, and asked to be taken care of for the night, as he had not enough money left to go home with or to pay for his lodgings at a hotel.

Rymal told the police that he had come to London from St. Thomas on the Traction line, and that shortly after he had got off the car he was held up by two men as he was coming up Richmond street.

He declared that one man held his hands tightly behind him while another, holding a revolver under his nose, went through his pockets, and took a $10 bill he had, and all that was left him was a quarter.

At first the police believed the story, but upon questioning Rymal more closely they began to be suspicious, and finally Sergt. John Monaghan got Rymal out and searched him. To his surprise he found $2 48 stowed away in various parts of Rymal's clothes.

**Money to Burn.**

There was a quarter in one pocket, half a dollar in another, a dollar carefully folded up and tucked snugly away in one corner of a vest-pocket, and nickels and dimes distributed in other pockets. The police asked Rymal to explain. The man said he did not count the money, as it was not sufficient to pay his way and that he had only counted the $10.

After a little while he finally admitted that the whole story he had told was a fabrication, and that he had made it up in the hope that the police would not only care for him overnight, but would take up a collection for him to help him.

Sergt. Monaghan promptly helped Rymal by laying an information against him, charging him with vagrancy, and he was bundled off to the cells.

When he came up this morning Magistrate Graydon gave Rymal a very severe lecture and advised him never to attempt anything of the sort again. He was then discharged.

## DOG OWNERS TALK DAMAGES

### Some of Them May Seek to Recover for Canines Killed Last Year.

### CITY COUNCIL WAS WRONG

**Had No Right to Demand a $2 Tax When the Provincial Legislature Had Fixed Fee at $1**

The city council of this year are likely to find themselves in considerable difficulty over the fact that the body of 1910 ordered a charge of $2 for a dog license last year. It will be remembered that the council set the fee at the above-mentioned sum, forgetting that the Provincial Government had fixed the charge at $1, for the first dog and $2 for each subsequent animal. As a result the city collected from $1,000 to $1,500 more than it had any right to collect.

It was stated at the city hall on Saturday that the dog owners could do nothing—that the books of the year had been closed, and that no redress could possibly be made to the dog owners who had contributed more than their share in 1910.

**Talk of Damages.**

However, dog owners are disputing that, claiming that they can make the city disgorge. The London Canine Association is looking into the matter.

Moreover, it is now claimed that the city is liable to pay damages for every dog destroyed last summer at Queen's Park. It will be remembered that a number of fine dogs were captured by the dog-catcher because they had no tags. They were thrown in with a lot of nondescript animals at the park, and dog owners refused to redeem them by paying the necessary fee, and as a result they were destroyed.

Now the owners assert that the city had no right to destroy the canines, and it is possible that action will be taken to recover damages for the loss sustained. As there were many animals slain there, the question of damages is liable to assume large proportions.

Dog owners are looking into the matter. Several gentlemen are at work securing information, and it is expected that there will be fun during the next few months when the taxes are to be paid.

**Lively Times.**

When owners have to pay the bill, it is expected that there will be some rather lively times, as some of them will strongly object to paying a dollar this year, when they paid $2 illegally last year.

The opinion of City Solicitor Meredith has been obtained, and he has informed the council that their action of last year was clearly illegal. So far no scheme has been devised by which they can escape the penalty of paying back some of the money obtained last year without right.

"The action of the council was clearly wrong," said Capt. Walter Smith, who has gone carefully into the question. "They had no right to charge $2 for a license in the first place, and dog owners who paid this fee are entitled to a refund. I have legal opinion to the effect that the council could be sued for damages for killing those dogs last summer at Queen's Park. If any owner wanted to recover, I do not think he would have much difficulty in doing so."

## JOINT BUILDINGS WILL BE DISCUSSED TONIGHT

### Likely Council Will Instruct City Hall Committee to Meet the County.

The city council will meet tonight, and a long session is looked for, too. The most important question to be decided will be that regarding joint buildings.

The matter will be brought to the attention of the aldermen by a resolution to expend $21,000 on the court house.

This will open the question of joint municipal buildings, and from what has been learned today from the aldermen interviewed, the council will instruct the special city hall committee to open negotiations at once with the county. That will start matters right, and then a speedy agreement is anticipated.

There are other matters of importance coming up, among them being the settlement of the street watering rate, the question of appointing a city engineer, and many others.

## $80,000 PAID OUT TO GRAND TRUNK MEN

### The Pay Car Made Its Welcome Monthly Visit to London.

The Grand Trunk pay car arrived in the city on Saturday evening, and before it left this afternoon nearly $80,000 had been placed in circulation. Although last month was the shortest month in the year it was one of the busiest in the history of the road in this vicinity. Freight traffic was particularly heavy throughout the month, and the splendid weather that prevailed helped the company out immensely. At the present time more than 40 extra men are engaged in handling the rush of freight.

## CON. MEMBERS HEAR FROM HOME

### Constituents Objecting to Opposition to Reciprocity.

### MAIL BIG WITH PROTEST

**Borden and Followers' Plan to Obstruct Passage of Agreement.**

**[Special to The Advertiser.]**

Ottawa, March 20.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier will not go to the Imperial Conference, and will not appear at the coronation if the Opposition can prevent it. That is the Conservative mood this morning, and as the result of consultation among the members for the past fortnight.

The Conservative members representing rural ridings are beginning to hear from their constituents, and they have discovered that the sentiment of Canada respecting reciprocity is not controlled by the organization which has been running the campaign in Toronto and Montreal. Conservative members from the Maritime Provinces and from the West have found their daily mail suddenly swelled to unusual proportions by protests from their constituents against opposition to the reciprocity agreement going into effect. One of the former members, Mr. Staples, of Manitoba, complained in the House last week that his constituents were being tampered with by the farmers' organization, and induced to send protests to him against his attitude of reciprocity. He wanted this sort of thing stopped. Mr. Staples is not the only Opposition member who is wearing a worried look. Many of them whose constituents are farmers or fishermen are finding the opening of their mail, an increasingly unpleasant task.

To prevent Sir Wilfrid Laurier leaving the country and to force an election, if possible, is now their object. Though they are by no means sanguine of the result of an appeal to the people, they feel that their chance of success would be better now than later, when reciprocity has had a chance to show its beneficent effect, and when the representation of the west has been increased by redistribution. The Opposition believed that the conspicuous figure which Sir Wilfrid always cuts at the Imperial Conference, and the way his presence is noted at such an affair as the coronation, gains thousands of votes for him in Canada from electors who are proud to have the country represented by such a figure on great occasions. They don't want political capital of that sort piled up against them for the coming contest. The result is that the fight in the Commons will go on with more vigor than in the past.

## NO CONFESSION SAYS MRS. JARDINE

### And No Official Confirmation of Rumor at Goderich.

### DOCTORS SEE PRISONER

**Latter on No Occasion Since Arrest Has Shown Signs of Worrying Over His Trial.**

**[Special to The Advertiser.]**

Goderich, Ont., March 20.—The rumor which flew about town on Saturday evening that Edward Jardine had confessed to the murder of Lizzie Anderson on the night of Tuesday, Sept. 20, of last year, has not received any official confirmation. Considering the attitude of those who would know the facts, it is not likely that any definite information will be learned until the opening of the assizes on April 11 next. It is known that Dr. Bruce Smith and Dr. Arthur J. Johnston were here on Saturday and also in town about ten days previous. They were seen entering the jail on both occasions, but the jailer and turnkey have refused to divulge anything that occurred. Since their last visit the general public have ben refused permission to see Jardine, and for some time past none of the members of the Jardine family have been given the privilege of conversing with the prisoner. He has been looked upon as a model prisoner by the jail officials, who declare that since his confinement last October he has gained nearly 25 pounds in weight. On no occasion has he given the impression that he was worrying over the result of the impending trial.

**Mrs. Jardine Excited.**

Mrs. Jardine, mother of the prisoner, was very much excited over the rumor, and declared this morning to local reporters, "that if people continued to talk so she would be in her grave inside of a month." She repudiated the idea of a confession having been made, and exclaimed, "for goodness' sake, don't advertise something that ain't true."

"It can't be true," she repeated frequently. It was reported that the visiting doctors had made a visit to her home on Saturday, but she denied all knowledge of such a visit.

Dr. Holmes, the county coroner, will neither deny nor confirm the rumor.

Sheriff Reynolds, who was seen coming from the jail accompanied by the visiting physician on Saturday, declared that he had no authority to say anything whatever about it.

## OLDEST METHODIST IN LONDON DEAD

### Mr. James L. Williams, of Horton Street, Passed Away on Sunday.

### LIVED HERE 71 YEARS

**Wife Died Two Weeks Ago — Was Father of Col. Williams, Formerly of the Seventh Regiment.**

Mr. James L. Williams, the oldest Methodist in London, and for 71 years a resident of this city, died at his home, 218 Horton street, yesterday after an illness extending over some weeks. His wife died exactly four weeks ago yesterday, and it is a somewhat remarkable fact that she was also 94 years old.

Mr. Williams came to London when he was 23 years old from Ireland, and was one of the city's first merchants, having a china and drygoods store on Dundas street. He conducted this for some time, but after the store was destroyed by fire he took a position as traveller for a Montreal firm. Later he was appointed to the inland revenue department and held that position until he was superannuated in 1899. Since then he had been living retired.

Mr. Williams had an exceptionally strong constitution, and notwithstanding his advanced years was quite vigorous until a short time ago.

The death of his wife affected him very much.

**A Famous Singer.**

Mrs. Williams was, prior to her marriage, Miss Tyes, and a daughter of a Montreal contractor. She was a fomous singer, and in the early days in London was one of the leading soloists in the First Methodist Church.

Mr. Williams is survived by one son, Col. Williams, of Strathcona, Alberta, formerly in command of the Seventh Regiment here. He was an uncle of Lady Mann, wife of Sir Donald Mann, of Toronto.

A brother, William Williams, resides in St. Catharines. The funeral, which will be of a private nature, will be held on Wednesday afternoon to Mount Pleasant Cemetery, from the family residence, Woodbine Villa, 218 Horton street, and the services will be conducted by Rev. Richard Whiting, pastor of the First Methodist Church.

## DIAZ IS TO RESIGN LIMANTOUR TAKES REINS

### Latter Temporarily to Assume Presidency in Order to Bring About Peace.

**[Canadian Press.]**

New York, March 20.—Senor Jose Yves Limantour is on his way to Mexico City to assume the presidency of the Mexican Government, for a time at least, according to Gustave A. Madero, brother of the Mexican revolutionist leader. The retirement of Diaz, Madero says, will pave the way to a peaceable settlement of the revolution, and the holding of a general election at which "a representative of the majority of all the voters" will be elected president.

"Senor Limantour, the strong man of the Diaz Government, is to succeed his chief immediately as president, his title being 'provisional president.' He will hold office until a real and true election is held, when regular candidates, nominated by conventions yet to be called, will take place. This is the only way to save Mexico.

"Limantour is to be president only for a little while. Then the candidates will go before the people, and after that a representative of the majority of all voters will be president. My brother be that man? General Benado Reyes? Who knows?

"The conferences here in New York were held in secret. I cannot say that I attended them. I heard much, though, during those days that Senor Limantour was putting up at the Hotel Plaza, and therefore I will not be surprised at a report which may come any day from Mexico City telling that Diaz has stepped aside and that Limantour is ruler."

## THE WEATHER.

**Tomorrow—Mild.**

FORECASTS.

Toronto, March 20—8 a.m.

Westerly winds; fair and mild today and on Tuesday.

TEMPERATURES.

| Stations. | Max. | Min. | Weather. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Victoria | 56 | 36 | Clear |
| Calgary | 64 | 30 | Clear |
| Winnipeg | 42 | 28 | Fair |
| Port Arthur | 42 | 30 | Clear |
| Parry Sound | 26 | 28 | Snow |
| Toronto | 38 | 34 | Cloudy |
| Ottawa | 36 | 28 | Snow |
| Montreal | 36 | 32 | Fair |
| Quebec | 32 | 26 | Snow |
| Father Point | 28 | 24 | Snow |

WEATHER NOTES.

Since Saturday light falls of snow or rain have occurred from the lake region ot the Maritime Provinces, while in the west the weather has been fine.

Maximum temperatures of 60 degrees were recorded in Alberta yesterday.

YESTERDAY'S WEATHER.

Yesterday a moderate depression from the Western Provinces moved into Northern Ontario, accompanied by light snowfalls throughout that Province. Elsewhere in Canada the weather yesterday was fair, and in the Western Provinces quite mild, especially in Alberta, where maximum temperatures of 60 degrees were recorded.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: London, Saturday, 27—34; London, Sunday, 20—43; Atlin, 22—32; Victoria, 36—56; Kamloops, 30—60; Edmonton, 30—58; Prince Albert, 29—53; Calgary, 42—64; Qu'Appelle, 38—44; Winnipeg, 26—42; Port Arthur, 23—42; Parry Sound, 12—26; Montreal, 18—36; Quebec, 8—32; Halifax, 26—36; Toronto, 19—37; Ottawa, 17—38.

TODAY'S PROBS.

The East—Fresh to strong southeasterly and southerly winds; cloudy and mild, with light falls of snow or rain.

Lake Superior and West—Fair and mild.

# TO CO-OPERATE IN MISSION FIELDS

### Joint Committee of Three Denominations Agree On Plan.

## TO STOP OVERLAPPING

### More Unnecessary Multiplication of Religious Work Than is Creditable.

Toronto, March 18—A comprehensive plan of co-operation in the home mission field for the adjustment of overlapping in existing fields, the arranging of religious work in new districts, and work among the foreign nationalities has just been announced by the joint committee on co-operation in home mission work, representing the Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregational Churches. The committee recommends the immediate appointment, by the local authorities of the various churches, of the committees necessary to render the plan effective.

The movement for inter-denominational co-operation in home mission work was initiated by the Presbyterian Church in March, 1908, and at once enlisted the sympathy of the Methodist and Congregational Churches. The work of each diocese being entirely under the control of the bishop of the diocese, the Church of England was unable to take up the proposal in a general way. But the joint committee has decided to send each bishop a copy of the plan of co-operation, and to extend to him a very cordial invitation to co-operate with the joint committee in his diocese. The Baptist Church stated frankly that it could not, consistently with its principles, enter into any scheme of co-operation except among the non-English-speaking settlers.

The investigation of the joint committee has shown that while there is not as much overlapping in the home mission field on the part of their respective churches as many people supposed, there are more cases of the unnecessary multiplication of religious effort than are creditable either to the Christian spirit or to the good judgment of the churches concerned.

In the matter of organization, the report recommends that the co-operating committees, which shall be appointed by the various churches, define the local districts and appoint local committees of the synod, conference, or association.

#### Unifying Congregations.

Regarding overlapping in existing fields, it is suggested that the local committee shall, upon the request of the co-operating committee, the general committee, or higher court, investigate the circumstances in any locality with a view to recommending to the co-operating committee, which of the co-operating churches should be intrusted with the task of ministering to its needs. In making its choice, the local committee shall give due weight to the following considerations: Priority of occupation of the field; the relative number of members and adherents belonging to the different denominations; the relative amounts contributed by the people of the different denominations for the support of ordinances among themselves; and the readiness of the respective denominations to minister to the field promptly and effectively.

In any case in which a distinct majority of all people express a preference for the ministrations of a particular church, that preference shall have special consideration, even though the church selected should not be the strongest in other respects.

While seeking to unify the people of each community in a local church, connection with that church shall not imply abandonment of denominational preference and affiliations.

Members of local affiliating churches will become full members of the denomination to whose ministrations the field is left; but members who prefer to retain their own denominational connection, either by enrollment in an adjoining congregation or by depositing of their certificates with the proper denominational authorities, shall, as far as possible, enjoy all the rights and privileges of membership in the local church, at the same time, however, bearing their fair share of the local expenses of the congregation with which they are associated.

#### Work in New Territory.

The co-operating committees, at their annual meetings shall consider the plans proposed by the several denominations for work in new territory for the ensuing year, and they shall also review such new work as may have been initiated by the local committees or missionary superintendents since the last meeting. Any one of the co-operating churches desiring to undertake work in a new field shall submit its proposal to the local committee interested, with full information regarding the field. The home mission superintendents of the various denominations shall, as far as possible, consult with one another before undertaking work in unoccupied territory. Where such consultation would unnecessarily delay ministration to the needs of a new community, the initiation of the work by any denomination may be undertaken, but shall be subject to the review of the co-operating committee; and in all such cases, priority of occupation shall have no weight in determining the particular denomination to which the field should be assigned.

In the work among the non-English-speaking population, certain districts or nationalities will be assigned to the different denominations; but, if preferred, in any locality, there may be a combination of resources for the prosecution of a united work.

Modifications of the plan of co-operation may be adopted by the general committee from time to time as experience may prove to be desirable, and local and co-operating committees are invited to submit to this committee such modifications as they consider necessary.

The report is signed by Rev. Dr. Carman, general superintendent of the Methodist Church, as chairman; Rev. E. D. McLaren, general secretary of Presbyterian home missions, as vice-chairman; and Rev. W. T. Gunn, secretary of the Congregational Missionary Society, as secretary of the joint committee.

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## CHORUS GIRLS JOLLIED POLICE

### Evidently Miss the Young Men Who Were Driven Off the G. T. R. Depot.

It seems that the chorus girls miss the young men who were wont to congregate on Sunday afternoons on the Grand Trunk railway platforms.

Yesterday Sergt. Lucas and P. C. Fysh were detailed to keep the platform clear of "Johnnies," and they succeeded. Few were there to feast their eyes on the beauty of the average chorus girl.

However, the girls themselves took a turn at entertaining, and made it very interesting indeed for the public. They were particularly interested in the two big policemen, and had a great deal of fun at their expense, and also with others.

The Grand Trunk are determined to keep the crowds away on Sunday afternoons, and for some time policemen will be on duty to warn the curious young men away.

## SYNDICATE BUYING LAND AT GODERICH

### Large Number of Summer Resort Cottages To Be Erected.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Goderich, March 19.—The building of the Ontario West Shore Electric Railway, which runs by that well-known and popular summer resort Menesetung Park has caused quite a stir in real estate, and a syndicate of Toronto, London and St. Marys people have bought 60 lots, on which to erect cottages.

A contract has been let for 16 of these to be erected at once. There is a splendid water supply on the ground which has been supplying the Park Hotel for some years, and an electric light plant is to be installed.

The plans have been prepared by a Goderich architect, J. Ades Fowler.

This is an ideal spot, surrounded by large peach and apple orchards, golf links and bowling and tennis grounds. Splendid bathing beach and beautiful shady groves.

## WOMEN ROUT MEN IN PISTOL BATTLE

### Mother and Two Daughters Wound Two Revenue Officers Who Came With "Moonshining" Warrant.

Sergent, Ky., March 18.—For several hours today three plucky mountain women stood off the same number of United States revenue officers, headed by a United States deputy marshal, J. M. Potter, of Long Fork Creek, near Letcher line, wounded one of the officers fatally, shot another, and frightened away the third.

Deputy Marshal Potter, with Charles Smith and Garfield Smallwood, went into Long Fork to arrest Charlie Tackitt, twenty years old, charged with moonshining. Though he was armed, he gave up without resisting. However, his mother, Martha Tackitt, sixty years old, and his two sisters, Bettie and Nannie Tackitt, sixteen and eighteen years old, respectively, concluded to give battle. The mother with a revolver and the senior girl with a shotgun opened fire.

At the first charge Deputy Marshal Potter, it is said, fled from the Tackitt premises. Smith and Smallwood began firing, but the plucky women proved the better shots, and about the third volley Smith fell mortally wounded, having been shot in the lower abdomen. Smallwood lost a finger. His hat was shot off, a number of shots piercing the crown. Smith is dying tonight. He is a member of one of the leading families in this section.

After routing the officers the aged woman took charge of the boy.

## $1,000 A DAY FOR DOCTOR

### Thomas F. Walsh Had Made Agreement to Pay at That Rate to Dr. Barker.

Baltimore, March 18.—Dr. Lewellyn F. Barker, of the Johns Hopkins medical school, explained today the claim of $11,500 for medical services rendered to the late Thomas F. Walsh, of Washington and Colorado. The claim, with the claims of others, was filed against Mr. Walsh's estate in the probate court at Washington, and attracted attention in the newspapers.

"This is," said Dr. Barker, "the biggest bill I ever rendered for any services, and it was perfectly satisfactory to Mr. Walsh's family.

"At the time I was called to see Mr. Walsh he was in Texas, and I went to San Antonio. The agreement was made in advance that I was to receive $1,000 a day for my services, and I was busy some ten days. That made $10,000.

"I also went to Washington a number of times to see Mr. Walsh and spent two nights there. For the visits and attention to him in Washington I charged $1,500, which made the total bill $11,500.

"This bill was entirely agreeable to the family, and there had been no dispute whatever over it. It was merely filed as claims are always filed when an estate is being settled."

Dr. Charles F. Wainwright, of New York, is said to have submitted to the court a claim for $42,000, balance due for professional services. Dr. Barker said he knew nothing of the circumstances of Dr. Wainwright's bill.

### RENEW RATE AGREEMENT.

London, March 20.—If an Atlantic rate war has been avoided as a result of the negotiations which were begun as far back as November, it is now expected that the North Atlantic conference agreement will be renewed for another three yars.

A meeting to confirm this arrangement is to be held at Cologne this week.

# WALTZ IS BAD SAYS MINISTER

### But There Is Absolutely No Harm in Dancing Highland Fling.

## ROUND DANCE IMMORAL

### But People Must Discriminate, Said Dr. Manning in Dundas Centre Methodist Church on Sunday Night.

"I can never let the dance go by without giving it a black eye," said Rev. Dr. Manning in Dundas Centre Methodist Church last night. His sermon was on the subject of "Pleasure," and was from the text, I. Corinthians, x., 23: "All things are lawful for me, but all things are not expedient; all things are lawful for me, but all things edify not."

"There is no more harm in dancing the Highland fling," said Dr. Manning, "than in colts kicking up their heels. There is no moral quality in the Highland fling or a game of baseball. But there is in the waltz. The waltz, as I have seen it, is immoral. Ask Byron, ask Count Leo Tolstoi. The round dance is immoral. Let nobody tell me it isn't. The associations of it are not fit. Some things are always wrong, and some things we have to use our judgment about."

"The church is meeting a need of the young people," declared Mr. Manning, "of which those outside the church know nothing. If young people would ally themselves with the church and develop their spiritual nature, their desires for enjoyment would be better satisfied than by the pleasures of the world.

#### A Law Unto Himself.

"I would have every man a law unto himself. We should not need outside influence to act rightly. A boy has the right to know why he has to do this or that. We should act from knowledge of the advantage of acting so.

"You create sins that are not sins. When you place a final prohibition on something that is not wrong in itself, when you place it in the catalogue of the Ten Commandments, you do something you have no right to do; you go beyond all reason. There are wrongs enough that are wrong in any case and everywhere without creating more. Some things are wrong under one circumstance and not under another.

"The theatre has been almost altogether interdicted, and card-playing, dancing, horse-racing and gambling have been placed under the ban of the Methodists. It is always wrong to lie or cheat, but it is not always wrong for a man to play a game of chance or trot a horse. Many things have been counted wrong which in themselves have no moral quality. You must discriminate between that which is essentially evil and that into which evil has been introduced. There is no evil in playing a game of cards. The evil is in the hours you waste and the money you waste gambling. There is no evil in trotting a horse; the evil is in the association of it. The tendency of these things has been proved to be wrong. The general verdict of Christian sentiment would be that it is more consistent for Christians to leave cards alone, as cards are played.

#### Tendency to Wrong.

"All have a tendency to wrong, and the strongest nature has the greatest tendency to wrong. Since there is a great danger in these amusements, take care of your spiritual health and leave these things alone.

"Let us ask law what it commands, not what it pardons. Seek after the simplest faith in God, the strongest devotion to God's will, and every day live in fellowship with that which is pure and true."

## QUERIES ANSWERED

Will you please answer this question as soon as possible? Can a debt be collected after seven years?

A READER.

A.—No; not after six years.

