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TRUST CO. GOES TO SMASH; OWES ABOUT TWO MILLIONS

The Merchants Company of New York Closes Its Doors By Order of State Authorities.

New York, May 23.—The doors of the Merchants Trust Company of this city were closed today.

The Merchants Trust Company had a capital stock of \$500,000, and owed depositors about \$2,000,000. An examination of the company's affairs was made by the state banking department on Dec. 23 last. The report of the state banking department showed that the company's book surplus of \$1,198,737 had been reduced by the examiners to \$1,074,543. While the examiners had increased the value of some of the securities held by the company, they threw out some others as valueless and reduced the valuation of others. The company is trustee of a \$4,000,000 consolidated mortgage on the property of the Hudson Valley Railway Company, which is a consolidation of trolley lines around Albany, Troy, Saratoga, and Lake George. The bank examiners accepted the company's valuation of the securities of the Hudson Valley Railway Company held by it. The company was organized in 1899. In May, 1902, the stock reached a high point, 290 being bid for its dollars. Edwin Hawley was president of the company at one time.

It was said today that the closing of the institution was due to inability to secure payment of certain large loans on which the collateral consisted of securities of the Hudson Valley Railway Company. The company was a participant in the Hudson Valley Railway Company syndicate to the extent of \$50,000.

Reports that the company would be obliged to discontinue business were circulated in Wall street yesterday and affected the stock market in the late dealings yesterday afternoon.

Samuel Untermyer, counsel for Jacob L. Phillips, president of the Merchants Trust Company, gave out the following formal statement: "In view of the publicity that has been given to the efforts of the company to increase its cash resources, and to the unmarketable character of certain of the securities which it holds as collateral for large loans, I have advised the president to recommend the suspension of business, so as to prevent a further loss of confidence."

The deposits of the trust company today are about \$2,000,000. Its available assets, aside from the amount in the Hudson Valley Railway bonds, are about \$1,000,000, so that out of Hudson Valley and Rutland properties and out of the liability of stockholders, it will be necessary to realize about \$500,000 in order to pay depositors. The trust company holds Hudson Valley bonds to the amount of nearly \$1,300,000, and it substantially owns the Rutland properties, in which have been invested \$1,000,000. These securities in connection with the liability of stockholders to the amount of \$500,000, which are not quick assets, are sufficient to pay depositors and save the capital of the trust company above impairment.

While the Hudson Valley and the Rutland Companies are probably in better shape than they were today, than ever before, the trust company has not been able up to the present time to realize upon these securities, which are not quick assets, a sufficient sum to pay depositors and save the capital of the trust company above impairment.

A GREAT WOMAN GONE

Reformer Mary Livermore Passes to Her Reward.

Melrose, Mass., May 23.—Mrs. Mary Livermore, the writer, died today. Mrs. Mary Livermore was born in Boston on Dec. 19, 1820, and was the daughter of Timothy Rice. After being educated in the Boston public schools and the Charleston Female Seminary, she was a teacher for a number of years. In 1845 she was married to Rev. D. P. Livermore, a Universalist clergyman, who died in 1899.

Mrs. Livermore was the first president of the Illinois Women's Suffrage Association, and at the time of her death she was president of the Massachusetts Women's Suffrage Association.

Mrs. Livermore was active in the anti-slavery agitation and Washington temperance movement. During the civil war she took a leading part in the work of the United States Sanitary Commission. After her return to this state she was for ten years president of the Massachusetts Women's Christian Temperance Union. In the course of her work on the platform she delivered lectures all over this country and in England and Scotland. She also was the author of many books.

Good for Port Arthur.

Port Arthur, Ont., May 23.—Another important industry is about to locate here. The Raymound Gasoline Engine Company having decided to erect a factory in which they will employ about 200 men.

Big Row in British House; Speaker Forced to Adjourn

Opposition Howls for Fiscal Statement From Balfour and Refuses to Listen to Others.

London, May 23.—In the House of Commons today, Premier Balfour replying to questions on the subject, said he did not consider himself pledged to inaction in regard to colonial preference, except so far as parliamentary action was concerned. He reiterated that the Government did not intend to deal with the fiscal question in the present Parliament. The matter of colonial preference might, however, be submitted to a colonial conference in 1906.

Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, the Liberal leader, charged Mr. Balfour with violating the pledge he had made in his Edinburgh speech, and moved the adjournment of the House to discuss the matter. The debate on the motion came up at the night session and was marked by disorder. The Liberal leader demanded a plain answer from Premier Balfour, and Alfred Lyttleton, Secretary of State for the Colonies, rose to reply. The members of the Opposition drowned the efforts of the secretary with cries of "Balfour, Balfour." After continuing for about ten minutes, Mr. Lyttleton sat down.

Winston Churchill then attempted to speak, but the Ministerialists drowned his efforts. The Nationalists joined in the din and shouted for the police. After several members had failed to secure a hearing the Premier rose to a point of order and a temporary lull followed. Mr. Balfour said he thought it highly improper that he should be immediately expected to follow the leader of the Opposition. He said he had never known the Opposition to refuse to hear a minister, and he insisted that the House should hear Secretary Lyttleton as other wise the dignity of the House could not be maintained.

Mr. Lyttleton again attempted to speak, but the uproar was renewed. Finally the Speaker said it was obvious that the scene could not continue, and he would therefore adjourn the House under the rule empowering the Speaker to take such action in cases of such grave disorder. The Speaker had been unable to secure even a semblance of order amid howls and counter howls lasting over an hour. The action of the Speaker and the scenes in the House created a tremendous sensation in the lobbies, which were crowded with members

Billy Maclean's Challenge.

Ottawa, May 23.—On motion to go into supply yesterday, Mr. Armand Lavergne asked whether, as Mr. W. F. Maclean was not in his seat, he had, in accordance with his challenge, resigned his seat in South York to contest London with Hon. C. S. Hyman.

Colonel Sam Hughes suggested that Mr. Maclean's offer was conditional, and no better candidate could be found.

Hon. Mr. Fielding said it was unfair in Mr. Maclean's absence for one of his colleagues to suggest that somebody else would be a better Conservative candidate than he was.

MUCH ORE FOR THE SOO

Thousands Sent to the Big Canadian Smelters.

Detroit, Mich., May 23.—An Ashland Wire dispatch says: "During the present season, at least 500,000 tons of brotton, Yale and New Era ore will be shipped from Ashland to the Algoma Steel Company at the Canadian Soo. Considerable ore also will go to the Canadian Furnace Company at Midland. This port has never before shipped over one-third this amount to Canadian ports, the business starting in 1902 with half a dozen cargoes. The quality of ore being sent to the Canadian furnaces is of the very best Bessemer grade, and at \$4 per ton. The Canadian ships Lorguins, Monksheaven, Laford, Strathcona, Falkie and Barium are now engaged in the trade."

Two More for Maclean.

Washington, May 23.—August W. Maclean, under sentence of two years imprisonment for his connection with postal frauds, pleaded guilty today to an additional charge of conspiracy, charged jointly with Crawford and Lorenz with conspiracy in the purchase of letter carriers' satchels, and was sentenced to an additional two years imprisonment. Several other indictments involving similar charges will be quashed.

