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Russ Warships Now in French Ports; Japanese May Go In as at Port Arthur

Rojestvensky Is Coaling and Revictualling at Kamranh Bay.

St. Petersburg, April 17. — 11:55 a.m. —The news that vessels of the Russian squadron have put into Kamranh Bay, north of Cape Padaran, off the east coast of Cochin China, bears out statements contained in these dispatches a week ago to the effect that Admiral Rojestvensky probably would seek shelter off that part of the Cochin China coast, and there coal and make his final preparations before embarking on the final stage of his journey. No definite information is obtainable as to the length of the squadron's stay at Kamranh Bay, or whether the warships have already sailed, the admiralty, even if it knows, being naturally silent on this point.

"You may be sure," said an officer, "that every precaution will be taken against a torpedo attack. Rojestvensky can be relied upon to protect his ships."

Among naval men the idea that Admiral Rojestvensky has divided his squadron is not entertained. No confirmation has been received here of the reported naval engagement north of the Natuna Islands, which, according to the British steamer Telemachus, which has just arrived at Hong Kong, took place 150 miles north of the Natuna Islands in the afternoon of April 12th.

DID RUSSIA BREAK RULES?

Japan Says Have Been in Kamranh Bay 48 Hours.

Tokio, April 17. — It is calculated here that the Russian squadron arrived at Kamranh Bay at noon, April 12, and therefore had been occupying the port 48 hours when seen at noon on April 14.

Some at Turan Bay.

London, April 17.—A special dispatch from Hong Kong says that a portion of the Russian squadron was seen Sunday at Turan Bay, about 35 miles north of Kamranh Bay.

Turan Bay is between latitude 16 and latitude 17 north. According to advices from Haifong to a Paris newspaper, 40 Russian vessels were recently sighted in that latitude steaming north.

Togo Made Dash In.

Tokio, April 17. — The information received regarding vessels of the Russian squadron being seen at Kamranh Bay, April 14, reached Tokio today and was given to the public through a brief communication from the navy department. The news was a surprise because it was generally doubted that France would permit the use of her ports to a belligerent squadron engaged in offensive operations. The Japanese Government is silent on the subject of its intentions, but it is expected that it will make immediate representations to France. The response of France is eagerly awaited, particularly as to whether France admits the squadron is within territorial waters when off Madagascar. If she denies it in this instance it will give Japan an opportunity to attack the Russian vessels without violating France's neutrality.

Japs Capture Colliers.

Saigon, April 17. — The Japanese recently captured a large number of colliers off the coast of Cochin China.

Six men, supposed to be Japanese, landed some days ago at Cape St. James, near here, from an Annamese junk, and after a brief stay re-embarked.

A number of Russian warships are anchored in Kamranh Bay, where they are victualling.

Stopped by Russ Cruisers.

Hong Kong, April 17. — The German steamer Brunhilde arrived here today from Singapore, and reported that she was stopped for two hours by three Russian cruisers April 14, 30 miles north of Cape Padaran. The Brunhilde counted altogether 33 vessels steaming north-northeast at ten knots. The ships appeared to be in good condition.

A report is current here that a portion of the Russian squadron has reached a bay in Chinese waters northward of Hong Kong.

Cape Padaran, off the coast of Cochin-China, is not far south of Kamranh Bay, where it is reported a number of Russian warships are anchored and revictualling.

No Russian Wounded.

Saigon, April 17. — The steamer Eridan, which was purchased by a local French firm, sailed yesterday evening with a full cargo of provisions for the Russian squadron.

The health of the Russians is remarkably good. Only eight deaths from disease have occurred since their departure from Europe out of an effective totaling 18,000 men.

A Russian officer suffering from beriberi is in the hospital here. The other sick men who were brought here by the Russian hospital ship Orel include Prince Cantacuzene, but the reports that the Orel had wounded men on board are unfounded, as there had been no fighting up to the time of her arrival.

The Russian sailor who fell overboard in the Straits of Malacca, and who was rescued after floating twelve hours on a plank, was brought to Sai-

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CONSERVATIVES FOR MR. OLIVER

Only the Massey Hall Crowd Opposed to Him.

BRITISH CONSUL FOR ST. PIERRE

C. S. Low to Replace Major Moody in Command of Expedition to Far North.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, April 17. — The Toronto section of the Conservative party is meeting with poor success in its efforts to get up opposition to Hon. Frank Oliver in Edmonton. Some Conservatives were asked to subscribe to a campaign fund here, and they refused to do so on the grounds that they had no desire to force the people of the Northwest into doing that to which they were opposed. All leading Conservatives in Edmonton are supporting Oliver, and opposition is now confined to Massey Hall, Toronto.

A Consul for St. Pierre.

The trade and commerce department has been advised that a British consul has been appointed for St. Pierre. Notwithstanding pressure from the Canadian Government for years past, the French Government always refused to sanction the appointment of a consul on this island.

Under the Anglo-French agreement of April, 1904, Mr. G. S. Hampson was accepted as British consul for St. Pierre by the French authorities. He is expected to reach Halifax on his way to his new duties about the 22nd inst. The British Government has instructed Mr. Hampson to render all the assistance he can to the Canadian ministers. Owing to the absence of a British officer, Canada has had to spend a large sum of money for a customs preventive service on the eastern coast.

Going to Far North.

A steamer will leave shortly for the far north, and will take A. S. Low, of the geological department, who goes to take charge of the steamship Arctic expedition, in place of Major Moody. Capt. Bernier is sailing master of the Arctic. When Mr. Low goes the expedition will be exclusively in charge of the marine department. The work is now divided between the mounted police and marine departments.

Czar's Cavalry Repulsed.

Tokio, April 17, 2:30 p.m. — The following official report was issued today from the headquarters of the Japanese armies in Manchuria:

"On the night of April 15 five squadrons of the enemy's cavalry entered Sanyenching on the Fakoman Feng Hua road. Our force made a night attack and repulsed the enemy northward. The enemy was panicstricken and left eight men dead on the field. Our losses were two men killed.

"Frequent collisions between cavalry are occurring at various places. Otherwise there has been no material change in the situation."

DEAD IN BARROOM

Strange Death of a Laborer in a Sandwich Hotel.

Sandwich, Ont., April 17. — Miles Edgeworth, a laborer, was found dead in the Bridge Avenue Hotel yesterday morning. He came to the hotel the previous night with an acquaintance. After having a couple of drinks he fell asleep. At closing time the proprietor could not arouse the man, and decided to allow him to remain all night in the barroom. Next morning he was found dead. The cause of death has not been determined.

MR. GOURLEY VERY ILL

Late Member for Colchester Cannot Live Long.

Halifax, N. S., April 17. — Seymour Gourley, ex-M. P. for Colchester, is very ill with a complication of diseases, and there are no hopes that he can live more than a month or so. His health began to fail before the general election, but he took seriously ill three weeks ago.

WILL SURELY PASS

Autonomy Bill Likely to Go to the Senate in June.

Windsor, April 17. — Senator C. E. Casgrain, of this city, says the autonomy bill will surely pass the House of Commons and in all probability will reach the Senate some time in June. The Senate may object to certain clauses in the bill, but otherwise the bill will be passed.

TERRY BLACKBALLED

Woman's Club of London Would Not Admit Her—Mrs. Cragie Resigns.

London, April 17.—There is trouble in the newest and biggest of the women's clubs of London, the Lyceum. Edith Craigie, Ellen Terry's daughter, recently proposed her mother for membership. The popular actress was blackballed. Thereupon Mrs. Craigie ("John Oliver Hobbes") and several other well-known women resigned as a protest against this action.

Such an incident at the very outset of its career will possibly do great harm to the club in London. The Lyceum has been much advertised and much written about in the press, especially in connection with the idea of estiblishing Lyceum clubs in Paris, Berlin, America and elsewhere.

DELCASSE NOT TO RESIGN

French Minister Will Be Allowed to Carry Out Moroccan Policy.

Paris, April 17.—The rumors which have been printed in certain newspapers to the effect that M. Delcasse, the Minister of Foreign Affairs, went to the Elysee Palace with the intention of resigning his portfolio, are absolutely without foundation. There is probably, however, some truth in the report that Prime Minister Rouvier and certain other members of the cabinet attempted to put pressure upon M. Delcasse, with a view to taking steps to smooth over the difficulties with Germany.

What remains certain is that the French Government, without taking up a provocative attitude, is still determined to pursue the course it had mapped out in Morocco.

PROMISE TO REFORM CAME TOO LATE IN DOYLE'S CASE

Magistrate Love Sentences the Burglar to Seven Years in the Provincial Penitentiary.

HAS ALREADY SERVED TWELVE YEARS IN PRISON

Seven years in Kingston Penitentiary was the sentence passed upon John Doyle, the burglar, who was arrested just two weeks ago, after having broken into several places in South London. Doyle said nothing whatever when the sentence was passed, having the same stoical demeanor which has characterized him since his arrest. His counsel made a strong plea for leniency and promised that his client would fully reform.

When Doyle's name was called in the police court this morning, Crown Attorney McKillop stated that he was ready to have sentence passed upon the prisoner for the three crimes to which he had pleaded guilty. The fourth charge — that of breaking into the Grand Central Hotel—was not pressed. Mr. Faulds spoke in behalf of the prisoner, and stated that from conversations he had had with Doyle was led to believe that he (Doyle) intended to lead an honest, upright life. Doyle had made up his mind that he could not go on in his old way. When he had come out of prison some time since, he behaved himself for a period of six months, until he became addicted to the use of intoxicating liquor. This had been the cause of his again embarking on a career of crime. His burglaries looked like those of a drunken man. He got nothing but articles of trifling value, which he likely would not have picked up on the street had he seen them. Mr. Faulds thought that the magistrate should sentence the man without regard for his late brother's reputation. A short term, he thought, would fulfill the requirements of justice, and it was likely Doyle would carry out his resolutions.

Before the magistrate commented on the case, Mr. McKillop pointed out that Doyle's first offense was committed in 1888, and on that occasion he had served fifteen days in jail. In October of the same year he was sent down for three years for theft. He came out and was sent down for burglary in November, 1892, for a term of four years. In 1900 he was again arrested and given five years, making a total of twelve years behind the bars since 1888.

The magistrate said that from the inquiries which he had made, he was satisfied that Doyle had been pursuing a life of crime, and that he came to the city for the precise purpose of continuing that career. While the burglaries he committed did not amount to much, they were of a determined character. He had broken into houses of peaceful citizens in the dead of night and had stolen what he could. It was only fair to believe that he was ready to back up his determination to steal by carrying a revolver with him. That stamped him as a desperate man, who was determined to go to the limit. He must be dealt with as a menace to society and an enemy to civilization. His repentance had come at the wrong time, but the magistrate trusted that Doyle would be sincere in it. It did not come from a conscientious desire to do right, but it was because of fear.

"I sentence you to serve the term of seven years in the Kingston Penitentiary," the magistrate concluded, in addressing Doyle, "and, furthermore, I wish to confiscate the revolver found upon you, and fine you $5, for carrying it. Although it is farcical to fine a man who is going to penitentiary, the law does not provide for a different sentence."

It is likely that Doyle will spend about five years and ten months in the penitentiary, as two months is taken off each year for good behavior.

DURAND CUT OFF

Fire in G. T. R. Depot Suspends the Service On the Division.

Durand, Mich., April 17.—Fire late last night destroyed the Grand Trunk depot here. The building was valued at $125,000 and was a new one, having been dedicated only last October. Owing to the destruction of the dispatchers' offices, service has been temporarily suspended on both the Durand division of the Grand Trunk, and on the Detroit, New Haven and Milwaukee Railroad. Durand is almost entirely shut off from the outside world, all telegraph communication being cut and only one telephone wire being saved.

WHITNEY DENIES IT

Says There's No Trouble With Member Kidd Over a "Job."

Toronto, April 17. — Premier Whitney today denied a story recently published in an Ottawa paper to the effect that Mr. Kidd, the member for Carleton, has handed him his resignation, because it appeared that Mr. Kidd's nominee for a certain position might not be approved by the Government.

"The whole story with reference to Mr. Kidd and the Premier and the resignation of the former being offered is absolutely untrue," said the Premier.

REAUME IN A ROW

Provincial and Dominion Fisheries Departments Clash.

Toronto, April 17. — The fisheries departments of the Ontario and Dominion Governments have the makings of a pretty war on their hands. While the Province owns the fish and controls the licenses, the Dominion has the right to fix the length of the season. On the intercession of W. A. Charlton, the former Ontario commissioner of public works, the season for fishing in that part of Lake Erie bordering upon Norfolk County was extended for 20 days after April 15, when it should have closed. When this was brought to the attention of Hon. Dr. Reaume, the present minister, he telegraphed to the Ottawa department as follows:

"You will have to declare an extension of time for the entire Province, or I shall rescind every license. It is equal rights to all, and special privileges to none, for me."

A reply from Ottawa has not been received.

WAR CLOUD HOVERS OVER NEW WORLD

Peruvian Government Preparing for Conflict With Chile or Brazil.

New York, April 17.—A Rio Janeiro dispatch to the Herald says: The Jornal Do Commercio asserts that Peru is making great military preparations against Brazil or Chile. The Government has bought 30,000 rifles in Austria, 80,000 in Germany and three armored cruisers in Italy, the paper asserts.

It is also said that the Peruvian Government is about to adopt compulsory military service.

The Peruvian Government denies these statements, but in official circles it is said that there is some truth in the matter.

A Step in the Direction Of Enlarging Waterworks

Valuators Engaged by the Commission Place Value On a Number of Farms.

One of the first steps in the direction of extending London's waterworks system was taken on Saturday, when three valuators, together with Superintendent Moore, took a trip to Kilworth and placed a value on a number of properties that may have to be acquired.

The valuators were Messrs. Adam T. McMahen, D. McAlpine and A. M. Hunt, all of whom are thoroughly fitted for their important task. The farm of Mr. Baker, on the south side of the river, near Kilworth, was gone over, and the valuators later inspected the farms of Mr. Thomas S. Hobbs, and the late Mr. Blizzard, both of which are situated on the north side of the river and close to the village of Kilworth. On each of the three farms there are a number of springs, which yield a large quantity of water daily, and their acquisition, it is felt, would be an important step towards enlarging the city's supply. The price decided upon by the valuators is not known, but it is understood that they are ready to fix it at a very reasonable figure. The farm of Mr. Hobbs is particularly valuable to the owner owing to the fact that a large sum has been expended in fitting it with a fish preserve.

The valuators have by no means concluded their work yet. They will soon make a trip to a number of farms to the northeast and south of the city and place a value upon them also. On some of them there are several springs, yielding a limited supply of good water, while the others will be required by the commissioners in the event of its deciding to use river water for fire purposes only.

The expenditure of many thousands of dollars is involved, and therefore, the valuators will go slowly in the matter.

FAMOUS MATADOR GORED

Saurez Badly Wounded in Fight at Cap Martin, France.

Cap Martin, France, April 17. — The famous matador of Seville, Antonio Saurez was gored in the face in the course of a bull fight here yesterday. Before he recovered himself the bull gored him in the back. Saurez finally regained his feet, and continued the fight with blood streaming from his wounds. The throng of spectators, in frenzied admiration of the matador, rose and cheered and shouted. Women threw rings, bracelets and purses to him, while the men threw coins. The usual revolting cruelty was displayed, although it was arranged that the bulls should not be killed.

No More Sunday Mail.

Tecumseh, Ont., April 17. — For 25 years the farmers of Sandwich East Township have been allowed to get their mail on Sunday morning about noon after their church services. The postoffice department has ordered the postmaster to keep his office closed on Sunday. This will compel the farmers to come here for their mail during the week. Hon. R. F. Sutherland will be asked to use his influence to have the order rescinded.

A CLEAR ROAD TO KIRIN CITY

Japs Have Evaded Russian Outposts and Are Headed for That Point.

New York, April 17. — A St. Petersburg dispatch to the Times says that a private telegram from Gunshu Pass says positive information has been received that a large Japanese force is heading towards Kirin, beyond the reach of the Russian outposts, and that another large force of Chunchuses is proceeding beyond the range of the Russian right.

The Japanese are driving the villagers into the Russian lines, causing great confusion.

The message adds that an important engagement is expected in a few days.

COMING BACK TO CANADA

New Yorker Wants to Return and Invest Money Here.

A former Canadian, now resident in New York, has written Assessment Commissioner Grant that he is anxious to return to Canada, and that he has from $5,000 to $10,000 to invest in a good business in an enterprising town. He understands drygoods and general merchandise business, and naturally would prefer putting his money in such a line.

Mr. Grant is now ready for offers from all persons who are interested in the communication of the New Yorker.

BUFFALO NOT BEHIND

Old Boys' Association Elects Officers for the Year.

Like the Old Boys' associations in other cities, that of Buffalo is already discussing the reunion and semi-centennial to be held in August and making arrangements for the big gathering.

The Buffalo organization met the other evening, and in addition to transacting routine business, elected the following officers:

Honorary President—Geo. C. Street.
President—Thos. Payne.
Vice-President—S. A. Stinson.
Secretary—Frank A. Wilson.
Assistant Secretary—P. T. Evans.
Treasurer—T. T. Heard.

The London Old Boys expect to be better represented at the reunion this year than they have been in the past.

Six For Bisley Team.

Ottawa, April 17. — Major Winter, secretary of the D. R. A., has so far received six acceptances for the Bisley team this year.

Immigrants at Toronto.

Toronto, April 17. — Nearly 900 English immigrants have arrived at the Union station here in the last twelve hours. On the last train there were about 50 women with about 150 children. They were in charge of the Salvation Army. Forty-six boys for the Stevenson Home, Hamilton, passed through.

Minor Not Liable.

Ottawa, April 17. — Judge O'Meara today decide that while a minor can contract for an insurance policy, he cannot be held liable for a note given as a premium payment. He also held that the company would be liable for the insurance should the minor die within a year. The action arose from a minor named Pressland refusing to meet a premium when due.

STURDY CHAPS FROM ENGLAND GO TO WEST BY THOUSANDS

Montreal, April 17.—One of the greatest spectacles in the tide of Canadian immigration was witnessed at the Windsor station within a space of fifteen hours yesterday, when between 2,600 and 2,700 newcomers ranged themselves on the platforms and in the immigration quarters, ready for transshipment to various destinations. A gratifying part was the excellent appearance of most of these prospective settlers. While some were foreigners, two hundred having come in from New York, the great mass was composed of sturdy chaps from the British Isles. They had arrived at Halifax or St. John with the steamers Virginian, the bar in 1881, and has since practiced in Montreal. He was first elected to the Legislature for Argenteuil in 1897.

Heir to the Belgium Throne.

Antwerp, April 17.—It is learned here that this year, on the occasion of the 75th anniversary of Belgian independence, Prince Albert, son of King Leopold's brother, the Count of Flanders, will be publicly proclaimed heir to the throne, as the health of the count is not sufficiently satisfactory to allow of his succession. This has been tacitly understood for years, but was never officially sanctioned.

New Steamer for Lakes.

London, April 17.—The Canadian Associated Press understands that the Caledon Shipbuilding Company of Dundee has received an order from a Hamilton firm for the construction of a 3,000-ton steamer, to be built specially for the trade of the great lakes.

THE WEATHER.

Tomorrow—Fair.

London, Monday, April 17.
Sun rises..5:32 a.m. Moon rises..4:49 a.m.
Sun sets...7:02 p.m. Moon sets...4:37 a.m.
Toronto, April 16—8 p.m.

Temperatures in Canada today from Alberta to the Atlantic have been almost uniform and with a few local exceptions have barely exceeded 40°. Fair weather has been general, with a few snow flurries in Ontario.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, 10—34; Port Simpson, 38—56; Victoria, 46—58; Kamloops, 46—62; Calgary, 16—36; Qu'Appelle, 14—44; Winnipeg, 26—40; Port Arthur, 22—40; Parry Sound, 30—40; Toronto, 26—40; Ottawa, 26—42; Montreal, 30—38; Quebec, 22—42; Halifax, 30—50.

FORECASTS.

Today—Strong west and northwest winds; fair.

Tuesday—Strong westerly winds; fair, with about the same temperature.

TEMPERATURES.