MOSA.—Has the council the right to make the parties assessed for the repair of a drain pay on Dec. 15, 1910, their share, or pay interest from that date when only a small portion of said drain is done in that year and the contractor has to the fall of 1911 to complete the work? About half the cost has been paid into the council. Have they the right to the use of our money, as they only had to pay less than $200 at that time?

A.—The council had the right to charge and collect interest on overdue assessments for the drain. The fact that the drain is not finished does not affect their right. The money collected for the drain cannot be used for any other purpose by the council. The assessment should be made and collected by the corporation so as to be able to pay the contractor when the drain is finished. The council has no right to use other money for that purpose. The taxes for the current year will not be collectable until after the drain is finished.

## THE PAY OF A POET

### Testimony of Mrs. Le Gallienne as to Her Husband's Earnings.

New York, March 18.—The earnings of Richard Le Gallienne, the poet, formed the subject of testimony by Julia Le Gallienne taken by commission in Paris in her suit against the poet for divorce. In her testimony filed yesterday Mrs. Le Gallienne says that they were married in London in 1897, and that Le Gallienne was making £1,500 a year from a newspaper he was running in London, when the Boer war cut down his income and they came to America.

Mrs. Le Gallienne left her husband a year ago and went to Paris to live, but she says he has published three books since, and thinks he earns over $3,000 a year now.

### FRATERNAL LOVE SAVES.

New York, March 18.—When Giuseppe Seracuso was convicted a few days ago for the murder of Mrs. Maria San Felippo in a shooting affray following a quarrel, he was apparently doomed to serve out the rest of his natural life in prison. Fraternal love has stepped in to save him by the confession of his brother, Sebastino Seracuso, that it was he who fired the shot.

Mrs. San Felippo was killed during a shooting affray between the Seracuso brothers and Vincenzo Lambidosi, Mrs. San Felippo's son. Giuseppe was convicted. His brother has now confessed that Mrs. San Felippo seized his arms and he accidentally shot her.

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## Amusements

"The Goddess of Liberty," an alleged musical comedy, was the attraction at the Grand Opera House on Saturday, matinee and night.

The piece attracted fair houses, and although the offering was not the best seen here this season, nevertheless it was not the very worst.

R. H. Wilson, who appeared here last in "The Time, the Place, and the Girl," had the leading male role and was fairly satisfactory.

The music was quite ordinary, and the comedy broad enough and rough enough to suit Chicago. The only two songs were old enough to vote, and were excused on the ground that they were sung by request. Shades of De Wolf Hopper and his old gag of reciting "Casey at the Bat"!

#### "Raffles" Tonight.

At the Grand Opera House tonight comes that popular romantic actor, Kyrle Bellew, in the sumptuous revival of that detective classic, "Raffles, the Amateur Cracksman." This revival, it will be remembered, was made a few months ago at the New York Garrick Theatre, in response to a popular demand, and met with such instant success that Mr. Frohmain made plans for a lengthy road tour. The revival has been made with all the careful attention given to the original production some seasons ago, and the play is said, in the meantime, to have lost none of its charm or thrilling interest. Few detective plays have the vitality put into "Raffles" by Eugene Presbrey, and the proof of its virility lies in its longevity. Thrilling episodes abound in "Raffles," and the most sensational adventure in the cracksman's career, taken by Mr. Presbrey from Mr. Hornung's stories, is that which has to do with the theft of the Melrose diamonds, during a week-end party at Amerseth Abbey, when, under the most mysterious circumstances, Lady Melrose discovers the absence of the priceless necklace. Thereafter occurs a battle of brains between the intrepid gentleman-burglar and the avenging lieutenant of the law in the person of Captain Bedford, the detective. This is a guaranteed attraction.

#### Denman Thompson's "The Old Homestead."

It has come to be a trite story to say that Denman Thompson's "The Old Homestead," which comes to the Grand Opera House on Wednesday, March 22, is one of the best plays ever written. This year it includes not only the old favorites in the cast and some new talent of much ability in the minor roles, but a lot of new scenery, in itself one of the most attractive and realistic features of this drama of New England rusticity. From its crude beginning, when first launched on the uncertain sea of stage popularity, "The Old Homestead" has developed year after year, until now it sails proudly and triumphantly in the snug harbor of perennial favor. Now, however, as in its earliest career, it depends for that popularity most of all upon the fact that it so truthfully holds the mirror up to nature, and in so doing presents a series of faithful character sketches typifying phases of country and city life.

#### "The Rosary."

"The Rosary," a beautiful new play from the pen of Edward E. Rose and produced by Messrs. Rowland and Clifford, will be seen at the Grand on Friday evening next, March 24. To prove the situation, a typical American family is shown—a young wife, her devoted husband, their friends and the material surroundings which wealth can procure. Then comes a jarring note, so slight that even the most sensitive could hardly hear it. Rather it is a subtle discord of the atmosphere. No one knows whence it comes or the reason of its being; but it grows—grows, more and more apparent. Now it swells into suspicion and doubt, then blind rage, and the household is rent, its happiness gone. Then rises the other power, a higher spiritual note, which swells upon the ear until its beauty and divine harmony bring the discordant souls of the family back to peace and full accord. "The Rosary" comes direct from a three months run in Boston.

#### "The Man of the Hour."

George Broadhurst's wonderful success, "The Man of the Hour," is typically the play of the hour, and will be seen at the Grand Opera House next Saturday, matinee and night, under the direction of Wm. A. Brady. The production will be staged with the same beautiful scenic effects and elaborate costumes. As the title indicates, the time of the play is the present and the scene almost any large city in the United States. "The Man of the Hour" is certainly a revelation in play-writing and has set a pace so hot that its competitors have been left far in the rear. Messrs. Brody and Grismer's special company will be seen here. Seats Thursday.

#### Otis Skinner Coming.

Another of Charles Frohman's splendid productions, headed by that gifted actor, Otis Skinner, will be the attraction at the Grand on Tuesday, March 28. The name of the play is "Sire," and it was produced a few weeks ago with such marked success that it will be retained by Mr. Skinner for the balance of this season and next season as well. The play is a comedy based upon an incident in French history, at the time of the revolution in 1848. Many royalists at that time believed the son of Louis XVI. still lived and was in hiding, awaiting an opportunity to ascend the throne as Louis XVII. Denis Roulette—Mr. Skinner's role—for a consideration impersonates the dauphin, and plays king for a short time in the house of a firm royalist, a spinster of sixty, strong in her belief that the rightful heir to the throne still lives. She is so obsessed with this idea that her reason becomes impaired and it is to save her from insanity that Roulette is prevailed upon to be a party to the deception.

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## MEETINGS.

MEETING OF THE LONDON AND Middlesex Historical Society in the hall of the Public Library on Tuesday, 21st, at 8 p.m. Subjects: A paper on "London in the Thirties" (part two), by Dr. Cl. T. Campbell; also "Account of a Visit to the Annual Meeting of the Ontario Historical Society," by John Dearness, M.A. Public cordially invited. 43u

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## Births, Marriages and Deaths.

### DEATHS.

GRIFFITH—At her late residence, lot 35, Brick street, on Sunday, March 19, 1911, Catherine Ellen, dearly beloved wife of Nathan Griffith, aged 66 years.

Funeral from above address on Tuesday, March 21, at 2:30; service at 2 p.m. Interment at Brick Street Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

## MALE HELP WANTED.

YOUNG MAN WITH FAIR EDUCATION to learn manufacturing business. Call between 8 and 9 p.m., 172 King street upstairs. 41u

WANTED—SINGLE MAN ON DAIRY farm. Apply J. K. Shephard, manager Cedar Terrace Dairy, Richmond street north. 43c

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LOST—FOXTERRIER PUP, ANSWERS to name of "Nick." Parties detaining him after this notice will be prosecuted. 43u

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A BLACKSMITH SHOP FOR RENT OR sale. Apply J. D. Wilson, Lobo, Ont. 42c

FOR SALE—TWO COTTAGES ON CENTRAL avenue, viz.: No. 127, a brick building, possession of which may be had on April 1; must be removed by the 15th of April. No. 129, a frame cottage, possession of which can be had May 1, to be removed by 15th May. Further particulars can be had by applying to the Secretary Board Education, City Hall. A. J. Wyckoff, chairman No. 2 committee Board Education; R. M. McElheran, secretary. 43-4

SMALL STORY AND A HALF HOUSE for sale, on Tecumseh avenue. Apply R. Wilson, 64 Duchess avenue. 42c

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**Canadian Pacific Railway Company, Ontario Division**

Sealed tenders, addressed to the undersigned, will be received before 12 noon, March 25, 1911, for a 22-stall engine house, with machine and boiler shops, to be constructed at London, Ontario. Plans and specifications can be seen in the Division Engineer's Office, Toronto, and also in the Resident Engineer's Office, London. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. A. L. HERTZBERG, Division Engineer, Union Station, Toronto.
Toronto, March 6, 1911. 42c

**Annual Spring Sale of Genuine**
**Oriental Rugs**

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**Wednesday and Thursday, March 22, 23**
At 2:30 and 8 p.m. each day.

The above collection, which has been bought from Courian, Babayan & Co., the well-known rug importers, of Canada, comprising the finest and largest collection of real Oriental Rugs ever exhibited in London. Parties furnishing new homes would do well to attend this sale. Private sales will be made when not selling by auction. Goods on view from Monday, March 21, until hour of sale.

**Neil Cooper**
AUCTIONEER.
43k

MAIL CONTRACT — SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster-General, will be received at Ottawa until noon on Friday, the 21st April, 1911, for the conveyance of his Majesty's mails, on a proposed contract for four years, six round trips per week, over Mayfair special rural delivery route, from the Postmaster-General's pleasure. Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the postoffices of Mayfair and Appin, and at the office of the postoffice inspector at London. G. C. ANDERSON, superintendent. Postoffice Department, mail service branch, Ottawa, 2nd March, 1911. 32c-z

**AUCTION SALE**
10 Brighton street, 2 o'clock, Wednesday, March 22. Steel range, complete, cost $65; Tortoise heater, good piano, sideboard, table, chairs, rockers, carpenter's tools, lot lumber, lawn mower, two cords wood, wheelbarrow, grindstone. Terms, cash.
b L. A. WEAVER, Auctioneer.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A bylaw was passed by the Council of the Corporation of the City of London, on the twentieth day of June, A.D. 1910, providing for the issue of debentures to the amount of $16,000, for the purpose of extending the London waterworks, and that such bylaw was registered in the registry office of the City of London, in the County of Middlesex, on the twenty-third day of June, A.D. 1910. Any motion to quash or set aside the same or any part thereof, must be made within three months after the first publication of this notice, and cannot be made thereafter. Dated this 20th day of March, A.D. 1911. S. BAKER, clerk.
44-M20,27,A3

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# TWO NATIONS TO PRAY FOR PEACE

### A Hearty Response to Taft—Arbitration Proposal From Churches

### PULPIT IS SOLID FOR IT

### Bishop of Southwark Declares Grey's Speech Met a Response in Heart of People.

[Canadian Press.]

New York, March 20.—A cable dispatch from the Tribune's correspondent in London states that the proposals for an Anglo-American arbitration treaty were welcomed in hundreds of churches yesterday.

The Anglican clergy were not silent, but the heartiest responses were from the evangelical free churches. Since the National Council had sent out a general appeal for an emphatic expression of approval of the peace movement, the Rev. F. B. Meyer, chief organizer of the council, has stated to the Tribune's correspondent that yesterday's demonstrations prove that the free churches of the kingdom are solidly behind Sir Edward Grey, and that it remains for the churches in America and the leaders of public societies to show whether they are prepared to support British free churchmen.

**Two Nations to Pray.**

Mr. Myer has been sending out cables to friends in America, and hopes that the enlightened opinion of the religious bodies of both countries can be expressed simultaneously in meetings to be held early in April. He considered it of the utmost importance that Sir Edward Grey and President Taft, having appealed for the moral force of public opinion, should have a response at the earliest possible moment, which will strengthen their hands and encourage them to persevere in reducing the proposals to a practical form.

While there is no central committee in the Established Church to initiate action similar, the utterances of prominent bishops and clergy prove that they are in hearty accord with the international religious movement in favor of permanent peace in the English-speaking world.

The Bishop of Southwark, preaching in Southwark Cathedral, said it had been a memorable week. The suggestion borne across the Atlantic from a man who held the highest place and power, had been received by the coolest and most reticent of British statesmen in words whose vibrant powers and feelings had reached even those who had not heard them, and had called forth an answer from the nation's heart to seize the opportunity for using England's vast resources for greater things than defense, and for being remembered as a nation that strove for peace and would rather have justice than its own way.

Dr. Clifford, an eminent Nonconformist clergyman, said Sir Edward Grey's words stirred in the minds of those who had the advancement and well-being of the human race at heart, an amount of joy and thankfulness that it was impossible to calculate.

Albert Hall, which can seat 10,000 persons, and is the largest building in which a meeting can be held, will probably be utilized for April 1.

### OFF THE SHOALS.

Norfolk, Va., March 20. — After being stranded for twelve days the British steamer Manchuria, Capt. Taylor, was pulled into deep water last evening from the shoals, three miles south of Little Island. The Manchuria was floated by the wrecking tugs Rescue and Relief, which started with her to Newport News for repairs.

The Manchuria, when she stranded, was loaded with coal and was bound to Tampico, Mexico. She carries a crew of 35 men.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY H. J. Childs, druggist, 632 Dundas.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY W. H. Bartram, 99 Dundas street.

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# KITCHENER LEADS CORONATION TROOPS

### The Hero of Khartum to Have Command of 40,000 Men.

### SHOPKEEPERS INSURED

### Take Out Policies Against Possibility of a Postponement of the Celebration.

London, March 20.—Lord Kitchener, of Khartum, who is to command the troops at the coronation, is expected to reach London early in April, and then the general scheme of military arrangements for the celebration will be submitted for the royal approval.

It is expected that there will be 40,000 men of all arms in the pageant. Six infantry brigades will be mustered in London, and there will be two brigades made up of the Aldershot command under General Smith-Dorien, the southern command under General Sir Charles Douglas and the eastern command under General Sir A. Paget. These will provide 20,000 infantry apart from the mounted troops and artillery upon the ground to guard and line the route. One of the features of the last coronation will be missing—the black troops from India and elsewhere.

**Bridges To Be Decorated.**

The decoration of the bridges will be one of the attractive features of 1911. They will fairly blaze with light at night during the celebration. Westminster bridge will be decorated more ambitiously in line with the plan adopted in 1902 when two great lions stood at each end and sixteen masts twelve yards high bore cross-arms from which banners, painted by the pupils of the royal school of art, and sixteenth century lamps were hung. Plaster busts of English kings and queens stood on a dozen pedestals, each of which was fourteen feet high, and in the centre of the bridge, towering above all others, were busts of Queen Elizabeth and Queen Victoria.

Although fancy risk business at Lloyds now is openly discouraged by the committee, there are numerous insurances being effected to cover the payment of claims arising out of the forthcoming coronation. West End tradesmen, in particular—little as the risk may appear as the time for the coronation draws nearer—are not lessening their efforts to protect themselves against loss that might result from a postponement or alteration of the route. Thus from 20 to 30 guineas per cent has been quoted "to pay a total loss only" should the ceremony not take place on June 22, and in several cases policies have been issued on the joint lives of the king and queen for the current year, the premiums being five guineas per cent.

**The Cornoation Bible.**

The Bible upon which King George will take the coronation oath will be presented to the King by the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge, and will be designed and printed by the Oxford University press. In accordance with historical custom the volume will contain the Apocrypha as well as the canonical books. The binding will be of deep crimson velvet, heavily embossed and decorated with gold, and the volume will be one of the most beautiful ever prepared.

A considerable amount of curiosity is being evinced and a great deal of nonsense talked about the Delhi durbar. Some write about it as the "recrowning of his majesty the king." It is not a recrowning ceremony at all, but his crowning as king-emperor. The crown regalia which are to be taken to India for the imperial pageantry in December will be sent out under the custody of the admiralty on a special cruiser.

**"Made-in-Germany" Medals.**

Patriotic Britons will sport coronation medals in honor of King George in June, but none will know for certain that they are not wearing the "made-in-Germany" variety.

At the last coronation these foreign souvenirs flooded the country, and, according to several English manufacturers, they are now being shipped into England in large consignments again.

"Most of the medals are so well done," said one manufacturer, "that the public could not tell them from our home-made work. They arrive in England in boxes stamped 'made in Germany,' but as soon as they have passed the customs the boxes are discarded and the souvenirs, which have no marks on them, are sent out broadcast. Large consignments of other patriotic emblems are being shipped over here by industrious 'Teutonic cousins,' and as they can sell them at a much lower price than similar articles made in England, our trade is naturally very seriously affected by them."

### STEAMERS ARRIVED.

New York, March 19.—Arrived: Laurentic, Columbia, Lake Touraine, George Washington.
Queenstown—Baltic.
Southampton—St. Paul.
St. John—Empress of Britain, Tunisian.
Naples—Oceania.
Havre—Chicago.
Rotterdam—Noordam.
Glasgow—Lakonia.
Sydney—Whakatane.
New York, March 20.—Arrived: Madonna, from Marseilles; George Washington, from Bremen; Cincinnati, from Naples.

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## THE LITTLE CANADIANS.

If two thousand years hence an archaeologist fishing about among the records of this present age should come on some fragmentary samples of our anti-reciprocist oratory and writing without the antidote, what would he naturally conclude? He would boast of being able to contribute to history the new knowledge that about the beginning of the 20th century the United States grew too populous and too rich to feed itself, and in the desperation of a starving, wild-eyed beast, turned to rend a thinly-populated but advancing neighbor, not, however, daring openly to crush the little creature, but circumventing it by superior craft and pretended friendship. So many Canadians made so piteous an outcry that the archaeologist would wonder how a nation made up of such timid souls ever did make the step to freer trade relations with the dreaded neighbor, and climb the ladder to its 40th century puissance.

As a matter of fact, the United States, while seeking its own advantage, of course, is also for the first time in history disposed to be generous to this country. We have resented their encroachments, their poachings, their sharp tricks of the past, and now it is only fair to recognize their change of heart. One reason for past unkindnesses has been mere ignorance and indifference. Canada did not look very important to her great southern neighbor. It is, in fact, a gratifying recognition of our growing strength that the United States makes friendly advances.

But to hear Sir James Whitney and others, one would really imagine that the reciprocity agreement was an insult or criminal attack upon the Dominion. Instead of holding out the olive branch, the United States is represented as fitting a shirt of Nessus upon us. And the dreadful thing about it all is that they can put the shirt on any time they please, whether we like it or no, they can ruin us and the C. P. R. and England and Sir William Van Horne by just dropping their own tariff! It is as easy as dropping a hat, and our fate is in the Yankee hand! If the sword of Damocles so hangs over Canada, it is indeed a good thing that the Americans do love us better, that they are investing here millions of money, have great interests at stake in Canada, and do not wish to ruin such fair enterprises.

## BRITAIN'S NAVAL PREPONDERANCE.

The British naval estimates of 1911 are a compromise. The whole body of professional militarists has been clamoring for an advance upon the programme of last year, while a powerful section of the Liberal party has been demanding a reduction. The Government has decided to repeat last year's programme of five Dreadnoughts at a cost of nearly $20,000,000 more, and will add 3,000 men to the navy.

In 1913 Great Britain will have 32 Dreadnoughts, exclusive of the two Australasian ships of that type, which will not be stationed in European waters. Germany will have at the same time 21 Dreadnoughts; the United States, 10, France, 8, Austria and Italy between them, less than 4. The British navy estimates therefore provide for a Dreadnought fleet almost as large as that of Germany, the United States, Italy and Austria combined. In pre-Dreadnoughts the British superiority is even greater. In addition Australia and Canada are building up local squadrons. In 1909 the official reason for laying down eight battleships was German acceleration, but it is now admitted that no acceleration took place. In 1910 five battleships were laid down on the ground that it was necessary to offset Austria and Italy, the allies of Germany. It happens that Germany, Austria and Italy have been so much slower in naval construction than the British Admiralty predicted that British supremacy has reached a point which ought to satisfy even the panic-mongers. This is the last year in which, under the German naval law, Germany lays down four battleships, next year her programme drops to two. "If our estimates," says the London Daily News, "are looked upon as provocative, a new German law will come almost certainly, and then the race to bankruptcy which might have ended this year will be continued indefinitely at an accelerated pace." The London Nation uses similar language. It says the Liberals cannot assent to the construction of five new Dreadnoughts without a specific promise of retrenchment in 1912 and 1913. It adds:

"No words can, indeed, leave on the uninstructed mind any adequate idea of the vast superiority of this country in naval personnel and training, in the speed and adaptability of the various types of vessel, in all the methods and conveniences for fighting, repairing and handling modern ships of war. The chances are that we have greatly exceeded a manageable number of well handled vessels.

"Let us, therefore, put off the whole panoply of foolish fears, and devote ourselves to the principles of naval administration on which the Liberal party have a right to insist."

These comments have some bearing upon the naval question in Canada. Messrs. Borden and Foster pleaded as an excuse for their change of front that a crisis had supervened which called for an immediate grant of money to Great Britain. As a matter of fact the panic was at its height when they declared for a Canadian-built navy, and had passed away when they demanded an emergency contribution. There is no crisis today; Great Britain's margin of naval strength over any possible combination against her is overwhelming, and Sir Edward Grey's remarkable speech is an earnest of an understanding with Germany, which will bring the ruinous rivalry to an end.

## HYDRO-ELECTRIC ELSEWHERE.

We in Western Ontario have heard little of hydro-electric development in other parts of the Province, yet thanks to the Dominion Government a number of eastern municipalities are getting cheap power without incurring financial obligations.

This policy has been worked out by the Minister of Railways and Canals, Hon. George Graham. The Government obtained control of the water powers along the Trent Valley Canal system, by undertaking to give the owners all the water-power they had previously been using, at a rate of $2 per horsepower, with the right of selling the surplus at a price fixed by the Dominion railway commission. The owners combined to organize a transmission company, so that all the power would be distributed by one concern, to as great a distance as possible. Mr. Graham described the project as follows in a speech in the House of Commons:

> "What is the result? That the power being distributed by that company today in Central Ontario, I believe, is the cheapest power for the miles of distribution that there is in Canada. That may be putting it strongly, but I believe not too strongly. They are now distributing power in Belleville and Trenton, and they have made contracts with a large number of municipalities."

Mr. Haggart asked Mr. Graham whether, having provided cheap power for a particular locality, he should not, in principle, supply it to the whole Dominion. Mr. Graham made this significant reply:

> "If it could be done, I would be glad to attempt to work out that problem, and if the House would let me, I am sure it could be solved, so that we could supply power east to Smith's Falls and Gananoque, and possibly Brockville. It is a subject that is worth looking into and discussing. * * * I believe it would be one of the best ways to assist the manufacturers and those needing any power if where we have power in sight, we should develop it and place the control of rates under the board of railway commissioners, so that our manufacturers will be able to compete with any people in the world."

The Dominion and Ontario Governments have co-operated in producing the results in Central Ontario, the Ontario Government having admitted that the Federal authorities had a right to control the water powers along a navigable waterway like the Trent River, which is under Dominion jurisdiction. No doubt the Dominion Government would gladly have co-operated with the Ontario Government in distributing Niagara power on a similar plan, under which the municipalities would have taken no risk.

Although there is plenty of water power, as Mr. Graham indicates, to supply all Ontario, or even all Canada, many municipalities in this Province will be deprived of it because they cannot afford to pay for it on the basis of the Niagara scheme. The only way in which the whole of Ontario will be served, and all municipalities will be treated alike, will be the public ownership of transmission lines, enabling power to be sold at one price. Then a community will not be penalized because it is small in numbers, or remote from the source of power. Such a policy would give a stimulus to the development of Ontario beyond anything which any other undertaking could approach.

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The first woman member of the Norwegian Parliament has made her first speech. Probably it will not be her last, either.

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The death of Joseph Tait, ex-M. P. P., of Toronto, removes a Liberal of the old school. He had much aptitude for public life, and was an effective platform speaker.