QUEEN'S WANTS SLICE OF GRANT

Whitney Scored for Giving Monetary Assistance to Toronto Alone.

Toronto, May 23.—Queen's University, in view of the proposed grant by the Government of \$25,000 to the Central Hospital, in connection with the clinical work of the University of Toronto, is moving to Toronto. The medical faculty of Queen's has passed a resolution declaring that the grant is a departure from the past educational policy of Ontario, and requesting the Government to consider the claims and work of Queen's University in any monetary grant that is made for medical education.

THE G. T. R. MACHINISTS

Reports Says a Settlement May Be Reached This Week.

Port Huron, Mich., May 23.—Rumors are afloat that a settlement of the difficulty between the G. T. R. and the machinists may be made this week. Some of the men desire, it is said, to go back to work. It is understood that work may be resumed tomorrow. It is said that a number of outside machinists applied for work at 300 miles from Port Huron, and that he turned them away, saying that he would rather give the former work than a chance if they would come back.

SUNBEAM DOING WELL

Brassey's Yacht Passed Well Out On Atlantic in Cup Race.

New York, May 23.—Lord Brassey's yacht Sunbeam, a contestant in the trans-Atlantic cup race, was passed yesterday by the steamer Kron Prinz Albrecht, both of which were 87 miles from Sandy Hook. The following dispatch to that effect has been received by the Associated Press: "The Sunbeam, commanded by Wilhelm, of Goderich, Ont., have organized into a Royal Canadian Flotilla. They will spend \$250,000 on plant in St. Boniface, if exemptions are granted and will erect a 4,000-barrel mill."

MINE CAVED IN

One of Clark's Big Pits Put Out of Business.

Prescott, Ariz., May 23.—Millions of tons of rock and earth caved in yesterday in Senator Clark's United Verde copper mine at Jerome, Ariz., the ground dropping over the surface to the 700 foot level. Cracking timbers gave the alarm, and 300 miners fled, escaping uninjured. The hoisting works, which are over the mine, have settled, and the machinery cannot be worked. The smelting plant has also been shut down and all activity has ceased.

Officers of the company say the damage is not irreparable, and that the smelter will be working again within a month.

Big Trust Failure.

Gold Field, Nev., May 23.—The Gold Field Bank and Trust Company, with liabilities of \$75,227, has failed. Assets so far discovered are \$4,821, of which \$4,800 is in notes. There was \$16 in the vault and a \$5 gold-piece was found under the counter.

The most disorganized state of affairs seems to exist in the books of the bank.

Gold Field is a new mining town in the heart of the newly-discovered gold country of Southwestern Nevada.

SISE THINKS 'PHONE CONTRACTS WITH RAILWAYS ARE ILLEGAL

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, May 23.—At the meeting of the telephone committee today, Manager Sise, of the Bell Company, was further examined. W. F. Maclean, who took up again the exclusive contract with the railways, and asked Mr. Sise's opinion in regard to these contracts.

Mr. Monk—That is a question of law, and it does not matter what Mr. Sise thinks of it.

Mr. Sise considered that since the amendment to the law the contracts are illegal.

Mr. Maclean—Do you still make those contracts?

Mr. Sise—I don't think that is a proper question, when I say that they are illegal. In reference to the North

American Telegraph Company, Mr. Sise said that the Bell Company owned the stock.

Mr. Aylesworth said that a letter had been read from Hon. Mr. Oliver stating that if Edmonton had not bought out the system in that town the Bell Company would have got hold of it. Mr. Sise explained that he did not desire to buy out the Edmonton system, because it would have been impossible to standardize it at a cost of not less than \$50 a phone. He read a letter written in September last to the local manager at Edmonton, stating that the municipality would buy out the local company the Bell Company would not bid against them, and would also give connection to Calgary and other distant points.

Mayor Urquhart, of Toronto, was examined in regard to the telephone situation in that city.

REILLY MAY BE RELEASED

Physician Says the Detention is Injuring His Health.

Belleville, Ont., May 23.—There seems to be no doubt that F. J. Reilly, the ballet box expert and the man who was released from custody in the case of two Dr. Farley, jail physician, has recommended to the authorities that Reilly be released, on the ground that his health, both bodily and mentally, is being injured by his detention for the full year would result in the gravest consequences. Reilly is still in jail here.

GONE TO THE BOTTOM

French Vessel With 127 Fishermen Aboard Given Up for Lost.

St. Servian, France, May 23.—All hope has been practically given up here for the safety of the three-masted sailing vessel Cousins Reunis, which left this port 50 days ago for St. Pierre Miquelon, off the coast of Newfoundland. She had on board 128 fishermen, and great grief prevails here among the missing men's families.

Canada's Crack Golfer Gets Good Start in English Championship.

London, May 23.—Geo. L. Lyon, the former Canadian champion, won his first game today in the amateur golf championship now in progress at Prestwick, Scotland, defeating E. M. Smith, by two up and one to play. Lyon and Smith are competing against the aggregate record of 148. The competition will occupy five days.

FROM MOOSEJAW NORTH

C. P. R. Preparing to Tap a Rich Agricultural Section.

Moosejaw, N. W. T., May 23.—Mr. Seymour, secretary of the board of trade, has received a letter from William White, second vice-president of the C. P. R., containing the information that the president has recommended that a survey be made of the proposed road from Moosejaw north, and that there is prospect of the road being built at an early date. This is a most important matter, as it is the most important road in the province, and the road will then open up a large district of good farming land tributary to the city.

Confessioners Insolvent.

Toronto, May 23.—A. J. Stewart & Co., confessioners, Toronto, have admitted insolvency, and a winding-up order has been applied for by Eby, Prain & Co., wholesale grocers, who are creditors for \$300. Other liabilities are \$1,200.

New Milling Enterprise.

Winnipeg, Man., May 23.—Another big milling enterprise is contemplated. The Winnipeg Flouring Company, of Brandon, and McGraw, of Goderich, Ont., have organized into a Royal Canadian Flour Mills Company. They will spend \$250,000 on plant in St. Boniface, if exemptions are granted and will erect a 4,000-barrel mill.

WEAVER HITS BACK.

Philadelphia, Pa., May 23.—Director of Public Works Costello and Director of Public Safety Smyth today at the request of Mayor Weaver, have tendered their resignations. This is the latest and most startling development in the fight against the city fathers of the City of Philadelphia.

Oae of the Johns Dead.

St. Louis, May 23.—John Stewart Cross, known throughout the theatrical world as J. C. Stewart, one of the "Two Johns"—the famous fat men of the stage—is dead at the home of his son, Dr. Butler R. Cross, Mr. Cross was 81 years old and was born in Dublin, Ireland.

THE WEATHER.

Tomorrow—Fine and Warm.

London, Tuesday, May 23.
Sun rises, 4:45 a.m. Moon rises, 12:39 a.m.
Sun sets, 7:43 p.m. Moon sets, 9:35 a.m.

Toronto, May 22—8 p.m.
Local showers have occurred today in the Northwest Territories. Elsewhere the weather has been for the most part fine. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 44-48; Prince Albert, 52-58; Winnipeg, 46-54; Port Arthur, 38-53; Pelly Sound, 32-52; Toronto, 38-52; Ottawa, 42-54; Montreal, 44-54; Quebec, 38-54; Halifax, 40-50.