Stations.	8 a.m.	Min.	Weather.
Calgary	26	24	Cloudy
Winnipeg	28	24	Clear
Parry Sound	36	24	Fair
Toronto	32	24	Cloudy
Ottawa	26	26	Cloudy
Montreal	30	28	Fair
Quebec	28	22	Cloudy
Father Point	32	28	Cloudy

WEATHER NOTES.

The weather is cold and blustery throughout Ontario and Quebec, with no immediate prospect of any change. It continues fair in Manitoba and the Territories, with a general tendency towards higher temperatures.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the local observatory for the 24 hours ended at 8 p.m. Saturday were: Highest, 40°; lowest, 27.5° above. Sunday: Highest, 37°; lowest, 21.5°.

STRIKE PETERS OUT

The Italian Railroad Employes Fear Starvation for Their Families.

Rome, April 17. — The strike of railroadmen which began today (owing to the employes being displeased with the new bill presented by the Fortiss cabinet, which provides for the dismissal of those who go on strike, and does not contain an arbitration clause, as was proposed by Former Premier Giolitti), was not so successful as expected. Some of the men refused to strike and published a manifesto, saying they could not risk the bread of their families. With these men and a military escort, one train left Rome on each line. A car on each train was converted into a prison, for use if arrests are necessary during the journey.

Notwithstanding the uncertainty of such traveling, many foreigners left this city for Naples, Florence and Pisa. The leaders of the movement are trying to bring about a general strike of all firemen, but they find little sympathy. If it occurs the Government has decided to intrust the military authorities with the maintenance of order.

Five men-of-war have been ordered to Genoa to maintain order.

VETERAN ACTOR BETTER

J. H. Stoddart Able to Leave His Bed for a Short Time.

Galt, April 17.—Mr. J. H. Stoddart, the veteran actor, has so far progressed toward recovery that his physician, Dr. Wadlaugh, allowed him to leave his bed for a short time yesterday. He is gradually recovering the use of his limbs, and with returning strength, his spirits, which were greatly depressed, have risen, and will help to hasten his improvement. His son, who was compelled to go back to New York on important legal business, will return in a couple of weeks and accompany Mr. Stoddart to his country home in New Jersey. Miss Stoddart has been unable to answer the many letters and telegrams of inquiry and sympathy which she has received since her father was stricken down.

QUEBEC'S FIRST ENGLISH SPEAKER

Hon. W. A. Weir, of Montreal, Will Be Appointed to the Position.

Montreal, April 17. — Hon. W. A. Weir, who is now a member of the Gouin cabinet, will be the next Speaker of the Quebec Legislature. When the Legislature reconvenes on April 25, Mr. Weir will be placed in nomination by the Government, and his nomination, of course, assures his election. Mr. Weir was a member without portfolio of the Parent Government, but he resigned in company with Messrs. Gouin and Turgeon at the time of the recent split in the Parent ministry. When Mr. Parent resigned and Mr. Gouin was called upon to form a ministry, Mr. Weir was included without portfolio, but his friends considered that he was entiled to more recognition, and he will be named Speaker, which carries with it a salary of $2,400 and other emoluments.

Mr. Weir will be the first English Protestant Speaker of the Legislature since Confederation. Mr. Weir was born in Montreal in 1858, was called to

LOST STOCK IN BARN FIRE

Mystery Surrounds a Disastrous Midnight Blaze Near Ripley.

Ripley, April 16.—Fire at midnight yesterday destroyed the barn and annexed sheds belonging to George Brooks, a farmer of Huron Township, three miles north of this place. The fire is surrounded with mystery, following, as it does, a sequel to several other losses by fire, the origin of which in every case was equally as difficult to determine. Mr. Brooks and family were startled from their sleep a few minutes before 12 o'clock to find the barn enveloped in flames. So far had the blaze advanced before it was discovered, that only two horses were saved from destruction. The entire remaining stock, numbering 26 head of cattle, three horses and all farming implements, together with many tons of hay and a quantity of feed, were consumed. The loss is estimated at $2,500, insured in Culross Mutual Fire Company for $1,000.

A Winnipeg Hold Up.

Winnipeg, April 17.—A young man and woman driving through Crescent Wood, a suburb, were held up by two masked men last night. The cries of the woman frightened the men, who made off into the woods before securing any valuables.

It is reported that a leading jewelry store of the city was robbed of a tray of diamonds during business hours on Saturday afternoon.

ELECTRIC POWER FOR TEMISKAMING

New Commissioners Said to Favor It For Motive Purposes.

Toronto, April 17.—A proposal to run the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway by electricity has been discussed by the commissioners of the railway, and it is understood will be soon taken into serious consideration by the Government. Chairman Smith, who left last week for a trip over the line, has not yet returned. It is said he will make a further and more extended report on the idea. Hon. Dr. Reaume said this morning that the report was premature so far as the Government was concerned, but he could not answer for the commissioners. Water powers for the generation of electricity are found in abundance along the entire route of the line, and, indeed, on to James Bay, should it be decided to extend the road farther north.

BARRIE'S BABY PLAYS

Max Beerbohm Asks Him to Write One More and Then Quit.

London, April 17. — Max Beerbohm, in the course of an appreciative review of Barrie's latest success, "Alice Sit by the Fire," presented by Charles Frohman, chaffs the dramatist for his overfondness for introducing babies in his plays. He says he would welcome it occasionally, but he pleads:

"I conjure Mr. Barrie, whose chiefest strength is his unexpectedness, to put aside the one thing that we can always confidently expect of him. Let him, if need be, plunge into one thorough, unmitigated, forever satisfying debauch of babydom. Let him write one play whose whole action passes in a creche. Let it be whatever kind of play that occurs to him, a tragedy hinging on nettlerash or thrush, teething, or a comedy hinging on bassinettes, rattles and India rubber rings, or even a musical comedy, with an orchestra of babies playing no instrument but the coral and birls and with choruses of nothing but crowing and screaming. Mr. Frohman would have no fear. He would present the play readily and lavishly; so would any other manager. The success would be such as Mr. Barrie can always now command and the gain for Mr. Barrie's future art would be even greater."

Once Owned Windsor Site.

Windsor, April 17.—Mrs. Leon Ouellette, 84 years of age, the last member of the original Joyeau family, which at one time owned the greater part of the land on which this city now stands, is dead in Detroit.

SPORT AS SCHOOL OF WAR; BRITISH HUNTERS ORGANIZE

London, April 17. — It was in every way a strangely mixed company that sat down to dinner with Earl Lonsdale at his town house the other evening. Cowboy rubbed shoulders with peer, miner and stockman. Novelist and soldier sat side by side and trooper and general were at the same table.

The occasion was the inauguration of the Legion of Frontiersmen, the motto of which organized force is, "sport prepares for war." The movement, in its origin and conception, is spread worldwide, free from irksome discipline of militarism, yet bound together by the tie that links frontiersmen the world over.

The Legion of Frontiersmen is something more than a big club with scattered membership; something more, indeed, than the creation of sentiment or the outcome of any desire for social recognition. It can be easily branded as a new, self-supporting, unofficial army, every member of which would be practiced in crafts that most nearly pertain to the art of war—an army of men trained in shooting and riding, trained in woodcraft, trained in war.

The frontiersman says: "The first regulation of this remarkable legion is that men shall have hunted, worked or fought in the wilderness or at sea."

It will be a large sportsmen's club. Ostensibly it will not be a military organization. It requires no official recognition of its existence until the moment arrives when services are required of it from from the jurisdiction of officialdom. Yet it desires to communicate the information it gathers to proper quarters.

The Legion of Frontiersmen promises to solve one of the greatest difficulties the empire has to deal with. It is an efficient, fully armed force that costs the country nothing to maintain.

Seeds, 3 Packages for 5c. **WOODS' FAIR** Straw Cuffs 5c Pair.

Tuesday's Specials in Basement.

WOODENWARE.

Chopping Bowls, best quality of wood, at 10c, 20c and ... 35c
Butter Ladles, regular 15c, for ... 10c
Wooden Spoons, in two sizes, choice ... 5c
Rolling Pins, regular 15c, for ... 10c
Breadboards, your choice, ... 15c
Bakeboards, each, 45c and ... 50c
Brooms, 15c, 20c, 25c and ... 35c

HARDWARE.

Hot weather's coming—you will need an oil stove.
Oil Stoves, with one burner, with steel or tin bowl, price ... 65c
Oil Stoves, with two burners, with round tin bowl, price ... 85c
Oil Stoves, with two burners, with oblong steel bowl, price ... 98c
Oil Stoves, with three burners, with oblong steel bowl, price ... $1 25
Oil Stoves, with three burners, with round tin bowl, price ... $1 35
Other lines, with two and three burners, at $1 50 and ... $1 75
Wall Scrapers, price ... 10c
Carpet Tacks, two packages for ... 5c
Tack Lifters, price, each, 5c and ... 10c
Coat and Hat Hooks, 4 for ... 5c
Carpet Whips, each ... 15c
One Hammer and 1 lb. Nails for ... 19c

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Painted Tin Cuspidores, in blue, green and red, price on Tuesday 15c
Cake Tins, 12x8, oblong shape, special at ... 5c
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Two dozen 14-inch White Platters, worth 30c, Tuesday ... 19c

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Cheese Dishes, assorted shapes and patterns, at 50c, 60c, 75c, $1 and ... $1 50
Special lot of Jugs, worth $1, your choice for ... 50c
Four only, 97-piece Dinner Sets, in blue, brown and green, regular $11 50 for ... $7 50
One only, 95-piece Dinner Set, Vienna Rose pattern, regular $10, for ... $8 98

GLASSWARE.

Heavy, Pressed, Footed Fruit Bowls, special ... 35c
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Vases 10 and 12 inches high, special at 15c and ... 25c
Special Sweet Pea Vase, worth 75c, for ... 50c
Gold Trimmed Berry Sets, half a dozen nappies, price ... $1 75
Water Sets, 8 pieces, at $1 25, $1 50 and ... $2 50
Table Sets, consisting of tray, salt and pepper shaker, toothpick holder and vinegar bottle, very handsome and gold trimmed, complete, for ... $1 25

Hundreds of Little Chicks Just Hatched—Come Tuesday Afternoon and Following Days.

The Chatham Incubator Company have succeeded in hatching out several hundred little chicks for us. The chicks will be on exhibition on our second floor on Tuesday afternoon and following days. The little downy fellows are very pretty, some black, brown, blue, white, buff and striped. Have the children see them. We specially invite all the grown-up folks also. Chatham Incubators are successful.

Flue Stoppers 5c each. **Woods' Fair** Mangle Seeds 10c lb.

RUSSIA'S WAR IN CAUCASUS

Continuous Fighting With Outlaws of Mountains.

MANY EXECUTIONS OF NO USE

Brutal Murders of Frequent Occurrence—Captives Frightfully Tortured—Girls Lead the Bandits.

Berlin, April 17. — Nominally Russia is engaged in war only upon her far eastern frontier, but in reality she has another war on hand which has been going on for years, and which has cost many lives, although it is hardly ever mentioned in the press. Russia conquered the Caucasus nearly half a century ago, but she has never pacified it.

"There has always been lawlessness and disorder there, and at the present time it is unsafe for any unarmed person to venture at night outside of the walls of Vladikavkas, and even the boastful name of that city, 'Possess the Caucasus,' does not prevent it from being periodically raided by gangs of throat-cutting outlaws.

"It seems impossible to redeem this people from murder and pillage," says a recent report from the governor to the Czar. "Neither wholesale imprisonment nor daily executions have any effect. The increase of the police and troops is of no avail, as it would need two soldiers for every native, one to watch him by day and another by night, to keep a semblance of order and civilization."

This is no exaggeration. The last annual report mentions 411 armed conflicts with robbers and brigands, within the region of the governorship. In 257 of these lives were lost. The brigands are of all races — Circassians, Tartars, Turks, Georgians and Russians.

"They have regular battles with the police" reports Prince Galitzin, "practicing the most ferocious cruelty on the wounded who fail into their hands."

All this winter and spring the neighborhood of Elizabethpol, in the Trans-Caucasus, has been held in terror by four gangs of Tartar bandits. In February one band attacked the farm of a Russian named Kuzmitsky, and drove off all his sheep and horses. On the way to the mountains the robbers met the owner riding home and shot him dead out of mere bloodthirsty caprices.

The next day the police began to hunt the band, following them for three days.

A battle took place in which one bandit and four gendarmes were killed. The same band a few days later captured, robbed and held for ransom an Armenian merchant. This happened within three hundred yards of a Cossack post.

The bandits largely owe their success to following von Moltke's maxim, "March separately and fight together." Leaving their horses in the mountains and putting on what they call "Russian" clothes, they enter towns in daytime, one by one, and commit their robberies together, after dark.

A few days ago a Russian tea merchant was robbed of 7,000 roubles in broad daylight in the main street of Elizabethpol.

Women play a great part in these outrages. "Blue Maria," as the Russians, from the blue-black hair, called a pretty Georgian girl, who used to visit Vladikavkas, has been the heroine of several bloody affairs. Her function was to spy out the town, study the movements of the police, and bring back reports as to intended journeys of men worth robbing. This work she accomplished so well that a score of travelers were robbed and in some cases murdered by her band during one winter.

When this gang was at last dispersed the police found nailed to a looking-glass in the bandit girl's compartment of the robbers' cave, the ears of no less than seven unfortunate travelers. Maria's associates treated their captives with inhuman ferocity, roasting one alive over a slow fire, cutting off the nose of another, and walling up a third by rolling a rock against the mouth of a cave. Maria finally escaped to Persia.

Another case tried not long ago at Tiflis showed that women side with men, and at Vladikavkas only last month an almost incredible case of robbery took place, in which all implicated were women in male garments.

At 2 in the morning four individuals, masked and armed with rifles, rode into the town and entered the house of Yepim Morosoff, a small merchant. Having secured 2,000 roubles in cash and bonds, these robbers broke into Morosoff's bedroom and ordered him to hand over his personal valuables, threatening him with death if he gave the alarm.

But the moment Morosoff heard the door close behind his unwelcome visitors he gave the alarm. Horses being secured a posse of armed men went in pursuit, and, after an hour's hard riding, the desperadoes were sighted. A hot fusillade ensued, and a running fight was kept up for several minutes. At last two of the bandits were knocked from their saddles and the horse of a third killed.

Much to the surprise of the police no further resistance was made; but their surprise was greater still, when, tearing off the outlaws' masks, they were confronted, not by bearded brigands, but by young Circassian women, all under 25. The fourth, the leader of the band, escaped to the mountains.

"The brigands," says the Tiflis Listok, "regard themselves not as criminals, but as legitimate military opponents of the Government." The truth of this saying may be judged from the following: Last year a Col. Vasilieff, who had made himself obnoxious by the vigor of his acts of repression, received a polite note from a notorious murderer named Nabahadze, inviting him to bring six Cossacks to a given spot and meet the same number of brigands in mortal combat.

All Run Down

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TOSSED BY SEVEN GALES

Remarkable Trip of the Little British Schooner Laconia.

New York, April 17.—The little British schooner Laconia, which sailed from Bottswoodville, New Brunswick, for New York nearly five months ago with a cargo of lumber, came sailing around Sandy Hook Thursday afternoon. Capt. Troop, before he sailed, wrote to his wife in Brooklyn that he hoped to eat at the family table last Thanksgiving, Nov. 24.

It was on Nov. 17 last that the Laconia left Bottswoodville. When it cleared the New Brunswick port five men, Jim Powell, Jack Gannon, John Holm, Alexander Henderson, and Oscar, the cook, with the skipper and Mate Jacobson, composed the crew. Thursday, with the exception of Oscar, who is ill in Barbadoes, all arrived in New York.

It was just three days after it sailed for New York that the Laconia ran into the first of the hurricanes, seven of which, not to mention the two score gales, it was destined to encounter in the 61 days it tossed on the Atlantic. The first hurricane, according to Able Seaman Powell was a "snorter," and when it ended the little schooner, he said, had sailed three times round the compass.

After the hurricane abated the gales came, and when they retired temporarily, two weeks later, to make way for the second hurricane, the schooner was minus its forestaysail and main topmast.

When this hurricane abated only the mainsail remained. After this until it finally fetched Barbadoes on Jan. 17, the Laconia was buffeted all over the Atlantic, its forward compartments were stove in, its lifeboats wrecked, and its chart gone, while only a little salt meat and flour remained of the full larder it had on board when it sailed away from Bottswoodville.

When at last the Laconia put into Barbadoes the crew was exhausted and the schooner half-full of water, due to the many leaks caused by the terrific 61 days' bombardment by wind and sea.

During all the time it was drifting about on the Atlantic the Laconia sighted but one vessel, the British tramp Indianapolis from Trinidad, bound for Havre. This was on Christmas Day. The skipper of the steamship offered to take the men off, but they declined to desert their ship, and asked for a Christmas dinner instead.

Capt. Troop was told to send a boat for the food, and he ordered what was left of the yawl lowered. When the frail craft struck the water it fell to pieces. Then the Indianapolis resumed her voyage, and there was no Christmas dinner on the Laconia.

HAS KAISER CAUGHT IT?

Berlin Hears Emperor Has the Spotted Fever.

Berlin, April 17.—The people of Berlin are in a state of panic at a rumor circulated here that the Kaiser, who went to Sicily in search of health, is seriously ill, and is said to have spotted fever. The official papers have thus far issued no denial of the rumor, but only in a general way assured that the Kaiser is in the best of health, but if the excitement continues an official denial will be absolutely necessary.

It is known that the dread disease, once known as black death, has been raging in Sicily for some time, and that many islanders have died from it, but as far is is known, no cases have been reported from the neighborhood of Taormina, the place selected by the Kaiser to spend his vacation.

Where the report of the Kaiser's illness originated cannot be ascertained, though many say that it came from England, Germany's old arch-enemy; but then Germans always think that everything bad comes from that country.

Whoever did start the rumor has certainly every reason to feel satisfied with the result, as seldom has anything created such a stir here. Had a war broken out the excitement could not be greater.

There are a great many cases of spotted fever in the southern part of Germany, and the assertion of physicians that the disease attacks only those whose system is run down has made matters worse. The Kaiser was very much in need of a rest when he left here, having overtaxed his strength, and would thus, it is argued, be apt to contract the disease if he came into a country where it existed.

TO BEAT ARCTIC RECORD

Orleans Wants to Outdo Feat of His Relative Abruzzi.

London, April 17.—The Duke of Orleans is busily engaged in completing arrangements for an expedition to the polar regions. He visited London last week, making inquiries for a suitable vessel and offered to purchase the Fram—Nansen's famous ship—but was declined by the Norwegian Government, who regard it as a national memento. Another ship has been commended to the duke however, and negotiations for its transfer have been initiated. A well-known firm of London gunmakers has been overhauling the outfit for the new polar ship for the last few years, and this task is now nearly complete.

The duke's ambition is to beat the record of 86.33 degrees north latitude, which was reached by members of the expedition headed by the Duke of Abruzzi, who is a near relative of the Duke of Orleans. It was in the Stella Polar that in 1900 the Duke of Abruzzi penetrated furthest north—19 miles beyond the point reached by the Nansen expedition.

"The extensive and elaborate preparations that he is making show that the Duke of Orleans intends to spare neither time nor money in his efforts to make a new polar record," said an intimate acquaintance of the duke this week. "It is probable that an early start will be made, and, in any case, the voyage will extend over two or three winters. The expedition is mainly scientific, but, unquestionably, one of the duke's aims to to get a little nearer to the pole than anyone else."

William Warner, the new senator from Missouri, when 6 years old, began to earn his own living as ore boy in a Wisconsin mine.

THE WEATHER TODAY—Fair; not much change.



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SELF-COLORED CHECK—Something entirely new, ¼-inch check, self shades of light navy, brown, reseda, fawn and gray. For a smart suit see these lovely new goods ... 85c
FANCY PANAMA WEAVE—Self colors; a beautiful line of goods; will make a very handsome costume for afternoon wear; seasonable shades ... $1 00
CANVAS WEAVE—Self colors; Fancy Canvas Weave; very pretty weave, in lovely spring and summer shades, that make pretty dresses. See the great assortment we are showing at ... 65c

Values in New Spring Hosiery.

We aim to do as great a Hosiery business as it is possible for any one store to do in Canada. Each season's efforts have so far been crowned with complete success. We call special attention to the following, which have just arrived, and we invite you to keep in touch with other lines that will arrive from day to day.