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Lloyd George's throat complaint is said to be serious. The loss of his voice would be an irreparable loss to his party. Perhaps the most persuasive Liberal organ in Great Britain has been Lloyd George's organ of speech.

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Mr. Magrath, Opposition M. P., of Medicine Hat, admits that he is receiving more letters from his constituents favorable to reciprocity than opposed to it, but he intends to vote against it. Mr. Magrath is to be commended for inviting defeat by obeying his own judgment; but his judgment in this case deserves to bring him defeat.

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Hon. Robert Rogers says that not a seat in Manitoba could be won by a supporter of reciprocity. Nobody believes Mr. Rogers in Manitoba, and Mr. Rogers knows that nobody believes him. His untruth is for Ontario consumption, but it will not be swallowed by any Ontarioan with his eyes open. The prairie country is solidly for the agreement, and it is well for the Manitoba Government that reciprocity is not a provincial issue.

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An interesting situation is developing at Ottawa. The Opposition has been obstructing the estimates, evidently with the object of shelving reciprocity. It is said the Government will submit no longer and will attempt to force through supplies during the next two weeks, so as to clear the decks for reciprocity. The Opposition will be compelled to show its hand. If it intends to try to obstruct the reciprocity agreement and keep the Prime Minister from the Imperial Conference and the coronation, the sooner it is known the better.

### VARYING ESTIMATES.

[Washington Star.]

"How fast can your motor car go?"

"It depends," replied Mr. Chuggins, gloomily, "on who is timing it, myself or a policeman."

### A COLD COMPARISON.

[Washington Star.]

"So you are going to give up poetry?"

"I am," replied the earnest youth. "I'm going to study medicine. A prescription commands enormously more respect than a poem."

### THE STRAIGHT ROAD.

[Washington Star.]

Go ahead an' do your best,
Workin' while you kin,
Some day you will earn yoh rest,
An' pleasure will begin.

Kindnesses will come yoh way,
Sneers will gather thick.
Some will cheer you day by day,
An' some is bound to kick!

Des be grateful foh yoh friends;
Do not dread yoh foes;
Travel till yoh journey ends,
A-watchin' whar yoh goes.

Luck was never all polite,
As yoh toil along
Some will say you is all right,
While some say you's all wrong.

### ANXIOUS TO PLEASE.

[Washington Star.]

A young man was praising up his girl to his sister.

"She was asking me," he mentioned, "what color of hair I preferred."

But the sister, with a malicious smile, remarked:

"How like her that is; always so anxious to please."

### AMPLE MANDATE.

[The Farmers' Sun.]

Sir John Macdonald passed the C. P. R. contract and consulted the people afterward. Sir Wilfrid Laurier passed the naval bill and has not yet consulted the people. If it be conceded that a mandate of the people is necessary to pass reciprocity, there can be no doubt that Sir Wilfrid Laurier had, as Sir John Macdonald and Sir Charles Tupper had, an ample and sufficient mandate to secure such a free exchange of natural products as that now in question.

### RELATIONS WITH THE POLICE.

[Washington Star.]

"Were you ever arrested before?"

"No, judge," replied Plodding Pete, "not since me palmy days, when I was rich enough to own a swift automobile."

### LORD ROBERTS' PRAYER.

[Banffshire Herald.]

Lord Roberts, going round the hospital wards after one of the engagements during the Boer war, as well as on his regular visitations, had always a kind word for the patients. Upon this particular occasion he saw one patient who was severely wounded, and asked the poor fellow, "Can I do anything for you, my man?" The answer came feebly, "No, sir." "Can I pray for you?" Lord Roberts asked. "Yes, sir," the soldier replied. Going down upon his knees, his lordship prayed, "O Lord, separate this man's sins from his soul before his soul is separated from his body. Amen." At the conclusion there was not a dry eye in the hospital ward.

This pathetic story, which has not been published before, is authenticated by Major Campbell, Army Medical Corps, who was there at the time, and is sent us by our valued contributor, H. J. Oldham, Manchester.

### T. B. MACAULAY ON RECIPROCITY

[Hamilton Times.]

T. B. Macaulay, of Montreal, head of the Sun Life, a shrewd and capable financier and economist, is a strong supporter of the reciprocity agreement. He has looked into it carefully and thinks it will be an excellent thing for Canada, and highly beneficial to the empire as a whole. But Mr. Macaulay does not place party politics before the good of his country. That makes a great difference.

### DELEGATE OR REPRESENTATIVE.

[Edmund Burke.]

Certainly, gentlemen, it ought to be the happiness and glory of a representative to live in the strictest union, the closest correspondence and the most unreserved communication with his constituents. Their wishes ought to have great weight with him, their opinions high respect, their business unremitted attention. It is his duty to sacrifice his repose, his pleasures, his satisfactions, to theirs, and, above all, ever and in all cases, to prefer their interest to his own. But his unbiased opinion, his mature judgment, his enlightened conscience, he ought not to sacrifice to you, to any man or any set of men living. Your representative owes you, not his industry only, but his judgment; and he betrays, instead of serving you, if he sacrifices it to your opinion. . . . authoritative instructions, mandates issued, which the member is bound blindly and implicitly to obey, to vote and to argue for, though contrary to the clearest convictions of his judgment and conscience—these are things utterly unknown to the laws of this land, and which arise from a fundamental mistake of the whole order and tenor of our constitution.

### A RUB AT THE MAJOR

[St. Thomas Times, Conservative.]

We think that Major Thomas Beattie, M. P. for London, Ont., made rather an exhibition of himself in the House of Commons on Tuesday, when he chose to make a violent personal attack upon Mr. W. F. Maclean, M. P. for South York. The people's chamber is not the place to exploit one's private vindictiveness, and whatever the failings or weaknesses of the member for South York may be, the House is not the place to refer to them. The Commons is a place for discussing measures, not men.

### BETTER LEFT UNSAID.

[Illustrated Bits.]

She (at the masquerade)—Do you think my costume becoming.

He (with enthusiasm)—Yes, indeed, but you would be lovely in any disguise.

### THE MANUFACTURERS AND RECIPROCITY.

[Ottawa Free Press.]

When the United States reciprocity negotiators came to Ottawa, the first thing they were told by Hon. Mr. Fielding was that this country would not consent to any agreement which would include manufactures. The Washington men did not, therefore deliver the message in favor of free trade in everything which President Taft says he instructed them to deliver.

The Dominion Government seems to have shown more consideration for the Canadian manufacturers than the Canadian manufacturers in their campaign against the reciprocity pact are now showing for the Government.

### NOT BUILDING UP ONTARIO.

[Hamilton Times.]

A lot of Scotch farmers are coming to invest considerable money in Ontario farms. Perhaps when they come to read Sir James Whitney's speech showing how the country is to be ruined by reciprocity, they will change their minds. Some of Ontario's statesmen are mighty poor boomers of the Province. They would sacrifice it for an hour's petty political capital.

## Unscrupulous Attacks Upon Mr. W. S. Calvert

[From the Ottawa Free Press.]

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The vicious and unwarranted attack made upon Mr. W. S. Calvert, formerly chief Liberal whip and now one of the transcontinental railway commissioners, by Mr. T. W. Crothers, Conservative member for West Elgin, is a sample of the low-down tactics which are, unfortunately, not infrequently resorted to by Conservative members of the House of Commons.

In order to bolster up a case for an the Farmers' Bank, Mr. Crothers, with the idea of showing that "something was being held back," revamped the story in distorted form of a purely ordinary business transaction which Mr. Calvert had with the said bank.

One day, about the time when the Farmers' Bank was seeking incorporation, Mr. Calvert received a letter from a firm of Toronto lawyers stating that Mr. W. R. Travers was coming to Ottawa, and expressing a desire that Mr. Calvert would introduce him to the Minister of Finance. Mr. Calvert, quite naturally, did so. He took no part in the interview; he was not concerned in it.

Years after, to be exact, in July, 1909, Mr. Calvert, in the ordinary course of business, obtained from the Farmers' Bank the sum of $3,000, and gave his demand note for that amount. Two weeks later Mr. Calvert paid back $750, but after another fortnight he obtained a loan of $200, making the balance owing on Aug. 9, 30 days after the original loan, $2,450. On Jan. 2 following he reduced his indebtedness by $1,000; on June 13 by investigation into the incorporation of another $1,000, and on Dec. 31 he paid the balance, and his notes were returned to him cancelled. Mr. Calvert has these notes in his possession—they were used by Mr. Carvell in the House last night and they show that for the money received Mr. Calvert paid $135 interest, that the transaction was a perfectly legitimate and honest one, and just such as every bank in putting through by the thousand every day.

Now, Mr. Crothers knew all these facts; they were explained weeks ago, when the matter was first mentioned. If he has any business sense at all he must have known that there could be no relation between Mr. Calvert's introduction of Mr. Travers to Mr. Fielding and this loan made by the bank years afterwards. And yet, Mr. Crothers and Mr. Boyce were willing to so distort the facts as to lead the people of the country to believe that Mr. Calvert had been given "$3,000 or $5,000," for services rendered to the bank in obtaining incorporation.

It is such things as these that make politics detestable to clean-thinking men. It is such tricks as these that alienate the confidence of the people from the present Conservative Opposition in the House of Commons. Men like Crothers and Boyce do not represent the great Conservative party, a party of high ideals, but what do they care so long as they get their names in the paper and obtain a little cheap notoriety?

## LISBON MONARCHISTS ARE AGAIN ACTIVE

### Spending Lavishly to Arouse Dissatisfaction With Government.

[Canadian Press.]

Lisbon, March 20.—The monarchists, taking advantage of the divisions and antagonisms among the Republicans, are distributing money lavishly to spread dissatisfaction in the capital and throughout the provinces.

The Government's postponement of the elections for the fourth time, now until May 14, has made a disagreeable impression upon the public. The announced reason for this delay in submitting to the people the choice of a president and government, is that the clergy have undue anti-government influence in various northern districts, and there is need of more time to further the Republican campaign.

The British foreign office has informed the Portuguese Government that it will receive a representative of the republic quite unofficially, and will not recognize him in a diplomatic capacity.

It is on these conditions that Teixeira Gomez, the new envoy, goes to London.

## NEW GOLD LEDGE STARTS STAMPEDE

### Another Rich Find of Quartz in Wilds of Nevada.

Reno, Nev., March 20.—One of the greatest mining stampedes since the discovery of Tonopah and Goldfield, began here yesterday afternoon when a special train started out for Amadee, California, 80 miles north, on the line of the Nevada, California and Oregon Railroad, for the new gold quartz fields discovered on Friday.

The new camp is just across the California line in Washoe County, Nevada, on the Fort Sage Mountains. Six men ran on to quartz croppings sticking above the surface and extending for a great distance along a ridge and into the valley.

According to advices received here, an assay made at Susanville shows the ore to run as high as $20,000 to the ton.

The ledge is three feet wide and extends more than two miles.

## A MISSIONARY CAMPAIGN

### Canon Tucker Says as We Build in the West, So Shall We Reap.

At St. Paul's Cathedral yesterday morning, Canon Tucker spoke on mission work.

"The future of our country," he said, "depends on the West, and the future of the West depends on what we do now. We have a great, a wonderful opportunity, and as we build now so will the nation be in the next 25 years."

The men of St. Paul's are engaged this week in a great missionary campaign.

## WEARING OUT BY HARD WORK

### Liberal Leaders Aged by the Strenuous Life.

## CHURCHILL GETTING BALD

### Crewe Has Collapsed Under the Strain, and John Burns' Beard Is White.

London, March 20.—Britain's ministers are overworked. Since the Liberals came into power at the end of 1905 they have led strenuous lives, and this has turned the hair of the cabinet prematurely gray. It is matter of general comment that there is scarcely a member of it who has not aged more rapidly than the length of this service warrants.

Lord Crewe, secretary of state for India, and lord privy seal, is the latest victim of breakdown. He collapsed suddenly the other day, and will have to take several months' rest. He is only one of the prominent parliamentarians upon whom the strain of recent years has told.

**Too Strenuous.**

Three general elections in five years and four extra autumn sessions of Parliament, together with the preparation of a record number of bills, have produced a mass of administrative work which is proving too much for ministers and Opposition leaders alike. The Marquis of Lansdowne, the Conservative leader in the Upper House, is on the sick list, and so is Lord Onslow, chairman of committees, and deputy speaker of that assembly.

Mr. Balfour, Opposition leader in the House of Commons, has been the victim of several severe attacks of influenza. First Lord of the Admiralty McKenna and Walter Long, a Unionist ex-minister, have had to undergo operations for appendicitis. Mr. Lloyd George, chancellor of the exchequer, has been ordered to take a rest for the second time since the new year, and Mr. Barnes, lately leader of the Labor party, is just recovering from a long illness.

John Burns' beard has become as white as snow. Augustine Birrell, chief secretary for Ireland, and War Minister Haldane look very old and tired. Even the sprightly Winston Churchill, secretary of state for home affairs, who is not yet 37, has taken on the middle-aged look. He is rapidly getting bald and now uses spectacles occasionally. The Right Hon. Lewis Harcourt, colonial secretary, who is married to the daughter of the late W. H. Burns, of New York, is now almost as weighty in demeanor as his father, the famous Sir William Harcourt, used to be at 60.

## NO CONFESSION SAYS DR. SMITH

Toronto, March 20.—Dr. Bruce Smith in an interview here said that Edward Jardine had made no confession of the murder of Lizzie Anderson to him.

Provincial Inspector Greer also said that there had been no confession. Dr. Smith, who is inspector of prisons, was in Goderich Friday.

## BRITISH OFFICERS ORDERED HOME

London, March 20.—All officers of the British army who are on furlough have been ordered to return to their commands at once. No explanation of this action was vouchsafed by the war office today, and as a result there was considerable excitement. The mobilization of American troops in Texas has caused widespread discussion here and the news that the English army is to be put in fighting trim has increased those. Several of the officers are now in the United States.

## BROOM CORN STOCK GOES UP IN SMOKE

Charleston, Ill., March 20.—Practically the entire available supply of broom corn in the United States was destroyed by a fire which swept over eleven blocks and caused a loss estimated at $300,000. The fire was still burning early today, but was under control.

## NOTED PAINTER DEAD

### Ernest Crofts, Military Artist and Royal Academy Keeper, Passes.

London, March 20.—Ernest Crofts, painter and keeper of the Royal Academy, is dead.

Ernest Crofts was born in Yorkshire in 1847, and after completing his education at Rugby and Berlin, studied art in London and Dusseldorf. His first picture was exhibited at the Royal Academy in 1874.

Among his paintings were "Napoleon at Ligny," "On the Morning of the Battle of Waterloo," "The Evening of the Battle of Waterloo," "Oliver Cromwell at Marston Moor," "Marlborough at Ramillies," "Execution of Charles I.," "Napoleon Leaving Moscow," "The Gunpowder Plot," and "Roundheads Victorious."

"PIMPLES"

Broke Out All Over Her Face.

Pimples are caused, almost entirely, by bad blood, and there is only one way to get rid of them, and that is to get at the seat of the trouble by using a good reliable blood purifying medicine.

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## Scores of Fishers Perish Off Banks of Newfoundland

### One Hundred Vessels Wrecked, Sixty-Five of Them Total Losses—A Million Dollars Damage Done and 125 Persons Went to the Bottom.

[Canadian Press.]

Boston, March 20.—Fully 125 persons perished in accidents which befell New England, Canadian and Newfoundland vessels, or other craft which met with disaster in western upper North Atlantic waters during the fall and winter season now ending. It is impossible to announce the exact number of lives lost, as a missing Gloucester schooner, the Ella M. Goodwin, with her crew of ten men, may be yet afloat in northern ice fields, and as statistics of lost Newfoundland fishermen are incomplete. In all 100 vessels were aground, sunken, abandoned, burned or in collision during the past six months. Of the number 75 were schooners, 7 steamers, 7 barges, 3 barkentines, 2 barks, 2 brigantines, 2 tugs, one a $25,000 auxiliary steam yacht, and one a power boat.

**65 Total Wrecks.**

Sixty-five of the 100 were total wrecks. The loss of life on stranded vessels was greatest on the Newfoundland and Massachusetts coasts. The Maritime Provinces were remarkably free from fatalities, although many natives of that section of Canada were lost in wrecks elsewhere or perished on several craft long posted as missing. The combined financial loss is estimated at nearly $1,000,000.

## NIAGARA FRUIT MEN FAVOR RECIPROCITY

### Study of Question Has Caused Many to Change Their Views.

St. Catharines, March 19.—Since the organization in this city a few weeks ago of the indignant deputation of Niagara fruit-growers that went to Ottawa to protest against reciprocity some detailed study of the trade agreement has been made by interested persons in this vicinity, and as a result of such research opinion appears to have mellowed considerably. Out of twelve prominent fruit-growers in this district who were interviewed today by your representative five were in favor of the agreement and seven opposed it. But amongst the five persons who supported reciprocity were men who have lately investigated conditions in Buffalo and in other parts of New York State, and have found encouraging data to strengthen the cause of freer trade with the United States in natural products.

Contrary to the findings of the six delegates from the Niagara district, who were sent to obtain information from the fruit lands of the United States for the deputation that went to Ottawa, people here have found that prices of fruits and of good farms are not generally lower than they are in Canada. In fact, the principal objection that even the most vigorous opponent of reciprocity finds now is the presence in the tariff scheme of a duty on baskets, pumps and spraying materials which the fruit-grower on this side of the line must buy from the United States. He is not so sure about the new trade arrangement hurting his fruit business as he is about the unfairness of handicapping him in the commercial race with the American producer, by a levy on numerous little accessories.

**Better Prices.**

The gardeners of St. Catharines are convinced that reciprocity will be a wonderful help to them. Mr. Leonard Gray went to Buffalo three weeks ago to examine the markets for himself. And he now says: "So far as I am concerned, I hope reciprocity goes through tomorrow." Prices in Buffalo, Mr. Gray said, were better in nearly every line of vegetables and small fruits than at home. Vegetables were 50 per cent higher, while raspberries last year brought from 10 cents per box for Philadelphias to 18 cents per box for the Cuthbert variety. Strawberries and currants were also found to be in a better market than at his home town. Elberta and Crawford peaches taken from Niagara County, in New York State, the same kind as are grown on the Canadian side of the line, sold in Buffalo last year on an average of 55 cents to 85 cents per eleven-quart basket with patent cover. Carrots and parsnips in Buffalo were quoted at 40 to 50 cents per bushel, compared with 20 cents per bushel here. Onions brought $1.25 per bushel wholesale, as against 75 cents per bushel in this market.

"If I had access to the Buffalo market at the present time I could sell one hundred barrels of cabbage (two and a half dozen heads per barrel), while at the present I am unable to sell one hundred heads at home at the same figure."

Mr. J. J. Fee, another market gardener, thought reciprocity would benefit him. He deals in peaches and cherries, and grows tomatoes, potatoes, cabbage and onions; and reciprocity, in Mr. Fee's opinion, would insure a much larger and steadier market for those articles.

## NO KISSING TAGS FOR GOTHAM BABES

### Campaign Against Promiscuous Osculation for Children

[Canadian Press.]

New York, March 20.—According to the World, mothers who wish to follow the latest fad in the nursery must equip their children with printed labels bearing the words, "No me bese" (Do not kiss me.) The tags, specimens of which have just reached this country, are the result of an European campaign against the promiscuous kissing of children. The wording is in Spanish, because the idea is said to have originated with Queen Victoria of Spain.

On hygienic grounds, so the story goes, the queen directed that her three children should not be embraced by all and sundry court attendants who desired merely to show their loyalty.

## RUSSIA WANTS CHINA TO BE MORE EXPLICIT

### Pekin Will Be Asked to Explain Certain Minor Points.

[Canadian Press.]

St. Petersburg, March 20.—It is understood that the reply of the Chinese Government to the Russian ultimatum is considered satisfactory in essentials, but China will be asked to be more explicit in her explanations concerning certain minor points.

The latest advices from Peking made plain China's intention of agreeing to both points at issue with Russia. The foreign board stated that it was prepared to accept the establishment of Russian consulates in the places specified by Russia, and also to promise to take measures regarding Chinese monopolies in Mongolia which would permit Russian subjects freedom of trade in Chinese goods as well as in the goods of other countries.

## OPPOSITION PLANS OBSTRUCTION CAMPAIGN

### Will Attempt to Block Passage of Reciprocity Agreement.

Ottawa, March 20.—With the ending of the fiscal year less than two weeks away, and a very small percentage of supply for the coming year voted, despite the persistent efforts of the Government, and with the obvious obstruction of the Opposition, particularly during the past two weeks, it has been decided by the Government to devote most of the balance of the month to endeavoring to get supply, leaving the less urgent matter of passing the reciprocity proposals over until next month.

There is understood to be a disposition on the part of a section of the Opposition to embarrass the Government by holding up supply and compelling it to enter the fiscal year without funds voted to carry on the various services. Some of the Opposition members seem to think that this might be used as a lever to compel the Government to postpone the consideration of the reciprocity resolutions until next session, or to modify them considerably, or to compel a dissolution and election, by which they hope to take advantage of a snap verdict before the material benefits of the agreement could be made apparent to all by a few months of actual operation. Their is, however, divided counsels among them as to the wisdom of long-continued obstructive tactics, which would result in considerable inconvenience to the general public, and which the common sense of the electors could hardly indorse.

**A Feeler.**

The Government will, by attempting to force supply during the next two weeks, compel the obstructionists to clearly show their hand, and in the event of a continuation of the present tactics and a refusal to pass an interim supply bill, if found necessary, it might be that an appeal to the country would be found necessary to solve the deadlock. The issue in that event would be clearly defined, and although it would be obviously unjust to the country before another session, when the redistribution bill could be put through and the west given its proper representation in new members, the onus would lie with the Opposition and the Government would not fear the result.

It is probable that supply will be the first order of Government business for the next two weeks, with probably one day in each week given to the continuation of the debate on reciprocity. The developments of the two weeks, with the Government's determination to keep the House sitting late unless some progress is made, should serve to put the situation clearly before the people of Canada.

It may be noted that during the past two weeks the business of legislation and the voting of supplies has practically not been advanced a single step. It may also be asserted with assurance that the Government has no intention of either dropping or modifying its reciprocity proposals, and will use every endeavor to have them passed by the House as speedily as possible.

## DROWNED BY A WHALE

### Harpooner's Foot Caught in Rope, and He is Drawn Overboard.

[Canadian Press.]

Boston, March 20.—News of the death of First Mate Cruz, of the whaling schooner John Manta, has just reached here in advices from the Provincetown whaling fleet. Cruz, known as one of the most accurate harpoon throwers in the fleet, was drowned by a whale. He had just flung his iron into the side of a fine sperm whale, when he inadvertently stepped in a loop of the line at his feet. Instantly he was whirled over the bow of the boat, and held securely by the constricting coils of the tautening line, was drawn to his death in the sea. His body was not recovered.

## THE RISE OF FIFTH AVENUE

### And the Location there of the Hotel St. Regis.

It needs but one glance at Fifth avenue, New York, from Thirty-fourth street northward, to assure anyone that this avenue is supplanting Broadway as the central thoroughfare of New York's traffic. New York is becoming so vast that no one street can contain all its vast enterprises. Besides this, Broadway, as it runs northward, turns far to the west of the centre of Manhattan. Fifth avenue, above Madison Square, occupies this centre all the way to the Harlem River; and Fifth avenue, therefore, is becoming in this district New York's main artery of trade and traffic. Farther north—above Forty-second street—are the new social and theatrical centres, and here was located and erected—at Fifth avenue and Fifty-fifth street—the Hotel St. Regis, a hotel designed, built, furnished, equipped and maintained for patrons of refined and discriminating tastes. No feature that could improve or perfect any detail of its equipment or operation has been omitted. The St. Regis restaurant has no superior in all the world in quality of food, skill in preparation and perfection of service; while the charges are no higher than those of other first-class hotels. Transient guests coming to New York and stopping at the Hotel St. Regis will find accommodations of the very highest grade in every particular, and at standard rates. Single rooms are $3 and $4 a day; the same with private bath for $5 a day (or $6 for two people); while for a parlor, bedroom and private bath the rates are $12 a day and up.