FORECASTS.

Tuesday, May 23—8 a.m.
Today—Light to moderate winds, fine and a little warmer.

TEMPERATURES.

Stations.	5 a.m.	9 a.m.	Weather.
Calgary	30	39	Fair
Winnipeg	34	48	Rain
Edmonton	36	46	Clear
Pelly Sound	32	38	Clear
Ottawa	44	54	Fair
Montreal	42	54	Fair
Quebec	42	52	Fair
Halifax	42	52	Fair
St. John's	42	52	Cloudy

NOTES.

Rain has fallen in nearly all portions of the Territories and Manitoba, attended by some thunderstorms. Elsewhere the weather has been generally fine. More rain is indicated for Manitoba.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the local observatory for the 24 hours ended at 8 p.m. Monday were: Highest, 59°; lowest, 39°.

Whitney Intends to Rush Through Balance of Business.

Toronto, May 23.—The Legislature will adjourn this afternoon, and it is the intention of Mr. Whitney to sit through until the business is completed. This will be possible if no opposition is raised to any of the bills on the order paper. There is a possibility, however, that Mr. Harcourt may have some objections to make to the method of financing the university improvements. Prorogation will take place on Thursday.

PRESBYTERIANS UNITE

Cumberland Church Voted Into the General Assembly.

Winona Lake, Ind., May 23.—The Cumberland Presbyterian Church was voted into the general assembly here today amid the greatest enthusiasm. The church, without a dissenting vote, it was the final action of the general assembly on one of the greatest questions which has come before it since the civil war, and brings back into the organization a church which went out during the war because of differences over negro slavery. The Cumberland Presbyterian Church, which has been chiefly at the secret meetings of the special convocations, and great grief prevails here among the missing men's families.

WHERE IS ROJESTVENSKY? ROCKEFELLER, JUN., TO BOLT

Hasn't Been Heard From for Ten Days, Says Russia.

St. Petersburg, May 23, 1:38 p.m.—The Associated Press was informed at the admiralty this morning that the Vice-Admiral Rojostvensky for ten days, when it is believed, he set out on his voyage. The report that Rojostvensky's death was ridiculed at the admiralty.

The sending of Vice-Admiral Birielt to Vladivostok, it is explained, was a natural precautionary measure for the purpose of having an energetic commander at Vladivostok to repulse the Japanese fleet, which is expected to be at the mouth of the Amur river. The latter is killed or disabled during the coming sea fight, no doubt being entertained that the fleet come to the aid of the Russian fleet.

Should Rojostvensky come out of the fight victorious and enjoying fair health, it is considered to be a foregone conclusion that he will be awarded by appointment to the supreme command. Fortunately the best relations prevail between Rojostvensky and Birielt, and the latter would be glad to give way to his victorious colleague.

Nemirovitch Danchenko, the well-known Russian newspaper correspondent, has written an informed defense of the Russian soldiers against the reproach of drunkenness, comparing his observations in the Russo-Turkish war and in the present conflict with the increased sobriety of the Russian troops.

Tokio, May 23.—Noon.—Imperial army headquarters reporting today says: "The Russian cavalry which detoured Pakumen, from the right bank of the Liao River, was frequently defeated by our rear guards. On May 20, after their failure in the vicinity of Tafen-shen, they camped with the main strength at Siaoatzu, 26 miles from Pakumen, and on May 21 they retreated to the right bank of the Malien River."

"In the meantime a few companies of the enemy's" remaining on the left bank of the Malien River were defeated and retreated northward in disorder. Otherwise the situation is unchanged."

Tourgee Buried.

Bordeaux, France, May 23.—The funeral of Judge Albion Wingate Tourgee of Mayville, N. Y., the American consul here, who died Sunday morning, took place today in the English Church. The entire American colony and all the foreign consuls were present.

Seven-Year-Old Child Reported Being Brought Up as an Indian.

Toronto, May 23.—Parties near Orillia have written to J. J. Kelso, superintendent of neglected children, stating that Indians near there have a white girl about 7 years of age whom they are bringing up as one of themselves. The department of Indian affairs at Ottawa has been asked to look into the matter.

Empire Day at Kingston.

Kingston, May 23.—Empire Day was joyfully observed here. There was no union demonstration this year, but each school had its own celebration of songs, flag-raising and patriotic addresses by trustees, aldermen and clergymen.

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TRANSIENT CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS - NO ADVERTISEMENT LESS THAN 10 CENTS

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.
Two cents per word each insertion.
MEETINGS—When no admission is charged, one cent per word each insertion.
ARTICLES FOR SALE—To LET, HELP WANTED, SITUATIONS WANTED, BOARD AND LODGINGS, LOST AND FOUND, ROOMS TO LET, REAL ESTATE FOR SALE, ETC.—First insertion, one cent per word; subsequent insertions, one-half cent per word. No advertisements less than ten words.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

BIRTHS.
BLACKWELL—On May 14, 1905, to Mr. and Mrs. George A. Blackwell, Komoka, a daughter.
LEE—On Sunday, May 14, 1905, at Victoria Hospital, London, the wife of Rev. E. Lee, Courthouse, a son.

DEATHS.
PLANT—On May 22, 1905, William J. Plant, aged 34 years.
Funeral from residence of Mr. James Campbell, Poplar Hill, on Thursday, May 25, at 2 p.m.; service at 10 a.m. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation. Interment at Poplar Hill Cemetery. 219

MEETINGS.
SPECIAL MEETINGS VICTORIA DAY—Salvation Army. Open-air, 2:30 and 7:30 p.m.; meetings in their Chapel, 3 and 8 p.m. Special music by the Brass Band.

MALE HELP WANTED.
OFFICE BOY WANTED. DR. HADLEY Williams, 439 Park avenue. 21c
WANTED—YOUNG MAN TO LEARN machinery mending, four years' industry. Rates: First year, \$10 per day; then \$1, \$1.50 and \$1.40. A. Leonard & Sons. 21c
BOY OR YOUNG MAN WANTED TO work in butcher shop. Apply at once, John Heaman, 9 York street. 21c
TEAMSTER WANTED. GREEN & CO., coal and wood dealers, 46 York street. 21c
MAN WANTED TO DRIVE GROCERY wagon, no horses to care for. Apply T. A. Rowat & Co. 20c
STRONG BOY TO WORK IN CAP factory. The Pandora Cap Company, Limited, 266 Richmond. 21c

FEMALE HELP WANTED.
BROOKLYNERS WANTED—STEADY employment for good men. Apply Thomas Bros., Limited, St. Thomas. 19c
TELEGRAPHERS HAVE A STEADY work at good pay the whole year round, with unexcelled opportunities for advancement. We can qualify you for a superior position in a few months. Write for free illustrated telegraph book, giving Morse alphabet and full particulars, mailed free. Write today. Dominion School of Telegraphy, 9 East Adelaide street, Toronto. 21c
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A Double-Barreled Campaign.