Ladies' Plain Black and Dropstitch Hose, Hermsdorf dye, full fashioned, extra spliced heel and toe, sizes 8½, 9, 9½ and 10 inches. Only, per pair ... 25c
Ladies' Black Cotton Hose, balbriggan sole, also natural wool sole, Hermsdorf dye, full fashioned, extra spliced heel and toe, sizes 8½, 9, 9½ inches. Only, per pair ... 25c
Ladies' Plain Tan Lisle and Artificial Silk Hose; new shades for the coming season; Hermsdorf dye; full fashioned, extra spliced heel and toe, sizes 8½, 9, 9½ and 10 inches. Prices, per pair, 35c and ... 45c
Ladies' Black Pure Silk Hose, in plain and lace, full fashioned, extra spliced sole, heel and toe, sizes 8½, 9, 9½ and 10 inches. Only, per pair ... $1 50
Special value in Ladies' Fine Black Cashmere Hose, full fashioned, extra spliced heel and toe, sizes, 8½, 9, 9½ and 10 inches. Only, per pair ... 60c
Children's Plain Black Cashmere Hose, fashioned, extra spliced heel and toe, sizes 4 to 8½ inches. Prices ranging from 18c to ... 65c
Men's Fine Black Cashmere Half-Hose "Tri-Flax," extra spliced heel and toe, sizes, 10, 10½, 11, 11½ inches. Only, per pair ... 40c
Men's Black Cotton Half-Hose, balbriggan sole, also natural wool hose, extra spliced heel and toe, sizes, 10, 10½, 11 inches. Only, per pair ... 25c

Heavy White Battenburg Net for Curtains, Bed Sets, Etc.

We have just received a lot of this Battenburg Net—which many of our customers have waited so patiently for. This net is made of heavy doubled and twisted threads, making a net that will reward your efforts in giving splendid service. We have this net in three widths—36 inches wide, 25c yard; 54 inches wide, 35c yard; 76 inches wide, 45c yard.
Battenburg, saw-tooth edging, for curtains, etc., in white and ecru, at, per yard ... 6½c
Insertion to match above in white and ecru, per yard ... 8½c
Samples of net laces mailed to out-of-town customers on request.

SMALLMAN & INGRAM,

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ANOTHER BIG POWER CONCERN

$5,000,000 Plant for Transmission of Power From the Falls.

Toronto, April 17.—More power still is to come from the Niagara River, and another enterprise of large proportions is about to be established to generate and transmit power over the Province. The company is known as the Niagara-Welland Power Company, with an authorized capital of $5,000,000, and unlimited bonding privileges. The shareholders are principally New York business men, the majority of whom already have capital invested in Canada.

Those who know hint that this group of Canadian capitalists are closely identified with the New York Central Railway and with Rockefeller and Morgan interests. How they are related to the present power companies doing business on both sides of the river has not been disclosed, but it is believed that a community of interests has been or will be shortly evolved, and a combine of power companies is a possibility of the immediate future.

The company has obtained permission under its charter to expropriate land for a power canal and transmission lines. General plans of the proposed routes have been filed at Ottawa, and have been approved of by the Minister of Railways and Canals and the Governor in Council, and the company expects to have the entire system completed in about two years. They will utilize the waters of the Niagara and Welland Rivers, and bring them by canal, about seven miles in length, to the escarpment just east of St. Catharines, where a fall of 210 feet is to be had, and the water will then escape by an almost natural raceway to Lake Ontario.

Survey parties have been sent out to finally locate the proposed routes of transmission, involving a total distance of over 200 miles. The lines will serve St. Catharines and all the principal towns—Thorold, Merritton and others in the Niagara Peninsula, and Western Ontario. The company have completed the final surveys of the power canal, and are now receiving tenders for the construction of the canal and power houses and transmission lines.

It is intended to develop 100,000 horse-power at the outset, and to install hydraulic and electrical machinery for 50,000 horse-power capacity. Municipal service will be a special feature, and in laying out the transmission lines care is being taken to meet local requirements.

BIG ITALIAN STRIKE

All Railroad Men Going Out—Government to Operate Trains.

Rome, April 16.—A general strike of railway employes is to be inaugurated tomorrow morning, in accordance with the arrangement perfected through cipher telegrams directed to all railway centers by the agitation committee at Rome.

The Neapolitan railwaymen were insistent upon going on strike on Sunday night, and as a concession to them the central authorities of the operatives' association consented that traffic on some of the Naples lines should be stopped immediately, but that on others one train should be run today.

The strike will prove a great embarrassment to foreign tourists, of whom there are a great many in Italy just now.

The chief measures upon which the Government relies consists in having the stations occupied by military and trains conducted by soldiers, the navy supplying engine-drivers and stokers. Trains will be escorted by soldiers, and will carry workmen ready to repair any damage that may be inflicted upon the tracks.

Express trains will be discontinued, and the minimum of one ordinary train daily will be maintained on each of the principal lines. The tracks will be patrolled by cavalry.

The Sultan of Turkey has forbidden General Booth to hold meetings in Jerusalem.

BUSINESS MEN TALK TEMPERANCE

Motto of One Speaker "More Drinking, Less Thinking"—Condition in Old London.

Lonron, April 17. — A man casually entering the Egyptian Hall of the Mansion House Thursday afternoon this week might have fancied himself at a big company meeting. Well-known faces from the Stock Exchange, Lloyds, and Old Broadstreet were in every row; insurance officers, gold mines and banks were represented in every corner; the president of the London Chamber of Commerce was on the platform, with the lord mayor and city doctors and lawyers near him.

Yet the meeting was a temperance meeting, or rather a conference of business men summoned to discuss the question of "Alcohol In Relation to Commercial Inefficiency."

Mr. J. W. Benn, M. P., struck a new and clever note by asking his auditors how many genial, capable, promising men each of them could write on a list who had come to grief through drink. He himself as a total abstainer for 54 years had some right to speak, but he did not intend to deliver a teetotal speech of the usual kind. He only pleaded for a reduction of drinking on the ground of commercial inefficiency. "More drinking, less thinking," was his motto.

Sir Victor Morsley, the speaker of the day, was very sedate and cautious in the presence of this apparently unfamiliar audience; but he soon found that there was a large and strong party of the more familiar teetotal enthusiasts to support and cheer his statements. He would not refer to "the degraded custom" by which a man takes a drink when he does business, but would address his remarks to the people who took a small quantity of alcohol with their meals under the impression that it was wholesome. Men found they could take more if they drank wine at dinner, but what about talking better? And the excitement was always followed by depression. Little murmurs of dissent and surprise showed that several members of the audience, at any rate, were unfamiliar with Sir Victor's favorite theory.

Mr. T. P. Hyslop, of Bethlem Hospital, who followed, drew a fearfully gloomy picture of the city man who went out to lunch and demanded alcohol with his food. He was bringing about the suicide of his commercial efficiency. He was not stimulating his body, but producing a condition of narcosis, and the speaker more than hinted that Bethlem was the probable end of such a man. When Britons were an agricultural race with open air life, hunting, and plenty of exercise, they might drink. Now no man could allow alcohol to play freaks with his nervous system. It was the British inertia, due to alcohol, which was permitting "foreign mongrels."—(Laughter and cheers greeted this expression)—to take the place of English workmen.

Mr. G. F. Blackwell, president of the London Chamber of Commerce, somewhat astonished his audience by a cheerful statement that matters had been improving greatly of late, and that one could now go from one end of London to another without meeting a drunken man. He would be very firm with drinking men; to dismiss a man immediately for his first offense was a very sensible act; it frightened and sobered the victim.

ARE YOU a sufferer with corns? If you are, get a bottle of Holloway's Corn Cure. It has never been known to fail.

A CHINESE-JAP TREATY

The Russians Scared by Another Yellow Peril Bogey.

St. Petersburg, April 17.—The Novoe Vremya prints a dispatch from New York, saying that the "Yellow Peril" is now not derided. Far-seeing business men with their eyes on the Chinese markets have, according to this dispatch, finally awakened to the growing political influence of Japan over China and the prospect of complete industrial domination in the future. American hostility to Russia, the dispatch continues, is really against Russian occupation of Manchuria, but is due to the belief that it intended to monopolize the trade of this rich Chinese province. The dispatch says the existence of a secret China-Japanese treaty is already hinted.

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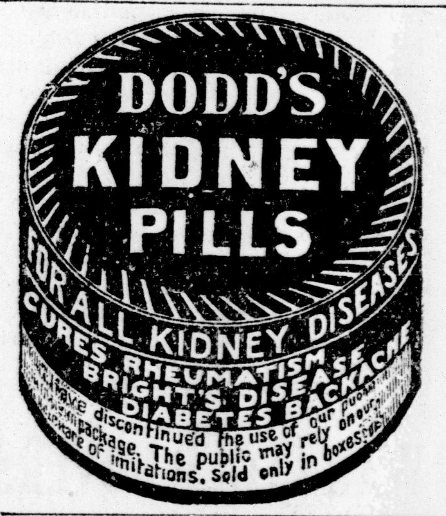
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And any sick one, anywhere, may try it at our expense. We will gladly buy the first bottle—a 50c bottle—and give it to any sick one free. You don't need to rely on those who were cured by it. You may test it, without a penny of cost, for yourself.

Won't you—for your own sake—do one or the other? Won't you let your friends tell you how it cured them, and how it constantly keeps them well? Or, won't you let us buy you a bottle and see what it does for you?

What Liquozone Is.

Liquozone is a product which in the past two years has sprung into worldwide use in the treatment of germ diseases. It is now used by the sick of nine nations; by physicians and hospitals everywhere. It is constantly used in millions of homes in America.

The virtues of Liquozone are derived solely from gas, made in large part from the best oxygen producers. No drugs, no alcohol—nothing but this gas enters into it. The process of making takes 14 days, and requires immense apparatus. At the end of two weeks we get one cubic inch of Liquozone for each 1,250 cubic inches of gas used. The attainment of this product has, for more than 20 years, been the constant subject of scientific and chemical research.

The main result is, to get into a liquid, and thus into the blood, a powerful, yet harmless germicide. And the product is so helpful—so good for you under any condition—that even a well person feels its instant benefit.

We Paid $100,000

For the American rights to Liquozone, and the rights in other countries have sold for proportionate sums. We mention this fact to indicate the value of Liquozone—the value to you. Men have never before paid such a price for any discovery used in the cure of sickness.

We need not tell you that we proved Liquozone well before buying it. For years it was tested through physicians and hospitals, in this country and others. It was employed in every stage of every germ disease; in all the most difficult cases obtainable. With thousands of sick ones, considered incurable, we proved that it did what medicine could not do. Then, and then only, did we pay the price.

Since then we have spent nearly $2,000,000 to make Liquozone known. We have bought the first bottle and given it free to every sick one we learned of. These people told others, and the others told others. The result is that Liquozone is now more widely employed than any medicine ever was. And no one can doubt that it is doing more for sick humanity than all the drugs in use combined.

How Liquozone Cures

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The reason is that germs are vegetables; and Liquozone—like an excess of oxygen—is deadly to vegetal matter. To the human body Liquozone is exhilarating, vitalizing purifying — the most needful, the most helpful thing possible. But to germs it is certain destruction; and these facts are true of nothing else in existence.

Germ Diseases.

There are the known germ diseases; all due to germs or to the poisons which germs create. These are the diseases to which medicine does not apply, for drugs cannot kill inside germs.

All that medicine can do for these troubles is to act as a tonic, aiding Nature to overcome the germs. But those results are indirect and uncertain, depending on the patient's condition. A cure is always doubtful when drugs are used, and some of these diseases medicine never cures.

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Bowel Troubles	Malaria—Neuralgia
Coughs—Colds	Many Heart Troubles
Consumption	Piles—Pneumonia
Colic—Croup	Pleurisy—Quinsy
Constipation	Rheumatism
Catarrh—Cancer	Scrofula—Syphilis
Dysentery—Diarrhea	Skin Diseases
Dandruff—Dropsy	Stomach Troubles
Dyspepsia	Throat Troubles
Eczema—Erysipelas	Tuberculosis
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The aceptance of this offer places you under no obligations. We simply wish to convince you; to let the product itself show you what it can do. Then you can judge by results as to whether you wish to continue.

This offer itself should convince you that Liquozone does as we claim. We would certainly not buy a bottle, and give it to you, if there was any doubt of results. You want those results; you want to be well and to keep well. Then be fair enough to yourself to accept our offer today. Let us show you, at our expense, what this wonderful product means to you.

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DEATHS.

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A. R. GALPIN,
License Inspector.
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OSLER CLUB BALKS AT CHLOROFORM

Organization to Put Men Out of Business When Useless.

Atlantic City, April 17. — The first Osler Club in the world was organized here with 20 charter members. All are prosperous, active in business and vigorous in health.

The president of the club, Benjamin Bacharach, vows that each member is solemnly bound to retire from active business when the majority of his fellows declares he should be "Oslered." Only men between 40 and 45 years of age are eligible to membership.

"If the majority so orders, will you chloroform a member when he reaches the age of 60?" Mr. Bacharach was asked.

"Wel-l-l," he hesitated, "that question cannot present itself for fifteen years at least, and we have not considered it officially."

Not one is more than 41 years old, so even the possibility of being chloroformed is somewhat remote. The club's bylaws have not been made public, but, it appears, members must live in Atlantic City all the year round.

A Philadelphian, who was carrying his grip to the railroad station remarked somewhat sadly:

"There is no need to elect visitors of any age to the club. All visitors are chloroformed, figuratively, so as to make painless the presentation of their bill and the separation from their money."

"The formation of the Atlantic City Osler Club must not be taken as a joke," said Mr. Bacharach. "We believe in the wisdom of Dr. Osler's theories. We firmly believe men should retire, certainly from business, when they reach the limit of their usefulness. The commercial and professional worlds are encumbered by those who should make way for younger, more active, more useful men.

"We will do our best to bring this about."

PASSENGERS SEE ICEBERGS

Ocean Liners Arriving at New York Report Arctic Experiences.

New York, April 17. — Through long stretches of iceberg-dotted seas came the trans-Atlantic liners which reached port on Sunday. They also encountered fields of drift ice, but the floes were not large enough to interfere with the progress of the vessels.

The new Cunarder Caronia, which came on her second trip, and which incidentally she made in almost the identical time of her first voyage, reported having encountered a field of bergs, which stretched from longitude 47 degrees 45 minutes to 50 degrees 30 minutes.

Forty bergs were seen in all, most of them being small or of medium size. Capt. Warr, the Caronia's commander, said those bergs lying low in the water and hard to distinguish at night or in thick weather are more dangerous to navigation than the bigger ones.

Those who traveled by the American liner New York counted twenty-seven bergs sighted on the journey from Southampton, all being off the banks, and where other incomers have met the Arctic wanderers. The bergs were of varying sizes, the largest being described as about half a mile long and about one hundred feet above water.

The French liner Touraine, in from Havre, met the ice field on the morning of April 6, and from 8 o'clock until 4 o'clock in the afternoon the vessel was threading her way past bergs and through wide-stretched fields of drift ice.

CULTURED CABBIES

Must Have Chesterfieldian Manners and Be Good Drivers.

Chicago, April 17.—If there are any young men in Chicago in search of employment who can combine the manners of a Chesterfield with the graceful symmetry of an Apollo, the language of a Demosthenes, with the wisdom of a Solomon, who are encyclopaedias and city directors combined, they will be rewarded by applying to A. B. Perrigo, 2971 State street.

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For the city schools will be received at the office of the secretary of the Board of Education, City Hall, up to 5 p.m., on April 20. The quantities required are 800 tons "select lump," 500 tons hard coal—Scranton or Lehigh Valley—and 75 cords hard maple (long), about 30 cords maple blocks. Each tender must be accompanied by a "marked" check for $50. Further particulars on application to the secretary. DR. W. J. TEASDALL, chairman No. 2 committee, Board Education; R. M. McELHERAN, secretary. 90c

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SPURNS MILLION FOR LOVE

Indiana Heiress Sacrifices Fortune to Wed Man of Choice.

Valparaiso, Ind., April 17. — Despite the protest of her uncle, A. F. Ramsley, whose heiress she might have been, Elizabeth Hernly, the prettiest society girl of Crawfordsville, was married to Paul Welty, formerly of Valparaiso and now a Cincinnati newspaperman. The bride casts aside close to $1,000,000 because of her choice. They are spending their honeymoon here.

The marriage was the result of a romantic courtship which began six years ago when Welty was a student in Wabash College. Miss Hernly was living then with her uncle, who is president of the Citizens' National Bank, and from the start he frowned on Welty's suit. Miss Hernly submitted to his wishes for a short time, but Welty was an ardent wooer and she capitulated.

A year ago the uncle sent Miss Hernly to Washington in hopes of making her forget Welty, but she remained away only six months. When Welty appeared Tuesday arrangements were made for a speedy marriage. He accompanied her to her uncle's home to ask his permission, but this was refused and the girl left her uncle in tears to marry Welty.

WON'T HURT BUDS

Jack Frost With Us Again, But Is Not Dangerous.

Toronto, April 17.—Mr. R. F. Stupart, the director of the meteorological observatory, when questioned last night as to whether the frost of the past few days following upon the warm weather would have any bad effect upon the fall wheat and fruit buds, said he did not think it would.

The minimum temperature on Saturday was at 8 a.m., when the thermometer recorded 6 degrees of frost. The minimum yesterday was 2 degrees of frost.

Park Commissioner Chambers was emphatic in his statement that the frost would have no ill effect on vegetation.

"There has been practically no growth at present," said he, "and what there is could stand ten or fifteen degrees of frost. I should say the frost would have no ill effect in any part of Ontario."

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LONDON, MONDAY APRIL 17.

Good Advice.

There are signs that counsels of moderation are beginning to prevail in the school controversy, and that the people of the new Provinces do not share the perturbation of their self-constituted Ontario champions. Some of those who are urging moderation have a right to the respectful attention of the public. "Ralph Connor" (Rev. E. W. Gordon, of Winnipeg), will be accepted by many as a representative of the west. He is opposed to the school clauses of the autonomy bill, but he lifts his voice for cessation of strife. "I think," he says, "the man who makes use of the present crisis for his personal advantage, for any gain to his creed or race, or for any advantage to his political party, is a man dangerous to his country." He announces that a committee of Winnipeg citizens, organized to oppose the school clauses, have come to the conclusion that the wiser and more patriotic course is to remain passive, instead of promoting an agitation which would be fraught with peril to the higher interests of the west.

A notable utterance is that of Mr. H. B. Ames, Conservative member for the St. Antoine division of Montreal. Mr. Ames has been president of the Y. M. C. A. of Montreal and of the Montreal Christian Endeavor Union. He has been a municipal reformer and is a champion of purity in public life. He has been for ten years a member of the Council of Public Instruction in Quebec, "and in that time," he told the House of Commons, "we have never yet had to consider one case where there was a grievance caused by unfair treatment of the minority by the majority." He regretted there had been so much intemperate language thrown among such inflammable material.

"Be calm," is the advice of that staunch Protestant journal, the Montreal Witness. "If it were the deliberate intention," says the Witness, "of certain newspapers and politicians in the writings and speeches they are making upon the separate school question, to bring about a religious and racial war and shatter Confederation, they would not proceed very differently from what they are doing today." Our Montreal contemporary thinks the constitution lays on Parliament the duty of deciding on what terms any new province may enter Confederation, and says that if Parliament, in its present course, should transcend its powers, the provinces would have recourse to the courts. After describing the mild form of separate schools in the Territories, which it is proposed to confirm, the Witness says: "Surely all this could be discussed by sane men calmly. It ill becomes the Conservative party to act in this unpatriotic way, considering that in 1896 they were eager to force remedial legislation upon Manitoba."

The Montreal Star, the English Conservative evening paper, declares that "Quebec wants quiet." "The voice of Quebec," says the Star, "is united for tolerance. We may have our differences as to the treatment which we would have liked to have seen meted out to the new provinces on the educational question; but we have no differences as to the real and serious danger which lies in the insane agitation over the matter which is being carried on in some quarters. It is a question to be discussed with calmness, to be discussed without dragging in any extraneous matter, to be discussed with a safe brevity, and then to be settled by show of hands. There may be people who are exceedingly anxious to warm their hands at a fine blaze of temporary popularity; but we can hardly afford to gratify them at the risk of a national conflagration."