# All the Latest News and Gossip of the World of Sport

## CHAMPION WEST RETURNS TO CITY

### Londoner Took Down $311 and Gold Medal at the N. B. A. Tourney.

### A BOOST FROM TORONTO

**Buffalo Times Tells of the Game—Local Man Rooted When Close Pressed.**

Joe West returned home on Sunday, after winning the N. B. A. championship. Eddie Teichart, West's partner in the doubles, rolled against him in the singles, and when West had to have his fifth strike in the tenth frame to win the championship, Eddie forgot about his own score and stood aside to watch West make it. This is the second time Eddie Teichart rolled against the man who won the championship. Following were the scores by frames:

| | |
|---|---|
| 1 | 29, 49, 60, 98, 118, 137, 157, 185, 204, 213 |
| 2 | 20, 38, 56, 65, 95, 125, 154, 174, 193, 213 |
| 3 | 20, 50, 80, 108, 128, 148, 178, 208, 238, 268 |
| Total | 694 |

West's prize money from the tourney amounts to $311. He also takes a gold medal.

**"Congratulations, Joe."**

Under the heading of "Congratulations, Joe," the Toronto Mail and Empire says: It was the greatest St. Patrick's Day that ever dawned for Joe West, when he took the lead in the N. B. A. individual yesterday, while the news of Joe's great work when received here last night was hailed with great enthusiasm by all the local bowlers. Buffalo would also be tickled last night, especially when he beat out a New Yorker for first place, and some of the Bisons would not hesitate to tell some of the New Yorkers around the Brunswick-Balke office a few things, for these people, including Glen Riddell, were very sarcastic in their remarks after Riddell beat West in their match game on Canadian Day. It's a great exploit to win the individual championship at the N. B. A., and if Joe never wins another thing in his life he has one championship to look back to and one which many a bowler would give a year's salary just for the honor of winning. Congratulations, Joe, for you have not only done yourself proud, but have placed Canada on the bowling map.

**Rooted for Opponent.**

The Buffalo Times says: West was through with his work and sat back in a private box when Calland began his onslaught on the pins. When Calland turned off 267 for a starter, West was on his feet yelling like a buck Seneca.

"Why, Joe, he's liable to beat you," remonstrated Billy Pollack.

"Well, I don't care if he does. Go it, you Calland," yelped West.

Joe West, who on the night previous had rolled 577 as a member of Floss' Colts, and who in the afternoon rolled a most sensational match against Louis Seller, of Washington, Pa., winning by one pin in ten games, 2,000 to 1,999, was in prime form when he tackled his singles. His first two games were just alike, 213. In the opening game West made nine straight strikes, getting a split in the tenth. In the second game he started with three strikes and then split. Four strikes and two spares followed, a strike ending the second part of his string. West was off with a spare in the third. After that he was strong, four cleanups following. After his second spare West came in with five strikes, giving him a total of 268, one of the biggest scores of the tourney.

West went to the head of the procession of the individuals with a total of 694, 12 pins in front of Bruno Jorascheck, of New York city, who had been leading that division for several days with 682. Joe West is a resident of London, Ont., but Buffalo claims him and also the record he made, from the fact that he rolled with a local team, and had for his partner in the doubles Edward Teichert, one of the efficient clerks of the tournament's big force.

## WANDERERS WIN FROM RENFREW

**Will Meet Ottawas Today and Tomorrow for Purse.**

[Canadian Press.]

New York, March 19.—The Wanderers will meet the Ottawas as a result of the two matches played here on Friday and Saturday nights. While the Renfrews showed great improvement last night, they were unable to come up to the form of the former champions, and the match resulted: Wanders 4, Renfrews 1. On the two games the Wanderers had the lead by 18 to 5. The matches on Monday and Tuesday nights are for a purse of $1,000; donated by the owners of the St. Nicholas rink. The lineup:

Renfrew—Lindsay, goal; S. Cleghorn, point; Taylor, cover; Mallen, rover; Smith, centre; Rowe, left; O. Cleghorn, right.

Wanderers—Hern, goal; Ross, point; Johnson, cover; Gardner, rover; Russell, centre; Smaill, left; Hyland, right.

Referees—Tom Howard and Ernest Garon, of New York.

## SOX COLTS WALLOW

**Six Hours' Rain Prevents Game, But Practice Goes On.**

Fort Worth, Texas, March 18.—Six hours of heavy rain last night left the diamond at Morris Park entirely too heavy for a baseball game, but the Sox colts did not spend the afternoon around the hotel lobby. They uniformed, toured out to the park on a sight-seeing bus, and wallowed in the black, sticky mud for almost an hour.

## COLUMBUS DATES CLASH WITH GRAND CIRCUIT

**Buffalo and Goshen Will Be Interfered With as Result of Trouble.**

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Columbus, Ohio, March 18.—Columbus Driving Association directors Saturday afternoon reached a decision as to the dates on which they will give their independent race meeting here. They decided to lengthen the meeting to three weeks and to hang up $25,000 more in purses and stakes than the association ever offered.

Buffalo and Goshen, N. Y., will first of all be directly opposed in the grand circuit. The independent meeting here from Aug. 14 to 26 will conflict with those meetings. The third week of racing will be offered from Sept. 25 to 30, or the original week allotted the association without conflict.

The association still holds its membership in the Great Western Circuit and has the sanction of that body to conflict with the two weeks of racing at Peoria and Galesburg, Ill., from Aug. 14 to 26.

**August Events.**

During the August weeks the $10,000 Hoster-Columbus stake for 2:15 trotters, $5,000 Hartman stake for 2:13 pacers, $3,000 Chamber of Commerce stake for 2:09 trotters and $2,000 King stake for 2:04 pacers will be offered. The Kentucky Stock Farm Futurity probably will be held then.

The September week will witness the renewal of the $5,000 Buckeye stake for 2:12 trotters, a $3,000 stake for 2:12 pacers and both sweepstakes for trotters and pacers, the value of each to be $3,000.

It is also definitely announced that the Horse Review Futurities, worth in the neighborhood of $11,000, will be raced at this time.

## POLICE ARE FINED FOR PERMITTING GOES

**New Yorkers Allowed Scraps Contrary to Laws.**

New York, March 18.—Police Captains McCluskey and Hayes were fined five days' pay today for neglect of duty and disobedience in permitting alleged prize fights at the Longacre Athletic Club and Brown's gymnasium respectively. Inspectors John Daley and George F. Titus were reprimanded on similar charges. The action is in line with a recent crusade against so-called fight clubs in New York.

## CARDINALS TRIM KANSAS CITY 9 TO 1

**St. Louis Nationals Beat Kansas in Wintry Weather.**

Kansas City, Mo. March 18.—With a cold wind making fast work by the players impossible, and forcing the spectators to wear overcoats to keep warm, the St. Louis National League baseball team defeated the Kansas City American Association club here today, 9 to 1. Score:

| | | R. | H. | E. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| St. Louis | 1 0 0 1 0 5 1 0 1 | 9 | 9 | 1 |
| Kansas City | 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 | 1 | 2 | 5 |

Batteries—Harmon, Steele and Bliss and Bresnahan; Owens, Rhodes, Powell and Ritter.

## YANKEE REGULARS BRACE UP AND WIN

**Defeat the Yannigans in Full Game After Three Beatings.**

Athens, Ga., March 18.—After losing three straight, the Yankee regulars took a brace this afternoon and defeated the Yannigans at Stallings Park in the first nine-inning game of the season, by a score of 6 to 4. Although the regulars made six errors, they pulled off many sensational stops, and their work was a very great improvement over anything they had displayed previously.

## PACKEY M'FARLAND TO FIGHT TONIGHT

**Chicagoan To Battle Billy Ryan at Oswego, N. Y.**

Oswego, N. Y., March 20.—Packey MacFarland, of Chicago, enters the ring again tonight, meeting Billy Ryan, of Syracuse, in a ten-round bout here. Ryan is considered one of the fastest lightweights in the ring, and fight fans here believe he has a good chance with Packey.

## GIANTS UNDER DOYLE ROUT HOUSTON CREW

**Texas League Team Beaten 5 to 3 Despite Batting Ability.**

Houston, Texas, March 18.—The New York National League team, captained by Larry Doyle, defeated the Houston Texas League team today, 5 to 3. Houston hit Drucke and Shonts hard, but could not run the bases, and played a poor fielding game.

**BUFFALO DATES STAND.**

[Canadian Press.]

Buffalo, March 20.—The Niagara Racing Association will fill the grand circuit dates allotted to Buffalo, despite the opposition meet at Columbus. The following early closing event have been announced: 2:18 trot, purse, $3,000; 2:12 trot, purse $5,000; 2:11 pace, purse $3,000.

## GOSSIP OF THE HARNESS HORSES

The pacing mare Meadow Brook, 2:06¼, by Silent Brook, dam Emma T., will be raced by Myron E. McHenry this season.

B. C. Kuhlin, of Cherry Valley, Ill., arrived at the Indiana State Fair grounds last week with eight head of speed prospects.

Morris Shank, of Albany, N. Y., has purchased the fast pacing mare Grace Lambert, 2:17¾, from P. Meyers, of Schenectady, N. Y.

At Northampton, Mass., they think that they have discovered a sensational youngster in a two-year-old by Bingara, dam by Cresceus, 2:02¼.

At Pressburg, Hungary, John H. Armstrong has a string of 21 trotters this year, of which 15 belong to Mr. Walter [illegible]ans, of England.

[illegible] F. Kromer, of Wayne, Pa., will [illegible] the trotting mare Lizzie K., 2:20, Prime Selection, dam Hornet, by Chamrings, this season over the half-mile tings.

J. B. Chamberlain, of Berlin, Wis., is one of the recent arrivals at the Indianapolis track. He has converted Don Labor, 2:10¼, to the pace and the noted trotter is taking kindly to his new gait.

Miss Mambrino, the grandam of Bingen, 2:06¼, is reported to have died recently in Germany at the age of 27. She was imported into that country by Christopher Schaute in 1894, when 10 years old.

The trotting stallion Colonel Osborne, 2:08¾, by Shea Alcone, dam by Belmont Prince, 2:17⅞, has been sold by Vance Nuckols, of Cleveland, O., to H. O. Hurley, of Louisville, Ky., who will use him in the stud.

Lawrietta, trotting record 2:12½, by Heir-at-Law, 2:05¾, owned by Matt Spellacy, of Columbus, O., has been converted to the pace by Trainer Rody Paterson, and from reports is taking kindly to the lateral gait.

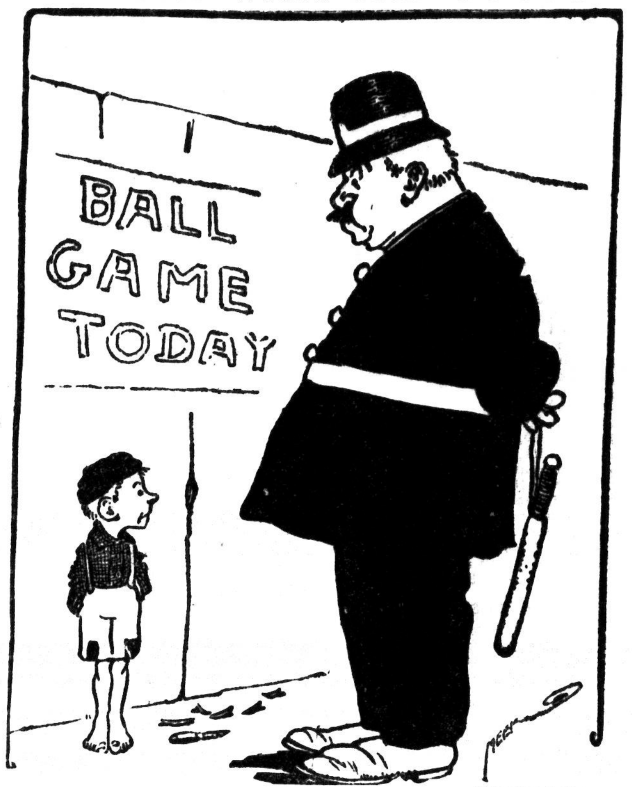
Chas. K. Weeden, of Dover, N. H., has traded the pacing gelding Darius Green for the six-year-old pacing stallion Billy Hale, by Chehalis, 2:04¼, out of Nellie Bruce, 2:10¼, by Frank Hambleton, son of Highland Boy.

The great race mare Hawthorne, 2:06¼, by Jay Bird, recently foaled a chestnut colt by Axworthy, 2:15½. R. L. Nash, the mare's owner, says the colt is so nearly perfect that Hawthorne will be bred back to Axworthy.

The Pittsburg matinee enthusiast, J. R. McCune, has bought Freda Mac, 2:14¼, now seven years of age, by Macbeth, 2:21¼, out of Freda, by Alcanleaf, second dam by Nutwood, from C. G. Olin, of Windsor, O., who bred, trained and drove her to her record.

John J. Strickler, of Centerville, Ill., has placed his good trotting stallion Baron Dillon, jun., 2:13¾, record made over half-mile track in 1910, and his daughter, May Dillon, 2:10⅞, in the stable of Harrie Jones, of Rushville, Ind., to be prepared for a campaign.

CAUGHT WITH THE GOODS



—Cleveland Press

## GOULDING OF TORONTO SETS NEW WORLD'S MARK

**Wins Handicap Event From Scratch in Great Time at Brooklyn Games.**

[Canadian Press.]

New York, March 18.—G. H. Goulding, the phenomenal heel and toe walker, of Toronto, broke the world's record for the two-mile walk at the games of the Twenty-Third Regiment in Brooklyn last night.

The Canadian covered the distance in 13 minutes 45 1-5 seconds, which was 3 2-5 seconds better than the previous mark made by "Cinders" Murray 'way back in 1884.

Besides establishing new figures for the two miles, Goulding had the satisfaction of winning the race, by no means an easy task, considering that he had to concede handicaps as high as two minutes.

When Goulding received the word the limit men had covered a trifle more than two circuits of the armory, which meant more than a quarter of a mile, as it was an eight-lap track. The scratch man went away so fast as to make the spectators gasp, and in a twinkling he had passed Ray.

**A Great Race.**

An idea of the unusual pace set by Goulding may be gathered from the fact that he required only one minute and thirty seconds.

He was then "picking up" his field hand over fist. The half was covered in 3:11, and the three-quarters in 4:54. He slowed down somewhat, thereafter, but even so, he made the mile in 6:42 2-5.

At one stage it looked as if Goulding would never be able to overhaul F. H. Kaiser and T. Neuendorfer, a pair of long-mark men, but the Canadian finally passed Kaiser, and went into the lead half a lap from home. Finishing with rare speed and maintaining the same flawless stride, Goulding won by fully 20 yards. He received a great ovation from the crowd as he left the floor. It was said that Goulding was suffering from a severe cold.

## WEATHER KEEPS DODGERS IDLE

**Brooklynites Forced to Spend Day Indoors at Memphis.**

Memphis, March 18.—Manager Dahlen and his Brooklyn players were forced to spend the best part of today indoors on account of the bad weather. Weather permitting, the clubs will play Monday, which is an open date with the National Leaguers. On Monday night the club will leave for a three days' session in Nashville. The club may play a game in Richmond, Va., on its way north on April 7.

## BOSTON NATIONALS AFTER STEINFELDT

**Chance Says Tenney Can Have Him for Twirler Mattern.**

New York, March 20.—The Boston Nationals want Third Baseman Steinfeldt, upon whose services the Cubs have asked waivers. Capt. Chance, in response to Fred Tenney's inquiry, says Boston can have Steinfeldt in exchange for Mattern, the left-handed pitcher, but Tenney declares that he hasn't lost his senses as yet.

## A BENEFIT GAME FOR SI NICHOLLS

**Athletics and Orioles to Play—Proceeds to Go to Family.**

Baltimore, March 18.—April 11 was today decided on as "Nicholls memorial day," when the Philadelphia American League and Baltimore Eastern League clubs will play an exhibition game here for the benefit of the family of the late Simon Nicholls, formerly captain of the local club and at one time a member of the Philadelphia team.

**ZBYSZKO A WINNER.**

[Canadian Press.]

Detroit, Mich., March 20.—Zbyszko, of Poland, tonight defeated Henry Ordemann, of Minneapolis, in an exciting wrestling match, winning by straight falls. The first came in 1 hour and 35 minutes, through a crotch hold, and the second in 12 minutes on a crotch and half-nelson. Several times during the match the referee warned Zbyszko after the latter adopted rough tactics.

**SOX TRIM AUSTIN ON MUDDY FIELD.**

Austin, Texas, March 19. — On a slow, soggy field this afternoon the Chicago American League team defeated the Austin league team by a score of 5 to 2.

**SINGLE IN NINTH DEFEATS ST. LOUIS.**

Hot Springs, Ark., March 19.—Larry McLean's single in the ninth inning today brought in the winning run for the Cincinnati Nationals in the last game with the St. Louis Americans. Score 5 to 6.

## WASHINGTON IS AFTER BLACKBURN OF CHICAGO

**Comiskey Has Asked For Waivers on $6,000 Shortstop—Johnson Has Not Signed.**

New York, March 20. — President Comiskey, of the Chicago White Sox, has asked for waivers on Shortstop Russell Blackburne, for whom he paid $6,000 to the Providence Eastern League Club a year ago. Manager McAleer has filed a claim to this player in behalf of the Washington club saying that he believes Blackburne is too valuable a man to be turned back to the minors. Blackburne declares that he was handicapped last year by an injured knee. He wears eyeglasses off the ball field. McAleer, by the way, cannot induce his star pitcher, Walter Johnson, to sign a contract. Johnson is practicing with the Washingtons at Atlanta, but declares that unless President Noyes accedes to his demands he will return to his home in Kansas. Johnson can have a three-years contract at $7,000 a year, but he declares with emphasis that he is worth a great deal more. As Johnson is the mainstay of the Washington team, it remains to be seen how long President Noyes can get along without him.

## TOLEDO WALLOPS A FORMER RED

**Ohio Team Makes It Three Out of Four With Chattanooga.**

Chattanooga, March 18.—Toledo made it three out of four from Chatanooga this afternoon, landing on Carmichael for five runs in the fifth inning. Score, 5 to 1.

**OLD COUNTRY SOCCER.**

London, March 18.—Following are today's football results in the various leagues:

**League—First Division.**

Everton 0, Bradford C. 0.
Notts C. 1, Manchester U. 0.
Bristol C. 1, Sunderland 1.
Oldham A. 2, Nottingham F. 0.
Newcastle U. 1, Aston Villa 0.
Manchester C. 0, Blackburn R. 0.
Middlesburgh 2, Bury 1.
Tottenham H. 2, Sheffield U. 1.
Preston N. E. 2, Liverpool 1.

**League—Second Division.**

Birminghan 2, Chelsea 1.
Bolton Wanderers 4, Glossop 0.
Bradford 2, Derby County 1.
Burnley 5, Stockport County 3.
Fulham 0, Barnsley 2.
Gainsboro T. 1, Leeds C. 2.
Huddersfield T. 2, Clapton O. 0.
Hull City 2, Leicester Fosse 1.
Lincoln City 0, Blackpool 1.
W. Brom A. 2, Wolverhampton W. 1.

**Southern League.**

New Brompton 2, Crystal P. 0.
Millwall A. 1, Bristol Rovers 0.
Queen's Park R. 1, Swindon T. 0.
West Ham U. 4, Exeter City 1.
Luton 1, Brighton and H. 0.
Portsmouth 0, Northampton 0.
Coventry City 2, Brentford 0.
Southern U. 1, Leyton 1.
Southampton 2, Watford 2.
Norwich 3, Plymouth A. 1.

**Rugby.**

England 13, Scotland 8.
Cardiff 11, Devonport 6.

**ANTI-RACING AGITATION DROPPED IN ENGLAND.**

London, March 19.—The English flat racing season, which is expected to be exceptionally brilliant, owing to the coronation festivities, will be opened at Lincoln on Monday. The stables are all filled. The news that King George's colors will be seen on the track this year has served to check the agitation for anti-racing legislation. Harry Payne Whitney has 36 horses at Balaton Lodge, Newmarket, under Trainer Andrew Joyner. James R. Keene, Waldorf Astor, jun., and J. J. Astor, jun., will race on a smaller scale.

**HORSEMAN SUES FOR $40,000 FOR INJURIES TO BENA PATCH**

Minneapolis, March 19.—Is the tendon in the leg of a horse worth $40,000? M. W. Savage, owner of Dan Patch and a host of other famous racehorses, thinks so, and he filed suit today asking for $40,000 from the American Express Company for the injury to a tendon to the leg of Bena Patch, daughter of the famous Dan, received while en route from Chicago to Grand Rapids, Mich., on July 17, 1910.

**ZBYSZKO A WINNER.**

Detroit, Mich., March 18.—Zbyszko, of Poland, tonight defeated Henry Ordemann, of Minneapolis, in an exciting wrestling match, winning by straight falls. The first came in 1 hour and 35 minutes, through a crotch hold, and the second in 12 minutes on a crotch and half nelson. Several times during the match the referee warned Zbyszko after the latter adopted rought tactics.

## LONDONER'S WORK DEFEATS CHICAGO

### Goldie Prodgers With the Berlin Crew as Canadians Win 6 to 3.

### CAPT. LEHMAN SURPRISES

**Goaltender Blocks Shot and Rushes Puck to Opponents' Net for Tally.**

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Chicago, March 19.—Winning the honors in the first professional matches and the final series of the local season, the Berlins took the deciding game from the All-Chicagos 6 to 3, at the Ice Palace last night. Two local stars, Bogan and Marcotte of the Illinois Athletic Club seven, sacrificed their amateur standing in the hopes of strengthening the local squad in the crucial contest, but the sacrifice was in vain. The Canadians again triumphed through superior combination play and the individual efforts of Howell, Marks and Nesbitt were futile.

"Red" Prodgers, the fiery-headed meteor, was the big villian last night. The canny McGregor was a willing accomplice. Add Frood to form a diabolical trio and you have the answer why the All-Chicagos were humbled.

**Lehman in Star Rush.**

Captain Lehman, the goalkeeper for the Berlins, furnished the comedy feature of the game. Two minutes before time was called in the second half the Canadian leader, after blocking a shot for his own goal, left the net unguarded and rushed the puck down the ice, dodging three of his startled opponents and passing the disk to Frood for the final point scored.

The line-up:

All-Chicagos (3) — Hall, goal; Gee, point; Howell, coverpoint; Marcotte, rover; Nesbitt, centre; Bogan, left wing; Marks (capt.), right wing.

Berlin (6)—Lehman (capt.), goal; Corbeau, point; McGregor, coverpoint; Edmunds, rover; Anderson, centre; Frood, left wing; Prodgers, right wing.

Goals—McGregor (3), Frood (2), Prodgers, Bogan (2), Marks. Referee—Leader. Goal judges—Halvorsen and Witt. Timers—Hayes and Johnson. Time of halves—Twenty-five minutes.

## Baseball's Boiled Bulletins

W. H. Zimmerman, Utica, N. Y., outfielder, stole 105 bases in 135 games. In 1890 Harry Stovey stole 136; in 1891 Billy Hamilton stole 115.

Portland, Pacific Coast League, shut out its opponents for 88 consecutive innings last season.

Grandstands upon the roofs of houses have been declared a nuisance by the Illinois appellate court.

Rube Marquardt fell off an eight-foot push ball and tried to print a map of his face on Texas soil. He failed.

Clarence Beaumont, last year with the Cubs, may play with Louisville, American Association, this year.

Ping Bodie isn't going to set the grass afire in the American League this year.

Willie Mitchell, Nap recruit, holds the professional strikeout record for one game. He fanned 20 batters in 1909.

Looks as if Brooklyn would have an exceptionally strong pitching corps this season.

Patsy Donovan is trying out Jack Thoney, Bill Carrigan, Hugh Bradley, Myers and Clyde Engle for the job at first vacated by Jake Stahl.

Father J. E. English, Omaha, takes credit for discovering Charles Comiskey, originator of the modern method of playing first base and present owner of the White Sox.