The western view of the school clauses of the autonomy bill is perhaps reflected accurately in the statements, published elsewhere in this issue, of Rev. Dr. Andrew Browning Baird, professor of church history in Manitoba College. Dr. Baird, we are told by the Toronto Globe, was the pioneer Presbyterian missionary in the Saskatchewan, and was the minister of the first congregation in Edmonton in 1881. He was for years a member of the Board of Education of the Northwest Territories. He is one of the foremost men of the Presbyterian Church of Canada. Dr. Baird points out that the revised clauses of the autonomy bill simply continue the Territorial school system, which the people have for years approved and sustained. The clauses commend themselves to him as a satisfactory compromise, which inflicts injustice on no one, and he believes they will be accepted by the people directly affected.

Mr. Borden, during his stay in London, was very careful to say that the question of separate schools was not involved, but that the issue was purely the constitutional one of provincial rights. But many of his followers choose to regard it as a question of separate schools, and persist in placing it on that basis. If Mr. Borden is sincerely desirous of lifting the controversy above the dust and heat of sectarianism, others who pretend to speak for the Conservative party are pursuing different tactics. They are the most aggressive elements in the party in Ontario, and they profess to be spoiling for a fight. A dispassionate discussion of the autonomy bill they denounce as cowardice. Their newspapers publish inflammatory cartoons, and are busily manufacturing race and creed combustibles. They cry that the Federal Government is the tool of the hierarchy and is "coercing" the new provinces. In Quebec a different story is heard. It is surprising that the Montreal Gazette, usually so fair and moderate, should lend itself to this double-barreled campaign against the Government. The Gazette finds fault with the Government, not for subservience to the Roman Catholic hierarchy—quite the contrary. It complains that the amended clauses of the autonomy bill are a concession to "Liberal intolerance" and will have the effect of "modifying and not of creating a privilege in the interest of religious minorities." The Gazette continues:

"The question is now, not whether there shall be separate schools, but whether the separate schools shall be such as the representatives of the Catholic minority ask for, or such as the prejudices of the Protestant majority (in this case) represented by the majority of the Liberal party in Parliament, will permit it to give."

"So far as Parliament is now concerned, there is more to be said in favor of being generous than of giving grudgingly the least that the minority will accept, and be quiet. A motion to strike from autonomy bills clause 16, and to leave the minority to the protection of the B. N. A. Act in what they now enjoy, might appeal to a greater number in Parliament and in the country than either of the propositions that have heretofore been discussed, that of Mr. Borden, which has been rejected, and that of the Government, which, as described by most of those who have publicly approved of it, is little more than a sham concession to the Catholics."

The Montreal Gazette is an English Protestant paper, but it strikes hands with the Bishop of Three Rivers and the Ultramontanes, who denounce the school clauses as unjust to the Catholic minority. We have a repetition of a not unfamiliar situation in federal politics: Sir Wilfrid Laurier attacked in Ontario as the active protagonist of his race and religion, and in Quebec as the enemy of both. In the autonomy bill, as in the Manitoba school question, he has tried to devise an honorable compromise, which will produce the minimum of disturbance and inflict no injustice on the majority or the minority. He has not satisfied extremists, but he has tried to satisfy "the common sense of most."

A First Class Road Is Assured

The preliminary surveys for two sections of the eastern division of the new transcontinental railway have been completed. These cover the territory between Moncton, N. B., and Clear Lake, which is about 140 miles west of the city of Quebec. The commissioners now have sufficient data to enable them to decide whether to run the line diagonally through the Province of New Brunswick from the Quebec boundary, or via Fredericton and the St. John River Valley, north and south. It is encouraging to learn that there are no insuperable engineering difficulties in either route, and that the line, all the way from Clear Lake to Moncton, will traverse valuable country, most desirable for settlement.

Using the same grades as the Intercolonial, a saving of 90 miles would be effected between Levis, opposite Quebec city, and Moncton. The same motive power that would haul 600 tons on the new line going east, and 900 tons going west. The saving in the cost of haulage would be proportionate. This difference in favor of the shorter route will be greater on account of the better grades and curves, which can be secured. The standard of the Intercolonial grades is 1 per cent. For the transcontinental line, the grades on eastbound traffic will not exceed 4 per cent, and on westbound traffic 6 per cent, with very few cases of the latter. It is satisfactory to know, too, that the estimated cost of the line

between Moncton and Quebec is \$23,000, which is lower than expected. Even this figure may be reduced.

The back country of Quebec, which was almost a terra incognita, is reported upon favorably by Chief Engineer Lamont. Between Quebec City and the Ontario boundary it is well timbered with spruce, cypress, birch, poplar, small tamarack and cedar, and is dotted with numerous lakes. It is not yet decided whether the line will run north or south of Lake Abitibi, but sufficient information has been gathered to put to rest all doubts as to the feasibility of a first-class railroad.

The Toronto Crime.

The psychology of the shocking crime committed by a 13-year-old girl in Toronto will arouse much discussion. A veteran detective ascribes it to heredity. The theory of heredity is pushed very far by criminal pathologists like Lombroso. The dogma that may dole out with the instincts of the criminal, which will assert that serves inevitably, is an appalling one, which moral reformers do not wish to accept unreservedly. In the Toronto case, it is not the only explanation of the character and conduct of the child. The girl's mother is dead, her father and step-mother are separated, and the neighbors say the girl was allowed to "run wild." She had been already under the care of the Children's Aid Society, but it had no means of keeping her under supervision when she was returned to her father. While her crime was so abnormal as to suggest the theory of congenital tendencies, it is probable that the girl would not have been capable of it had she been a few years older, when she could have realized its enormity. Mr. Kelso, general superintendent of the Work for Neglected Children, states the case truly: "She simply needs now what she needed before—proper discipline and training, so that she may come in time to realize the enormity of her offense and be converted into a penitent but still useful and respectable woman."

The Liberals have a candidate to cheer for.

Call at the Liberal clubrooms and help to roll up Hyman's majority.

The mother of Parliaments is not setting a good example to her progeny.

June is Hyman's busy month, and it will be a great month for Hyman, too.

Mr. Hyman has reflected credit on his native city. His native city will do him no discredit on election day.

Our local contemporary thinks it is fearfully corrupt to allude to Mr. Hyman's promotion.

A Coney Island performer has lost a trained flea, for which \$100 reward is offered. Have you got it?

The surveyors' reports show that the arguments in favor of a new transcontinental railway were straight and level, like the new road will be.

Sir Eliezer Taschereau wishes to be relieved of the job of deputy-governor. How is the King's Government to go on?

The Ontario Legislature adjourns today or tomorrow. The new Government has slipped through its first session comfortably. The real test will come when it undertakes to do something new.

Analysis shows that London does not need to go from home to look for the cause of its typhoid outbreak last year.—Hamilton Times.

Take it back! The provincial analysts found that public wells at Port Stanley were badly polluted, and the local health authorities found that 85 per cent or more of the typhoid patients in this city had drunk water from those wells on a certain day in July. London has the best drinking water in the country.

Gentle Raost.

[Cleveland Leader.]
Mrs. Lush—I sat next to a drunken man at the matinee this afternoon. Mr. Lush—Must have been annoying. Mrs. Lush—No, I enjoyed it. You see, he had all he could hold, so he didn't have to bother me by going out between the acts for more.

A Board of Trade That Does Things.