Immigrants and Farm Labor.

Hundreds of English immigrants are arriving weekly at Toronto, many of them without money, and many with families of small children. The immigration agents are doing their best to find work for the newcomers, and those who are entirely destitute are fed and sheltered at the public expense until employment can be found for them. Farmers from all parts of the Province resort to the immigration office, and the able-bodied unmarried men are soon provided with places. The men with wives and children are not so much in demand, though it is gratifying to know that in many cases farmers have taken whole families. Describing the scenes at the immigration office on Friday of last week, the Toronto Globe says:

"The Ontario farmer wants experienced men, married or single. He will take inexperienced men, but few ask for inexperienced married men. The result is that the immigration officials make slow headway in placing this class, but they are doing very well indeed. Of the 200 immigrants who were sent out to Canadian farms yesterday fifteen families, with two, three, and in one instance five children, left in almost as many directions to take up farm work. In addition to this, several married men entered into a personal arrangement with farmers at the depot, and in this way found homes before they had been many hours in Toronto. A few mechanics are determined to stay in the city. They must take the chance of further hardship, if they have not the money necessary to tide them over."

The farm labor problem will not be solved until the conditions are more favorable for the employment of married men. One condition must be permanency. Unless the farm laborer can be employed all the year round, he will seek occupation in the cities or towns, and the farmers will always experience the difficulty of finding help. Another condition is the erection of houses for farm laborers, so that they may marry with the prospect of enjoying family and home life.

The Beef Trust.

The beef trust has given another lift to meat prices in the United States, and a howl has gone up from one end of the country to the other. In New York the retail price of sirloin steak has advanced to 24 cents per pound, porterhouse steak to 28 cents, prime ribs of beef to 24 cents, pork to 17 cents and mutton to 16 cents. These increases have come right on top of the judgment of the United States Supreme Court, declaring the packers' combine to be in violation of the anti-trust laws. They have come at the very moment that the federal authorities are investigating the trust's methods, and taking criminal proceedings against it in the courts of Illinois. The other day federal officers seized six trunks of books believed to contain records of trust transactions. Eight heads of departments in the big packing concerns who were wanted to give evidence before the federal grand jury disappeared and could not be served with subpoenas. They have been traced to this country, where they are said to be living at the best hotels. The grand jury has handed down several indictments and arrests are likely to follow if the persons wanted do not join the exodus to Canada.

The trust has secured possession of nearly all the stockyards of the United States, and in this way it has the stock-growers in its power. There is no competition between the packers who are in the combine; they divide the territory and agree upon prices. Having almost a monopoly of packing and of refrigerator car lines, they can practically dictate the prices to the consumers. The latest extortion has made the trust so odious that the federal authorities will be compelled by public opinion to show the packers no quarter in the suit now before the courts. The flight of trust officials is prima facie evidence of guilty methods.

Creed in the House.

The newspapers have been compiling creed statistics and find there are 70 Roman Catholic members of the House of Commons, in a total membership of 214. The Catholic members are distributed as follows:

Quebec, 53.
Ontario, 7.
Nova Scotia, 4.
New Brunswick, 3.
Prince Edward Island, 1.
Manitoba, 1.
British Columbia, 1.

By the census of 1901, the population of Canada was 5,371,315, of whom 2,229,600 were Roman Catholics, or 41.5 per cent of the total population. But the Roman Catholics are only 32.7 per cent of the membership of the House of Commons, and the Protestants 67.3 per cent. There are 31,851 Roman Catholics in Canada to every one Roman Catholic member of the House, and 21,818 Protestants to every Protestant member of the House. The Protestants, therefore, have considerably the best of it in the matter of parliamentary representation. These statistics may be useful if they serve to modify the fear of some people that the Roman Catholics exert an undue and disproportionate influence in public affairs.

Fly.

[Puck.]

A fly and a flea in a flue
Were imprisoned. Now what could they do?
Said the fly: "Let us flee!"
"Let us fly," said the flea—
So they flew, through a flaw in the flue.

A Man's Ideal.

[Sam Kiser.]

My ideal is a lady who is beautiful and young,
Who is gently bred and graceful, and who sweetly curbs her tongue,
Who is cultured and artistic, who has humor, who has style,
One who never keeps me waiting, one who meets me with a smile,
Who has noble aspirations, who from vanity is free,
And who never flirts with others for the sake of spiting me.

My ideal is a lady who has purity of heart,
Who is satisfied to merely play a lovely woman's part,
One who cares not to be mannish, who is not a foolish prude,
Who possesses a fine figure, and whose cheeks are rosy-hued,
Who is ready to go with me anywhere I choose to go,
Who believes that I'm a wonder, and who sweetly tells me so.

My ideal is a lady who is not inclined to find
Only faults in other women; she has nobleness of mind;
She is cheerful, she is hopeful, there is music in her voice,
When good fortune comes to others she is ready to rejoice;
She believes that if my talents were accepted at their worth,
I would take my place tomorrow with the greatest men on earth.

I may never meet the lady, the sweet lady of my dreams,
I may never lead her gently by the banks of winding streams;
I may never gather posies in the dells with her—I know
That perfection is not often to be met with here below.
Therefore, sweet one, shrink not from me—find a haven in my arms;
You are beautiful, and freely I will waive the other charms.

A Shrewd Division.

[T. P.'s Weekly.]

Bismarck had to confer the Iron Cross on a hero in the ranks one day, and, thinking to try his humor, which was of the elephantine order, on the man, he said: "I am authorized to offer you, instead of the cross, 100 thalers. What do you say?"

"What is the cross worth?" quietly asked the man.

"About three thalers."

"Very well, then, your highness, I'll take the cross and 97 thalers."

A Drain On Ontario.

[Toronto Weekly Sun.]

The rush from Ontario to Manitoba and the west is greater this spring than ever before. There is every reason to believe the outflow will continue in increasing volume from year to year.

This movement must have a far-reaching influence on the future of this Province. The first effect will be seen in an increase in the size of the average farm, many of those leaving for the west selling their present holdings to neighbors who remain behind. It is to be feared, with the increase in the size of farms, there will be a movement from rather than towards intensive cultivation; the main object will be to minimize labor rather than to increase production to the limit. Another effect may be the general introduction of Italians and Poles as farm laborers. A movement in this direction has already occurred in New England as a result of the same causes which are making their effect felt here. The most serious feature in the situation is that so large a proportion of those going west is formed of the younger and more energetic elements of our population. Can a young province still sparsely settled, stand a drain of that kind?

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No Curled Darling Is Frank Oliver

[H. F. G. in Toronto Star.]

The new Minister of the Interior has a reputation for unvarnished language. He prides himself on his candor. Some people, mistaking his frankness for brusquerie, may have felt offended, but no offense was meant. The traditions of the Arizona Kicker pervade the journalism of the far west, and Mr. Oliver never was the man for polite circumlocutions. A cabinet portfolio may have a constraining influence, but at present imagination needs to stretch itself to picture Mr. Oliver curbed and combed and groomed to the fashion of a cabinet minister as cabinet ministers are known in England. Mr. Oliver has little care for externals. A blonde man, eager-eyed, thin-faced, gaunt of jaw, he suggests the Vikings who harried Britain in the remote past. Like Cassius, he hath a lean and hungry look.

How Engineers Find Bearings.

[London Daily Mail.]

"When I was a guard," said Mr. Richard Bell, M. P., yesterday, "I could sit in my van with eyes shut and tell where the train was at any moment. Working one section continuously one gets to learn the rhythmic song of the road and how it varies at each signal box, station, curve, gradient, tunnel and bridge.

"The sixth sense, which is more than mere hearing, is of the utmost value to a driver during fog. Denied the use of his eyes, he still does not 'lose his way' when he is on a familiar road.

"A driver cannot learn a new road when he is stoking, which should occupy all his time. He should always be allowed to travel as third man on the footplate, unfettered by work, and in two or three days, by keeping his eyes and ears open he would learn the road."

Old Authors.

[Chicago Chronicle.]

The publication of Dr. Weir Mitchell's new novel, so closely following the author's 75th birthday, attracts attention to the fact that our American authors have been and are today a long-lived class. Dr. Holmes attained the age of 85; Whittier and Harriet Beecher Stowe died at 84; Bryant at 83; Emerson at 78; Irving at 76; Longfellow at 75. Of authors still living and with one or two exceptions actively at work, Julia Ward Howe will be 86 in May; Edward Everett Hale is 83; Moncure Conway is 72; Mark Twain is 68, and William S. Howells was 68 last March. Holmes and Whittier both did some of their best work after 75.

CZAR GOING MAD IS BERLIN REPORT

The Strange Behavior of the Russian Emperor Points to Insanity.

Berlin, April 17. — Rumors that the Czar is losing his mind will not down, particularly since various German insanity experts have gone on mysterious missions to St. Petersburg. It is claimed that Grand Duke Paul admitted to a friend that the Czar is suffering "from a deep mental depression" that brought on a long fit of sleeplessness. Insomnia, he said, sapped the Czar's bodily and mental strength to the point of exhaustion.

From another source it is learned that among the symptoms submitted to a well-known expert was this: The Czar spends hours kneeling before his ikon, mumbling prayers. When this wife or ministers suggest the pressure of business he flies into paroxysms of rage.

It is reported that when M. Witte talked to the Czar earnestly the other day on the necessity of making peace, Nicholas interrupted him with the word: "Stop your noise—it hurts my head." Witte felt so insulted that he replied: "Under these circumstances it will be very hard to your majesty's ministers to discharge their duties."

During the same session he called his ministers liars, accusing them of withholding the truth from him. These and similar fits of temper are steadily on the increase.

The Czar characterizes his more or less voluntary stay at the country seat as imprisonment imposed by a clique of scheming politicians, and he seems to have confidence in no one but John of Kronstadt, who is forever inventing new prayers for the Emperor.

When these reports were submitted to a diplomat, who has seen much service in Russia, he said: "Such stories and rumors coming from Russia are most ominous—they indicate that the clique of grand dukes and other leading politicians intend to get rid of the monarch. Just before Czar Paul was throttled to death by his own officers, every European court echoed with stories of the "eccentricities" and "despotism" of the Czar. Knowing Nicholas as I do, I feel inclined to believe the stories above imputed to him, for weakness being the main characteristic of his mind and body, it would be but natural, if both were giving away at the same time. Physically and mentally he is a most pitiable object, yet the world will shudder when it hears that he has paid the usual penalty."

MUSIC AND DRAMA

The feature of the bill at the London Vaudeville Theater this week will be, of course, Prof. Bilyck's performing sea lions, but the other acts are said to be of a very high order, and of a class which will be sure to please all patrons of the house. The bill is as follows: Prof. Steven's Orchestra, Overture; Gordon Eldridge, monologue comedian; Burnett & Weyerson, conversational comedy act; Joseph La Rex, flexible aerialist; Jacobs & Sardell, comedy barrel jumping; overture; The Marvelous Jennetts, physical culture artists; Waldron Bros., eccentric German comedians; illustrated songs (1) "When the Harvest Moon Is Shining on the River" (2) "In the Shade of the Old Apple Tree;" Prof. Bilyck's performing sea lions; Abba Ben Omar, Persian novelty court dancer; Marie Girard, singing comedienne; kinetograph.

BIOGRAPH TONIGHT.

Merritt & Prichard's Biograph Company open a two-nights' engagement at the Grand tonight, showing all the latest scenes in moving picture scenes from the great Iroquois fire, the great train robbery, and many others. Illustrated songs by Edgar Summerby.

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"The Wizard of Oz" will be the welcome visitor here next Wednesday evening. The cantankerous Kansas cyclone, the mystical transformation of the poppy field from summer to winter, the ingenious expose of the East Indian basket trick, the vivisection of the animated Scarecrow and the two score other entertaining features of "The Wizard of Oz" astonish and delight all who witness this inimitable entertainment. Seats on sale today.

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Washington, April 17.—Is there to be a tariff war between the United States and Germany? It rests with the United States to decide this question. If such a war comes it will be a most bitter one, and exceedingly costly to American commerce. It will come as sure as fate unless public opinion whips the Senate into line and forces it to support President Roosevelt in his desire to make a new commercial arrangement with Germany, advantageous to both countries.

Through Ambassador Sternberg, the German Government has already inquired of our Government if the United States is ready to take up the question of a new trade agreement, with a view to settling all differences upon a permanent and satisfactory basis. President Roosevelt's reply was that he would be ready to discuss the question in the early autumn. He added that preparation for such discussion—accumulation of the data upon which it must be based—would be made meanwhile. The German Government is also making preparations, and within a few months the whole question of the commercial and tariff relations between the two countries will become the subject of negotiations.

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During the months of March, April and May the Wabash will make sweeping reductions in the one-way colonist rates from Canada to Texas, Old Mexico, California, Nevada, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, Arizona, Utah, Washington and British Columbia. Also round trip tickets on sale daily at greatly reduced rates to the South and West. There is nothing more assuring to the traveler than his knowledge of the fact that he is traveling over the Wabash system, the great winter tourist route to the South and West. For full particulars address J. A. RICHARDSON, district passenger agent, northeast corner King and Yonge streets, Toronto.

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MARKET PRICES

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SUGAR MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

New York, April 15.—Sgar—Raw steady; fair refining, 4¾c; centrifugal, 96° test, 4⅝c; molasses sugar, 4c; refined dull. Molasses—Steady.

LONDON.

London, April 15.—Raw sugar—Centrifugal, 15s 3d, nominal; Muscovado, 14s 9d; beet sugar, April 14s.

TORONTO.

Toronto, April 15.—Sugar—Prices here are unchanged; granulated, $5 73; St. Lawrence, $5 78; domestic do. $5 68; yellow, $5 28; bags are quoted 5c less.

FLAXSEED.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, April 15.—Flaxseed—Northwest, $1 29; southwest, $1 25; April, $1 25; May, $1 25.

DAIRY MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, April 15.—Butter—Firm; creameries, 24c to 30c; dairies, 23c to 28c. Cheese—Steady, 13½c to 14c.

NEW YORK.

New York, April 15.—Butter—Strong and unchanged; receipts, 2,812 pkgs. Cheese—Steady and unchanged; receipts, 988 boxes.

OIL MARKETS.

LONDON.

London, April 15.—Petroleum, American refined, 5⅛d; spirits, 8¾d.

ANTWERP.

Antwerp, April 15.—Petroleum, 17 francs 75 centimes.

BREMEN.

Bremen, April 15.—Petroleum, 6 marks 35 pfennings.

PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg, Pa., April 15.—Oil opened and closed at $1 35.

OIL CITY.

Oil City, Pa., April 15.—Credit balances, $1 33; certificates, no bid; shipments, 89,880 barrels.

HAY MARKET.

TORONTO.

Toronto, April 15.—Baled Hay; Easy in tone and unchanged, at $8 per ton for No. 1 timothy, and $7 for mixed or clover, on track here.

Baled Straw—Car lots on track here are quoted unchanged, at $6 per ton.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

London, April 15.—Live cattle are quoted at 11½c to 12¼c per lb; refrigerator beef, 9¼c to 9½c per lb; sheep, 13c to 14c per lb.

RELIC OF BYGONE TIMES

The Fossilized Head of Prehistoric Animal Just Discovered.

A curious relic of bygone times is now in the possession of Mr. Henry Taylor, Ridout street, South London. It is a stone or fossilized head of some large prehistoric animal that lived during the tertiary period in North America. It was found in the drift near the town of Ingersoll, by parties who saw it protruding from the Thames River embankment.

For a fossil of so ancient a date it is well preserved. One side of the head is especially well marked, the eye, ear and nostril being quite distinct. There is a strong resemblance between the head and that of a horse, and as the earliest of the horse tribe (Orohippus) is found in this age, it may possibly belong to this species. It is remarkable that these horses had four toes instead of one only, like the modern horse.

Mr. Taylor will have photographs of the specimen sent to some of the best-known naturalists and the specimen may in this way find a resting-place upon a shelf in some Canadian museum. It is to be regretted that London has no place provided for the reception of such relics, which are frequently found in this vicinity.

STILL ANOTHER COT

Substantial Donation in Aid of the Children's Shelter.

The ladies' furnishing committee of the Children's Shelter have received notice of another handsome gift in aid of their effort in furnishing the new shelter. The donation is a completely furnished cot from Mrs. William Spencer sen., and is to be placed in the home in memory of departed friends. This is the second donation from the Spencer family, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Spencer having already furnished the board-room at the shelter with a complete outfit for that part of the building.

TOLEDO ALSO COMING

Canadian Club Decides to Attend Old Boys' Reunion in August.

The Toledo Blade has the following regarding the formation in that city of a Canadian club:

"More than 50 former Canadians attended a meeting at the Boody last evening for the purpose of organizing a Canadian society for Toledo. The new society is "The Canadian Club of Toledo." Speeches were made by Rev. W. W. Hodgins, Dr. Nelles, John Cameron, S. G. Wagstaff, W. M. Robinson, R. G. McLean, J. Wainwright and Rev. H. W. Hoover.

"A committee consisting of William McKendry, A. Gordon Murray, Rev. W. W. Hodgins Robert Booth, S. G. Wagstaff, Dr. Nelles and J. McRae was appointed to formulate a constitution, which will be acted upon at the next meeting.

"The members of the new society intend to invade Canada this summer and renew their old-time friendships among the scenes of their boyhood days. An invitation to visit London, Ont., was accepted, and "Aug. 7 the society will go to the Canadian town en masse. J. Anderson, W. M. Robinson, R. W. McLean, Dr. Counter, J. McRae and A. J. Finch were appointed to look after this gathering and provide amusements.

"A large number of business men attended the meeting last evening, and from present prospects the society will be launched with more than 50 charter members. A. Gordon Murray was chairman."

The club includes many London Old Boys.

DISEASED MEAT QUESTION

Protective Measure Suggested if the Abattoir Scheme is Vetoed.

In the event of the application of the city of London to have the municipal act so amended as to allow the city to make an agreement with a private company for the establishment of an abattoir being refused by the Legislature it has been suggested by a well-known local man that the city council or the board of health could afford the people of London a great degree of protection from diseased meat by offering a reward of say $100 for information that would lead to the conviction of any one slaughtering diseased cattle for food purposes, or offering it for sale.

The reward, he thinks, would make it worth the while of county constables, city police and others devoting a little extra time to the apprehension of those butchers and others who do not hesitate to sell diseased meat to unfortunate city people.

BACK FROM BUFFALO

Deputation Returns After Seeing Fire Wagons.

Chairman Matthews and Ald. Saunders, of the market, fire and light committee, and Fire Chief Clark returned Saturday night from Buffalo, where they went to see the latest brand of combination chemical and hose wagons in use there. After an inspection of the wagons the chief says that they are not adapted to London's needs, as they are too heavy and too costly, being worth about $1,600 or $1,700. In Buffalo the fire department manufactures all its own equipment in civic shops. At Niagara Falls the deputation saw a lighter combination wagon more fitted for use in London, and when the new wagon is bought for South London it will probably be of the same type as the one in use at the Falls.

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ANOTHER COMPANY IN THE FIELD TO SUPPLY POWER FROM NIAGARA

Transmission Line to Reach London in Two Years—$5,000,000 To Be Spent.

A Toronto paper has the following article regarding the Niagara-Welland Power Company, which will, it is understood, be selling Niagara power in London within two years:

Another power company has entered the field in order to exploit the mechanical energy of Niagara Falls, and is known as the Niagara-Welland Power Company, which will operate in competition with existing power companies at Niagara, including the Toronto and Niagara Power Company, the Ontario Power Company, and the Canadian Niagara Power Company.

The new-comer is acting under a charter obtained in 1904, and purchased from the original incorporators a couple of years ago. Recently it has received additional authority from the Dominion Parliament for constructing transmission lines. Mr. Harry Symons, K. C., of Toronto, is president of the company, but the main part of the capital, which is said to be ample, is supplied by New York capitalists, the majority of whom are of Canadian birth. The head office will be at St. Catharines.

To Spend $5,000,000.

At a cost of $5,000,000 or upwards, this company will construct in the next two years a power plant near St. Catharines capable of developing 100,000-horse power, with provision for an increase to 200,000-horse power, and transmission lines which will distribute the electrical power generated to the different manufacturing towns of Western Ontario.