Pitcher named Sykes in Yankee camp said to be built on Amos Rusie lines—and this is about the only resemblance.

St. Louis school boys having best standing will be admitted to the Browns' park gratis.

The danger of prizes for batting was shown on the Detroit team last year when Bush was taken from second place in the batting order because Cobb would not work signals with him. Ty was after hits and the team suffered.

At Pittsburg last year, Artie Hofman, playing first, equalled Jiggs Donahue's unique record, made in 1907, by going through an 8½ inning game without a putout. He had one assist. John Connors, first baseman, South Bend, on July 10, last year, played nine innings without a putout, assist or error.

Otto Williams, who has had undisputed possession of second base on the Indianapolis team for these many years, may be in the position of hurrying up to hold his job, as Jimmy Burke has some likely candidates and will play no favorites. However, Otta says he has no fear; that he is in good shape and will be there when the recruits are forgotten.

Big Bill Lange, former Chicago star outfielder and now a Frisco capitalist, has made Ban Johnson, of the American League, an unofficial bid for the world's series games of 1915. All President Johnson can do will be to refer the proposition to the national commission, and it is as good as 1,000 to 1 that it will be tabled if it ever gets that far.

"Wouldn't the fans at home go wild if Harold Janvrin should become the fixture at the third sack?" says a Boston writer—a statement that should make Billy Purtell either feel very uncomfortable or incline him to hustle hard. Janvrin is a Boston High School boy and if he should "become the fixture," it will indeed be an event in big league annals.

There won't be so many home runs over the Pittsburg "garden wall" if the plans to enlarge the left field at Forbes Field go through. The Pittsburg management plans to tear down the cement wall and move it out to take in a wedge-shaped piece of ground to be leased from the city. The new left field territory will have to be filled in, as it is now a gully.

Lee Quillen, the former Minneapolis and Chicago National League player, has joined the Brooklyn Trolley Dodgers in Hot Springs. Quillen has been living in St. Paul during the winter. Last year Lee was a star member of the Sioux City, Ia., club, winners of the Western League championship, and his work attracted the attention of the Brooklyn management.

## LANGFORD WANTS M'VEY BATTLE POSTPONED

**Boston Negro Says He Needs Another Week—Bout May Not Take Place.**

Paris, March 18.—A sporting paper announces that the Langford-McVey fight, which was scheduled for next Saturday night, has been postponed for one week at the request of Langford. He says he needs another week's training, as he suspended work when McVey refused to fulfil his first contract.

The postponement comes at a very late hour. All the advertisements have been printed and all the necessary preliminary arrangements completed and doubts are now expressed that the match will ever take place. Booking has begun, however, and seats are selling at from 5 to 100 francs.

## ARRAIGN PRINCIPALS IN LOS ANGELES BOUT

**Wolgast, Memsic, McCarey and Eyton to Have Hearing Today.**

Los Angeles, March 18.—The principals in yesterday's boxing contest, Ad. Wolgast and George Memsic, together with Thomas McCarey, manager of the affair, and Charles Eyton, referee, were arraigned in Justice Reeve's court today charged with having conducted a prize fight in violation of the law of California. The preliminary examination was set for next Monday.

## HUGHIE'S VETERAN TWIRLEES WIN 9 TO 1

**Defeat Mobile Club With Mullin and Willett Pitching.**

Mobile, Ala., March 19. — Hughie Jennings depended on his two veteran right-handers, Mullin and Willett, to bring a split in results to the series of two games with "Ducky" Holmes' sea gulls at Monroe Park here this afternoon. The two big fellows obliged Hughie by preventing a local from getting any further than second in seven innings, five of which were hurled by Willett and two by Mullin. Jennings, with the game stowed away, let Covington pitch the final pair of innings, and a few safe drives and a wild pitch, gave Mobile her only run. The score was 9 to 1.

## MAKES A NEW BILLIARD RECORD

**George Gray Smashes World's Mark in London Play.**

London, March 18.—George Gray, the Australian billiardist, who recently made a new world's record at English billiards with a run of 1,576, established another world's record today with an unfinished break of 2,196.

## ROCHESTER CHAMPS TRIM THE PHILLIES

**Eastern Leaguers Wallop National Crew in Alabama 5 to 2.**

Anniston, Ala., March 18.—The Rochester Hustlers, Eastern League champions, defeated the Philadelphia National League team today in a spirited contest here by a score of 5 to 2.

## SENATORS MARCH THROUGH ATLANTA

**Washington American Leaguers Defeat Georgians 11 to 2.**

Atlanta, Ga., March 19.—Washington American League team yesterday pounded three pitchers of the Atlanta Southern League team for 15 hits, talling 11 runs to 2.

**SAILING DATE FOR ENGLISH POLOISTS.**

London, March 18.—Capt. J. Hardress Lloyd has completed his plans. Thirty-five ponies will be shipped on the Minnetonka March 23. Lloyd will sail with Capt. Herbert S. Wilson on the Lusitania April 8 and will be followed by the other players on April 19.

**PIRATES IN SPRING EXHIBITION GAMES.**

Hot Springs, Ark., March 19.—The Pittsburg Nationals opened their spring practice exhibition games this afternoon before a large crowd. The regulars defeated the Yannigans by 14 to 2.

**JOCKEY FOR GERMANY.**

New York, March 20.—Willie Shaw, the veteran jockey, has just sailed for Germany, where he will ride for a $20,000 salary again this year. Shaw formerly wore the silks of Pittsburg Phil, Frank Farrell, Julius Fleischmann, James R. Keene and other big turfmen here. He is said to be worth $250,000, and though more than 25 years old he can ride at 107 pounds. He is a great horseman and has a big following in Emperor William's land.

**"WHITE HOPE" GOES HOME.**

Syracuse, N. Y., March 20.—Con. O'Kelly, Tommy Ryan's white man's hope, today started for New York to sail for his home in Ireland for a three months' visit. Con. is in poor health, and his weight has dropped to 200 pounds. He will re-enter the ring about August.

**BOSTONIANS BEATEN.**

Montreal, March 19. — The Victoria hockey team of Boston, was defeated here on Saturday night by the local team by a score of 7 to 5. The game was one of the roughest of the season.

**VANDERBILT HORSE PLACES IN STAKE.**

Paris, March 18.—In the Prix Du Verrou, run at La Tremblay today, W. K. Vanderbilt's Carcereduro finished second.

Red Nelson, sensational young Brown pitcher, battled with inflammatory rheumatism all winter, and reported fourteen pounds light.

Genaro Casas, signed with Columbus, in the American Association, is not the sort of fellow that most folks judge a Mexican to be—an undersized, cigarette-smoking specimen, full of nerves and strange oaths. He stands 6 feet 2, is an all-round athlete and speaks three languages. He will, however, have to learn yet another—baseball English.

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## RED SOX TRIP A DISMAL FAILURE

**Boston Crew Has Ridden Across Continent Without Playing.**

The trip of the Boston Red Sox to California is pronounced a dismal failure by the Hub newspaper critics who are with the team. Rainy weather and wet grounds have made it impossible to play outdoors and more than forty ball tossers are running up an enormous bill of hotel and railroad expenses with nothing coming in. The Red Sox have been severely handicapped by these conditions, and the Boston critics say that the team cannot get into proper condition to play championship ball from the start. "It's a wildgoose chase," declares one man. "It's cost a lot of money and has kept the players from getting into even fair shape. A hundred to one that John I. Taylor doesn't repeat the trip next year!"

## CUBS FALL AGAIN BEFORE PELICANS

**Chicago Club Tries in Vain to Repeat Friday's Victory at New Orleans.**

New Orleans, March 18.—"Hi King" Cole may be monarch of all he surveys in the National League, but a "rep" counts for nothing against the man-eating Pelicans. Gracing the hill for the first time today the club star underwent a truly artistic lacing, New Orleans pounding the tall boy at will, and by continuing the attack against Cadet Cook easily trounced Chance's troupe 6 to 3.

"Terrific walloping by Bill Lindsay, fresh from the University of Chicago, enabled the "Pels" to roll up their margin, the local short fielder hitting for two singles, a double and triple in five times up.

"Joe" Cook, the "minister's son," took up the slab burden in the hostile seventh. It was the maiden effort for the Peoria boy, and he loomed up tolerably well for a starter.

## GALVESTON WINS FROM N. Y. GIANTS

**Jenkins, of Nationals, Drawn From Box—Other Crews Idle.**

Galveston, Texas, March 18.—Galveston defeated the New York Nationals' second defeated the New York Nationals' second team today by a score of 5 to 4. Jenkins, of New York, was driven from the box in the fifth. Murray parked the ball with the bases full in the sixth.

**Rain Gives Idle Day.**

San Antonio, Texas, March 18.—Rain prevented the exhibition game between the New York National League team and San Antonio Texas League team today. Manager McGraw is with the detachment sent here.

**TO MEET AGAIN.**

New Orleans, La., March 18.—Announcement was made tonight that Abe Attell, featherweight pugilist, and Johnny Coulon, holder of the bantamweight title, would meet in this city on April 9 in a 20-round bout. The conditions call for 116 pounds ringside.

**BOSTON BEATS MONTREAL.**

Boston, March 18.—The Boston hockey team closed its season tonight by defeating the Montreal team 5 to 4 at the Boston Arena. Except for some tripping the game was clean throughout and fast. Countess Grey, wife of Earl Grey, Governor-General of Canada, and her two daughters, were among the spectators.

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## REVEALS MEANING OF LORD'S PRAYER

### Condition in Famine Stricken China Brings Home Scriptural Verse.

New York, March 20.—Pathetic details of the suffering from famine in Anwhei and other provinces of China reach the mission boards here in every mail. Today a letter came to the board of foreign missions of the Presbyterian Church from Rev. Thos. Carter, a missionary stationed at Hwai Yuen, in Anwhei Province.

"I never really knew what the Lord's prayer meant until today," he writes. "We came to a village where some Christians gathered for worship. To hear that company of men say 'Give us this day our daily bread' had a strange sound when we knew that not one of them had so much as seen bread for many a day, unless you call pressed sweet potato vines bread. Somehow that prayer must be answered. We cannot let these people starve."

**Fears Death of Million.**

A million persons in the region just north of his station, Mr. Carter says, are to die of starvation before summer unless help comes from outside. He writes of the scene, as it impressed him, in the following terms:

"It would be hard to draw a picture of the famine district that would not be altogether misleading. The country looks much the same as any stretch of country looks anywhere in China. Long stretches of good rich fields just beginning to be green with winter wheat.

"It is only to look closely and ask questions that we find out the real state of affairs. We look at the fields that looked so prosperous with the winter wheat, and we realize that those fields were all under water last summer, the fields of over 2,000,000 people, and that the wheat that we see will not be ready until June and before that time, unless help comes, the larger part of the people that planted the wheat will be beyond using it.

**Hot Water and Weeds.**

"And now we look again at the people who have come down to meet us with their full rice bowls. In the bowls there is no rice. The bowls contain chiefly hot water and some weeds gathered from the fields, mixed with a few grains of precious wheat bought with the relief money just given by the Government, relief that amounts to about three cents gold given only to the very poorest, that is, to abot half the population.

"This is something of what famine means now. What it is going to mean soon we scarcely dare to think, for it is still five months before wheat harvest. Already in many places the bark is taken from the trees and eaten.

"The country is perfectly peaceful, more so than usual, it seems to the stranger, for there are no dogs to bark at the passersby. They are all starved or eaten, or both. The same is true of all the animals."

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### AN ARISTOCRATIC NURSE.

New York, March 20.—A special cable from London says "Nurse Grimston" is the name by which Lady Sybil, the fifth daughter of the Earl and Countess of Verulam, is known at the London hospital, and the nurses' training home, where she has begun a course of preliminary instruction in bandaging and other methods of aiding the ill and injured. If after two months she has passed the examination, she will be admitted as a probationary nurse in the hospital and undergo two years of training. Lord Grimston is her only brother.

## DANGER LURKS IN PORTER'S BRUSHING

### Detroit Health Officer Would Willingly Tip Him to Stop it

Detroit, March 20.—To stand in the aisle of a Pullman parlor car and let the assiduous servitor brush the dust from your garments and those of fellow-passengers, is, in the opinion of Dr. Guy L. Kiefer, Detroit health officer, one of the surest ways of bringing on pneumonia, grip and even tuberculosis.

"It is a nuisance that ought to be stopped at once, and I am of the belief that it is in the power of the state board of health to condemn the brushing of clothes in cars," said Dr. Kiefer last night. "The railroads should be made to install vacuum cleaners in the vestibules. The brushing nuisance is nothing more than to give the porter a chance to make extra money, and his source of revenue would not be cut off if the vacuum cleaners were installed. The passengers would be just as free with their tips as they are now.

"The parlor cars of our railroads are comfortable as a rule. They cannot be overcrowded because their seating capacity is limited, and the ventilation can be improved by appealing to the conductor or porter. But their exists that nuisance, the brushing off of passengers' garments by a colored porter.

"I would gladly give the porter a quarter tip on condition that his whisk broom should not be used on any of the passengers in the car. I sincerely believe that I would not be the only passenger in that car that would feel the same way.

"The brushing off of the garments does not do any good anyway. It merely displaces the dust. We have to inhale enough dust in the car as it is, and should not be subjected to the additional amount which passengers may bring in with their clothes and which may contain all kinds of pathogenic micro-organisms."

The system of cleaning dust off passengers' clothes by vacuum cleaners is said to have been adopted by a southern railroad with success.

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## MONTREAL TO HEAR MR. FIEDLING

### Reform Club Will Hold Public Meeting To Discuss Reciprocity.

Montreal, March 20.—A counterblast to the numerous anti-reciprocity city meetings which have been recently held in Montreal, will be arranged by the Montreal Reform Club next Saturday night, when a meeting will be held at the Windsor Hall, and Hon. W. S. Fielding himself will explain the schedules adopted at Washington.

It is expected that the minister of finance will give a reply to speeches of Hon. Clifford Sifton and Mr. Z. A. Lash, K.C., of Toronto, and will especially explain to the manufacturers of Montreal the real effect of the reciprocity agreement. Hon. Mr. Fielding will be accompanied by Mr. Hugh Guthrie, M. P., and Mr. Clark, M. P. for Red Deer, who will give the western views on the pact. The fact that two mass meetings are to be held in Montreal within a week, one for and the other against reciprocity, shows the keen interest taken in the matter here.

Tomorrow Hon. Frank Oliver addresses the Canadian Club on "The Position of the West in the Nation" and it is thought likely that he will also touch upon the all-engrossing reciprocity matter in his speech.

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### TOM JOHNSON'S CONDITION.

Cleveland, Ohio, March 20.—Former Mayor Tom L. Johnson, who is lying seriously ill at his apartments in White Hall, suffering from cirrhosis of the liver, passed a restful night, according to a statement issued this morning. He is feeling better and stronger. His physician had not been in attendance since last night.

## THE LEGISLATURE NEARING CLOSE

### End of the Present Week May See Prorogation.

### BILINGUAL RESOLUTION

**Member From Grenville Determined To Introduce the Subject.**

Toronto, March 20.—Unless something turns up that the Government is not expecting, the third session of the twelfth Legislature of Ontario will conclude its work before the end of the present week. A considerable amount of business is still on the order paper, but Sir James Whitney is determined to rush things through and it is probable that the House will sit every night until prorogation. The Prime Minister two weeks ago was confident that the order paper would have been cleared by the end of last week, but the anti-reciprocity resolution he introduced took up a great deal more time than he expected, principally due to the fact that almost every man on the Liberal side voiced his opposition to it.

It is understood the Government will try to wind things up by Wednesday night, but the appearance of the order paper makes such an early close doubtful.

**Ferguson's Resolution.**

The uncertain quantity is Mr. G. Howard Ferguson's bilingual resolution. The fact that discussion upon it has been sidetracked so long has created the impression that Mr. Ferguson will end up by withdrawing his resolution or consenting to have it stand over. The member for Grenville, however, is apparently not of that mind, and he declares that he is going to insist upon introducing it.

If he does the House may be plunged into a discussion that will last for a day or perhaps more. There are a number of members in the House whose constituencies will expect them to support the resolution, and practically every French member can be depended upon to speak against it.

Another bill that will probably take up some time is the woman suffrage bill, introduced by Mr. Allan Studholme, which has yet to secure its second reading. The bill will be supported by Mr. W. Proudfoot, of Centre Huron. The Labor member has yet to speak on his eight-hour-day bill. It is not unlikely he will find that his bill will be brought on at a time that will require him to speak at night. The little member for East Hamilton has grown accustomed, however, to being made to do his speaking in the evening.

Other important measures to be considered are the bill defining pay-as-you-enter cars and Mr. McNaught's bill enlarging the jurisdiction of the hydro-electric commission. The former bill has received the stamp of approval already and will scarcely occasion any discussion when it comes up for a third reading, but Mr. McNaught's bill may meet with opposition when it comes up for second reading.

The main estimates for 1913 have yet to be considered. They will probably be introduced either today or on Tuesday. It is not likely they will occasion much discussion. The further supplementary estimates have not all been passed yet.

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## SERMON ON ST. PATRICK

**Rev. Father Tobin's Discourse in St. Mary's Church.**

Rev. Father Tobin, of St. Mary's Church, preached a sermon on St Patrick Sunday night. He traced the history of the great saint. Seven cities claimed to be the birthplace of Homer, the Grecian poet, and almost as many places claimed St. Patrick. But the matter of his birthplace was in doubt. His father was an officer in the Roman army, and the boy may have been born in Gaul, now France; in England, or in North Britain, now known as Scotland. His birth took place some time about the year 388 A.D. Father Tobin told of how the lad had been captured and taken to Ireland as a shepherd, afterward going back to the island as a missionary of the pope. When St. Patrick, on the hill of Tara, was being questioned in regard to his religion by the pagan king and the Druid priests, he explained the trinity, and to illustrate his argument, plucked a three-leaved clover or shamrock from the sward and held it up. This is why the Irish to this day cleave to the "dear little, sweet little, shamrock of Ireland."

St. Patrick ordained over 3,000 priests, and established over 300 churches and chapels in Ireland. It was a bloodless revolution, and the most remarkable conversion of a people that the world had ever witnessed. Later Irish missionaries carried the gospel to Germany, to Spain, and even to Africa, where to this day monuments may be seen in memory of the men who lifted many people out of the darkness of paganism.

"It is not an aspersion on any people," said Father Tobin, in conclusion, "but merely the recital of a fact to say that the Irish maidens and Irish wives are the purest of any in the world. The people had good hearts when St. Patrick found them, even though they were not Christians, and their love of purity has remained with them through the fifteen centuries which have elapsed since the saint landed on their shores."

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## CROSSING WARNINGS

**Traction Company Takes Measures to Protect the People.**

The London and Lake Erie Traction Company has adopted a system of crossing signals in the city that is calculated to render the possibility of accidents occurring very remote. Strings of red electric lights have been strung over the crossings at Simcoe and Grey streets, Grand avenue, and all other spots in the city which are considered dangerous. These burn continuously from dusk until the last car of the night has gone through.

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### LLOYD GEORGE ALARMED.

London, March 20.—The rumor that Mr. Haldane will be raised to the peerage as the Liberal leader of the House of Lords during Lord Crewe's convalescence is not yet confirmed, but it is probably true. Mr. Lloyd George has been thoroughly frightened by his doctors, and remains on the south coast. As telegraph and telephone lines have been laid to his place, he may remain out of Parliament for several weeks.

## 5,467 CATHOLICS IN FOREST CITY

### Annual Report of the Separate School Board Has Been Published

### 857 PUPILS ENROLLED

**Total Value of Church and School Property Held by Denomination in This City Is $594,500.**

The fifty-third annual report of the Separate schools of London was distributed in the Catholic Churches of the city on Sunday.

The statement shows advancement in every branch. During the year the board paid $4,000 off the indebtedness, in addition to paying all current expenses. A balance of nearly $500 is carried forward to 1911.

The value of church property held by the Roman Catholic denomination in London is placed at $177,000, of which St. Peter's Cathedral is valued at $100,000 for building, and $31,000 for the land; St. Mary's Church is placed at $45,000, and St. Martin's (now being built), at $1,000.

There are six Separate schools in London, the property value being placed the $78,500. The hospitals and charities are fixed at $161,000, the Sacred Heart Academy at $134,000, and St. Peter's Parish Hall at $44,000, making the total value of property held by the Catholic Church in this city at $594,500.

**Separate School Assessment.**

The total Separate school assessment for the city of London is $2,171,454. The township of London shows an assessment for Separate school purposes of $67,575, and the township of Westminster $13,850. The total increase of city of London assessment during the past seventeen years is $1,180,864, and the total increase of taxes received from London during that period amounts to $10,060.

The total enrollment in the Separate schools was 857, and the average attendance was 605.

In St. Peter's school there were 260 pupils, St. Mary's 218, Sacred Heart 157, St. John's 51, St. Nicholas 68, St Martin's 61, and St. Joseph's 42. There were 455 boys enrolled and 402 girls.

During the year there were 201 teaching days, and the schools was opened 196. The total aggregate attendance was 120,992, and the percentage of average to total attendance was 70.6.

The average cost per pupil was $12, while the average for the cities of the province was $19 55.

The average cost per pupil enrolled in urban and rural Separate schools was $14 90.

**Catholic Population.**

There are 1,044 Catholic families in the city with a population of 5,467. These are divided as follows: Ward 1, 191 families, population, 1,034; Ward 2, 280 families, and 1,585 population; Ward 3, 263 families and 1,235 population; Ward 4, 310 families and 1,613 population.

The assessment by wards is as follows: Ward 1, $627,841; Ward 2, $664,079; Ward 3, $352,304; Ward 4, $527,230.

In his annual report the chairman, Mr. W. P. Regan, pays a tribute to Bishop Fallon for his interest in Catholic education.

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## DEALERS COMPLAIN OF THE MUSIC SALES

### Local Men Endeavor to Stop the Selling in the Grand.

The music dealers of the city have registered a complaint against the Grand Opera House for selling music in the theatre.

On Saturday afternoon a deputation waited on Mayor Beattie to register a complaint, and his worship promised to take the matter up at once.

They said that such competition was not fair to the dealers in the city. They had to pay taxes, etc., while the show people travel about, paying no taxes whatever. They considered that the practice of selling music, in justice to them, should be stopped.

His worship was of the opinion that the show people came under the transient traders' bylaw, and could be made to pay a fine if they persisted in the practice. He had a conference with Manager J. R. Minhinnick, of the Grand Opera House.

"I think these gentlemen have a right to complain," said his worship. "It is not fair competition, and I do not see that the show men have any right to sell music or allow music to be sold."

**Mr. Minhinnick Speaks.**

"We do not sell the music ourselves," said Manager Minhinnick. "Some of the companies carry a lot of music with them, and after each performance there is a demand for it. It is a great convenience to my patrons, and they appreciate it. I have had scores of them ask for music, and at times I have been unable to get it for them. Some of the companies lately have had a supply, and an attache of the show has sold it. That is all there is to it. I do not want to hurt any person's business, but I think the opportunity to purchase music is a great convenience to the patrons of my theatre. We derive no financial benefit from it, but allow music to be sold to oblige theatregoers."

It is understand that the music dealers are now consulting a solicitor for the purpose of going after the show people who allow music to be sold. They want to test the bylaw, and it is rumored that on the next visit of a musical play to London the test will be made.

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## TWO WERE FINED $10 AND COSTS

**Gannon and Smith Mulcted in Police Court Today.**

James Gannon and a man named Smith, who was arrested with him a week ago Sunday by Sergt. Birrell and brought to the city on a Grand Trunk yard engine because they refused to get off the tracks near the Cove bridge and held up the afternoon express, were each fined $10 and $3 costs at the police court this morning for being drunk and disorderly.

James Maher, a young man who while drunk on Saturday evening undertook to tell citizens in general what he thought of them, was fined $5 and $2 50 costs for being drunk and disorderly.