[St. Catharines Standard.]
Stathford has a live board of trade, which has reason to congratulate itself on its work for the past few years. When an industrial proposition is laid before the board of trade is foremost in the work of getting out the vote.

Love That Lasts.

[Philadelphia Press.]
She—Would you really die for me? He—No, dear, I would not. She—There! I thought you wouldn't, and yet you talk of love— He—My dear, my love is of the undying sort.

Bristles.

[Philadelphia Press.]
"Say!" sneered the bulldog, "you don't know much about scientific fighting." "Perhaps not," replied the porcupine; "if you want to try a little bout with me, however, I think I can give you a few points."

Single and Double.

[Chicago Tribune.]
"This," said the man who was showing the stranger around the city, as he pointed to a broad stretch of beach, "belongs to old Bigsby. It's all made land. That's his house, back there on the left." "Is that on made land, too?" asked the stranger. "No; that's no married land. He got it with his wife."

Not a Masterpiece.

[Harper's Weekly.]
A Scotch laboring man who had married a rich widow exceptional for her plainness was accosted by his employer. "Well, Thomas," he said, "I

hear you are married. What sort of a wife have you got?" "Weel, sir," was the response, "she's the Lord's handiwork, but I canna say she's his masterpiece."

Wealth of Our Millionaires.

[Milwaukee Sentinel.]
Henry Clews has made an estimate of the wealth of a number of the millionaire capitalists of the United States, in which he places John D. Rockefeller first and Andrew Carnegie second. This is the list: John D. Rockefeller.....\$50,000,000
Andrew Carnegie.....15,000,000
William Waldorf Astor.....10,000,000
John Jacob Astor.....10,000,000
Gould family.....10,000,000
Marshall Field.....10,000,000
Baker estate.....10,000,000
W. K. Vanderbilt.....10,000,000
Russell Sage.....10,000,000
D. O. Mills.....10,000,000
William Rockefeller.....10,000,000
J. P. Hill.....10,000,000
J. P. Morgan.....10,000,000
H. Rogers.....10,000,000
Henry Phlipps.....10,000,000
J. D. Archibald.....10,000,000
Henry M. Flagler.....10,000,000
James B. Haggin.....10,000,000
James Henry Smith.....10,000,000
James Stillman.....10,000,000
George F. Baker.....10,000,000
"Given away, leaving \$200,000,000."

Mr. Clews admits that his list is by no means complete. Prominent among the well-known capitalists who are not included are the owners of the so-called Rock Island crowd, P. A. B. Widener, Mrs. Hetty Green and others of equal prominence.

O'Leary at the Crossing.

[Wallace Irwin, in June Smart Set.]
'Tis all along Fifth avenue, as wheels the grand display
Of hansom, coach, victoria, of landau and coupe,
That like Napoleon Bonaparte reviewing his army
Stands Officer O'Leary at the crossing.
"Whoa, there! slow there! Can't ye understand?"
Dirig'ble back! atop that back whin O' hould up me hand.
That's the way ye must chivy when th' general gives command!"
Says Officer O'Leary at the crossing.
'Tis all along Fifth avenue the city orchid blooms.
The miles and miles of many styles, furs and silks and gloves,
But keen and stern, the censor of the coachman and the groom,
Stands Officer O'Leary at the crossing.
"Whoa, now! slow now! Put yer horse to grass!"
Aisy, sure, ye fresh chafar!—don't give me any sass!
Halt, O'Leary, an' open way to let this lady pass!"
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Turn Him Down.

[San Antonio (Texas) Express.]
Pretty maid, if you discover
That your ardent, pleading lover
Spends his time in leading idly round the town;
If his hair is carried bangy
On his forehead, and he's slangy,
Don't you hesitate a moment—
turn him down.

If you note his eyebrows fusing
Over the nose that he is using,
And the very least annoyance makes him frown,
He has got a disposition
That may land him in perdition,
And you'd better nerve yourself and turn him down.

If he pays no marked attention,
Doesn't even give it mention,
When you meet him in a new and charming gown,
Show him to the door politely,
Till his hazy night
Visits must be discontinued—
turn him down.

If he talks about the races,
Calls his silver dollars "cases,"
Tells you how he "done up" Smith and Jones;
If he meets you with a swagger,
And you catch a sniff of lager,
Get your nerve in proper trim and turn him down.

Study well your pleading lover,
Or you may too late discover
That he'll place more thorns than roses
In the path of your love;
And if anything about him
Gives you slightest cause to doubt him,
Do it in a gentle way, but turn him down.

Five Years' Dyspepsia Cured.

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EMPIRE DAY CELEBRATIONS

(Continued from page 6.)
where displayed. The programme in the afternoon included addresses by Police Magistrate Love, and Trustees Yeates, Evans and Fitzgerald, and a number of patriotic songs by the children. Prizes won in the Daughters of the Empire essay competition were also presented.

At Talbot Street School.

A very interesting and entertaining programme was carried out at Talbot street school. The first part of the morning was taken up with the raising of the flag, all the children of the school participating in the ceremony. All joined in singing "The Maple Leaf," "Rule Britannia," and "God Save the King."

Afterward the scholars again assembled in the class rooms, and the teachers gave interesting addresses on the empire, pointing out its wonderful progress and stability, and how it has carried liberty with it wherever it has spread.

In the afternoon a union programme was carried out. Principal Liddicott presided, and the following took part: Essays, Marjorie Plawton, Lillie Gray, Sibbelle Grant; Empire Day oration, George Little; solos, Clara Higgins, Betham, Gordon, Calhoun, Kathleen Brodick, May Graham; instrumental, Vera Ellwood, Kathleen Brodick; class choruses, by all the scholars. The rooms were gallily decorated with flags, and presented a very creditable appearance.

At the Park School.

Empire Day was celebrated today in an interesting manner at the Park school, when the following programme was given: British Empire, Catharine Smart; Canada, Nora Moore; arms of Canada, Kathleen Brodick; productions of Canada, Gladys Peters; people of Canada, Nancy Niven; "My Canada," recitation, Arleta Huggins; Canada in 1855, Marjorie Plawton; Canada in 1863, Dorothy Gunn; Canada in 1879, Eloise Chapman; Canada in 1812, Helen Stone; Canada in 1837, Annie Ward; Canada

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At Princess Avenue.

The front of the Princess avenue school was tastefully decorated with flags of all colors, and the children grouped themselves around the front steps. Several interesting essays were read, among them being the four prizes, essays written by Gordon Emery, Eva Baskette, Laura Butler and W. Hillard Stevely. Many patriotic songs were given by the children, and the accompanying of a cornet. Then, while two of the classes of little ones formed a ring around the tall flag pole, the Union Jack was slowly hoisted, and the children sang in chorus, "It's Only a Bit of Bunting." Maude Runyan and Eleanor Toland hoisted the flag. Canon Dunn was present and briefly addressed the gathering.

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In view of the fact of the pastor, Rev. A. H. Gohg, B. A., being about to remove to another field of labor, the following resolution was carried unanimously:

"Whereas the time is near at hand when the happy relations that have existed between us, as pastor and people, will soon be severed, we desire to place on record our high appreciation of the many services rendered by him. He seemed to be the right man in the right place, holding the people back, may land him in perdition, and every branch of church work, administrative and executive abilities have been of the highest order, and have been of great value to us as a church. It is with the deepest regret that we contemplate the severance of the ties that have bound us so closely together by pastor and people, and in parting with him and his family our united prayers will ascend to the throne of heavenly grace that the Father of all mercies will continue to bless and keep him and his, and make him a power for good, wherever he may go."