Last week the first work in connection with the construction of the transmission lines was begun when several parties were placed in the field to survey the various routes. This work is under the direction of the resident engineer, Mr. John MacCunn, C. E., of St. Catharines, and the routes to be followed are the same as those laid down by the consulting electrical engineer of the company, Mr. Roderick J. Parke, of Toronto, who made a preliminary investigation of the district last fall, covering 300 miles in an automobile.

The transmission routes are as follows: From the power site to Brantford via Hamilton thence to Ingersoll, Woodstock, London and St. Thomas, with branch lines from Brantford to Galt, Preston, Berlin and Stratford; from Preston to Guelph via Hespeler; and from Hamilton to Toronto.

A Power Canal.

The company will build a power canal seven miles in length from a point on the Welland River to a point on the escarpment two miles east of Merritton, where a fall of 210 feet is available. A tail race will conduct the water from the foot of the escarpment to Lake Ontario. Between the Niagara River and the point on the Welland River, where the canal commences, a small amount of dredging will be done in order to reduce the bed of the river to a uniform level. The final surveys of the canal have just been completed, and the company is preparing to undertake its construction at once, also that of the power house, which will be located at the foot of the escarpment.

This development will be practically along the same lines as that of the Hamilton Cataract Power, Light and Traction Company's works at De Cew Falls. When interviewed by the News today, Mr. R. J. Parke, the consulting engineer, stated that on account of the comparatively low capital cost of development the Niagara-Welland Power Company will be in a position to manufacture and deliver electrical power at as low a rate as, and probably at a lower rate, than any other company in the Southwest Ontario peninsula.

DOES THE CHURCH NEED A REVIVAL?

Question Discussed by Rev. W. J. Clark at the First Presbyterian.

"Do we need a revival in our church today?"

These words were the keynote of a thoughtful and extremely impressive sermon delivered in the First Presbyterian Church yesterday morning by the pastor, Rev. W. J. Clark. Mr. Clark took his text from the 37th chapter of the prophecy of Ezekiel, in which the revival of the lost hope of Israel is prefigured, saying that just as Jeremiah was the prophet of Israel's captivity, so Ezekiel was the prophet of the restoration.

The subject of "Revivals," said Mr. Clark, had been suggested to him by the great revival which is now going on in Wales, and that in Albert Hall, London, England, under the supervision of Dr. Torrey and Charles Alexander. The circular, which had recently been issued by the mission board of the Presbyterian Church, calling for the united prayer of the church for an outpouring of God's Holy Spirit, had also been a motive for the sermon.

Continuing, Mr. Clark pointed out that the history of the church showed that its progress had been uniform. Periods of "declension" had been succeeded by periods of revival, and vice versa. The first great revival in the church of Christ was that which took place on the first day of Pentecost, when the Holy Spirit was poured forth upon the disciples recently bereft of their Lord. Mr. Clark then touched upon the revivals which took place in the Church of Rome during the middle ages, giving rise finally to the Franciscan and Dominican orders of monks, which effected so much good during the thirteenth and following centuries. Then followed the Protestant Reformation of the sixteenth century, the revival led by Wesley and Whitfield in the eighteenth century, that conducted by Finney at the beginning of the nineteenth century, and, later on, the revival in which Moody was the leading spirit. The preacher then dwelt at length upon the present day revival in Wales. Whatever we might say of it, there had already been two great results, the lessening of drunkenness and the payment of old debts. Any movement which could effect these results was certainly much to be desired, if all other considerations be laid aside.

"Whatever views we may hold with regard to revivals," said Mr. Clark, "they are great facts. It is impossible to deny them, and it is foolish to ignore them, just as it would be foolish to ignore the influence of Cromwell's revolution in the history of England."

Revivals, said the speaker, were a distinctive testimony to the presence of God in his Word. They emphasized the existence of the real and spiritual, as against the unreal and material. Mr. Clark then went on to say that since revivals were consequent upon periods of declension or depression in the church's spirituality, it was possible to say when a revival was due. He showed the causes of the revival in Wales, and how that which is being conducted by Americans in Old London had originated.

"We should ask ourselves whether our own church of today needs a revival," said the speaker.

True, the present day contributions to church work were large, considered from the financial standpoint. But then it should be remembered that people are now living far more luxuriously than they used to, and that the collection of money for church work was far more systematic than it was 30 years ago. Taking these facts into consideration, the preacher doubted whether the amount of money contributed to Christian work was now any larger proportionally, than it was a quarter of a century ago. One thing very evident in the church today, he went on to say, was the spirit of criticism. People found fault with the preacher, with the service, and so forth. And this spirit of criticism was not usually coincident with high spiritual fervour. The tendency of most church-goers today was to take as little of the responsibility as possible. It was hard to get people to take part in church work.

"If we were to have a revival," said Mr. Clark, "it would doubtless be because of these indications."

If we thought that a revival was needed in the church in Canada today, we should be honest about it, and pray earnestly to God that it might come, and should be confident that God would answer prayer. We should not pray for any particular form of revival, however, for, as Tennyson says, "God fulfills himself in many way."

"One thing we may be sure off," concluded Mr. Clark, "that a revival would make for a greatly increased interest in righteousness and godly living."

NO PLEASURES ON GOOD FRIDAY

Father Tobin Tells His Flock They Should Spend Day in Prayer.

The announcement was made in the Catholic churches of the city yesterday that, this being holy week, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday will be days of fast and abstinence. On Good Friday no mass will be celebrated, but on Holy Thursday a solemn high mass will be offered up in both the cathedral and St. Mary's Church, at which the sacrament to be used on Good Friday will be consecrated. This is what is known as the offering of the presanctified. On Wednesday, Thursday and Friday the tenebrae will be sung each evening, in commemoration of the tenebrae or darkening of the world, during the crucifixion of Christ.

On Holy Saturday the blessing of the Paschal candle and the Easter water will take place, and on Easter Sunday the altars will blaze forth in a glory of wax tapers and the choicest flowers, for then the period of mourning instituted by the church in commemoration of Christ will have been ended, and the purple coverings—the insignia of mourning—will have been removed from altars and statues.

In St. Mary's Church yesterday, Rev. Father Tobin again cautioned his flock against attending public amusements during Lent, and particularly in regard to Good Friday.

"The world appears to be gradually working to make Good Friday a day of riotousness and pleasure," said Father Tobin, "but all good Catholics must abstain from all kinds of pleasure on that day. It is a day which should be spent in prayer and contemplation of the death of the Saviour for the redemption of mankind, not a day for amusement."

On Good Friday a special collection will be taken up for the purpose of adding to the fund which is annually made by the Catholic Church for the purchasing of sacred buildings in Jerusalem, associated with the life of Christ, from the Turks.

Father Tobin also announced from the pulpit yesterday that although Father McKeon, the pastor, is recovering rapidly from his recent illness, his physician has advised him to take a week's rest, and he is now in Detroit. Father McKeon has worked unceasingly for the good of his flock night and day, and though he is a man of fine physique, he has undermined his health, with the result that he has been compelled to give up his labors for a while. It is hoped by his many friends in London that he will soon be able to resume his duties as the head of St. Mary's Church.

A FAREWELL GATHERING

Friends Surprise Mr. and Mrs. Kormann On Saturday Evening.

Mr. Frank Kormann left early yesterday morning for Quebec where he assumes the management of the Auditorium. Mrs. Kormann will leave for her new home in a few weeks, and in the meantime will be the guest of Mrs. Will Mills and Mrs. Allan Leys. Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Kormann were tendered a surprise party at which an opportunity was afforded some of their many friends to say farewell. The ladies who had charge of the affair, took possession of Mrs. Kormann's home on Askin street, and did all that was required to make it suitable for dancing. Mr. and Mrs Kormann, who had left the house the day before were invited back and there they found the harpers and over 30 guests. A most enjoyable dance took place until almost midnight, refreshment being also provided, when Mr. and Mrs. Kormann were bidden good-bye. They were the recipients of the best wishes of everyone.

PASSING BOGUS BILLS

Police Warned To Be On Lookout for a Crook.

The police have received word from the chief of police of Chatham, notifying them to be on the lookout for a man who is passing five-dollar bogus bills. The description of the fellow states that he is 5 feet 8 inches, and wears a week's growth of beard. His coat is a gray one, and he wears a gray, peaked cap. As far as is known he has not come here yet. On Saturday in Chatham he purchased a ticket from that place to Glencoe.

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ARE THE PLUMBERS IN A COMBINE?

The Experience of a Citizen Engineer Graydon Is Incredulous.

The trouble in Toronto regarding the alleged existence of a plumbers' combine there has led to inquiry in this city into the same line of business, and it is alleged that identically the same conditions as those which prevail in Toronto exist here.

A local gentleman who recently put up a residence in this city, told an Advertiser reporter today that not only are the plumbers of London in a combine, but they have also an agreement with their employers whereby the men are not to accept a job after hours for fear of coming into competition with the boss plumbers.

"To give you an idea of what the combine is doing," said the gentleman referred to, "I may tell you, that I was asked $100 for a job which I afterward had done for $60. I knew I was being held up and I did not propose to stand for it, and I informed the plumber that I would bring a man in from an outside place and have the work done. I did not make this threat, however, until I found that none of the other plumbers would give me a quotation on the job. It was no idle threat, though, as I could easily have brought a man here from a town outside of London, and the job would not have cost me anything like the first price asked."

According to the stories which are going the rounds, when a plumber gives an estimate on a job, he at once acquaints all the other plumbers of the fact and then they get together and agree not to cut in under it. In this way there is no competition, although other tenders may be sent in they are merely dummies and do not affect the price of the man who was first on the subject. In the case of big jobs, for which tenders are advertised, the master plumbers are accused of meeting and deciding on a certain price for the work. One man is allowed to present the tender, and the other figures which are presented are all above this man's figures. These jobs are allotted by turn, so that all are treated alike.

In reference to this latest rumor, City Engineer Graydon said today that he has never noticed the working of a combine in bids for civic work. "The plumbers cut the life out of one another," he told the reporter. "I do not think a combine exists as far as civic bids are concerned."

A TRIBUTE TO WHISTLER

More Than 60,000 Persons Visit Exhibition of His Works in London.

London, April 17.—The Whistler exhibition closed on Saturday night, after 52 days, during which more than 60,000 visitors paid a shilling each for admission, and there were 20,000 catalogues sold at a shilling apiece. Notwithstanding this the receipts will probably only cover expenses.

Numerous exhibits, including pictures lent by American owners and some etchings of the King's collection, will go to the Whistler exhibition which will open in Paris on the first or second Monday in May. The Corporation of Glasgow refused to lend the Carlyle portrait for Paris. In view of the fact that the French nation lent a portrait of Whistler's mother to the London exhibit, the action of the Glasgow Corporation is thought to be ungracious.

Too Many Operations.

London, April 17. — A hospital newspaper publishes a significant warning against too frequently recourse to the surgeon's knife. It says the obituary columns of the press contain with increasing frequency the phrase "after an operation."

"It is idle to deny," says the writer, "that even in the medical profession there is fear lest the resources of surgery are being applied with undue frequency or to conditions in which failure might have been confidently foretold by experience."

RUSS WARSHIPS IN FRENCH PORTS

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gon, where he has rejoined the squadron.

Admiral Bayle has signed a contract with a Hong Kong firm for the salvage of the French armored cruiser Sully, which ran on rocks in Along Bay, early in February. The firm will be paid $300,000 if it succeeds in raising the cruiser. The Sully is still fast upon the rocks.

Prince Michael Cantacuzene, who married Miss Julia Dent Grant, in 1899, is the head of the house, and is an officer of the Imperial Guard. The Prince Cantacuzene in the hospital at Saigon is apparently a naval officer.

Saigon April 17. — Admiral de Jonquieres has rejoined the French cruiser Descartes in Kamranh Bay, Cochin China about 200 miles northeast of Saigon.

St. Petersburg, April 17.—12:45 a.m. —There is no information from Vice-Admiral Rojestvensky's squadron, but the admiralty would not be surprised to learn of skirmishing between scoutships today or tomorrow, and the inauguration of torpedo boat warfare soon is not unexpected. The naval organ here expresses the opinion that Togo was taken completely by surprise when Rojestvensky suddenly appeared at the entrance of the China Sea, and is now concentrating his widely scattered fleet near the Pescadores, where, it is believed, a sea fight will probably occur.

London, April 17.—There is as yet no news of a naval battle in the Far East or of the whereabouts of the rival fleets. The Hong Kong correspondent of the Daily Mail sends a rumor of a small engagements, but there is no confirmation of this report. Details regarding the Russian ships in Kamranh Bay, Cochin China, are too meager to be instructive.

According to the Daily Mail's Singapore correspondent the North German Lloyd steamer Prinz Heinrich saw five battleships and six cruisers in the bay, but the dispatch to other of the London newspapers are not so precise. The Daily Telegraph's Singapore correspondent merely reports 18 vessels, and adds that the captain of the Prinz Heinrich states that possibly more warships were inside that harbor, but that they were invisible from the offing.

The presence of the Russian squadron off the Annam coast is raising keen interest here, in view of the possibility of their infringing Chinese neutrality and of the likelihood of Rojestvensky having had to split his squadron.

The Morning Post's correspondent at Shanghai telegraphs that China has instructed the Governors of the southern provinces to maintain strict neutrality in view of the possibility of Russian ships sheltering there.

Sounds Heroic.

Paris, April 17. — Gaston Dru telegraphs from St. Petersburg to the Echo de Paris that Admiral Rojestvensky's last telegram before leaving Nossi Be was singularly laconic and eloquent. He wired:

"I will not telegraph again before the battle. If I am beaten you will learn it through Togo. If I defeat him I will announce it to you."

This was accepted as meaning that the Russian seeks victory or death.

Fear Russ Cruisers.

San Francisco, April 17.—The steamship Manchuria sailed for the Orient today with a cargo of 10,000 tons of freight, mostly for Japan. Much of the cargo is heavy machinery for the railroads and bridges of Manchuria. In view of the possibility of Admiral Rojestvensky defeating Admiral Togo on the sea, somewhere on the Asiatic coast, some anxiety exists regarding the safety of the Manchuria, and she will call at Midway Islands to receive instructions.

IT HAS MANY OFFICES.—Before the German soldier starts on a long march he rubs his feet with tallow, for his first care is to keep his feet in good condition. If he knew that Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil would be of much better service he would throw away his tallow and pack a few bottles of the Oil in his knapsack. There is nothing like it.

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Because of the depleted condition of the Vatican treasury the Pope is said to have reduced the salaries of the cardinals.

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TODAY'S MARKETS

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LOCAL MARKET.

Mondon, April 17, 1905.

Hay sold well at the market this forenoon. There were twenty loads on the stand; most of the sales were made at $8 50 per ton, a few choice loads being sold at $9 per ton. A couple of loads of straw sold at $3 50 per load. Several loads of oats sold at $1 29 to $1 31 per cwt., the last-named price was paid for a load of black oats. One carload of live hogs was weighed on the city scales for D. McIntyre, who paid $6 per cwt. for selects, and $3 50 to $3 75 per cwt., for fat sows.

STOCK MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, April 17—12:30 p.m.

	Ask.	Off.
Ontario Bank	..	125
Bank of Toronto	248	245
Bank of Commerce	168¾	167
Imperial Bank	241	..
Dominion Bank	255	254
Bank of Hamilton	224	222¾
Ottawa Bank	225	220¼
Traders' Bank	..	140
Bank of British America	..	90
Western Assurance	..	90
Imperial Life	..	149
Consumers' Gas	209	208¼
Ont. & Qu'Appelle Land	..	100
Can. Northwest Land, pfd	..	99
C. P. R. stock	154⅜	153¼
Toronto Electric Light	..	151½
Canadian General Electric	168	167
Dominion Telegraph	125	123
Bell Telephone	157	..
R. & O. Navigation	77	..
Niagara Navigation	122½	120½
Northern Navigation	82	81¼
St. L. & C. Navigation	..	114⅛
Toronto Railway	..	109
Twin City Railway	119	118
Winnipeg Street Railway	171	168
Sao Paulo Tramway	129¼	129
Dominion Steel, com	23¾	23⅜
Dominion Coal, com	80	79
Nova Scotia Steel, com	64½	63¼
Crow's Nest Coal	350	..
Mackay, com	42¾	42½
Mackay, pfd	75	74
British Canadian L. & I.	95	93
Canada Landed	120	116½
Canada Permanent	129	128
Canadian S. & L.	..	121½
Central Canada Loan	..	170
Dominion S. & I.	..	70
Sao Paulo, bonds	97	96¼
Hamilton Provident	..	121
Huron & Erie L. & S.	..	187½
Landed Banking & Loan	..	121
London & Canada L. & A.	100	90
Manitoba Loan	..	95
Toronto Mortgage	..	106
London Loan	118	..
Ontario Loan & Debenture	..	122
Toronto Savings & Loan	..	130

SALES: Bank of Toronto, 2, 5 and 10 at 246; Dominion Bank, 50 and 50 at 255; Mackay, common, 5 at 43, do. preferred, 3 at 75, 20 at 74¾; Standard Bank, 4 at 236½; St. Lawrence, 20 at 113, 20 at 115½; Sao Paulo, 25 and 20 at 129½, 25 and 25 at 129¼, 50, 25, 25 and 25 at 129; do. bonds, 10,000 at 96½; Canadian General Electric, 1 at 166¼, 10 at 167; Canada Northwest Land, common, 50 at 325; R. and O., 10 at 76½, 25 at 76¼; Northern Navigation, 45, 30, 15 and 10 at 81; Dominion Steel, 25 at 23¾; Nova Scotia Steel, 10 at 63¾; Twin City, 10 at 119¼, 25 at 118½; Winnipeg Electric, 25, 5 and 20 at 169.

NEW YORK.

Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser.

New York, April 17.

	Open	High	Low	2 p.m.
Amal. Copper	88¼	88⅞	87⅜	88¼
American Sugar	143¼	143¼	142½	142¾
Amer. Cotton Oil	36	..	..	..
Amer. Locomotive	60¼	60¼	59	58⅝
American Foundry	42¾	43¼	42¼	42⅝
American Refining	121¼	121½	118⅞	120⅝
Atchison, com	89½	89⅞	88⅞	89⅜
Atchison, pfd	103¼	103⅝	103¼	103⅝
Baltimore & Ohio	110⅜	110⅜	109¾	110
Brooklyn Transit	70⅛	70½	69½	70
C. P. R.	154	154½	153⅝	154⅜
Chesapeake & Ohio	57¼	57¼	57	57
Chicago G. Western	24	24⅛	23⅞	24⅜
Col. Fuel & Iron	54½	55⅝	54¼	55⅝
Consolidated Gas	201¼	202⅞	201¼	202⅞
Delaware & Hudson	194	194	193	193½
Erie	46	46⅜	46	46⅜
Erie, pfd	81	81¼	81	81¼
Edison G. Electric	182¾	..	..	..
Illinois Central	168	168	166½	167¾
Kan. & Tex., com	31⅜	32	31⅜	32
Kan. & Tex., pfd	67⅜	68	67⅜	67½
Louisville & Nash	144	144¼	143¼	143½
Metropolitan St. Ry	122⅜	123⅛	122⅜	123
Met. Securities	87¼	87½	86⅞	87
Mexican Central	23⅞	24¼	23⅞	24⅜
Missouri Pacific	107½	107⅛	107⅛	107⅛
N. Y. Central	159⅛	159⅛	157¼	158
Norfolk & Western	85¾	86	85¾	86
Ontario & Western	60⅜	60⅜	60	60½
Pacific Mall	44	..	..	..
Pennsylvania	143½	143¾	142⅞	143¼
People's Gas	109⅜	110	109⅜	109⅞
Reading	97⅞	98	96⅝	98
Republic I. & S.	82	82	81⅛	81⅛
Rock Island	34⅝	34¾	34¼	34⅝
Southern Railway	34⅝	34¾	34¼	34⅝
Southern Pacific	67¾	67⅞	67	67½
Southern Pac., pfd	118½	..	..	..
St. Paul	186	187½	185⅝	187
Soo Railway	118⅜	118	118	..
Texas	37⅜	37¾	37⅜	37½
Twin City	119¾	119¾	119	119
Tenn. Coal & Iron	103¾	104¼	103	103⅞
Union Pacific	135⅝	135¾	133⅝	134¾
U. S. Rubber	43½	43⅝	43⅛	43⅝
U. S. Steel	37¼	37¾	36⅞	37⅝
U. S. Steel, pfd	103⅛	104⅛	102¾	104⅛
Wabash, com	22¼	..	..	..
Wabash, pfd	45½	46¼	45½	46
Western Union Tel	93½	..	..	..
Wisconsin Central	24⅛	24⅛	23⅞	24⅛
Wis. Central, pfd	53¾	53⅞	53	53

The quotations are given on the New York market up to 2 o'clock.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

Reported by F. H. Butler, stock broker, Masonic Temple, for The Advertiser.