Thomas Sherone, of York street, charged by J. G. Orchard with trespass, was fined $2. It is alleged that Mr. Sherone went to Mr. Orchard's coal yard and helped himself to some coal. Mr. Sherone explained the matter by stating that there was no one at the office to buy from, and as he needed coal he just took it.

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### FELL DEAD ON STREET.

Montreal, March 20.—Zotique Deschamps, 49 years old, who resided at 523 West Notre Dame street, fell dead in the street near his home at noon yesterday. Heart failure is thought to have been the cause of death.

## POLICE STOP FUNERAL OF A HAMILTON GIRL

### An Inquest To Be Held Following Her Very Sudden Death.

Hamilton, March 19.—Something of a sensation was caused here on Saturday afternoon when Crown Attorney Washington gave instructions that the funeral of Miss Bessie Clark, the adopted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Hofsass, 69 Tisdale street, should not take place until her death had been investigated. The police have declined to discuss the matter, and very little can be learned about it, except that the girl died very suddenly on Wednesday night, though it is understood that action was taken on a letter received from some person whose name has not been disclosed. Coroner Griffin was asked to hold an inquest, and instead of the obsequies being held legal forms were gone through before a jury, which was hurriedly empanelled. After the jury viewed the remains at the undertaker's, where they were taken on instructions of the coroner, a post-mortem examination was conducted. The body was then removed to the home, from where the funeral took place this afternoon. The girl, who was about eighteen years of age, had been adopted by Mr. and Mrs. Hofsass when she was an infant. She was in her usual health and worked until Wednesday, when she was temporarily laid off by her employer. She went to a theatre that afternoon and was all right until she was about to retire. She was then seized with a severe illness and Dr. Cody was called in. He called in Dr. V. Ross and they worked over her for a time. As a result of their ministrations she revived, and it was thought that she was all right. About 2 o'clock on Thursday morning she was again seized in much the same way that she had been earlier in the night, and before a doctor could reach her she died. All arrangements had been made for her funeral to take place on Saturday at 2 o'clock. About noon the police instructed the undertakers not to proceed with the funeral, as they were going to take charge of the body. It is said that they took this course because of a letter they received, but they have refused to disclose the contents of the letter or to even make hint as to why they stopped the funeral. Nor will they state what the post-mortem examination revealed, though it is rumored that nothing was found to justify the suspicions that were stated in the letter. The inquest may be held on Wednesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Hofsass are very much distressed over the affair and will make efforts to ascertain who wrote the letter to the police.

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## WINDSOR SOLDIERS COMING TO LONDON

**Will Take a Course at the Local Barracks.**

Windsor, March 18.—Captain W. H. Isaacs, Lieut. George H. Wilkinson and Provisional Lieut. J. L. Hunter, of the Twenty-first Regiment, leave tomorrow for Wolseley Barracks, London, where they will take a special military course. Captain Isaacs is qualifying for position as field officer, Lieut. Wilkinson for captain, and Provisional Lieut. Lieut. Hunter for lieutenant.

Next week Lieut. C. B. Stover, Lieut. G Harold Emery and Lieut. Alan Prince will also leave for Wolseley Barracks, where they each purpose qualifying for the office of captain. Lieut. Charles L. Herizburg has been recommended by Col. F. H. Lang as signalling officer and will be given charge of the signal corps.

Regarding the story which has recently been circulated that the members of the Twenty-first Regiment elected to go to the King George coronation were anticipating financial assistance from the business men of the town to meet extra expenses on the trip, Colonel Laing states that if such is being contemplated by the three representatives appointed it will not be realized. "There are many members in the regiment who would gladly take in the trip to London, Eng., and give a bonus of $50 to go, let alone asking for financial assistance from outside," said the colonel.

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## AGED CHATHAM LADY SUCCUMBS TO BURNS

Chatham, March 20.—Mrs. Ann McMillan, 88 years of age, died last night of burns received Saturday afternoon. While lighting a gas stove her apron caught fire, the shock to her system and many burns proving fatal.

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## STRUCK BY STREET CAR

**Sarnia Woman Was Seriously Injured in Detroit.**

Detroit, Mich., March 19.—Mrs. William Johnson, whose home is at Sarnia, was struck by a street car here yesterday afternoon and seriously injured. She was taken to St. Mary's Hospital, where physicians say she will recover.

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### WINGHAM.

Wingham, March 20.—Dr. Chisholm, owner of the Chisholm Block, recently destroyed by fire, has given a contract for a new building.

Mr. Cavannagh, G. T. R. operator, is still in the hospital.

Numerous parties and entertainments were held in Wingham and the surrounding country on St. Patrick's night.

Great interest was taken in the special services held yesterday in the different churches in support of the Missionary Movement. Prof. Jeakins, of London, preached twice at St. Paul's Church, and Rev. H. S. Magee occupied the pulpit in the Methodist Church. Miss McIntosh, a returned missionary from China, was to have spoken in the Baptist Church, but was unavoidably absent, and the pulpit was occupied by the pastor, who preached from Matthew xxviii: 19-20. In the evening Rev. H. C. Priest, B.A., secretary of the Canadian Baptist Young People's Movement, preached a strong sermon, taking for his topic, "The Call of the Vast Multitude." Rev. Mr. Priest was formerly pastor of this church 21 years ago.

Mr. George Mason, with his son and daughter, are visiting friends in Toronto.

An immense flock of wild geese flew over the town last night.

Mr. L. Pender, G. T. R. road master here, is visiting his daughter in Buffalo.

The B. Y. P. A. will be addressed this evening by Rev. A. E. Armstrong. His subject will be, "The Awakening World."

Mr Wade has not yet recovered from his recent illness.

The factories are all very busy and business in the town is improving.

## BOOKER T. WASHINGTON BEATEN BY NEW YORKER

### Latter's Wife Says She Was Insulted by Noted Negro Orator.

New York, March 19.—Booker T. Washington was brought into the West Sixty-Fifth street police station tonight by a policeman, who had chased him up Central Park West after a scuffle in a hallway at 11½ West Sixty-Third street. Albert Ulrich, a carpenter, was arrested on Washington's complaint, charging him with assault. Ulrich told the police that he had found Washington peering through a keyhole in an apartment at that address. Washington had two or three scalp wounds, and was taken to Flower Hospital for treatment.

This is the story as Ulrich told it to the police tonight:

He said that his wife had left her room at about 9 o'clock to give one of her dogs an airing. She found in the hallway a negro, who smiled at her as she passed out. He was well dressed and bowed as she passed. He was still there when she came back, and again bowed, she said.

Mrs. Ulrich presently set out again with another dog, and as she passed the negro he again smiled, she thought, and when she came back he addressed her in a familiar manner. When she got inside she told her husband what she had seen.

**Took to Flight.**

Ulrich put on his coat and passed out of the apartment onto West Sixty-third street. The negro was still in the hall. He talked a few minutes with some friends on the street. After a few minutes' delay he returned, and then he told the police he found the negro peering through a keyhole into the apartment of Frank Rezett, a chauffeur, who has rooms on the ground floor.

"What are you doing here?" Ulrich says he asked him.

The negro made no reply, but struck out, barely missing Ulrich. Then he ran past him out into West Sixty-Third street. A number of Ulrich's friends, who were still on the street, took up the chase. The negro ran toward Central Park West, and then started north with the crowd after him.

He fell once, picked himself up, fell again and then a third time. Policeman Kierney took up the chase and took Washington to the West Sixty-Eighth street station house, with Ulrich also going along.

In Flower Hospital it was said that the patient had a cut over his left ear, but that he was able to leave the hospital soon after he was cared for.

Ulrich was held on a charge of assault.

At the West Sixty-Eighth street police station, Mr. Washington told Lieut. Quinn, who was on the desk, that he had been in town since Saturday. He stated that he received a telegram today from the auditor of the Tuskegee Institute, D. E. Smith, asking him to go to the home of Smith's cousin, also named Smith, at 11½ West Sixty-Third street.

He said that he looked at the names on the bells in the vestibule of 11½, which is an apartment house, and was unable to find anyone named Smith.

He said that he may have stayed in front of the apartment for a few moments, and that he went back several timess to look for Smith. Then he said that Ulrich ran out of the apartment house vestibule and came at him with a club and chased him, beating him as he ran.

Before Mr. Washington was taken to the Flower Hospital, Mrs. Lola Ulrich appeared in the station house and said that Mr. Washington was the man who had spoken to her in the hallway of the apartment house. She said that Mr. Washington had said, "Hello sweetheart," to her, and that she had seen him walking up and down in front of the house for some time before this happened.

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## SASK. BOARDS FOR RECIPROCITY

**Central Association Unanimously in Favor of Agreement With United States.**

Saskatoon, Sask., March 20.—At a representative meeting of the Central Saskatchewan Consolidated Boards of Trade, held here Saturday evening, the following resolution was moved and unanimously carried:

"That the Central Saskatchewan Consolidated Boards of Trade desire to go on record as heartily and from purely a national standpoint, indorsing the attitude of the Provincial Government toward the reciprocity agreement, and that a copy of the resolution be forwarded to Mr. Fielding, minister of finance, and George McCraney."

Members of both political parties voted in favor of the motion.

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### FIRE IN DUMB-WAITER

New York, March 20.—Fire which broke out in the dumb-waiter shaft of a big apartment house in Bronx borough today, was extinguished with only nominal money loss, but not before two tenants of the building were so severely burned that they will probably die. Mrs. Ida Sapkowitz, who tried to extinguish the blaze as it broke from the dumb-waiter shaft into her apartment, and Jacob Levine, who ran to her rescue and was badly burned in his efforts to save her by beating out the flames which enveloped her and carrying her to the roof. Both were taken to a hospital in a critical condition.

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## AMMONIA EXPLOSION

**Three Men Hurt by Fumes in Ruins of Chicago Fire.**

[Canadian Press.]

Chicago, March 20.—Another explosion of ammonia occurred today in the burning ruins of the Monarch Refrigerating Company building, where last night dozens of persons were made unconscious. By the latest accident three men received hurts, but as in the case of previous victims there was no fatality. Estimates of $800,000 loss, chiefly on butter and poultry, are confirmed.

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## ARMORIES FOR INGERSOLL

**Officers of Department Visit Town to Discuss Local Situation.**

Ingersoll, Ont., March 20.—Col. Caldwell, Toronto, of the engineering staff of the department of militia; Col. T. R. Mayberry, M. P. P., Major W. A. Edgar and others were here Saturday going over the local situation for the establishment of an armories for Ingersoll. They inspected the Charles Street Methodist Church property, which has been suggested as a site for the armories if brought here.

For some time there has been an agitation among the military men in the vicinity of Ingersoll that armories should be established here, and the visit of the military engineer has been a result.

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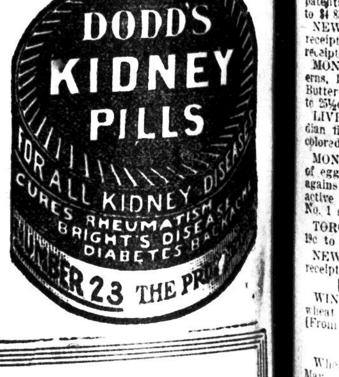

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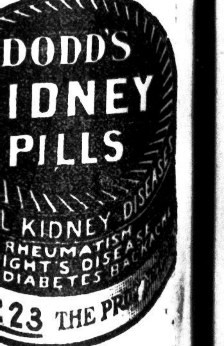
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# FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

## EGGS LOWER TODAY 19 TO 21 CENTS DOZEN

### Wholesale They Sold for 17 to 18 Cents a Dozen on the Local Market.

Notwithstanding the fine weather, today's market was one of moderate proportions. Hay sold freely at $12 per ton, $12 50 being the highest price for extra quality hay.

Live hogs were shipped at $6 65 per cwt. Grain of all kinds was very scarce, but the prices showed no change from the past week.

Eggs are somewhat lower in retail prices, from 19c to 21c per dozen now being paid for first-class eggs. The wholesale price is unchanged, at 17c and 18c, although wholesalers say the price may be dropped to 16c this week.

Butter and dressed poultry still command good prices. Other market produce still sells at Saturday's prices.

Quotations are:

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| **Grain, Per Cwt.** | | | |
| Barley, per cwt | $1 00 | to | $1 00 |
| Oats, per cwt | 95 | to | 1 00 |
| Wheat, per cwt | 1 34 | to | 1 36 |
| **Grain, Per Bushel.** | | | |
| New wheat, per bu | 80 | to | 80 |
| Hungarian seed, per bu | 80 | to | 80 |
| **Hay and Straw.** | | | |
| Hay, per ton | 11 00 | to | 12 50 |
| Straw, per ton | 5 00 | to | 6 00 |
| Pressed straw, per ton | 6 00 | to | 6 00 |
| **Dairy Produce.** | | | |
| Butter, store lots, lb | 22 | to | 24 |
| Butter, creamery, lb | 28 | to | 29 |
| Butter, fancy, retail, lb | 28 | to | 30 |
| Eggs, crate, wholesale | 17 | to | 18 |
| Eggs, fresh-laid, dozen | 19 | to | 21 |
| Honey, strained, lb | 11 | to | 12 |
| Honey, sections, dozen | 1 50 | to | 2 00 |
| Maple syrup, gallon | 1 20 | to | 1 25 |
| **Poultry, Dressed.** | | | |
| Turkeys, lb, retail | 21 | to | 22 |
| Turkeys, lb, wholesale | 18 | to | 20 |
| Chickens, per pair | 1 60 | to | 1 75 |
| Chickens, lb, wholesale | 14 | to | 14 |
| Chickens, lb, retail | 16 | to | 17 |
| Old fowl, per lb | 10 | to | 10 |
| Ducks, per pair | 1 25 | to | 1 75 |
| Ducks, lb, wholesale | 26 | to | 17 |
| Ducks, lb, retail | 18 | to | 20 |
| Geese, lb, wholesale | 13 | to | 14 |
| Geese, lb, retail | 14 | to | 15 |
| **Poultry, Etc., Alive.** | | | |
| Ducks, per lb | 14 | to | 14 |
| Chickens, per lb | 11 | to | 12 |
| Old fowl, per lb | 12 | to | 13 |
| **Butchers' Meats.** | | | |
| Rabbits, per pair | 50 | to | 60 |
| Beef, by the carcase | 9 00 | to | 9 50 |
| Mutton, per cwt | 8 00 | to | 10 00 |
| Yearling lambs, lb | 11 | to | 13 |
| Dressed hogs, cwt | 9 00 | to | 9 00 |
| Veal, per cwt | 10 00 | to | 11 00 |
| Pork, forequarters, lb | 11 | to | 12 |
| Pork, hindquarters, lb | 12 | to | 12½ |
| **Live Stock.** | | | |
| Select hogs, cwt | 6 65 | to | 6 65 |
| Fat sows, cwt | 5 00 | to | 5 00 |
| Stags, per cwt | 2 00 | to | 2 00 |
| Export cattle, cwt | 5 00 | to | 6 50 |
| Milch cows, each | 40 00 | to | 60 00 |
| Small pigs, pair | 8 00 | to | 10 00 |
| **Hides and Wools.** | | | |
| Lambskins, each | 20 | to | 33 |
| Wool, unwashed, lb | 11 | to | 12 |
| Hides, No. 1, lb | 7½ | to | 7½ |
| Hides, No. 2, lb | 6½ | to | 6½ |
| Hides, No. 3, lb | 5½ | to | 5½ |
| Calfskins, lb | 10 | to | 12 |
| Tallow, rough, lb | 3½ | to | 3½ |
| Tallow, rendered, lb | 5 | to | 5½ |
| Sheepskins, each | 40 | to | 65 |
| **Vegetables.** | | | |
| Potatoes, per bag | 80 | to | 85 |
| Lettuce, per dozen | 40 | to | 40 |
| Rhubarb, per dozen | 90 | to | 1 00 |
| Radishes, per dozen | 40 | to | 40 |
| Green onions, dozen | 40 | to | 40 |
| Celery, dozen bunches | 30 | to | 50 |
| Carrots, per dozen | 25 | to | 25 |
| Cabbage, per dozen | 30 | to | 40 |
| Beets, per bu | 40 | to | 40 |
| Onions, per bu | 1 00 | to | 1 25 |
| Parsnips, per bu | 45 | to | 45 |
| **Fruits.** | | | |
| Apples, per bbl | 3 00 | to | 4 50 |
| Apples, per bu | 1 50 | to | 1 50 |

### PRODUCE.

TORONTO, March 18.—Quotations on the local market were practically unchanged today, though there is a slightly firmer tone to the market, due to the strength in the speculative markets induced by crop damage reports from Kansas. Cash wheat demand is quiet. Wheat—Ontario No. 2, 80c to 81c outside; Manitoba No. 1 northern, 97½c to 98c at bay ports, No. 2, 95c, and No. 3, 92c. Barley—No. 3 extra, 62c to 63c outside. Oats—Ontario No. 2, 31c to 31½c outside. Canada Western, No. 2, 37c; No. 3, 36c at bay ports. Peas—No. 2, 80c to 81c outside. Rye—No. 2, 65c to 66c outside. Buckwheat—No. 2, 48c to 50c outside. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 52c to 52½c on track.

MINNEAPOLIS, March 18.—Wheat closed—May, 98¼c; July, 99⅛c; September, 93¼c; cash, No. 1 hard, 99¾c; No. 1 northern, 98¼c to 99¼c; No. 2 northern, 89¾c to 90s. Bran—$20 to $21. Flour—First patents, $4 65 to $4 95; second patents, $4 55 to $4 85; first clears, $2 65 to $3 50.

NEW YORK, March 19.—Butter—Easy; receipts, 4890 packages. Cheese—Quiet; receipts, 825 boxes.

MONTREAL, March 18.—Cheese—Westerns, 12¼c to 12½c; easterns, 11½c to 12c. Butter—Choicest, 26c to 27c; seconds, 24c to 25½c.

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LIVERPOOL, March 18.—Cheese—Canadian finest white, new, firm, 61s 6d; do. colored, new, firm, 62s 6d.

MONTREAL, March 18.—Eggs—Receipts of eggs for the week were 6183 cases, as against 3.5 a year ago; the market is active but easier; selected, 22c; fresh, 23c; No. 1 stock, 20c; No. 2, 18c.

TORONTO, March 18.—Eggs—New-laid, 19c to 20c.

NEW YORK, March 18.—Eggs—Weak; receipts, 12,737 cases.

[Special to H. C. Becher.]

WINNIPEG, March 20. — Winnipeg wheat closed: May, 93⅜c; July, 94¾c.

[From Charles Head & Co., by private wire to J. J. Tearney.]

CHICAGO, March 20

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| Wheat— | | | | |
| May | 91¼ | 91⅝ | 91 | 91 |
| July | 90 | 90⅜ | 89½ | 89½ |
| Corn— | | | | |
| May | 49¾ | 49¾ | 49 | 49 |
| July | 50⅞ | 50⅞ | 50⅛ | 50¼ |
| Oats— | | | | |
| May | 31⅝ | 31⅝ | 31⅛ | 31⅛ |
| Pork— | | | | |
| May | 16 87 | 16 87 | 16 67 | 16 67 |
| Lard— | | | | |
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### BEANS.

DETROIT, March 18.—Beans — Spot, aMrch and April, $1 88, May, $1 90 per bu.

TORONTO, March 20.—Ontario wheat—No. 2, 80c to 81c outside. Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern, 97½c to 98c; No. 2, 95c; No. 3, 92c, at lake ports. Canada western oats—No. 2, 37c; No. 3, 36c, at lake ports. Ontario oats—No. 2, 31c to 31½c. Manitoba flour—Quotations at Toronto are: First patents, $5 40; second patents, $4 90; strong bakers, $4 70. Ontario flour—Ninety per cent patents, $3 25, at the seaboard. Corn—No. 3 yellow, new, for prompt shipment, 53c, on track at Toronto. Peas—No. 2, 80c to 81c outside. Barley—No. 3 extra or good malting, 62c to 63c outside; No. 3, 55c to 60c; feed barley, 48c to 50c. Buckwheat—48c to 50c outside. Rye—65c to 66c outside. Millfeed—Manitoba bran, $23; shorts, $23, in bags at Toronto.

LIVERPOOL, March 20—Closing.—Wheat—Spot dull; No. 2 red western winter, no stock; futures steady; March, 6s 9d; May, 6s 9⅜d; July, 6s 9¾d. Flour—Winter patents quiet, 27s 6d. Hops (in London)—Pacific coast firm, £4 10s to £5 5s. Beef—Extra India mess easy, 107s 6d. Pork—Prime mess western quiet, 82s 6d. Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, quiet, 54s. Bacon—Short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, steady, 61s; Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, steady, 58s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 55s; long clear middles, light, 26 to 34 lbs, dull, 59s; do, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, steady, 57s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, steady, 53s 6d; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, dull, 48s. Lard—Prime western, in tierces, 46s; American refined, in pails, easy, 46s 6d. Cheese—Canadian finest white, new, firm, 61s 6d; do, colored, new, firm, 62s. Turpentine spirits—Strong, 71s 6d. Rosin—Common firm, 18s 3d. Petroleum—Refined steady, 6¼d. Linseed oil—Steady, 50s.

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Phones 2995 and 1736.

### LIVE STOCK

EAST BUFFALO, March 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 85; fairly active. Veals—Receipts, 225; slow and 50c lower, $6 50 to $9. Hogs—Receipts, 3200; fairly active and 10c to 20c lower; heavy, $7 10 to $7 15; mixed, $7 20 to $7 30; Yorkers, $7 30 to $7 40; pigs, $7 40 to $7 50; roughs, $6 25 to $6 30; dairies, $7 10 to $7 40. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 3000; active; steady and unchanged.

CHICAGO, March 20.—Cattle—Receipts estimated at 25,000; market steady; beeves, $5 15 to $6 85; Texas steers, $4 40 ot $5 60; western steers, $4 75 to $5 85; stockers and feeders, $4 to $5 75; cows and heifers, $6 25 to $8 50. Hogs—Receipts estimated at 60,000; market dull and 10c lower than Saturday; light, $6 70 to $7; mixed, $6 50 to $6 90; heavy, $6 40 to $6 80; roughs, $6 40 to $6 65; good to choice heavy, $6 65 to $6 80; pigs, $6 50 to $7; bulk of sales at $6 65 to $6 80. Sheep—Receipts estimated at 21,000; market steady; natives, $3 to $5 10; westerns, $3 25 to $5 10; yearlings, $4 75 to $5 65; lambs, natives, $5 to $6 50; westerns, $5 25 to $6 60.

LIVERPOOL, March 18.—John Rogers & Co, report that trade at Birkenhead today was firm, and last week's quotations ruled, namely, States and Canadian steers, 12¾c to 13¼c per lb.

TORONTO, March 20.—Cattle—Receipts today were 71 loads, with 1459 head of cattle, 271 sheep and lambs and 28 calves. The general run of butcher prices was firm, around $5 60 to $5 75 for medium choice, and good medium at $5 50; butcher cows are about steady at last week's decline, ranging from $4 to $5: common mixed cows and bulls, $3 50 to $3 75; canners, $2 70 to $3. Sheep—Steady, at $4 50 to $5; lambs, light, firm, at $6 50 to $7. Calves—Steady, at $4 to $8 50. Hogs—Market 10c lower; selects, $6 65 f. o. b., and $6 95 fed and watered.

### COTTON.

NEW YORK, March 18.—Cotton—Futures closed very steady. Closing bids: March, 14.39c; April, 14.43c; May, 14.53c; June, 14.37c; July, 14.45c; August, 13.86c; September, 13.04c; October, 12.64c; November, 12.58c; December, 12.53c. Spot closed quiet, 10 points lower; middling uplands, 14.55c; do, gulf, 14.80c; sales, none.

### FLAX SEED.

CHICAGO, March 18.—Flaxseed—No. 1 southwestern, $2 54½; No. 1 northwestern, $2 67½.

### OIL.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 18.—Oil opened and closed at $1 30.

OIL CITY, Pa., March 18.—Credit balances, $1 30.

### FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, March 20.

[From Charles Head & Co., by private wire to J. J. Tearney.]

| | Open. | High. | Low. | 2 p.m. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| A. A. Chemical | 58¾ | 58¾ | 57¾ | 58½ |
| Amal. Copper | 64 | 64⅝ | 63⅞ | 64⅛ |
| Anaconda Copper | 39 | .. | .. | .. |
| American Sugar | 119 | 120½ | 119 | 129½ |
| Amer. Beet Sugar | 45 | 45⅜ | 45 | 45⅜ |
| American Foundry | 53½ | 54¼ | 53½ | 54¼ |
| American Smelters | 76 | 76⅝ | 75⅝ | 76⅛ |
| Amer. Cotton Oil | 60¼ | 60⅜ | 60 | 60⅜ |
| Atchison, com | 108¼ | 108⅝ | 107⅞ | 108⅜ |
| Baltimore & Ohio | 103¼ | .. | .. | .. |
| Brooklyn Transit | 77⅝ | 77⅞ | 77½ | 77½ |
| Canadian Pacific | 218¾ | 218¾ | 217⅞ | 218¼ |
| Chesapeake & Ohio | 82⅞ | 82⅞ | 82⅜ | 82¾ |
| Consolidated Gas | 143⅞ | 144 | 143¼ | 143⅝ |
| Col. & Southern | 54 | .. | .. | .. |
| Chicago & N. W. | 144½ | .. | .. | .. |
| Delaware & Hudson | 168 | .. | .. | .. |
| Distillers | 36½ | 36¾ | 36½ | 36¾ |
| Erie, com | 29 | 29⅛ | 28¾ | 29⅛ |
| Erie, 1st pfd | 48 | 48 | 47⅜ | 47⅝ |
| General Electric | 149½ | .. | .. | .. |
| G. Northern, pfd | 126¾ | 127½ | 126⅝ | 127⅛ |
| G. Northern Ore | 60 | 61¼ | 60 | 61¼ |
| Illinois Central | 135 | .. | .. | .. |
| Inter-Metropolitan | 19¾ | 19¾ | 19½ | 19½ |
| Inter-Met., pfd | 55 | 55 | 54½ | 54⅞ |
| Kansas Southern | 35 | .. | .. | .. |
| Kansas & Texas | 33⅞ | 34⅜ | 33⅞ | 34¼ |
| Lehigh Valley | 173 | 173¾ | 172½ | 173¼ |
| Minn. & St. Paul | 147¾ | .. | .. | .. |
| Missouri Pacific | 52 | 52⅝ | 51¼ | 52⅛ |
| New York Central | 107¾ | 108¼ | 107¾ | 108⅛ |
| Northern Pacific | 124⅛ | 125 | 124 | 124¼ |
| Norfolk & Western | 107 | 107⅝ | 106¾ | 107⅜ |
| Pennsylvania | 126¾ | 127⅛ | 126⅝ | 127⅛ |
| People's Gas | 106¼ | 106⅜ | 106 | 106¼ |
| Pressed Steel Car | 33¼ | 33½ | 33¼ | 33½ |
| Reading | 157 | 158⅛ | 156½ | 157¾ |
| Rock Island | 29⅝ | 30⅛ | 29⅝ | 30 |
| Sloss-Sheffield Steel | 52¾ | .. | .. | .. |
| Southern Ry., pfd | 64⅝ | 65 | 64⅝ | 65 |
| Southern Pacific | 116¾ | 117⅜ | 116½ | 117⅛ |
| St. Paul | 121¾ | .. | .. | .. |
| Union Pacific | 175¾ | 176⅞ | 175¼ | 176½ |
| Utah Copper | 41¾ | .. | .. | .. |
| U. S. Rubber | 42 | 43¼ | 42 | 43¼ |
| U. S. Steel | 78¼ | 79¼ | 78 | 78⅞ |
| U. S. Steel, pfd | 119 | 119⅛ | 118¾ | 118⅞ |
| Virginia Chemical | 66⅛ | 66⅞ | 65⅝ | 66⅝ |
| Wabash, pfd | 37⅝ | 38 | 37⅝ | 38 |
| W. U. Tel., xd., ¾% | 71¾ | 72 | 71¾ | 72 |
| Wisconsin Central | 67 | .. | .. | .. |

### TORONTO STOCK UP TO 1 P.M.

[From Dyment, Cassels & Co., Members Toronto Stock Exchange.]

TORONTO, March 20.

| | Asked. | Bid. |
|---|---|---|
| City Dairy com | 37 | 38 |
| City Dairy pref | 100½ | .. |
| Consumers' Gas | 198 | 199 |
| Detroit United | 63½ | .. |
| Mackay com | 91¾ | 92½ |
| Mackay pfd | 75 | 75¾ |
| Rio Jan. Tramway | 106 | 106½ |
| Sao Paulo Tramway | 157 | 157½ |
| Toronto Electric Light | 123 | 124⅞ |
| La Rose | 480 | 495 |
| Nipissing Mines | 11.00 | 11.10 |
| Dominion Bank | 235½ | .. |
| Bank of Hamilton | 204½ | .. |
| Imperial Bank | 228 | 230 |
| Merchants' Bank | 188 | .. |
| Metropolitan Bank | 195½ | .. |
| Molsons Bank | 207 | |
| Bank of Montreal | 250 | .. |
| Ottawa Bank | 208 | 210 |
| Standard Bank | 229 | .. |
| Bank of Toronto | 143 | .. |
| Agricultural Loan | 139 | .. |
| Canada Landed | 157½ | .. |
| Canada Permanent | 168 | .. |
| Central Canada | 197½ | .. |
| Gt. West. Permanent | 124 | .. |
| Hamilton Provident | 133 | .. |
| Huron and Erie | 202 | .. |
| London and Canadian | 115 | 116 |
| Toronto Mortgage | 131 | .. |
| Toronto Savings | 160 | .. |
| Mexican L. and P. bonds | 89¾ | 90 |
| Rio Janeiro bonds | .. | 99 |

Morning Sales: R. and O., 70 at 111; Trethewey, 200 at 99; Canada Permanent, 160 at 169; Crown Reserve, 100 at 2.66; Sao Paulo, 10 at 157½, 25 at 157¼; Dominion Savings, 26 at 72; Steel Corporation, 25 at 69; Mackay, 25 at 92; Pacific Burt, preferred, 25 at 96; Winnipeg, 22 at 196; Shredded Wheat, 10 at 58; Duluth-Superior, 8 at 83⅞; F. N. Burt, 100 at .07; B. C. Packers, 25 at 47; do, Series A, 40 at 95; Penmans, 40 at 61; Maple Leaf, 6 at 39; do, preferred, 25 at 93¾, 5 at 94; La Rose, 250 at 4.80; Dominion Bank, 7 at 235½; Traders' Bank, 10 at 144, Bank of Commerce, 84 at 220¾, 5 at 220⅝; Bank of Hamilton, 30 at 204½; Imperial Bank, 5 at 229; Sawyer-Massey, 1 at 90½, 45 at 90¾, 25 at 90⅝; Canada Landed, 1 at 160, 17 at 160¼; Black Lake, bonds, 1500 at 75. Ex-dividend today: National Trust, 2½ per cent; Dominion Bank, 3 per cent; Dominion Iron peg Railway, 2½ per cent; Toronto Electric, 2 per cent; Central Canada Loan, 2½ per cent.

### Today's Sales—Montreal.

Morning Sales: R. and O., 150 at 114¼, 53 at 111, 400 at 111½, 75 at 111¾, 155 at 112, 75 at 111⅞, 125 at 111⅝; C. P. R., 125 at 218¼, 150 at 218½, 125 at 218, 10 at 217⅞; Toronto Railway, 101 at 127; Power, 100 at 150½, 75 at 150¼; Quebec Railway, 15 at 161; Montreal Railway, 100 at 231¾; Telephone, 24 at 146; Detroit, 25 at 70½, 75 at 70; Porto Rico, 100 at 57; Mackey, preferred, 2 at 76; Rio, 25 at 106¼; Crown Reserve, 300 at 2.65; Steel Corporation, 165 at 59¾, 30 at 60; Scotia, 40 at 96½, 10 at 97; Iron, preferred, 30 at 101½; Laurentide, common, 10 at 212; Asbestos, 25 at 12, 10 at 12¼; Loan and Mortgage, 67 at 156, 25 at 157; Coal, preferred, 10 at 110; Asbestos, preferred, 10 at 45; Montreal Cotton, 25 at 154; Packers, common, 25 at 45, 25 at 47; Penmans, 40 at 61¼, 10 at 61¾; Penmans, preferred, 20 at 87; Cement, 2 at 22; Quebec Bank, 10 at 140¾; Merchants' Bank, 30 at 191; Bank of Montreal, 4 at 250; Molsons Bank, 5 at 208½; Bank of Commerce, 3 at 220; Winnipeg Electric, bonds, 2000 at 104, 1000 at 103; Dominion Cotton, bonds, 500 at 102, 10000 at 101¾; Keewatin, bonds, 3000 at 103; Black Lake Asbestos, bonds, 1000 at 74¾; Quebec Railway, bonds, 3000 at 85; Rubber, bonds, 1000 at 94¼. Ex-dividend today: Dominion Bank, 3 per cent; Bank of New Brunswick, 3¼ per cent; Ogilvie, 2 per cent; Iron, preferred, 3½ per cent; Winnipeg, 2½ per cent; Halifax, 2 per cent.

### POTATOES.

TORONTO, March 18.—Potatoes—Wholesale quotations average 90c per bag for Ontarios, out of store, and 80c to 85c per bag on car lots; eastern Delawares, 95c to $1 05, ex-store.

### HAY

TORONTO, March 18.—Baled hay—No 1 timothy, $11 to $13; mixed clover and timothy, $9 to $11, on track here. Baled straw—$6 50 to $7, on track here.

## LONDON LADY TELLS

(Continued From Page One.)

**Rumors of War.**

All my letters since these wars and rumors of wars have been I know of a morr or less quieting character for the simple reason that no one here has been much concerned, and one is affected by the general attitude. But now things are indeed beginning to loom up a bit and promise to become interesting. No one doubts that the town will be taken eventually. That word "taken" smacks of a besieged garrison, a la Ladysmith, and that sort of thing, doesn't it? But we expect a much tamer performance here. Most people are of the opinion that it is scarcely necessary to go through any preliminaries as it is to be expected that our guardians of the peace will calmly lay down their arms and go over to the enemy, the insurrectos. We have a garrison as well, but as it consists chiefly of convicts, it is quite probable that its members will also help to make things easy for the revolutionary party at the psychological. One thing is certain that the rest may or may not be lies. If anything should happen there will be not a dull minute for yours regretfully. All the thrills will be ours, as you will know when you ramble through this letter.

There is one body of men, however, who go over to no enemy—the mounted police of the province of Sonora. These men are afraid of nothing, and have been of inestimable value in keeping peace in the province at all times. You have heard me speak of the Arizona Rangers. The mounted police occupy much the same position here as the rangers do in Arizona. Their colonel is a Russian, and I shall never forget my first glimpse of him. It was when I first came from Canada to these parts, which in itself was enough to impress upon me everything that I saw, for, I assure you, dear one, that Mexico in January is a far cry from Canada, a much farther cry than there were differences in miles. But more of that anon.

**Mexican Police.**

At any rate, Mr. Carr Harris pointed out a man on the train, a man whose back was towards me. I glanced at him, and then my glance travelled to his companion—a man in a picturesque long blue coat, with loose cape and hood—the garb as I afterwards learned of the Mexican police. They usually dispense with the formality of slipping the arms in these coats—simply wear them loosely fastened at the neck after the order of a long cloak. This was one of the first I had seen, and it gave me a "very-far-away-from-home" feeling. The man to whom this romantic individual was talking seemed very commonplace in his gray tweed suit, with the regulation wide gray hat, the hall mark of every westerner. Finally he stood up to speak to a small boy in the seat behind him, and adios to anything commonplace in his appearance. I can imagine nothing small enough or insignificant enough to escape the notice of those eyes. His whole expression was that of a fighter, keen, alert, at all times prepared—a man who had seen much and who was indeed a part of all he had met. "Ready, aye, ready!" was stamped on every feature (but he was not a Highlander, in spite of this last sentiment of mine), and we wondered how many "tight corners" had depended on his coolness and daring to become anything more than tight corners which could be turned. At some tiny station he got out, with the small boy—his son—and the man in the blue coat. He was met by a crowd of decidedly rough and ready-looking individuals, with all of whom he shook hands, his long lean face turned now here, now there, his eyes ever keenly watching—a most fascinating face, if you could have seen it. And this was the leader of the rurales.

He is a Russian, as I said before, and if that fact alone were insufficient to account for the look of calmness, of ability to size up a situation with one glance, and in that glance to find his preparation, hisl ife here could furnish ample reason. The company whose mining interests are centred here depend upon him for much, and he is at all times a fighter.

So be it known that if this man and his followers are urged to take a hand in the affair here, there will in all probability be some resistance.

Both Mexican parties have been most careful in their regard for foreigners and their interests, and, of course, very wisely so. In the first place, we are very near the border, where extra American troops have been stationed, and things could move very quickly.

In the second place, each wants the goodwill of other nations should matters prosper. For this reason we feel comparatively safe, so far as any intentional harm is concerned. But we ourselves are rather unfortunately placed in living very, very near the house of the president or mayor of the town. Pending some repairs on his own house he has taken the house next door, which is a company property, and is the main portion of the house of which ours forms one small end or wing. The whole is built around a park or square court, and in the centre.

**A Bad Five Minutes.**

As soon as it became known to the invaders that we had no connection with the president's concerns, all would be well, but it might be rather a bad five minutes until that interesting and important fact became known. I am basing my hopes on a fence between the two houses, but as the building is all in one, with only a low archway between, it might be interesting to know just what place the fence may take in the calculations of the insurrectos. The president is a Diaz representative, and for that reason will very probably be one of the first to be visited.

The house is well guarded at present. One hears policemen prowling about at all times, but their support might count for little in the face of an actual attack. To facilitate matters in making our nationality known, I have secured a gorgeous British flag in whose ample folds (six feet by three), I believe I may wrap myself. Of the true significance of the fence as a division between two separate and distinct places I shall be allowed to remain in doubt. I think I should make quite a bit doing the Barbara Frietchie act, thus, don't you? "Shoot, if you will, this old grey head," etc. As I don't speak Spanish, the words might fail to impress, however. The chief of police is such a grand-looking mortal, and has such a superb house, really I don't see how he could go over to the enemy. In the meantime, I feel much like Hope and Clay, our two favorites of long standing in the "Soldiers of Fortune." You remember how splendid they were in their revolution. Speaking of books, never did the real beauty of those descriptions in the "Garden of Allah" so impress me as since coming to Mexico.

Unless one visited the actual African desert where the scene is laid, I can't imagine a place where the mystery and enchantment would grip one with greater strength than here. Also, never until coming here, did I realize and appreciate the blessed sense of rest and unspeakable relief inspired by the single phrase "as the shadow of a great rock in a weary land." The blazing sunshine seems unending.

I shall, of course, tell you as soon as I can, if anything very thrilling should happen. In the meantime, are we discouraged? No. There is a delightful uncertainty about everything that is a bit trying, but we shall see what we shall see.

## EAST LONDON NEWS

## VALUABLE BIRDS LOST IN A FIRE

### Chicken House of Mr. S. Frank Glass Was Destroyed at Pottersburg.

### DEED OF A FIREBUG

**Residence of Mr. Glass Had a Close Call on Several Occasions, But Was Saved by Neighbors.**

Fire at an early hour this morning destroyed the chicken house of Mr. S. Frank Glass, at London Junction, together with 20 of his finest Partridge Wyandottes. Mr. Glass' house narrowly escaped destruction, and had it not been for the splendid work of the bucket brigade, greater damage might have resulted. The total loss is figured at $800. There is some insurance. The fire was of incendiary origin, it is thought.

Dr. Schaef, of the Junction, was returning about 2:30 a.m. from a professional call, when he noticed flames issuing from the chicken house. He aroused Mr. Glass, and the neighbors responded quickly.

The feed house, and the main part of the chicken building were in flames, and the fire spread quickly to the other parts. The wind was blowing strongly from the southwest, and the roof of Mr. Glass' home caught fire. Ladders were secured, and buckets passed up. Although the house caught fire several times, the men were able to check the flames.

By excellent work, they were enabled to save the valuable poultry breeding pens, too, and these alone were rescued of the chickens.

**A Bad Blaze.**

The flames were subdued after two hours' hard work. A pile of grain is still burning, and this morning Mr. Glass secured further assistance to help him put this out.

"The boys in the neighborhood worked splendidly," said Mr. Glass. "About forty of them came to our assistance, organizing a bucket brigade. The house was seriously threatened on different occasions, but by dint of hard work, they managed to save it. About 20 of my best young birds were destroyed, but my breeding pens, the most valuable, of course, were saved. I am thankful that it was not worse. My loss will be about $800, with some insurance. I have no idea how the fire started. There were no lights in the building, nor were there any stoves."

## LOCAL ITEMS

—The Advertiser has received from Mr. S. Frenstein, corner King and Ridout streets, the sum of $8, to be equally divided between the Alexandra Sanatorium, the Protestant Orphans' Home, the Catholic Orphans' Home, and the Children's Aid Society.

**Famine Fund.**

Mrs. E. A. Steven, of the China Inland Mission, begs to acknowledge the following donations to the China famine fund: Mrs. Cattermole $5, Mrs. W. M. Spencer $25, Rowland Hill $2, Mrs. R. A. Hobbs $2, Mrs. E. J. Karn $5, and L. N. R. $5.

**Kent Bar Banquet.**

J. W. White, a well-known barrister of Chatham, was in the city today on business. He returned on the noon train for the purpose of attending the annual banquet of the Kent Bar Association at Chatham tonight. Prior to the banquet he will address the city council on some important matters.

**Released as Harmless.**

A north end lady who was committed to the county jail last week charged with being insane and dangerous to be at large, was examined by Dr. Macarthur, jail physician, and Dr. Robinson, superintendent of the Hospital for the Insane, this morning. While it is considered that she is deranged on some points, she was released as harmless.

**Lodge of Instruction.**

A lodge of instruction for the Oddfellows of London District, No. 12, will be held in the Oddfellows' Hall in this city on Wednesday, March 29, when it is expected that fully three hundred brethren will be present to take part in the work. There will be a competition for a sword to be donated by Bro. Oliver Monger, D. D. G. M., of Mount Brydges, for the degree team doing the first degree in the best method. The lodges which will enter are Eureka Lodge, London; Howard Lodge, of Strathroy; Chorazin Lodge, London, and the Mount Brydges Lodge.

**An Inquiry**

Inquirer writes: "Less than two weeks ago an item appeared in your paper stating that the Western Wire Nail Company proposed establishing a plant here to cost something like $250,000. A few days later, the manager of that company gave an interview to your morning contemporary, in which he mentions that in consequence of the proposed tariff arrangements they will not only not erect the new factory, but will close down the one at present in operation. I am curious to know what could have caused such an exceedingly sudden 'change of front.' Have you any idea?" Inquirer will find some comments on this matter in the editorial columns of tomorrow's edition.

**Mr. Peatfield Explains.**

Mr. Peatfield confirmed his statement at the Ministerial Alliance that he had tendered his resignaiton. He informed The Advertiser that his relations with the congregation here were very pleasant, but he was anxious to go West. "I have handed in my resignation," he stated. "In fact, it has been in for some time. There has been no friction whatever, but I wanted to go West. That is what I purpose doing. My mind has not been made up definitely where I will locate. I will take a little time to look around. I will not be leaving for some time yet, a couple of months

**Mr. Givens to Leave.**

It is understood that Mr. Harry Givens, of the local staff of the Huron and Erie, will leave shortly for the west, where he will open a branch office of the rompany.

**Who Was It?**

Assessment Commissioner Grant would like to hear from anyone having premises with 20,000 square feet of floor space situated close to the railway. He has a factory in prospect.

**London Will Have a Team.**

"Knotty" Lee, organizer of the Canadian Baseball League, arrived in the city again today, and is busy with the London team. Should it be found impossible to do business with the men who have interested themselves in the project thus far, Mr. Lee will endeavor to secure the co-operation of others. He leaves for St. Thomas tomorrow. "London will certainly have baseball this summer, as many men are anxious to get into the local club," he told The Advertiser.

## ASSESSORS ARE AROUSING IRE OF SOME CITIZENS

### Mr. Grant Says He and His Men Are Doing the Fair Thing.

The assessors are working in ward 4, and already complaints have been made that there have been many increases, too many, according to some property owners. One man claims that last year he was raised $300, and this year several hundred more has been charged against his property.

"We are following the policy pursued for years in our department," said Assessment Commissioner Grant. "We are levelling up the assessment, as we do every year. Some we increase more than others, special circumstances entering into each case. Of course, we cannot satisfy everybody, nor do we try. We do our work according to our very best judgment, and it is the privilege of every citizen to take his case to the court of revision, and protest if his assessment is not right. There he has an opportunity of making good his claim before an independent board. We have the same complaints every year, but all we have to do is assess every piece of property according to its value. We have not departed from this policy this year."

**Up to Real Value.**

"We have the right to assess all property up to its real value," said Mayor Beattie. "Heretofore, our assessment has not been as high as in many other cities. Of course, it may be that the assessment should be equalized or levelled up. It possibly might be a good thing if an independent board were appointed to revalue the property of the city. This would make for better results. Not that the assessors have not done good work. On the contrary, I think they have done well. But it might be a good thing if an independent board revalued all the property of the city of London."

Ald. Richter, it is understood, will insist that this be done. He favored that last year, but he could not get the council to follow him in that matter. It is certain that something further will be said on the matter.

## BISHOP IS HOME RULER SERMON EXPLAINED

### Had No Intentions of Using the Word Nationalist in a Political Sense.

"I refuse to be quoted, but every person favors home rule now," said Bishop Fallon to The Advertiser this afternoon, when questioned regarding the meaning of the statement made in his sermon at St. Peter's Cathedral Sunday evening, to the effect that he is an Irish Catholic, not an Irish nationalist.

His lordship explained that he had no intention of using the word nationalist as applied to any political party, but expressed only the feeling that he prizes religion above everything else.

Bishop Fallon is decidedly favorable to home rule for Ireland, as evidenced by his statements during the course of a lecture at St. Peter's Hall a couple of weeks ago.

## LONDONERS TAKE $332 PRIZE MONEY AT N. B. A.

**West, With World's Title, Lands $311 of It—Bell and Primeau in the Money.**

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Buffalo, March 20.—London bowlers at the National tournament here, beside carrying off the world's championship in the individuals, win the following prizes:

Joe West—Score 694; world's championship, and $275.

Wm. H. Bell—Score 613; $16 66.

W. A. Primeau—Score 565; $5.

In the two-man and five-man events they do not win anything. However, West takes other money as a member of Floss Colts, of Buffalo, that brings his total up to $311.

## OBITUARY

The funeral of Mr. W. J. Moorhead took place on Saturday afternoon from the residence of his father, Mr. Chas. G. Moorhead, 477 Elizabeth street. Impressive services were conducted by Rev. C. M. Carew, of Maitland Street Baptist Church, and Mr. A. Torrie. Many beautiful floral tributes were received. The pallbearers were Messrs. Ernest Shaw, Vernon Howe, John Bartlett, Wm. Arthurs, Merritt Penhall and Fred Short.

The funeral of Mr. John Delaney was held this morning from Smith, Son & Clarke's undertaking rooms to St. Peter's Cathedral, and was of a private nature. Mrs. John Lockhart, of Toronto, a sister of the deceased, attended the funeral. Interment was made at St. Peter's Cemetery.

The Wellington Street Methodist Church choir will give a high-class concert on Thursday evenning, March 23. Miss Jessie Alexander, reader, will assist.

## REV. PEATFIELD IS LEAVING LONDON

### Pastor of the First Congregational Church Is Going West.

### MATTER WAS KEPT QUIET

**But the Announcement Was Made Today at Meeting of the Ministerial Alliance.**

Rev. E. H. Peatfield, pastor of the First Congregational Church, of this city, is leaving London almost immediately. This announcement was made to the members of the Ministerial Alliance of which Rev. Mr. Peatfield has been corresponding secretary for some time, at the meeting of the alliance in the Y. M. C. A. parlors this morning.