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The maintenance of safety in the rural districts of Cuba and along highways is entrusted to the care of the Rural Guard of Cuba, a body of excellent men, well mounted and equipped, numbering 1 chief, 163 officers and 2,566 men. It is intended to increase the number of men to 4,000.

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A WIDE SPHERE OF USEFULNESS.—The consumption of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil has grown to great proportions. Notwithstanding the fact that it has been on the market over thirty years, its popularity is as great as ever, and the demand for it in that period has very greatly increased. It is beneficial in all ailments, and wherever introduced fresh supplies are constantly asked for.

The directors of the Great Western Railway in England are planning to introduce an American engine on their road, and if it proves to be a success they will use them for the express trains which cover the long distances.

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Wheat	1.12	1.12
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Buckwheat	1.00	1.00
Peas	1.00	1.00

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Corn	1.00	1.00
Barley	1.00	1.00
Rye	1.00	1.00
Buckwheat	1.00	1.00
Peas	1.00	1.00

DAIRY PRODUCE.

Butter, cream, 1 lb.	14	14
Butter, rolls, 1 lb.	14	14
Butter, cream, 1 lb.	14	14
Eggs, doz., whole	13.50	14
Eggs, doz., retail	14	14
Honey, strained, 1 lb.	12	12
Honey, comb, 1 lb.	12	12
Peas	1.00	1.00

WOOL, HIDES, TALLOW.

Wool, washed, per lb.	15	15
Hides, No. 1, per lb.	15	15
Hides, No. 2, per lb.	14	14
Hides, No. 3, per lb.	13	13
Tallow, rendered, 1 lb.	4	4
Tallow, rough, 1 lb.	3.50	3.50
Sheepskins, each	65	65

VEGETABLES.

Potatoes, per bag	65	65
Green Onions, per doz.	40	40
Lettuce, per doz.	20	20
Radishes, per doz.	20	20
Rhubarb, per doz.	20	20
Asparagus, per doz.	20	20
Sage, per doz.	20	20
Savory, per doz.	20	20
Spinach, per doz.	20	20
Carrots, per doz.	20	20
Onions, per doz.	20	20
Beets, per doz.	20	20
Parsnips, per doz.	20	20
Cabbages, per doz.	20	20
Cauliflowers, per doz.	20	20
Celery, per doz.	20	20
Sage, per doz.	20	20
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Lettuce, per doz.	20	20
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Hens, select, cwt.	4.50	4.50
Pigs, per cwt.	4.50	4.50
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Export cattle, cwt.	4.50	4.50

BUTCHERS' MEATS.

Dressed hogs, cwt.	4.50	4.50
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Butter, cream, 1 lb.	14	14
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Eggs, doz., whole	13.50	14
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Honey, strained, 1 lb.	12	12
Honey, comb, 1 lb.	12	12
Peas	1.00	1.00

WOOL, HIDES, TALLOW.

Wool, washed, per lb.	15	15
Hides, No. 1, per lb.	15	15
Hides, No. 2, per lb.	14	14
Hides, No. 3, per lb.	13	13
Tallow, rendered, 1 lb.	4	4
Tallow, rough, 1 lb.	3.50	3.50
Sheepskins, each	65	65

VEGETABLES.

Potatoes, per bag	65	65
Green Onions, per doz.	40	40
Lettuce, per doz.	20	20
Radishes, per doz.	20	20
Rhubarb, per doz.	20	20
Asparagus, per doz.	20	20
Sage, per doz.	20	20
Savory, per doz.	20	20
Spinach, per doz.	20	20
Carrots, per doz.	20	20
Onions, per doz.	20	20
Beets, per doz.	20	20
Parsnips, per doz.	20	20
Cabbages, per doz.	20	20
Cauliflowers, per doz.	20	20
Celery, per doz.	20	20
Sage, per doz.	20	20
Green onions, per doz.	20	20
Lettuce, per doz.	20	20
Parsley, per doz.	20	20
Rhubarb, per doz.	20	20

LIVE STOCK.

Hens, select, cwt.	4.50	4.50
Pigs, per cwt.	4.50	4.50
Sows, per cwt.	4.50	4.50
Stags, per cwt.	4.50	4.50
Crass cattle, cwt.	4.50	4.50
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BUTCHERS' MEATS.

Dressed hogs, cwt.	4.50	4.50
Beef, per cwt.	4.50	4.50
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Hay, per ton	10.00	10.00
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Flaxseed, per bush.	10.00	10.00
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Spring chickens, pair	1.00	1.00
Old hens, pair	1.00	1.00
Ducks, per pair	1.00	1.00
Geese, per pair	1.00	1.00
Chickens, per lb.	1.00	1.00
Hens, per lb.	1.00	1.00
Ducks, per lb.	1.00	1.00
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POULTRY, DRESSED.

Old hens, pair	1.00	1.00
Spring chickens, pair	1.00	1.00
Ducks, per pair	1.00	1.00
Geese, per pair	1.00	1.00
Chickens, per lb.	1.00	1.00
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CHAPTER XXIX.

Into the princess' own chamber they carried Maurice, and laid him on the white bed. Thus would she have it. No young man had ever before entered that sacred chapel of her maiden dreams. Beside the bed was a small prie-dieu, and she knelt upon the cushion and rested her brow against the crucifix. The archbishop covered his eyes, and the state physician bent his head. Chastity and innocence at the feet of God; yet not even these could hold back the raging breath of life. She asked God to forgive her the bitterness in her heart; she prayed for strength to repel the weakness in her limbs. Presently she rose, an angelic sweetness on her face. She looked down at Maurice; there was no sign of life, save in the faint drawing in of the ether line. She dampened a cloth and wiped the sweat of agony from the marble brow.

"O, if only he might live!" she cried.

"And he will not,"

"No, your highness," said the physician. He has perhaps an hour. Extraordinary vitality, however, is the cause of his living so long. He has not nearly all the blood in his body. It was a frightful wound. He is dying, but he must return to consciousness before the end.

The archbishop, with somber eyes, contemplated the pale, handsome face, which lay motionless against the pillow. His thoughts flew back to his own youth, to the long years which had filled the gap between the faint and come and gone, loved ones vanished; and still he stood, like an oak in the heart of a devastated forest, alone. Why had he been spared, and to what end? Ah, how did he wish, how very old! To live beyond the allotted time, was not that a punishment for some transgression? His eyes shone through a mist of tears.

The princess, too, contemplated the face of the dying man. How many times had that face accompanied her in her dreams! How familiar she was with every line of it, the lips, that turned inward when she smiled, the certain look of hair that fell upon the forehead! And yet, she had seen the face in reality less than half a dozen times. Why had it entered so persistently into her dreams? Why had the flush risen to her cheeks at the thought? At that moment she remembered that she had refused to listen to the voice which answered; but now, as the object of her thoughts lay dying on her pillow, her mind would not play truant to her heart. Sometimes the approach of love is so imperceptible that it does not provoke analysis, and she suddenly found it in her heart, so strong and splendid that she submitted without question.