Chicago, April 17.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	$1 15	$1 15	$1 13⅝	$1 14¼
July	88¼	88¼	87½	87¾
September	83⅜	83¼	82½	82¾
Corn—				
May	48	48⅛	47	47⅛
July	48	48⅛	47	47⅛
Oats—				
May	29⅞	29⅞	29½	29½
July	29⅞	29⅞	29½	29½
Pork—				
May	12 70	12 70	12 50	12 60
July	12 95	12 95	12 77	12 85
Lard—				
May	7 22	7 25	7 15	7 22
July	7 42	7 42	7 35	7 40
Short Ribs—				
May	6 97	6 97	6 90	6 97
July	7 25	7 25	7 20	7 25

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MONTREAL.

Montreal, April 17—12:30 p.m.

	Ask.	Off.
Canadian Pacific	154½	154
Montreal Street Railway	223	222½
Toronto Street Railway	110	109⅜
Halifax Street Railway	..	103
Twin City Transit	119¾	118½
Richelieu & Ontario	77	76½
Montreal Telegraph	162	158½
Bell Telephone	162	150
Dominion Steel, com	23¾	23½
Dominion Steel, pfd	72	69½
Montreal Power	92	91¾
Nova Scotia Steel, com	64	63⅜
Detroit Railway	85½	85
Lake of Woods Milling, pfd	120	118
Lake of Woods, bonds	113	..
Soo, com	118½	117½
Dominion Coal, com	80	79
Lake of Woods Milling, com	111	110¾
Mackay, com	..	42½
Mackay, pfd	74½	74
Molsons Bank	229	228
Ogilvie Flour, pfd	138	137½

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Quebec Bank	..	130
Union Bank	147	142
Hochelaga Bank	..	134
Dominion Steel, bonds	85¼	85
Toledo Railway	35¼	34⅞

SALES: Twin City, 15 at 118⅝; Toronto Railway, 25 at 109½, 1 at 109¼, 2 at 109, 75 at 109½; Toledo Railway, 75 at 35¼, 250 at 35; Power, 5 at 92¼, 106 at 92½, 8 at 92, 25 at 92½, 100 at 92; Sao Paulo, 50 at 129¼; Textile bonds, B, 125 at 90, 500 at 83, 75 at 90; Textile bonds, B, 50 at 90, 166 and 67 at 90, 133 and 33 at 90, 200 at 90; Laurentide, 1 at 85¼; Detroit Railway, 175 at 85, 625 at 85, 285 at 85; Trinidad, 150 at 92½; Montreal Cotton, 25 at 99; Bank of Commerce, 4 at 167; Telephone, 43 at 150; Molsons Bank, 7 at 229¾; Iron, common, 175 at 24, 50 at 23⅞, 50 at 23¾, 60 at 23⅞, 375 at 23¾, 100 at 23⅝; Scotia, 25 at 63½; Iron, bonds, 2,000 at 85½, 3,000 at 85¼, 10,000 at 85, 1,000 at 85¼; Bank of Montreal, 5 at 260½, 8 at 260¼, 32 at 260½, 34 at 260; Textile, preferred, ¾ at 90; Lake of the Woods Milling, preferred, 1,000 at 113.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, April 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 26,000; market steady; good to prime steers, $6 to $6 75; poor to medium, $4 60 to $5 75; stockers and feeders, $2 50 to $5 10; cows, $2 60 to $5 60; heifers, $2 to $6; canners, $1 60 to $3; bulls, $2 50 to $4 90; calves, $3 to $7.

Hogs—Receipts, 53,000; market 10c lower; mixed and butchers, $5 40 to $5 50; good to choice heavy, $5 45 to $5 55; rough heavy, $5 30 to $5 40; light, $5 35 to $5 45; bulk of sales at $5 40 to $5 50.

Sheep—Receipts, 25,000; sheep steady to 10c lower; lambs unchanged; good to choice wethers, $5 60 to $6 05; fair to choice mixed, $4 50 to $5 50; native lambs, $4 50 to $7 35.

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, April 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,400 haed; active; good cattle strong; common easier; prime steers, $6 40 to $6 75; shipping, $5 65 to $6 15; butchers, $5 to $5 85; heifers, $4 50 to $5 65; cows, $3 25 to $5; bulls, $3 25 to $4 50; stockers and feeders, $3 25 to $4 60; stock heifers, $3 to $3 50; fresh cows and springers steady to firm; good to choice, $48 to $56; medium to good, $35 to $45; common, $20 to $32. Veals—Receipts, 1,600 head; 25c higher, $4 50 to $7 50.

Hogs—Receipts, 17,000 head; slow, 15c to 25c lower; heavy, $5 75 to $5 80; roughs, $5 70 to $5 75; Yorkers, $5 60 to $5 70; roughs, $4 80 to $4 90; stags, $3 to $3 75; dairies, $5 60 to $5 65.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 16,000 head; sheep firm, lambs 25c higher; lambs, $6 50 to $8 25; yearlings, $7 25 to $7 50; wethers, $6 25 to $6 50; ewes, $6 to $6 15; sheep, mixed, $2 50 to $6 15; lambs closed slow and 10c lower.

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ENGLISH MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, April 17.—Wheat—Spot quiet; No. 1 California, 6s 9d. Futures quiet; May, 6s 7½d; July, 6s 7¾d; September, 6s 6¾d.

Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed, new, 4s 2¼d; do, old, 4s 10½d. Futures quiet; May, 4s 3¼d; July, 4s 3⅜d.

Peas—Canadian firm, 5s 11d.

Flour—St. Louis fancy winter steady, 9s 9d.

Hops (in London)—Pacific coast quiet, £6 to £6 12s.

Beef—Extra India mess strong, 75s.

Pork—Prime mess western dull, 62s 6d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, strong, 45s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, firm, 41s 6d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, firm, 42s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, firm, 39s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, firm, 39s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, firm, 38s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, strong, 41s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, steady, 31s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, steady, 36s 3d; American refined, in pails, steady, 37s 6d.

Butter—Nominal.

Cheese—Steady; American finest white, 58s; do, colored, 56s.

Tallow—Prime city steady, 23s; Australian (in London), dull, 25s.

Turpentine Spirits—Firm, 44s.

Rosin—Common firm, 7s 6d.

Petroleum—Refined quiet, 5¾d.

Linseed Oil—Firm, 19s.

The imports of wheat into Liverpool last week were 4,800 quarters from Atlantic ports and 30,000 from other ports.

The imports of corn from Atlantic ports last week were 64,800 quarters.

PRODUCE MARKET.

TORONTO.

Toronto, April 17.—Wheat—Trade is dull and the demand light; prices unchanged; Ontario, $1 03 to $1 05 for No. 2 red and white; spring, 96c; goose, 89c; Manitoba, No. 1 northern, 99½c; No. 2, 95½c; No. 3, 89½c, for delivery at lake ports on the opening of navigation.

Flour—Ninety per cent patents, $4 35 to $4 45, in buyers' sacks, west; 15c to 20c higher for choice; Manitoba, $5 50 to $5 60 for first patents, $5 10 to $5 40 for second patents, and $5 to $5 30 for bakers.

Millfeed—Trade quiet; prices nominal, at $17 for bran and $18 50 to $19 for shorts; Manitoba, $21 for shorts and $19 for bran.

Barley—No. 2, 46c to 47c; No. 3 extra, 44c to 45c; No. 3 malting, 43c, outside, Toronto freights.

Rye—Dull and steady, at 69c to 70c for No. 2, west.

Corn—Canadian, 47c to 48c for yellow, and 46c to 47c for mixed, f.o.b., Chatham freights; American, No. 3 yellow, 55c to 55½c; mixed, 54¾c to 55c, on track at Toronto.

Oats—No. 2 white, 40c to 41c, outside.

Rolled Oats—Cars of bags at $4 35, and barrels at $4 60, on track here; 25c more for broken lots here and 40c more outside.

Peas—No. 2, 68c to 69c, west, and 70c for milling.

Buckwheat, 59c to 60c, west.

CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

—The Rev. Dr. McCrae, of Westminster, occupied the pulpit of Knox Church, South London, at both services yesterday.

—The many friends of Mr. H. Pearse, Central avenue, will be sorry to hear that he is confined to his bed with an attack of la grippe.

—Inspector McCallum today gave a needy applicant a pass to Stratford. The man is endeavoring to make his way to Hamilton.

—Col. Dawson, who was injured by being thrown out of his buggy on Friday, is recovering rapidly and was able to be up and around the house today.

—Mr. Charles Johns, manager of the St. Thomas Street Railway, is suffering from typhoid fever at the Amasa Wood Hospital. Mr. Johns is a son of Mr. Charles Johns, of 242 King street, and was for several years connected with the London Street Railway.

—An excellent concert is to be given in the Masonic Temple on Wednesday afternoon at 4:15 by the Woman's Music Club. As the very best talent has been secured, it is hoped that music lovers will turn out in large numbers.

—A social is to be held at the Methodist Church, Delaware Village, on Monday evening, April 24. Hot biscuit and maple syrup will be served from 6 to 8 o'clock, and a first-class programme of readings, solos, etc., by the best local talent will be given.

—Mr. Fraleigh, proprietor of the hotel at Lambeth, wishes to state that it was not on his premises that the four persons, who were brought up in the police court last week for disorderly conduct, were found. The report stated that the accused persons were found on hotel premises between London and Delaware.

—The Wortley road kindergarten scholars visited the greenhouses of Mr. Fred Dicks recently and spent a delightful hour among the flowers. Each little one was kindly presented by the proprietor with a carnation, and the teachers were also florally remembered. The Wortley road teachers seem to have the right idea in developing the taste for beauty in their litle charges.

—Mr. Lou Woods, of this city, has returned from Toronto for a few days.

—Mr. Harry Longfields, of this city, has accepted a position in St. Thomas.

NEW BASEBALL LEAGUE.

A movement is on foot to form a junior Anglican Baseball League. At the last meeting of the seniors, Mr. Manning, of Memorial Church, brought the matter up. Memorial Church has a junior team to enter in the league, and as All Saints and Christ Church have one also, a junior league may be formed. As, yet, however, no definite steps have been taken.

BACK TO UTICA.

Richard Struty, the cigarmaker arrested here on a charge of assault preferred against him at Utica, N. Y., was taken back there today at 10:17 by the deputy sheriff of that place.

WINSLOW TAKEN BACK.

Detective Davis, of the Toronto police, came to the city this morning to take back to that city William Winslow, who is wanted there for house breaking. Winslow was taken back on the 5:30 train.

MRS. GEORGE FOUND.

Detective Rider received word from Mr. George, of Port Huron, to the effect that he had found his wife, who had strayed away from home and was believed to have come to this city. She was found at Kalamazoo, Mich. She is thought to have been in London last week, but went back before notification was given.

COUNCIL MEETING.

A regular meeting of the city council will be held tonight. The business includes the passing of a bylaw striking the tax rate for the year, and also half a dozen other matters or more or less importance. As no bids for the east end hall have been received it is probable that the matter will be again taken up by the aldermen.

WILL OPEN RANGES.

The Seventh Regiment and the McClary Rifle Club will open the ranges for the season on Good Friday. Great interest is being taken in the shooting competitions this year and the men are very anxious to try their skill at the butts.

A LOST CANINE.

For over a week now a crippled dog has been eking out a precarious livelihood around the vicinity of the court house, and as the animal appears to be suffering, the matter was reported to Inspector Sanders. The dog, the inspector thinks, has been somebody's pet, and on this account he hesitates to have it destroyed. He is now advertising it in the lost columns of the local papers.

BENNET BALL CLUB.

The Bennet Company have for several years past put a first-class amateur ball team in the field, and the present season will be no exception to the rule. The club has been reorganized with the following officers: Honorary president, W. R. Bennet; president, George H. Bennet; vice-president, J. J. Grove; secretary and treasurer, George Arnott; manager, Charles Bennet; assistant manager, Thomas Roberts; captain, Albert Henley; executive committee, E Young, George Arnott, C. G. Moorhead, Thomas Roberts, Charles Bennet. It is the intention to again have a strong team in the Wholesale League this summer.

COMING THISTLE DANCE.

About sixteen members of the Thistle Bowling Club, the Thistle Tennis Club, and the Thistle Club, Limited, gathered in the Dominion House for dinner, today, and talked enthusiastically over the prospects for the approaching tennis and bowling season. It was decided to hold a big dance on the first Tuesday in May, to be open only to those who have by then signed themselves as members either in the tennis or bowling section.

TOUCH TYPEWRITING.

Mr. J. W. Westervelt, principal of the Forest City Business and Shorthand College, London, has been invited by the West Middlesex Teachers' Association, which meets in Strathroy on Wednesday and Thursday of this week, to address them on some phase of commercial education. From 1:30 p.m. to 2, on Thursday, at the convention, a practical demonstration of touch typewriting and Gregg Shorthand will be given by a four and a half months' student of the college. This will afford an opportunity to teachers, as well as business and professional men, to learn what can be done with the famous Gregg shorthand and touch typewriting in so limited a time under expert teachers.

NUMBER FOUR FOUND.

The fourth member of the party of young men who caused trouble at the house of Mrs. May De Mille was arrested by the county police and brought before Squire Smyth on Saturday afternoon. His name is Percy Tanner, and he pleaded guilty to trespass, and was fined $1 and costs. He claimed that he remained inside the rig while the other three approached the house, but he admitted that the rig was on the plaintiff's property. The other three were assessed for the damage done to the property, and costs of court.

Make War On Germs

With the passing of cold weather all damp or dark places about the premises become breeding places for the germs of disease. No ordinary cleansing can destroy them. Disinfectants and germicides must be used. Closets, sinks and cellars especially should be thoroughly disinfected. We have everything needed for every purpose.

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DEATH OF JAMES FLAWN

Former Well Known Delaware Farmer Passed Away Saturday Night.

The death occurred in this city on Saturday night of Mr. William Flawn, a well-known farmer of Delaware Township. The deceased had been ill with heart trouble for some time, and as he was in his 85th year, his death, though somewhat sudden, was not altogether unexpected.

Mr. Flawn was born in Northamptonshire, England, and had been 32 years in Canada, most of which time was spent on the farm in Delaware. For ever a year he had resided in this city.

He is survived by three daughters and two sons, as follows: Mrs. John Payne, of Geneva, N. Y.; Mrs. Thomas Vaughan, of St. Louis, Mo.; Miss Annie Flawn, of Washington, D. C.; Mr. Alfred Flawn, city, and Mr. Fred Flawn, of Cleveland. The funeral will be held from the residence of Mr. Alfred Flawn, 130 Horton street, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, to White Oak Cemetery.

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A CASE WHERE LASH IS DESERVED

Michael O'Connel Goes Down In Default of $75 Fine and Costs.

It was shown again in the police court today how strong are the feelings of the police magistrate against men who abuse women, when he stated to Michael O'Connell that if it was in his power he would recommend that the lash be used upon him, besides sentencing him to a term in prison. O'Connell was arraigned on two charges, and he pleaded guilty to both. The case was tried in camera. The first charge was of using grossly insulting language towards Mrs. Slittock, a perfectly respectable lady, while the latter was returning home with her child. It was also charged against him that he had assaulted her by catching her by the arm. O'Connell did not deny any of the charges, but said that he was drunk at the time and not accountable for what he had done.

The magistrate told O'Connell that he did not believe he was intoxicated, as the lady whom he had accosted had not thought that he was. If he was, his conduct showed him to be a brute, at any rate, and there was no excuse for him. His case was one in which the lash might well be employed. On the first charge he was sentenced to pay a fine of $20 or 21 days in jail, and on the second to two months in jail, with the option of a fine of $50. With the costs the sum totaled $75. O'Donnell went down.

Two vagrants, who were arrested some time ago while sleeping in a G. T. R. coal car, were allowed to go on agreeing to go on their way.

John Brennan was sent down for 21 days for drunkenness. Several other drunks were allowed to go.

WANT MORE CARS ON TWO SERVICES

City Engineer Graydon Is Bringing Street Railway Matter Before the Council.

City Engineer Graydon is presenting a letter to the city council tonight regarding the street railway service, reference to which was made by The Advertiser some days ago. In the communication Mr. Graydon says that during the last two weeks he had men check the cars as they were operated on the different routes, for the purpose of ascertaining whether or not the timetable ordered by the city was being maintained, with the result that he finds that the schedule is carried out on the whole, although the cars vary in the time specified as much as 13 minutes, except on route No. 5, and Nos. 6 and 7, otherwise known as the Hamilton road and Oxford street line, and the South street belt, both ways.

On the Hamilton road and Oxford street line the time directed to be operated is an eight-minute service, but the average time operated is ten minutes. On the South street belt the time called for is a ten-minute service, but there is only a seventeen to eighteen minute service.

He has therefore notified Mr. Carr that it will be necessary to put on one more car on the South street belt, both ways, and two extra cars are also required on the Hamilton road and Oxford street line.

Mr. Graydon has laid other correspondence relating to the matter before the council and now asks that body to take action on his recommendations at once.

Manager Carr is in Toronto today.

Two Breach of Promise Suits Set for the Assizes

Also Suit for $10,000 Against Elgin County Et Al.—19 Cases on List.

The docket of cases to come up at the spring assizes before Sir William Meredith is swelling to large proportions. The total this morning was 17 jury and 2 non-jury cases. Among the jury cases are the following:

Robert vs. Elgin County—The plaintiff is Antoine Robert, a broker and capitalist residing in Montreal. This action recalls the history of the London and Port Stanley gravel road. In 1837, the county of Elgin leased all that part of the road within its boundaries to the late Robert Hepburn, including all tollhouses and other privileges. The plaintiff, Robert, obtained possession of that portion of the road, and all privileges in connection with it, by an order for foreclosure in 1903, and claims that he has since expended more than $7,000 on the road. The plaintiff charges that the county, being strongly anxious to regain the ownership of the road and abolish the tolls, has taken unfair means to depreciate its value. A large number of residents of Elgin are named as participators in this alleged conspiracy. One of the means taken, it is alleged, was that A. W. Campbell, present inspector of toll roads for the Province, was induced to make misleading and derogatory reports upon the condition of the road, and that these reports, being circulated through the press, intimidated persons from traveling on the said road. The plaintiff, therefore, sues for an injunction restraining defendants from attempting to take possession of the road and from interfering with plaintiff's employes. He further asks $10,000 damages. Robertson & Sanders for plaintiff; J. M. Glenn for defendants.

Gower vs. White—Louisa Gower charges Albert E. White with breach of promise, and claims $10,000 damages. This case, it will be remembered, was left over from the fall assizes. The defendant does not deny that an agreement existed, but claims, that owing to family afflictions he had been released by the plaintiff. Ivey & Dromgole for plaintiff; McKillop & Murphy for the defense.

Wilson vs. G. T. R.—The plaintiff is Mrs. Nellie Wilson, widow of the late William Wilson, yardmaster on the G. T. R., who was killed by being knocked off a freight car by a projecting roof on Dec. 5 last. Messrs. C. B. Hunt and John Hunt, to whom belongs the veranda which projects over the track, and against which Wilson is said to have struck, are also made defendants to the action. The amount of damages claimed by plaintiff is $15,000. One plea is that the statutes require that there should be a space of at least seven feet between the top of a car and any overhanging roof. Deceased was the sole support, it is said, of his wife and two children. Flauds and Campbell for plaintiff; W. H. Biggar, of Toronto, for the G. T. R.; Fraser and Moore for Hunt Bros.

Stephens vs. London Street Railway Company—The plaintiff, H. M. Stephen, formerly in the employ of the company as a conductor, charges that he was seriously injured while collecting fares on a Springbank car by being hurled against a tree which defendants had allowed to stand too near the track. McEvoy and Perrin for Perrin for plaintiff; Ivey and Dromgole for defendants.