It appears that Mr. Peatfield informed his congregation of his intention to go westward to new fields several weeks ago, but the matter has been kept quiet for the timebeing.

On the motion of Dean Davis, the alliance passed a vote of appreciation and thanks for Rev. Mr. Peatfield's services as secretary of the alliance, and Dean Davis and Rev. Mr. Walker were appointed to draft a written resolution for Rev. Mr. Peatfield to carry with him.

**A Scholarly Paper.**

A very strong and scholarly paper was read by Rev. Dr. Ross on "Consciousness After Death in the Light of Modern Science." Dr. Ross pointed out that although it is a widely-accepted dogma of science that thought is a function of the brain, yet if the brain be only the instrument for transmitting thought, that thought and consciousness might survive the dissolution of the brain.

His first argument in favor of immortality was from telepathy, or thought transference independent of the five physical senses. Telepathy, he stated, is now recognized as a scientific fact. This proves that consciousness can transmit ideas without the normal activ'ties of the physical senses.

The conservation of energy is a second argument for conscious life after death. No real value or good is ever lost in the universe. Matter and energy neither increase and decrease, but simply change their forms of manifestation. Nothing perishes that is worth keeping.

**Ghosts.**

Another argument was made from the apparitions or ghosts. The conversion of W. T. Stead to spiritualism and the work of the Society for Psychic Research, was cited in support of this argument. Dr. Ross observed, however, that hallucinations, telepathy, and mental suggestion are frequently put forward as explaining the experimental evidence that is put forward on this point. Psychic force, which is capable of causing levitation and other supernatural phenomena was mentioned by the speaker as something which science cannot or has not yet explained.

Many people are also susceptible to the influence of a human personality or aura, and sensitive persons perceive intuitively the atmosphere of the human presence. This, however, is not an argument for the proof of immortality, as this personality or aura could be conceived of as surviving the passing of the body, and hence causing spiritualistic and psychic phenomena after death, and influencing to hallucination the minds of sensitives. But one cannot account for the extreme terror of animals at the time of ghostly manifestations. Telepathy will not explain this, for it has not been proved yet that telepathy is possible between man and the lower animal.

**Another Argument.**

Dr. Roos regarded as the strongest argument in favor of the theory of conscious life after death, the argument from instinct, or our innate desire for it. Instinct in birds and animals is natural and spontaneous, and it is improbable that the Creator intended this human instinct of immortality to simply mock us with the hope of immortality. This instinct is strongest in our moments of exaltation, and it is only when we are carnal and selfish that the hope burns low.

In discussing the paper Rev. Mr. Henderson expressed the view that thought does not emanate from the brain but only communicates through the brain to the outer world and other minds.

Dean Wavis also favored the idea of a spirit behind the brain, which warranted a belief in conscious immortality.

Rev. Mr. Bingham expressed the view that present day interest in questions of psychic science is doing much to counteract the materialistic trend of the modern morld. Spiritualism is doing a good work in helping to keep the world from drifting into materialism.

**Rev. Mr. Walker.**

Rev. Mr. Walker advanced a further argument that it could never seem fair for those who had sacrificed much to do good in the world to be lost in the same ending as those who had spent their lives in selfishnes and evil. But the stronget hope of immortality must be founded on a consciousness of God. In this, real satisfaction is found. The spiritual man discerns the spiritual reality.'

**Rev. Mr. Inkster Speaks.**

"We cannot gainsay the argument from instinct(," said Rev. Mr. Inkster, who moved that Rev. Mr. Hayden prepare a criticism of the paper read by Dr. Ross, and bring up at the next meeting any new matter on the question which he might care to. In reply to a question from Mr. Inkster, "Dr. Ross expressed the opinion that Sir Oliver Lodge gives on the subject rather a diget of other men's views than his own opinions. Lodge is apparently a convert to spiritualism. It is a curious fact that the ciences are lending their energnes to discoper whether spiritualism and experimental evidence which it seeks to put forward, are rapable of substantiation.

On the motion of Dr. Manning, a resolution of sympathy was passed for Canon and Mrs. Dyson Hague in the bereavement of their daughter's death.

**Children's Services.**

Arrangements were made for the holding of children's services in four centres, the First Methodist, St. James Anglican, Adelaide Street Baptist and the New St. James' Presbyterian Churches on Wednesday afternoon, March 29, to commemorate the tercentenary of the English Bible. All the children of the public schools will attend these services.

Rev. Mr. Inkster and Rev. Mr. McKenzie were in favor of uniting all the prayer meetings of the city churches into one mass meeting for adults on Wednesday evening. Such a meeting would have a special significance and appeal from its very size. Mr. McKenzie suggested bringing Rev. Dr. Patterson Smythe, rector of St. George's Anglican Church, Montreal, to the city for the occasion. The proposal to hold the joint mass meeting was vigorously opposed by Rev. Mr. Henderson. Rev. Mr. Birks thought it would not prove successful. The matter was accordingly dropped, although Secretary Wilson, of the Y. M. C. A. offered the use of the Auditorium and association parlors for the purpose.

A committee to co-operate with the W. C. T. U. in temperance work was appointed, including Revs. Graham, Bingham, McKenzie, Inkster, Canon G. Hague, Claris and Secretary Wilson.

## CITIZENS MAY

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000 for interest and sinking fund on the transmission line. According to statements made by members of the Ontario Government, the municipalities will not be asked to pay this amount for some years, or until the enterprise is on a paying basis.

If that is the case, and the statement is not disputed at the city hall, the city will have to raise about $90,000 this year, instead of the $130,000 mentioned above.

Of this amount, $30,000 will come from the city council for street lighting, and $10,000 more for power furnished for water-pumping purposes. Another $5,000 will come from other public buildings' lighting, making up half the amount to be raised.

The rest will have to come from the ordinary consumers. Chairman Pocock estimates that nearly 1,000-horsepower is being disposed of to power users at the present time. This will be increased, he claims, before the end of the year. At an average of $30 a horsepower would mean a revenue of $30,000 for what power is now being sold.

Nearly 800 lighting services are already installed. The majority of these are very small consumers, and their monthly bills will not be large. A vast addition will have to be made to the number, an expert claimed today, if the city is going to derive revenue enough from these customers to pay the expenses of running the department.

**To Break Even.**

"We hope to break even," said Superintendent Glaubitz. "We are at work on the figures now, and we expect that they will be ready shortly. Of course, the interest and sinking fund on the transmission line will not be figured in. I have not all the figures ready as yet, but we expect to break even. If we do, I think we will be doing first rate."

However, the same optimism does not exist elsewhere in the city hall. Some anticipate a deficit of about $30,000, while others think it will be $20,000.

At the present time, the city auditors are going over the expense account of the construction of the distribution station and lines.

**More Money Wanted.**

The sum of $235,000 was set apart for that purpose, and it is now practically all gone, with much work still to be done. There was no appropriation for meters, and quite a sum of money will be required to furnish secondary wires for light users.

In addition, there are other capital expenditures to be made, and the commissioners are anxious to find out just how much will be required additional to complete their work.

No definite figures can be obtained, but it is likely that at least $30,000 more will be required. Debentures will be issued for this work.

## IS GOVERNMENT ABOUT TO GO TO THE POLLS?

Ottawa, March 20.—In parliamentary circles today, the editorial of the Toronto Globe this morning on the parliamentary outlook is considered very significant as containing a hint that the Government may be forced to go to the country on the reciprocity issue should the Opposition obstruct supply this week.

## THE MILD SPELL SENDS RIVER UP

**Several Feet Above the Usual Depth at Springbank Dam.**

The comparative mildness of Sunday's weather, followed by the warmth of today, has resulted in a marked rise in the river. At the Springbank dam the river ss several feet above its normal depth, and it is gradually rising. Owing to the gradual break-up, however, there is no likelihood of any damage resulting from the flooded condition of the river this year.

Today's sunshine will result in a marked increase in sugar-making activities throughout the surrounding country. The condition of the country roads is at present in a very rough and unsatisfactory state, and with the spring thaw the farmers will find it extremely difficult to market their produce for the next week or more.

SPRING OPENING.
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## SEAMEN'S STRIKE FEARED

**Tie-Up of English Ports Would Be Heavy Blow to Europe.**

Antwerp, March 20.—The impression deepens among continental shipowners that while an attempt by the International Seamen's Union to bring about a universal strike would fail, a serious strike at English ports may be expected. This eventuality is dreaded on the continent, where it is believed it would cause a condition of chaos in the world's shipping trade. It is admitted that there are not enough other sailors available to take the place of the union men if the latter should go out.

The action of the English unions is anxiously awaited.

**Card of Thanks.**

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stokes, of 425 Dorinda street, wish to thank the employees and office staff of the Empire Brass Works for their kindness shown them in Mr. Stokes' recent illness. B

**Card of Thanks.**

Mrs. George Burton, of 182 Grey street, wishes to thank the doctor, the nursing staff of Victoria Hospital, Court Robin Hood of the Canadian Order of Foresters, and the many friends for their kindness and sympathy shown to her during Mr. Burton's illness, and at the time of his death, also for the beautiful floral designs which were sent. B

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## LONDON AND DISTRICT

**Going West.**

Mr. William Peacock, of this city, who has been connected with the firm of Robinson, Little & Co. for twenty-five years, will leave for Calgary, Alta., about the first of the month, where he will reside.

**Concert at Hyde Park.**

Hyde Park Baseball Club held a very successful concert in the town hall Friday evening. The club divided into two sides, each side providing one-half of the programme. The side captained by Mr. Will Mason succeeded in taking the laurels from their opponents captained by Mr. George May. The affair was largely attended by an enthusiastic audience.

**Dr. Ross' Sermon.**

Rev. Dr. Ross, pastor of St. Andrew's Church, preached a strong sermon last night on "The Beginning and Growth of Faith." Man's faith was born of a desire for a blessing he craved, declared the speaker. He should feel his utter helplessness, and assured that he would receive that for which he asked, he should urge his needs before the Master. There would be a constant struggle between faith and doubt, but faith would win, if the believer accepted God at His word.

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## REV. J. G. INKSTER IN CHALMERS CHURCH

### Special Anniversary Services Were Held on Sunday.

Special anniversary services were conducted at Chalmers Presbyterian Church yesterday. In the morning Rev. J. Gibson Inkster preached, and took as his subject, "The Mystery of Suffering." He pointed out that suffering has been a great fact all through the world's history. It is hard, he said, to realize that suffering is a gift from God, but it is quite easy to imagine that health and prosperity are. War has been one of the very greatest causes of suffering all through the ages. The great result of adversity, pain and suffering in general is to produce fine character. The world's greatest literature has been produced under conditions such as this. "Suffering in itself may become a gift," he said. "If it is undergone for Christ or if we suffer so that someone else may benefit. A mother is the most beautiful character in the world, but motherhood is only obtainable through suffering."

At the evening service Rev. Mr. Baird, of Hyatt Avenue Methodist Church, preached.

The anniversary will be continued on Tuesday evening, when an old-fashioned tea will be given in the church, and an address will be made by Rev. H. H. Bingham, of the Talbot Street Baptist Church.

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## TAKE CASH TO CANADA

### Two Hundred Britons Worth From $5,000 to $25,000 Each Will Become Farmers.

London, March 20.—When the Royal Edward left Liverpool for Halifax she carried aboard a unique party of emigrants. In comparison with the ordinary run of emigrants landed at New York, they might be styled emigrants de luxe, for they are all persons who are more or less well-to-do. The amount of capital which each one takes into Canada varies from $5,000 to $25,000.

The party numbers a little more than 200, and was gathered from all sections of England. They are all farmers or are going to be farmers, and with the means at their command can start on an extensive scale, and without any of the handicaps which usually retard the new settler.

In this party of moneyed emigrants are many retired army officers who have sons growing up. It is mainly for the benefit of these sons that the change will be made and new homes established in the Dominion, where the prospects for future prosperity are so much brighter than they are in England.

It is the plan of the heads of these families to train their boys in practical farming for a few years, and then when they are grown up to give them farms of their own to develop.

Land in sufficient quantities will be bought, so that there will be plenty to divide up when the times comes. With land at 2s an acre these emigrants de luxe can easily afford to purchase large tracts.

The party is under the personal direction of J. M. Clark, an agent of the Ontario Government, who came to England for the express purpose of assembling the emigrants, conducting them to Canada, and seeing to it that they were satisfactorily settled in various parts of the Province of Ontario.

"Still another party similar in character and number will leave England on April 6," said H. A. McDonald, who is at present acting as the agent of the Ontario Government in Great Britain.

M. B. Colcock, the regular agent, has been ill for three months and unable to attend to his duties. He is now rapidly recovering and will be back at his office in a short time.

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## SPRING MILLINERY OPENING

Misses Milroy, of 523 Richmond street, announce that on and after Wednesday, March 22, they will be ready to make a first showing of spring millinery.

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## BISHOP FALLON ON ST. PATRICK

### His Lordship Is Proud of Ireland's Catholicity.

A congregation that filled St. Peter's Cathedral beyond its seating capacity heard Bishop Fallon speak on the everlasting work of St Patrick in Ireland last evening. His lordship dwelt on the great faith of the Irish people, and declared that so long as man respects all that is great and glorious, Ireland will hold a place alone in the world.

Fifteen hundred years ago, he said, St. Patrick entered the Emerald Isle, and within the short space of one lifetime a pagan nation had been converted to Christianity and without bloodshed. During the first three centuries following this great change, Ireland enjoyed a glorious period. Historians declare that in that period that island became known as the land of saints and scholars. The Irish sent men to all parts of the world and filled the universities of Europe.

This term was followed by dark days of trial and disaster, in which the Irish were forced to endure famine and were driven from home because of the faith they held. The sons of Erin have long ago forgiven, but those days were too glorious to forget, declared the speaker.

"I am an Irish-Catholic, not an Irish nationalist," said the bishop. "I detest nationalism that makes religion subservient. I hold Ireland dear because of the faith of her people. While we sing of the glories and prosperity of the past, let us bear in mind her only real untarnished glory is Catholicity, the only thing the world could not rob her of."

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## IRVING DETECTS PLOT IN COUGHING AT PLAY

### Declares Jealous Ones Conspire to Interfere With First Night Performance.

London, March 20.—Laurence Irving has discovered that he has another grievance. It seems to be getting to be a habit with Irving to find that he is being abused or is the victim of a conspiracy. It will be remembered that he had some such experience in America on his tour last season. This time it is a conspiracy, and the conspirators are people who go to his first nights to cough and spoil the play. At the first performance of "The Lily" he had a printed slip inserted in the programme, which read:

"The management begs to state that anyone troubled with the 'first night cough' will be supplied with jujubes on application."

He was not joking, either, for in the Leader he makes a statement about it, in which he says: "There are people—actors, actresses, minor dramatists and other disappointed or disagreeable persons—who find a sinister pleasure in doing all they can by the subtle means of coughing to interfere with the progress of the play. They know that there is nothing which so upsets an actor as constant coughing, and they know they are protected by what is apparently an affliction. It is a deliberate practice with a deliberate object. It is a subtle conspiracy."

Mr. Irving also states that he has been the victim of it on several occasions and that the guilty plotters are jealous managers, actors and dramatists.

There is no doubt that in the winter coughing in London theatres is a great annoyance both to the actors and the audiences. Still the fault does not lie with the audience, but with the cold and draughty theatres.

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## ENGLISH CAPITAL TO DO THE HONORS

### An Impressive Ceremony Will Follow Brilliant English Coronation.

## A SWORD PLAYS PART

### The Dress Demands of Queen Mary Are Very Exacting—Dislikes Short Sleeves.

London, March 20.—It is expected that the arrangements to be made by the corporation of London for the visit of the King and Queen to the city on June 29, will largely, if not entirely, follow those observed on Saturday, Oct. 25, 1902, when King Edward and Queen Alexandra were welcomed in the city after their coronation.

In that event the lord mayor and the sheriffs on horseback, with their state officials also mounted, and with the aldermen and common councillors of the city in carriages, will meet the King and Queen at the city boundary at Temple Bar.

On their arrival the lord mayor, having dismounted, will advance to the King and present to him the pearl sword given to the city by Queen Elizabeth.

**King to Return Sword.**

The ancient custom is for the King to touch the sword and return it, and, this being done, the lord mayor will remount his horse and take up a position immediately in front of the sovereign's personal escort, where, bareheaded, he will carry the city sword of state before his majesty.

It has already been stated that the King and Queen will attend a service at St. Paul's Cathedral on their way to the Guild Hall and in regard to this a separate programme will be issued, but it is expected that the lord mayor, carrying the sword erect, will precede the King and Queen to their seats and there lay the sword before the King.

At the close of the service the lord mayor will escort their majesties to their carriages and the state procession to the Guild Hall through the streets be resumed.

The crowning of Queen Mary, on June 22, will be only a little less impressive than that of King George. During the long service that precedes the setting of the crown on the King's head the Queen will occupy a chair of state in the chapel of St Edward the Confessor. After the King has been proclaimed sovereign of the British realms, the Queen will be led to a stool placed between the altar and that historic chair of St. Edward in which, when the moment arrives, the King will already be seated.

Queen Mary will then be anointed upon the head and hands by Archbishop Lang who will place the crown on her head and the ring of peace on her finger. Grasping the sceptre that bears the dove, the Queen will then be led to a throne two or three steps lower than that of King George, and upon his immediate right.

It will not be the Archbishop of Canterbury, however, but the Dean of Westminster who instructs the King and Queen in the details of coronation ceremonial.

**Dress Demands Exacting.**

Queen Mary is very particular in regard to the dressing of those in her immediate entourage, neatness and quiet good taste being the mot d'odre among her ladies in waiting and the youthful recently appointed maids of honor.

Among other regulations issued as royal commands to the latter young women are certain minute details, more especially as regards their morning and afternoon attire when in waiting on the queen.

"Queen Mary has a dislike, for instance," says the Gentlewoman, "to the blouse or costume being cut low in the neck and she permits only the neat high collar or lace for morning or afternoon toilets.

"The Queen, too, has commanded that when in waiting her maids shall eschew another mode somewhat in favor with many young girls at the moment—viz., the wearing of short elbow sleeves; and it may doubtless have already been remarked in some of the recent photographs published of one or the other of the Queen's maids of honor that with the neat morning gowns the sleeves appear finished closely up to the wrist.

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## KING AN EARLY RIDER

### The British Ruler Resumes Morning Appearances in Rotten Row.

London, March 20.—King George is evidently bent upon reviving some of the glories of Rotten Row, but if society is going to keep pace with the court in this matter it will have to change its hours.

For some reason King George suddenly dropped the habit of early riding in the row soon after his accession, but now he has resumed, and if the royal example is to be followed 11 o'clock must cease to be the fashionable hour in the row, for the King is out riding in the mornings before most of the dwellers in Mayfair and Belgravia have finished breakfast.

The King used to ride a big black horse, but his favorite now is a rich light chestnut—a horse with a history. It is a splendid animal, standing 16.2, beautifully formed.

It is, in fact, the charger which King Edward bought as a present for the deposed Sultan of Turkey. The horse was selected with special care, all the preliminaries were arranged, the Sultan had accepted the King's offer and the foreign office had approved the presentation.

The gift was duly dispatched and had got as far as Marseilles, when the news came that Abdul Hamid had been deposed.

The charger was returned to the royal stables in London, and now is admired by all who see him with King George in the saddle.

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## ENGLAND RESPONSIVE TO ARBITRATION PLEA

### Feeling of Mass of People Favorable to a Peace Pact With United States.

London, March 20.—The question of Anglo-American arbitration has put all other topics of discussion in the background for a week. Such a suggestion put forward in such a manner and by such a man as Sir Edward Grey, would at any time appeal at once to the imagination of any generous-minded people, and his appeal from this point of view met with an immediate response, the heartiness of which seems to be increasing daily.

Sir Edward's original speech contained one point which more thoughtful people immediately declared would spell failure for an otherwise grand idea. This was the suggestion that an arbitration agreement might be followed by a further agreement between the two nations to join against a third that refused to accept arbitration. It is evident that Sir Edward soon realized that this was a mistake, and in a later speech he took care to explain it away.

Though the suggestion meets with such general approval in this country there is a certain minority which strongly opposes it, and their criticisms are of varying shades. It is not necessary to devote more than a word to this type of critic, which is represented by the Saturday Review, which refers to Sir Edward's speech as "the usual claptrap about England and America," and "quite dythrambic drivel about peace."

The more moderate critics express the fear that the idea is too millennial for the present day. They hold with Nelidoff, who at The Hague in 1907 declared that there was a whole series of cases in which the honor, dignity, and essentials were concerned, and in which nations as well as individuals never recognize other authority than their own judgment. These critics, however, applaud the ideal, while doubting its present practicability.

**Some Difficulties.**

Regarding this very impracticability otherwise friendly critics express doubts amounting to disbelief in the likelihood of any state consenting to such an agreement. They point out that among the chief sumbling-blocks is the hostility of the German and Irish Americans, who they declare to be the most homogeneous bodies of public opinion in America. They also see a difficulty in the Anglo-Japanese alliance, but optimists declare that the home rule difficulty will soon be out of the way, dissipating at once the opposition of the Irish Americans. They add that the Anglo-Japanese treaty expires in 1915, and if removed, a clause can be inserted regarding the relations of England and America. It is a simple matter, as English opinion is not so favorable to the Japanese alliance as it was. At any rate, it is pointed out, it would not be allowed to stand between any important agreement that was wanted by Great Britain and the United States.

It is quite natural, though perhaps illogical, that in all the discussions of this topic, the one country that is not concerned in arbitration between England and America is most often mentioned, and that country is Germany. It is accepted here now as a commonplace that war between England and the United States is unthinkable, and the arbitration agreement which is foreshadowed is unnecessary to avoid any conflict, but it is greatly desirable as clinching peace between the two greatest nations in the world, and as affording an example to the rest. An arbitration agreement between Germany and England would do more to insure the world's piece than anything else imaginable. But it is believed here that it is hopeless even to think of an anglo-German agreement on such all-embracing lines.

The Spectator gives an enthusiastic welcome to the Taft-Grey scheme, but without mentioning Germany clearly indicates its position, it says:

"Arbitration is only for satisfied powers. An ambitious, restless, or unsatisfied power does not want to preserve the status quo. If we should suggest arbitration to such a power, she would regard it as the offer of a cord to tie her hands. 'You have already seized most of the delectable places,' she would say. 'I came too late. You ask me to admit that I can never have a place under the sun.' It may be difficult, but we shall not abandon hope."

But critics or no critics, England or Europe, the words of Taft and Grey have struck a responsive chord in this country, and nothing but good can result.

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## BACON BACKER DEFIANT

### Detroit Man, "Mud Digger of Wye," Dares Shakespeare Champions to Debate.

London, March 20.—Dr. Orville Owen once of Detroit, Mich., but now "The Mud Digger of the Wye," is out with a challenge to debate publicly the subject of the Baconian authorship of Shakespeare's plays with any Shakespearean authority.

He offers to prove the existence of a secret cypher in those plays and prefers to meet such accepted Shakespearean authorities as Andrew Lang, Sidney Lee, Sir William Robertson, Nicol or Clement Sorter.

Mostyn Piggot, the poet laureate of the Savage Club, has contributed a few stanzas dealing with the work of the Sage of Chepstow. Here they are:

Upon the mud manks of the Wye
He's digging daily, digging nightly,
In garb that to our island eye
Is most unsightly.

The wild fowl send weird cries abroad
And on his toil the ducks and drakes peer
As he attempts to prove the fraud
Of William Shakespeare.

The mist looms o'er him like a pall,
But he has sternly undertaken
To show that Shakespeare's plays were all
The work of Bacon.

He'll also prove that Bacon wrote
The works of Dickens, Swift and Shelly,
Of Philip Sidney, Milton, Grote
And Miss Corelli.

So let's not seek the Yankee's blood
Or pass the sentence of a lifer—
We have our own who deal in mud
To find—a cypher.

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Do not store away any unsound or bruised fruits or vegetables, as they will soon decay, and cause all those next to them to go the same way.

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