All, all her dreams had vanished, the latest and the fairest. Across the azure of her youth had come and gone a vague, beautiful face of love. The door of earthly paradise had opened and closed. That delicate string which vibrates with the joy of living seemed parted; her heart was broken, and her mind was in a daze. With straining eyes she continued to gaze. The invisible arms of her love clasped Maurice to her heart and held him there. Only that day he had stood before her, a delight to the eye; and she had given him her hand to kiss. How bravely he had gone forth from the city! She had followed him with her ardent gaze until he was no longer to be seen. And now he lay dying, a feeble form.

"Monsieur," she said, turning to the physician, "I have something to say to Monsieur."

The physician bowed and passed into the boudoir, the door of which he closed.

"Father," she said to the prelate, "I have no secrets from you. She pointed to Maurice. 'I love him, I know not why. He comes from a foreign land; his language none of his people understand, and yet the thought of him has filled my soul. I have talked to him but four different times; and yet I love him. Why? I cannot tell. The mind has power to rule the impulse of love. Were he a life, perhaps my love would be a sin. Is it not strange, father, that I love him? I have lost parental love. I am losing a love a woman loves priceless above all others. He is dying because of me. He loves me, I read it

in his eyes just before he fell. Perhaps it is better for him and for me that he should die, for if he lived, I could not live without him. Father, do I sin?"

"No, my child," and the prelate closed his eyes.

"I have been so lonely," she said, "so alone, I craved the love of the young. He was so different from any man I had met before. His bright, handsome face seemed constantly with me."

At this moment Maurice's breast rose and fell in a long sigh. Presently the lids of his eyes rolled upward. Consciousness had returned. His wandering gaze first encountered the sad, austere visage of the prelate.

"Monsieur?" he said, faintly.

"Do you wish absolution, my son?"

"Yes."

"I am dying,"

"Yes, God has my account, and he will judge it. I am not a Catholic, Monsieur." He turned to his head. "Your highness?" He roved about the room with his eyes and discerned the faint smile on the face of the princess. Where am I?"

"You are in my room, Monsieur," she said. Her voice broke, but she met his eyes with a brave smile. "Is there anything we can do for you?"

"Nothing. I am alone. To die, I feel, is a beautiful world, when we have learned it, full of color and life and love. I am young; I do not wish to die. And now, where? Monsieur?"

"Dying, to me, is not a thing of death, but of life. That is not to say that they ever die. In the presence of death we are all equal. Living, I might not speak; dying, I can speak."

"Yes, my son, speak. Her highness will listen."

"It is to her highness that I wish to speak."

Her lips quivered, and she made no sign of her tears. "What is it you wish to say to me, Monsieur?"

She smoothed his forehead, and the touch of her hand made him forget his pain.

"Ah, I know not how to begin," he said. "Forgive me if I offend your ears. I have been foolish even to dream of it, but I could not help it. When first I saw you in the garden, the old dog was beside you. . . . I then it came to me that my future was linked to the thought of you. I did not know you were so far beyond me. I was very cold, but I dared not speak of it, for fear you would lead me at once to the gate. That night wherever I looked I saw you. I strove to think of some way to serve you, but I was so obscure, I could not think of you would remember me again, but you did. . . . That afternoon in the carriage. . . . I wanted to tell you that I loved you, but I was so shy. It is still on my heart. I loved you, and to this end. And I am glad to live. . . . My mother used to call me Maurice. . . . To hear a woman repeat it again before I go."

"Maurice," she took his hand timidly in hers, and looked at the archbishop.

"Speak to him from your heart, my child," said the prelate. "It will comfort you both."

Suddenly she dropped and the tears fell upon the hand in hers. "Maurice," she whispered, "you have not loved me, but I could utter no more, but she raised her head and looked into his eyes, and he saw the glory of the world in them.

"Into still waters and silence," he said softly. "No more pain, no joy, no love, silence. You love me, I have loved you, often have I repeated that name to myself. . . . I have not strength to lift your hand to my lips. . . . I kissed him on the lips. She felt as if she, too, were dying.

"God guard your highness," he said. "I do not wish to die. . . . He tried to raise himself, but he could not. He sank back, settled deeply into the pillow, and smiled. After that he lay very still.

THE END.

BRUSSO TO GO AFTER

HUGH KELLY AT DETROIT

Chicago, May 22.—Hugo Kelly, after waiting to hear from Jack O'Brien until patience ceased to be a virtue, has accepted a bout with Noah Brusso, alias Tommy Burns, the Canadian lacrosse-playing boxer or boxer-lacrosse player, whichever you prefer. The bout is scheduled for ten rounds on June 7, before the Spanish War Veterans' Association, in Light Guard armory, Detroit.

But after the article had been signed, Silvie Ferretti, manager of Kelly, received a telegram from Al Herford, manager of Jack O'Brien, saying that O'Brien was willing to fight again.

"Must be June 9 or no match," read the telegram. Ferretti wired Edward J. Ryan, matchmaker for the Detroit organization, to release Kelly, but this Ryan refused to do, and Ferretti has notified Herford to this effect.

"To bad O'Brien did not make up his mind sooner," said Ferretti last evening. "After that Indianapolis fight, in which I am sure Kelly showed that he has a shade on O'Brien at any time, I thought the Philadelphia man would be reluctant to give us another fight. But I waited, hoping Herford would come to bat. This Detroit offer came up and we accepted."

Pertini considers Brusso a good man. The bout is to be ten rounds to a decision, the men to weigh 155 pounds, and the bout is for the western middleweight title, according to the managers. Edward J. Ryan will referee.

THE RING.

WIN OR QUIT THE RING.

San Francisco, Cal., May 21.—"If I don't beat Young Corbett on the night of June 2 I will never put on another glove in public," said Eddie Hanlon today. "I mean every word I say. It is a case of win or quit with me, and I have no intention of quitting, so you see I intend to win." Hanlon is not given to shouting from house-tops, and his words may be taken at their full value. Many a boxer has made a similar wall that he didn't keep, but the little giant, who is so justly popular whenever he appears, is bound to be a top-notch fighter, and he is the game of fist-cuffs.

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Surprise by the Juniors; London Defeats Stratford

Evens Up Matters After the Recent One-Sided Game in Classic City.

The London juniors surprised a good many people last night when they easily defeated the Stratford juniors on St. Johns grounds in a 40-minute game.

When Stratford trimmed the London boys last week in Stratford it was thought that London would have a poor chance of winning the return game. If the visitors played the same men in the first game as they played last night, it is difficult to understand how they won out so decisively.

The game was played under protest, as the official referee, Mr. Govenlock, was not notified of the game, and could not be found at the last moment. So Mr. Downing was substituted, and not being a regularly appointed referee, he will explain their defeat to their home friends by throwing the blame on the referee, for when London returned from Stratford they complained bitterly of the referee's work. The line-up:

London. Stratford.

Goal. Preston

Goalkeeper. Back. Hamilton

Goalkeeper. Back. Roberts

Goalkeeper. Back. Wood

Goalkeeper. Back. Kier

Goalkeeper. Back. Mann

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THE HOLIDAY PAPER

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This edition will be furnished to all readers.