Barber vs. March and Weir—The parties to this action are farmers of Middlesex, and the dispute is over a lease of land. Damage to the extent of $300 are claimed by plaintiff. McEvoy and Perrin for the plaintiff; Meredith and Fisher for defendants.

Fallon vs. Doyle—This is another breach of promise case, in which $5,000 is claimed by plaintiff, Emily Fallon. M. P. McDonagh for plaintiff; Houston and Stone, of Chatham, for defendant.

Walter Wright vs. Thomas Henry, Joseph McLeod and London Township—Plaintiff, who is a retired farmer living in Pottersburg claims that defendants seriously damaged some property he owns on the third concession by opening a gravel pit upon it, from which they took 910 cords of sand and gravel. Plaintiff claims $364 damages. J. W. G. Winnett for plaintiff; Meredith, Judd and Meredith for defense.

STORY MADE OUT OF WHOLECLOTH

Pere Marquette Does Not Discriminate Against Canadian Employes.

Mayor Campbeil today received a letter from Superintendent Pyatt, of the Pere Marquette, in regard to the story printed by a local paper to the effect that the officials of the Pere Marquette are discriminating against Canadians in favor of Americans. Mr. Pyatt states in emphatic terms that the story is a yellow one, made out of whole cloth, and he points out that even did the officials entertain any antipathy toward Canadians, self-interest would compel them to keep it to themselves while operating a Canadian road dependent upon Canadians for its livelihood.

In regard to the crew which has been removed to St. Thomas from London, Mr. Pyatt explains that formerly the train operated by this crew arrived in London at 5:45 and remained here all night. The city of London asked for a later train, and in order to accommodate the city, the train, instead of being allowed to remain here, was sent back to St. Thomas at 7:10, and, of course, the crew of four men is compelled to remain in that city over night.

He points out that it is frequently necessary for railroad crews to be changed from place to place, and that the present crew is being no worse treated than the crews on all other roads.

SHOULDER DISLOCATED

Little Jack Case Meets With Accident While Playing Fireman.

Little "Jack" Case, the 10-year-old son of Station Foreman Case, of No. 1 station, met with a very painful accident on Saturday. The little fellow, with a number of playmates, was playing fireman, and had ascended a ladder to extinguish an imaginary blaze which had broken out in a shade tree, when his comrades suddenly jerked the ladder away, allowing the boy to fall to the ground. Dr. Seaborne found the lad to be suffering from a badly dislocated shoulder, and it will be some time before he will be able to be around again.

CURSE OF GOD WAS CALLED DOWN

Impassioned Address at the Funeral of Mrs. Harry North.

The Detroit Free Press of Sunday contained the following report of the funeral of Mrs. North, who was shot and killed by her husband, Harry North, a former Londoner:

"Rev. E. W. Ryan, pastor of the Simpson M. E. Church, yesterday morning laid the blame for the murder of Mrs. Mary North on the liquor traffic and called down the curse of God on those who made it possible for the husband to obtain the drink which enraged him on the night of the shooting. The residence of the dead woman's daughter, Mrs. Alex. Warren, 228 Fifth street, where the funeral was held, was thronged with relatives and friends and, long before the time for the services to begin, the street was thronged with people.

"The announcement that Harry North, the wife-slayer, would be permitted to attend the services caused many of the curious to congregate there. Meanwhile North had prepared himself to go to the house for a last look at his dead wife's face, the woman he says he loved, but whose life he took. At the last minute Sheriff Dickson decided not to let North go, as it was feared some one might attempt violence if he were permitted to leave the county jail.

"Perhaps it is just as well," said North, when told of the sheriff's decision. "Perhaps it is as well. God knows I loved her and, when sober, never harmed a hair of her head. But drink robbed me of my senses."

Then he continued his restless pacing of the jail floor.

"The sons and daughters of the dead woman occupied seats in the little parlor near the casket containing the body of their mother. During the course of his sermon, Rev. E. W. Ryan said: 'May God mete out judgment to those who sold liquor to this woman's husband. Her death and his ruin are directly chargeable to the liquor traffic, to those engaged in it and to those who vote to sustain it. May those engaged in the sale or the manufacture of liquor and the licensing of its dispensing be called to account for Mrs. Harry North's death and Harry North's crime when all souls shall appear before God's tribunal on the day of judgment.'

"Lottie, the 16-year-old daughter, who was at home when the crime was committed, is still in a hysterical condition and was unable to go to Forest Lawn Cemetery, where the body was laid at rest."

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LIEUT.-GOVERNOR GIVES HIS ASSENT

Waterworks Debentures Will Now Be Issued as Usual This Year.

Mayor Campbell today received word that the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council has been pleased to grant the city of London permission to issue the sum of $9,000 debentures to cover a portion of this year's expenditure on capital account of the commission, as has always been done in the past.

The bylaw fixing the tax rate at 23 mills on the dollar will consequently come up for its third and final reading tonight. Upon the occasion of its first two readings it was opposed by Ald. Matthews and Carson, and it is altogether likely that they will again vote against it, but there does not appear to be any doubt that the bylaw will pass. But very few of the aldermen are anxious to earn a reputation for themselves through increasing the tax rate.



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"Her royal highness desires to thank Monsieur Carewe, and commands that he be brought to her carriage."

Lieutenant von Mitter smiled, and Maurice stood up and brushed himself. The troopers sprang into the saddle and started on a walk, with Maurice bringing up behind on foot. The thought of meeting the princess, together with his recent exertions, created havoc with his nerves. When he arrived at the royal carriage, his usual coolness forsook him. He fumbled with his hat, tongue-tied. He stood in the Presence.

"Monsieur," said the Voice, "I thank you with all my heart for your gallant service. Poor, poor dog!"

"It was nothing, your highness; any man would have done the same thing." The red in the wheel spokes bothered his eyes.

"No, no! you must not belittle it."

"If it had not been for Lieutenant von Mitter—"

"Whither were you going, Monsieur?" interrupted the Voice.

"Nowhere; that is, I was going toward my hotel."

"The Continental?"

"Yes, your highness."

"Step into the carriage, Monsieur;" the Voice had the ring of command. "I will put you down there. It is the least that I can do to show my gratitude."

"I—I to ride with your highness?" he stammered. "O, no! I—that is—it would scarcely be—"

"You are not afraid of me, Monsieur?" with a smile which, though it had a bit of the rogue in it, was rather sad. She moved to the other side of the seat and put the dog on the rug at her feet. "Perhaps you are proud? Well, Monsieur I too am proud; so proud that I promise never to forgive you if you refuse to gratify my wish."

"I was not thinking of myself, your highness, or rather I was. I am not presentable. Look at me; my hat is out of shape, my clothes dusty, and I dare say that my face needs washing."

The Presence replied to this remarkable defense with laughter, laughter in which Maurice detected an undercurrent of bitterness.

"Monsieur Carewe, you are not acquainted with affairs in Bleiberg, or you would know that I am a nobody. When I pass through the streets I attract little attention, I receive no homage. Enter: I command it."

"If your highness commands—"

"I do command it," imperiously. "And you would have pleased me more fully if you had accepted the invitation and not obeyed the command."

"I withdraw all objections," he said hastily, "and accept the invitation."

"That is better," the Voice said.

Maurice, still uncovered, sat down on the front seat.

"Not there, Monsieur; beside me. Etiquette does not permit you to ride in front of me."

As he took the vacant place beside her he felt a fire in his cheeks. The Voice and Presence were disquieting. As the groom touched the horses, Maurice was sensible of her sleeve against his, and he drew away. The Presence appeared unmindful.

"And you recognize me?" she asked.

"Yes your highness.' He tried to remember what he had said to her that day in the archbishop's garden. Two or three things came back and the color remounted his cheeks.

"Have you forgotten what you said to me?"

"I dare say I was impertinent," vaguely.

"Ah, you have forgotten, then!"

In all his life he never felt so ill at ease. To what did she refer? That he would be proud to be her friend? That if the princess was as beautiful as the maid he could pass judgment

"Yes, you have forgotten. Do you not remember that you offered to be my friend?" She read him through and through, his embarrassment, the tell-tale color in his cheeks. She laughed, and there was nothing but youth in the laughter. "Certainly you are afraid of me."

"I confess I am," he said. "I cannot remember all I said to you."

Suddenly she, too, remembered something, and it caused the red of the rose to ripple from her throat to her eyes. "Poor dog! Not that they hated him, but because I love him!" Tears started to her eyes. "See, Monsieur Carewe; princesses are human, they weep and they love. Poor dog! My playmate and my friend. But for you they might have killed him. Tell me how it happened." She knew, but she wanted to hear the story from his own lips.

His narrative was rather disjointed, and he slipped in von Mitter as many times as possible, thinking to do that individual a good turn. Perhaps she noticed it, for at intervals she smiled. During the telling he took out his handkerchief, wiped the dog's head with it, and wound it tightly about the injured leg. The dog knew; he wagged his tail.

How handsome and brave, she thought, as she observed the face in profile. Not a day had passed during the fortnight gone that she had not conjured up some feature of that intelligent countenance; sometimes it had been the eyes, sometimes the chin and mouth, sometimes the shapely head. It was wrong; but this little sin was so sweet. She had never expected to see him again. He had come and gone, and she had thought that the beginning and the end. Ah, if only she were not a princess! If only some hand would sweep aside those insurmountable barriers called birth and policy! To be free, to be the mistress of one's heart, one's dreams, one's desires!

"And you did it all alone," she said softly; "all alone."

"O, I had the advantage; I was not expected. It was all over before they knew what had happened."

"And you had the courage to take a poor dog's part? Did you know whose dog it was?"

"Yes, your highness, I recognized him."

A secret gladness stole into her heart, and to cover the flame which again rose to her cheeks, she bent and smoothed the dog's head. This gave Maurice an opportunity to look at her. What a beautiful being she was! He was actually sitting beside her, breathing the same air, listening to her voice. She exhaled a delicate perfume such as incorporates itself in persons of high degree and becomes a natural emanation, an incense vague and indescribable. He felt that he was gazing on the culmination of youth, beauty and elegance. . . . Yes, Fitzgerald was right. To beggar one's self for love; honor and life, and all to the winds if only love remained.

Presently she straightened, and he centered his gaze on the back of the groom.

"Monsieur, place your hat upon your head," smiling. "We have entered the Strasse, and I would not like to embarrass you with the attention of the citizens."

He put on his hat. The impulse came to tell her all that he knew in regard to the kingdom's affairs; but his voice refused its offices. Besides, it was too late; the carriage was rolling into the Platz, and in a moment more it drew up before the terrace of the Continental Hotel. Maurice stepped out and bared his head.

"This evening, Monsieur, at nine. I shall expect to see you at the archbishop's reception to the corps diplomatique." A hand was extended toward him. He did not know what to do about it. "I am offering you my hand to kiss, Monsieur Carewe; it is a privilege which I do not extend to all."

As he touched it to his lips, he was sure that a thousand pairs of eyes were centered on him. The truth is, there were less than one hundred. It was the first time in many months that the Crown Princess had stopped before the Continental Hotel. To the guests it was an event; and some even went as far as to whisper that the handsome young man was Prince Frederick, incognito.

"God save your royal highness," said Maurice, at loss for other words. He released her hand and stepped back.

"Until this evening, then, Monsieur;" and the royal barouche rolled away.

"Who loves me, loves my dog," said Maurice, as he sped to his room.

[To be Continued.]

Heading Off Dumpers.

Washington, D. C., April 16. — The Canadian Government is proceeding actively to prevent the practice of "dumping" surplus American manufactures into Canada. Commercial Agent Johnston, at Stanbridge, has reported to the state department that the Canadian department of customs has issued a new set of instructions, which provide for the imposition of a special duty on such goods entering Canada, if it can be shown that they were sold at a reduced price for export. He gives a long list of articles affected by this special duty.

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"Then came a bad attack of rheumatism which laid me up in bed. I could scarcely lift the weight of a pound, and to stoop or bend was impossible. My druggist recommended Ferrozone, and he knew what he was talking about, for it rebuilt my strength, gave me abundant appetite, better blood, and nervous energy. The rheumatism has disappeared. I weigh more, feel refreshed and vigorous, and am able to work ten hours a day. Ferrozone did it all."

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BATTERS OF TODAY AND YEARS AGO DISCUSSED BY MANAGERS

Hanlon Says the Players of Old Days Did the Best Stick Work.

Savannah, Ga., April 15.—While the Brooklyns were here Manager Hanlon confined his attention to improving the batting of his team. Hanlon feels that batsmen are scarce now. "You don't see any batters nowadays," said he, "that can pull them down the third-base line and get them like old 'Jim' White did. 'Deacon' was an arm batter, and liked a ball outside the plate. His weakness was on balls that came over. Whenever they handed him one off the outside he would reach a snaky movement that made it simply impossible to handle the ball. 'Hardy' Richardson was a great hitter, too, though inclined to chase curves, and not reliable in a pinch. Brouthers was the boy to have up in the tight places. He was a hitter. In Detroit one day I saw him get three home runs, a triple and double, which was going some. Mike Kelley got the same number of hits in the same game."

Hanlon continued: "Kelley was the type of batter that they do not develop any more. As a fielder 'Mike' was poor, and as a catcher he was not naturally a great player, his value behind the bat coming from his great headwork. He was a ball player by instinct, and his habit of doing the unexpected made him a great man behind the bat. As a hitter he shone pre-eminently. He could pull them into any field. One day our third baseman was off for some reason, and I elected myself to play the bag. Kelley took a look at me, smiled and told me that he was going to hit a few down my way. Five times that afternoon he drove the ball at me, and I can see them bounding off my shins yet. Of five that he deliberately pulled at me I didn't get more than one, and I quit third base playing right there."

Hanlon concluded: "Anybody that thinks the pitching was not a tough thing to face in the old days has a faulty memory. You had to be ready to get out of the way in a hurry when the pitcher threw one at your head."

Collins Thinks Differently—Diamond Artists of Present Time Superior.

Macon, Ga., April 15.—During the Boston American League club's sojourn here, Captain Collins, of the world's champions, when asked whether the players of today are superior to the men of the last generation, said: "There is no doubt of it in my mind. In the old days the stars were big, heavy men. Today most of the leading players are small men. It is almost useless to argue that small, light men can't go faster than heavy men. Look at Keeler, Leach, Parent, Wallace, McGraw and others too numerous to mention. I am not very big myself, neither is Ferris. Surely all of the players I have named are faster than the old veterans. I don't want to decry the ability of the old-timers, but remember that all of the great batsmen formerly were mere sluggers. What could sluggers do now against the 'spit ball' and foul strike rule in vogue? Few of the great batsmen of today can be called sluggers. Lajoie hits hard, but he doesn't make a wild swing. He meets the ball full. Keeler is the very antithesis of a slugger. Wagner can't be called a slugger, neither can Mike Donlin, Dougherty, Elberfeld, Parent, Burkett, Heidrick, Fred Clarke or Sheckard. Surely the ball players of today are as intelligent as the old-timers were, and no one is foolish enough to figure out that the present day players haven't profited by the mistakes of years ago, and haven't learned now wrinkles, as every other branch of sport or business. This should also be remembered: Strict training wasn't enforced years ago the way it is now, and you can't tell me that perfectly trained players such as are seen today can't play better ball on the whole than they did years ago, when so much attention wasn't paid to training. The pace is much hotter these days than ever before.

"In the old days everyone knew the stars, like Kelly, Anson and others. They were heroes wherever they went. All you could hear was talk about individuals who stood head and shoulders above the crowd. Today you don't hear such talk, and why? Because there are so many evenly matched players. There are so many stars that individual hero worship is out of the question. In those days people went to see one star player. Today they go to see eighteen evenly-matched men, most of whom are stars."

CUT OUT ROUGH PLAY, SAYS ALLEN

New President of the C. L. A. Wants Clean Sport This Year.

President-elect Allen, of the C. L. A., announces his platform as follows:

"I will use all the influence I possess to cut out rough play, to make the penalty for interference of spectators severe on the home club, and prosecute, if necessary, the worst offenders. I will encourage in every possible way amateur lacrosse, as I wish to see the Canadian Lacrosse Association the leading association in the Dominion. It has been so in the past, and nothing but the strictest enforcement of the rules will make it so in the future.

"I am strongly in favor of amateur lacrosse, and believe that the senior clubs should not be allowed to run the association. If we must have professional lacrosse, those inerested should separate themselves from the C. L. A. or amend the amateur rule and say it shall not apply to the senior series. There is no doubt but a large majority of the supporters of our national game in the towns and villages throughout the Province, are in favor of amateur lacrosse, and the residential rule that has so often been defeated at the C. L. A. convention has grown in favor so rapidly that I think another season will see it one of the rules of the association, particularly for the junior and intermediate series."

THE TURF.

BENNINGS WINNERS.

By winning three races on the last day at Bennings, Billy Garth took a long lead in the winning list, both as regards money won and the number of races won. W. L. Maupin's horses, trained by Garth, won thirteen races. He won two for O. L. Richards, two for Al Stokes and one for S. S. Rhoades, eighteen in all, or just one less than an average of one per day for the meeting. Garth also had 25 placed horses.

W. L. Maupin led the winning owners' list with $6,800, but all told the horses trained by Garth won $9,350. Second on the winning list was the Albemarle Stable, with $3,970. H. T. Griffin won seven races and $3,665. More than 80 owners participated in the division of the money. Two hundred and seventy-six different horses started in 117 races.

SATURDAY'S WINNERS.

At Aqueduct—Consideration, 6 to 1; Oak Lawn, 3 to 5; Orby II., 10 to 1; Ormonde's Right, 4 to 1; Bantam, 20 to 1; Sir Brillar, 7 to 1.

At Memphis—Queen Rose, 7 to 2; Hyperion II., 4 to 1; P. Ed Grillo, 4 to 5; John Smulski, 3 to 1; The Saracen, 6 to 5; Light Note, 8 to 1.

FOOTBALL.

HAD GOOD PRACTICE.

The London football team had a good turnout for its first practice on Saturday afternoon. There is no doubt a fast team will be placed in both the junior and intermediate W. F. A. this spring. All players wishing to join are requested to turn out to practice at once. Practice every evening until further notice, on the barracks grounds at 5 o'clock.

100,000 SAW THIS GAME.

London, April 15. — One hundred thousand persons witnessed the Aston Villa of Birmingham and the Newcastle United teams play off a tie for the English cup, the climax of the football season, on the Crystal Palace grounds this afternoon. The Aston Villas defeated the United by 2 goals to 0.

A Siege



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THREE SHUT-OUTS IN BIG LEAGUES

Boston, Pittsburg and Washington Get the Brush Early in the Season.

Three coats of whitewash were administered in the big leagues on Saturday, and the New York team gave two of them, Boston proving easy for the Giants, and Washington being equally as easy for the Highlanders, although the score of the latter was much smaller than the Giants'. Pittsburg fell hard before the Cincinnati Reds. Chicago won in the American, but lost in the National. The scores:

IN THE NATIONAL.

Saturday's Games.

At New York— R. H. E.
Boston .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 3 5
New York.....0 0 3 2 5 0 0 5 *—15 16 1
Batteries — Harley and Needham; Mathewson, Wiltse and Bowerman. Umpires, Emslie and Johnson. Attendance, 12,000.

At Cincinnati—
Cincinnati .....1 3 0 0 0 2 0 1 *—7 14 3
Pittsburg .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 4 0
Batteries—Ewing and Phelps; Phillippi, Case and Pietz. Umpire, Klem. Attendance, 2,321.

At St. Louis—
St. Louis.....0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 *—2 6 1
Chicago .....0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1 8 2
Batteries—Egan and Warner; Pfeiffer and O'Neill. Umpire, O'Day.

At Brooklyn—
Philadelphia .....1 2 0 0 0 2 0 3 0—8 11 4
Brooklyn .....0 0 0 0 0 1 2 0 0—3 7 1
Batteries—Duggleby and Dooin; Jones, Strickett and Ritter. Umpire, Bauswine. Attendance, 4,500.

Sunday's Games.

At Cincinnati—
Cincinnati .....0 2 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0—4 8 3
Pittsburg .....2 3 0 0 0 1 0 0 3—9 11 4
Batteries—Overall, Chech and Schlei; Robertaille and Pietz. Umpire, Klem. Attendance, 7,531.