LONDON AND DISTRICT

—Mr. George Frank is visiting his parents at Port Huron.

—Mr. George Scott, Port Huron, has arrived in this city, and will remain a few days.

—Mrs. J. A. Eakins, of this city, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Philip at Sparta.

—Lieut.-Col. Peters will go to Sarnia on Thursday and inspect the Sarnia Collegiate Institute Cadet Corps.

—Deputy Grand Master Essery will dedicate a new Orange Lodge room at Guysboro, near Tillsonburg, tomorrow.

—The general delivery ticket at the postoffice will be open tomorrow from 8 to 10 a.m. and 6 to 7 p.m. There will be a delivery by carrier in the morning only.

Gordon L. Jepson, of this city, was one of the London boys who was very successful at the recent examinations at the Ontario College of Pharmacy in Toronto.

—In the list of those who passed the examinations held by the Michigan state board of examiners in dentistry last week appear these names: J. O. Brake, Petros; W. E. West, London.

—Mr. Charles Clarke, of Pall Mall street, leaves today for England, where he will spend two months with relatives. Mrs. Clarke leaves for Sharon, Pa., where she will spend a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. A. E. Wales.

—Windsor Record. The marriage of Miss Anna Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Thompson, of Walkerville, and George C. King, of London, will take place on Saturday, June 20, at the home of the bride-elect.

—Mr. Harry Lister, of this city, who has been with Messrs. Cairncross & Lawrence for some years, was one of the Londoners who passed his final examinations at the College of Pharmacy, Toronto. Mr. Lister has returned to this city, and has accepted a position with Messrs. Cairncross & Lawrence.

—The Women's Auxiliary of the Anglican churches of this city met in Croydon Hall last night, with Mrs. Sage, the president, in the chair. Some plans of work were discussed, and Mrs. "Pilly," who attended the annual meeting of the N. Y. A. of the Province in Toronto recently, gave an interesting account of the proceedings of that organization.

COUNTY COUNCIL MEETING.
The Middlesex County Council will meet on Monday, June 2.

DUFFIN MAY GET JOB.
It is stated that Mr. Thomas Duffin, of West Nisour, will be the new inspector for East Middlesex, to succeed Inspector Bailey.

JEN—WEBB.
A very pretty wedding took place in Mount Brydges on Monday, May 22, at Pine Grove, the residence of Mrs. A. V. Webb, the bridegroom being Mr. Robert Jen, of London, and the bride, Miss Mabel, youngest daughter of Mrs. A. V. Webb. Rev. Mr. Adamson, rector of Mount Brydges, officiated.

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REMINDED HIM OF FORMER YEARS

O. O. C. Finds Cadet Corps as Efficient as When Commanded by Capt. Ingram.

The annual inspection of the Collegiate Institute Cadets by the O. O. C. took place at the armories yesterday afternoon. The corps turned out about 25 strong under Capt. Dunn, Lieut. Yarker and Lieut. Fisher. Various movements were performed, and Col. Peters congratulated the corps on its fine appearance. He said he was glad to see that the corps had attained the same efficiency as it had several years ago, when Capt. Ingram was in command. He trusted that the corps would be still larger next year and receive the same aid as it had this year from the board of education. Col. Peters also congratulated Lieut. Gregory, the drill master, and the officers.

The cadet corps of No. 1 military district, the local team, will compete by team for the Beck shield on the afternoon of June 1. The firing competition will take place in the armory here and the target used will be of the Peters type.

Each corps is to be represented by a team of twenty. The local team consists of the first twenty in the recent shoot for the Daughters of the Empire rifle, and is as follows: Capt. Eyre, Lieut. Fisher, Lieut. Yarker, Color-Sergeant Marshall, Sergt. Bowes, Sergt. Graham, Sergt. Smith, Corp. James, Corp. Skelton, Corp. Lancelotti, O'Dell, Ptes. Peters, Burgess, Johnson, Hodges, McInnis, Graham, Hooper, Young and McLellan, Pte. Jones is spare.

The prize of \$5, offered by Mrs. Peters, for competition in the local corps, was won by Lieut. Bowes, who shot off with Capt. Dunn.

New rubber-tire Victorias. Hueston's.

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NOW FOR THE BATTLE

Arrangements Completed for Maneuvers of Seventh Regiment.

Full arrangements for the field maneuvers of the Seventh Regiment at Springbank tomorrow have been completed. A general outline of the sham battle has been drawn up, but, while keeping in the general line, each party will, of course, be free to move as will.

The general idea of the battle is: An eastern force, consisting of Companies A, E and H, having occupied London, has a portion of its force protecting the water supply at Springbank. A western force, consisting of Companies B, C, D, F and G, is trying to cut off the water supply.

The western force will assemble at the armories at 8:30 o'clock in the morning and march to Byron Bridge, whence it will begin its attack at 10:30.

The eastern force will leave the armories at 9:30, and proceed to Reservoir Hill, remaining east of the pump-house, and subject to the order of the commanding officer.

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Evidence was also given by Mrs. Ellen Snell, deceased's wife, by Mrs. George Prodders, and William Reid. William Reid said he was at the house of William Snell two weeks ago Sunday morning when Prodders assaulted Snell. Witness was sleeping upstairs, and came down about 7 o'clock Sunday morning when he heard an altercation going on. Prodders had a bag of cakes and Snell cried "They are mine," striking Prodders at the same time. Prodders said, "If it were not for the law of the land, I would massacre you on the spot." Prodders then kicked Snell, and the latter cried to his wife, "Nellie, they are killing me." Snell afterwards called a policeman, and Prodders went away quietly.

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A happy old lady in Wisconsin says: "During the time I was a coffee drinker I was afflicted with headaches, recurring every two or three weeks, and sometimes lasting two or three days, totally unfitting me for anything."

"To this affliction was added, some years ago, a trouble with my heart. I finally decided about two years ago to abandon the use of coffee entirely, and as I had read a great deal about Postum Food Coffee, I concluded to try that for my breakfast beverage."

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NEW MAINS WANTED

Number of Applications Presented to the Water Commissioners.

A meeting of the water commissioners was held yesterday afternoon, at the residence of Chairman Dorch, Commissioner Jones, Mayor Campbell, Engineer Moore and Secretary Ellwood present.

Applications for new mains on York street, east of Rectory, on Renwick avenue, on Central avenue, from Ontario street east, and on Ridout street, from Albert street north, were received and referred to the engineer.

The report of Engineer Simble showed for the two weeks ending May 16, an average of 3,717,763 gallons and a total output of 50,748,265. The wages of Gardener Mitchell were increased from \$1.20 to \$1.25 per day.

HAD A LONG DRILL

Seventh Spent Nearly Two Hours at Tecumseh Park Last Night.

The Seventh had one of the longest drills of the season last night in Tecumseh Park, it being after 10 o'clock when the corps again entered the armory and were dismissed. Large crowds followed the regiment to the park, as usual, and the gallery in the armory was full of spectators. The armory was full of the return. Company drill occupied most of the evening, and some extended order and firing exercises were also engaged in. Major Croft was in command, and Major Hayes conducted drill.

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