At St. Louis—
St. Louis.....0 0 1 0 1 0 0 1 0—3 7 5
Chicago .....0 0 0 2 0 0 1 0 1—4 4 2
Batteries—Kellum and Grady; Weimer and Kling. Umpire, O'Day. Attendance, 8,000.

IN THE AMERICAN.

Saturday's Games.

At Washington— R. H. E.
Washington .....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 5 2
New York.....0 0 1 3 0 0 0 0 0—4 7 3
Batteries—Hughes and Kittredge; Orth, Powell and Kleinow. Umpire, Connolly. Attendance, 4,000.

At Chicago—
Chicago .....0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 1—3 8 3
St. Louis.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0—2 8 2
Batteries—Owen and Sullivan; Glade and Sugden. Umpire, Sheridan. Attendance, 3,300.

At Cleveland—
Cleveland .....2 0 0 1 3 0 0 0 *—6 9 1
Detroit .....0 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0—2 3 3
Batteries—Moore and Bemis; Mullen and Wood. Umpires, Kelley and McCarthy. Attendance, 7,544.

At Philadelphia—
Boston .....2 0 3 0 0 0 0 0 0—5 11 1
Philadelphia .....0 0 1 3 0 0 0 0 2—6 10 2
Batteries—Tannehill, Gibson and Doran and Farrell; Waddell, Coakley and Powers and Schreckengost. Umpire, O'Loughlin. Attendance, 11,369.

Sunday's Games.

At Chicago—
Chicago .....0 1 0 0 4 0 0 0 *—5 11 0
St. Louis.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 7 0
Batteries — Altrock and McFarland; Buchanan and Weaver. Umpire, Sheridan. Attendance, 8,166.

At Newark — Boston (American) 6, Newark (Eastern), 5.

COLLEGE BASEBALL.

Yale 2, Columbia 1.
Princeton 1, Brown 0.
Lehigh 1, Pennsylvania 8.
Navy 3, North Carolina 2.
Harvard 13, West Point 2.
Williams 11, Union 3.
Wesleyan 8, New York University 4.
Georgetown 9, Syracuse 1.

SELEE'S SELECTIONS.

Kansas City, April 15. — Manager Frank G. Selee, of the Cubs, announced yesterday that the outfield for the coming season will be picked from McCarthy, Slagle, Barry, Schulte and Maloney. This means that McChesney, Pennell and Mitchell have already been counted out of the running and that they will be let out before long. The decision given out last week by Selee that he would retain Hoffman means that Otto Williams will be turned loose and that the infield is already settled. In the pitching department Groth is the only man who will draw a release at present. Pfeffer, the University of Illinois pitcher, is the only new man on the staff besides Groth.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT TO A PLAYER.

Princeton, N. J., April 15. — R. A. Garrison, of Philadelphia, class of 1905, was playing ball with a few friends on Brokaw Field, when Garrison and another fielder started for a fly ball and collided. Garrison left the field apparently little hurt, but was later found in his room, unconscious. One kidney, which had been mutilated by shock, was removed.

ORMONDE'S RIGHT TOOK FEATURE AT AQUEDUCT

New York, April 15.—An immense outpouring of turf enthusiasts witnessed the opening of the Metropolitan racing season today at Aqueduct track, and cheered the victory of Ormonde's Right, public favorite in the Carter handicap. The winner bore the colors of Sydney Paget. Nicely ridden through the stretch by W. Davis, the Ormonde colt outfooted David C. Johnson's Roseben, the contender, and won easily by half a length, covering the seven furlongs in 1:26⅘. The purse was worth a bit over $7,000. Roseben finished second and William Lakeland's Little Em third.

No records garnished the opening day's contests, but the handicap was run within four-fifths of a second of the best time ever made over the Aqueduct track.

Belle Strome, which last year traveled in good company as a 2-year-old, was made odds-on favorite for the closing event, but at 1 to 3 little attention was paid to her chances and she made a sorry exhibition of speed, finishing outside the money.

The Carter was fourth on the programme and called out a field of eighteen starters. So evenly balanced were the chances of all these thoroughbreds that the Paget entry—Ormonde's Right and Goldsmith—installed as favorites, were 4 or 5 to 1. Every starter had hundreds of backers.

HOW THE BIG LEAGUES STAND

THE NATIONAL.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	2	0	1000
Philadelphia	2	0	1000
Chicago	2	1	.667
Pittsburg	2	1	.667
Cincinnati	1	2	.333
St. Louis	1	2	.333
Brooklyn	0	2	.000
Boston	0	2	.000

THE AMERICAN.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	2	0	1000
Philadelphia	2	0	1000
Cleveland	1	0	1000
Chicago	2	1	.667
St. Louis	1	2	.333
Detroit	0	1	.000
Boston	0	2	.000
Washington	0	2	.000

TENNIS.

DOHERTY AGAIN CHAMPION.

London, April 15. — R. L. Doherty again won the covered court lawn tennis championship today, defeating the challenger, J. G. Ritchie, at the Queen's Club by 3—0.

WRESTLING.

ROONEY DEFEATS PARR.

Chicago, Ill., April 15. — John J. Rooney, of Chicago, defeated Jim Parr, of England, in a wrestling match here tonight, winning two out of three falls. The style of the match was straight catch-as-catch-can. Rooney won the second and third falls in 9:30 and 3:30, respectively. Parr won the first fall in 11:45.

GOTCH'S LATEST UNDERTAKING.

All arrangements for the double-handicap match which Frank Gotch will wrestle in Hamilton were completed Saturday, and the Hamilton management announced that the affair would take place in the opera house on Thursday night of this week. Gotch undertakes to throw Charlie Conkie and Billy Whitwell three times each in 90 minutes of wrestling time, for a $200 side bet. Conkie is a clever middle-weight and Whitwell is said to be a good heavy-weight.

A joke is the mean trick you play on the other fellow and a mean trick is the joke the other fellow plays on you.

William Stanley Braithwaite, a colored man of Boston, is attracting great attention as a poet. He is considered by critics to be one of the finest singers of the younger generation in America.

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A HUMAN TOP

Dervish Woman Whirls 2,400 Times in 32 Minutes.

New York, April 17.—The spinning record for a human top was broken today. Marie Bayrooty, a dervish dancer, from Beirut, Syria, kept herself awhirl for 32 minutes and made 2,400 revolutions, raising the record from 20 minutes. That was made by a man who is in an asylum for the insane, fostering the hallucination that he is spinning the earth. He has to be confined in a circular cell and his food is distributed to him in a circle.

While in her record-breaking whirl the dervish danseuse peeled and ate an orange and did a few other things, just to show that her whole attention was not absorbed by the mere process of spinning. The occasion was an "at home" of the freaks of a circus.

The young woman settled into a speed at about 80 turns a minute. In perfect time to music she spun on heels and toes, with eyes closed opening them occasionally for a swift glance about to keep her location. Relief from monotony she obtained by spurts of speed followed by a slowing down. When almost everybody was looking away to get rid of the sensation that they were turning, too, she asked for an orange. This she peeled and ate after sending the skin here and there and everywhere.

When near the 30-minute mark she ate a banana without ceasing to whirl. At 31 minutes and 30 seconds she gave a little cry, and the band played "Yankee Doodle" at terrific speed. The girl revolved like an electric fan until she had reached the 32-minute mark, and then she slowed down quickly to a stop.

LIFE-SAVING RAFT WORKS

Steward of Liner Has Invention to Safeguard Voyagers.

Havre, April 17.—A practical test of the Matson life-saving raft has been made and the invention was proved a complete success.

Seeking to find a remedy for the great loss of life which occurs in such disasters as the Elbe and the Bourgogne, when panic prevented the proper launching of lifeboats, Henry J. Matson, chief steward of the French Line steamship Savoie, has been engaged for some time in perfecting a lifeboat raft capable of being launched readily and easily. It is possible for one man by two movements of his arm to launch the Matson lifeboat raft, which is a boat made of two cylinders of galvanized iron and containing sixteen watertight compartments. It will hold 60 persons, and in it may be stored 62 gallons of fresh water, and a quarter of a ton of provisions.

The raft rests on a long framework on the boat deck. When a lever is pulled the fastenings are unlocked, the frame tilts and the raft slides over the side. Two of these rafts have been built and are to be tested on the Savoie.

LILLIAN AND HER DOG

Couldn't Ride in Pullman Until a Permit Was Procured.

Buffalo, April 17.—Lillian Russell on her way to Chicago to open there in "Lady Teazle," came into Buffalo from the south today. She was to go west over the Lake Shore, and all arrangements had been made to give her a nice stateroom. She swept up to the Pullman, accompanied by a French maid, under whose arm nestled a bunch of fluffy hair and ribbon, an apology for a live dog. The alert negro porter spied the dog.

"No dogs allowed on a Pullman," he exclaimed.

Miss Russell was indignant and made a fuss. The car conductor and the train conductor were called by the porter, and their decision was that the dog must ride in the baggage car. Miss Russell, being anxious to get to Chicago, agreed to this if her French maid could ride with the dog. That was also against the rules, to the relief of the maid.

Finally, Miss Russell had John W. Daly, chief assistant general passenger agent of the road, called from bed, and he got the requisite permit by telegraph from the Pullman Company for the transportation of the dog.

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LONDON AND DISTRICT

—W. A. Reid, of Montreal, is visiting in this city.

—Mr. John Nelson, Wallaceburg, is having a visit in this city.

—Mrs. I. Rank, of Tavistock, is spending some days in this city.

—A new arrival at Wolseley Barracks, is Lieut. Jonse, of the Twenty-seventh (Lambton) Regiment, who has been authorized to take the short course which is now in progress.

—Rev. E. L. Tranter, of the Egerton Street Baptist Church, preached in the Adelaide Street Church last evening to a large congregation. His subject was "Receiving the Power of the Spirit."

—The committee in charge of the concert to be held in the Colborne Street Church tomorrow evening promises a splendid programme. The Macgregor-Fax Company will furnish the entertainment.

—Seats are selling very rapidly at the Auditorium box office for the illustrated lecture on the Russo-Jap war to be given tomorrow evening by Ellis Ashmead Bartlett, the famous war correspondent.

PROVINCIAL OFFICER HERE.

Provincial License Inspector Gordon spent Saturday in London making his semi-annual inspection of hotels and shops.

A PAINFUL ACCIDENT.

A painful accident befell Mrs. Jenkins, of 152 Hamilton road, on Saturday. She was crossing the Market Lane, when she was knocked down and run over by a delivery rig, being injured so badly that she had to be taken home in a cab.

VACANCY FILLED.

Mr. J. A. Mattinson has been appointed to the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Thomas Purdom, K. C., the Government representative on the hospital trust. Mr. Mattinson is manager of the London Drug Company, and an ex-president of the board of trade.

CHURCH REOPENING.

The Egerton Street Baptist Church, which has been considerably enlarged and generally much improved, was reopened yesterday. The pastor, Rev. E. L. Tranter, preached in the morning, and Rev. T. T. Shields, of the Adelaide Street Church, occupied the pulpit in the evening. This evening the reopening services will be continued, when Rev. J. J. Ross will give a short address on "Distinctive Baptist Principles," and special music will be given by the united Baptist choirs.

ELECTED OFFICERS.

Richard Coeur de Lion Preceptory, No. 4, Knights Templar, has elected officers for the year as follows: Presiding preceptor, E. Sir Knight S. M. Screaton; constable, Sir Knight Chas. Maguire; marshal, Sir Knight Thomas Rowe; sub-marshal, Sir Knight James A. Tancock; prelate, Sir Knight R. L. Shaw, M. D.; treasurer, R. E. Sir Knight A. A. Campbell; registrar, V. E. Sir Knight A. D. Holman; auditors, Sir Knights Forester and Sifton.

STRAYED FROM PORT HURON.

An elderly woman called Mrs. George, who is subject to lapses of the mind, left her home in Port Huron, while in this condition on Thursday evening, and took the train for this city. The police are now looking for her here. Mr. George, a son of the woman, arrived here yesterday and made a vain search through the city, in company with Detective Rider, for his mother. Mrs. George is about 60 years of age, thin and short of stature. Her face is pale and her hair is turning gray. On Thursday she was carrying a yellow satchel and wore dark clothes, and a bonnet.

SEVENTEENTH "POP."

The usual "Pop" crowd assembled at the seventeenth of these entertainments on Saturday evening. Most of the programme was given by fun-making Mr. and Mrs. Kyle, while Miss Fidell, Mr. Spence and Mr. Harding were also much appreciated. The programme was as follows: "The Promise of Life" (Cowen), Miss Fidell; sketch, "Is Marriage a Failure?" T. E. Kyle and Irene H. Kyle; "The Village Blacksmith" (West), Mr. Harding; illustrated songs, Mr. Spence; (a) "Barney," (b) "Rob Roy McGregor Tam O'Shanter O'Brien," Mr. Kyle; "The Sunlit Highway" (Moir), Miss Fidell; "A Jovial Monk Am I" (Audran), Mr. Harding; sketch, "A Touch of Nature," T. E. Kyle and Irene H. Kyle.

MONSTER FISH CAUGHT.

The biggest fish that has been caught in the River Thames for many years now hangs in the refrigerator of the London House. It is a pike, weighing 16½ pounds, and it is fully 3 feet 7 inches in length. The fish was caught this side of Byron bridge by Messrs. George and Walter Able, with a net and an eight and a half ounce rod. When the men saw what they had on their line they concluded it must be a fish of a much larger variety. Not having been prepared for such a monster, it took long and careful maneuvering to bring it ashore safely, without losing hook, fish and all. When it finally lay on the bank, it was seen by the shape of its head, and the marks on the body, that it was a lake pike. How it ever got this far up the river is a puzzle. The Messrs. Able sold the fish for table use. It is about a quarter of a century since another such piscatory giant has been brought to land at this part of the Thames. Fifteen years ago a pike weighing 14½ pounds was landed near Hunt's mill on the south branch.

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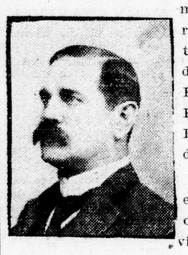
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Young Liberals to Tender Reception to Mr. Hyman

A meeting of the executive of the Young Liberal Club will be held in the club rooms tonight to make arrangements for the reception to be tendered London's member, Hon. Chas. S. Hyman, on Easter Monday.



Every Liberal, young or old, will be invited to the reception which will be held in the club rooms. Each and every Liberal will be made to feel at home, and each and every one will be afforded the opportunity of shaking hands with the city's able federal representative.

All members of the executive are requested to be present tonight. It is the desire that every young Liberal should be given an opportunity of taking an active part in the reception to Hon. Mr. Hyman.

LEGISLATION IS NO CURE

Canon Dann Says It Will Not Overcome Sin of Intemperance.

"Intemperance," in all its forms, was the theme of Canon Dann's sermon in St. Paul's Cathedral, yesterday morning. Referring especially to drunkenness, Canon Dann said he believed that this sin could not be overcome by legislation On the other hand, he thought that saloons of a certain kind could well be abolished. In fact every method which would tend to attract men to their own homes, to museums, libraries and other like places, with which elevating influences were associated, should be brought into play. Continuing, the preacher said that the only real way to overcome drunkenness was that which Jesus Christ himself had shown, namely, regeneration. "Patching a man from the outside is of no avail," said the canon. "He must be regenerated through and through."

The preacher went on to say that there were many other forms of intemperance. He himself would not think he was doing his duty as a minister of Christ if he strove to save a man from one sin alone, and allowing him to fall on another. The aim should be to make the tree good, and then its fruit would be good.

Away Below the Freezing Point Went the Mercury

Took a Tumble Saturday Night and Sunday—Vegetation Will Not Suffer.

Precedent, custom and prophecies were thrown to the winds by the month of March, and for twenty days of the month the people of London and the vicinity enjoyed a summer brand of weather with the mercury hovering in the tube all the way between 60 and 80. And the old proverb about the month coming in like a lion and going out like a lamb, and vice versa, as to mode of entrance and exit, was knocked into smithereens, for March came in like a lamb and waltzed out without even a suggestion of riotousness.

But April was still to be reckoned with. The warm weather had spoiled the good people of London. Dust was flying, water carts were busy sprinkling the pavements, carpets were being assaulted on clothes lines, furniture was being beaten on verandas, summer girls were beginning to feel out the weather with the daintiest of fag-end spring millinery and costume creations, when, lo! April came along and spoiled the whole business. The mercury dropped from twenty to thirty degrees, at the beginning of the month, and ever since April has been working overtime to see how much meaner it could act on a bet.

The climax arrived on Saturday, however. A year ago that day fully two feet of snow fell in London, and to show that it meant business the snow remained on the ground till almost the 1st of May. But last year no person took any notice of a fall of snow, because the entire spring and winter had been so mean and unreasonable, that even had there been sleighing up till Dominion Day no person would have humbled herself or himself to ask the reason why. It would have seemed like begging for quarter from an unprincipled opponent.

This year matters were different. The sap was running, the sun was shining, and other things were "didding," when along comes the meanest and most unreasonable kind of weather, and the people feel like reporting the matter to the British ambassador. Saturday night the mercury dropped to 21½ degrees, which is 10½ degrees below freezing, and last night it registered 28 degrees, or 4 below freezing. The result is the ground is frozen as in the wintertime, and the people are wondering what the consequences will be to crops, trees and foliage.

Mr. W. E. Saunders, who is well known as an authority upon such matters, was seen by The Advertiser today.

"I do not think there is the slightest room for worry," he said. "Such weather as this is very common at this time of the year, though, of course, we forget about it from year to year. Until the blossoms appear there is no danger to the trees, and the buds, though in most cases well formed now, have not as yet bursted. The foliage is never affected except by the most severe frost, so that the leaves are all right, as well as the fruit. As to the fall wheat, I do not think it has suffered in the least, nor do I anticipate the slightest danger. Why, this year is nothing like as cold as it was a year ago, or at the same period in former years. Whereas last night it was only 28 above, a year ago it was 15 above, or 17 degrees below freezing. On the same night in 1903 it was 18 above, and in 1902 it was 20 above."

Mr. Saunders added that quite a few flowers are now planted in the gardens of London, but they are of the classes which do not suffer from a little frost, such as gladiolus and the like.

A dispatch from Toronto also states that the weather bureau officials there are confident that the crops will not suffer from the cold dip. The minimum temperature yesterday was, at 8 a.m., when the thermometer recorded six degrees of frost. The minimum today was 2 degrees of frost.

Park Commissioner Chambers was emphatic in his statement that the frost would have no ill effect on vegetation. "There has been practically no growth at present," said he, "and what there is could stand ten or fifteen degrees of frost. I should say the frost would have no ill effect in any part of Ontario."

IS WANTED ON BURGLARY CHARGE

Arrest of Wm. Winslow After He Returned to Visit Relatives In This City.

William Winslow, a London boy, was arrested here on Saturday by Detectives Nickle and Egelton, and today will be taken back to Toronto, where he will answer to a charge of burglary, which is said to have been committed in December last.

After having suspended sentence passed upon him for forging a check on the Bank of British North America here some months ago, Winslow went to Toronto and secured a position in a neckwear house. During Winslow's stay in the Queen City the house of G. L. Sherlock, of First avenue, was broken into, and a young man named Beam, whose family also resides on Dreaney avenue, was arrested and sent to the Central for a year. Winslow, who is said to have been Beam's partner, "jumped" the town and did not go back. Probably he never would have been caught had he not returned to London to visit his relatives. The police had been expecting the visit, and it was not long before the Toronto authorities were communicated with, and the necessary papers secured.

A Toronto detective will take Winslow back in the course of the day.

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TWO CLASSES CONFIRMED

Bishop of Huron Conducts the Rite in London Churches.

The Bishop of Huron conducted confirmation services at St. Matthew's Church yesterday morning, and in the evening at St. James' Church, South London. In the morning a class of 23 candidates was presented by the rector, Rev. George M. Cox, and a large congregation listened with close attention to the bishop's earnest address of advice and exhortation. In the evening Dean Davis presented 35 candidates.

In St Paul's Cathedral last evening, Rev. Canon Dann gave an impressive and instructive sermon on the subject of "The Lord's Supper," explaining its value and true meaning, principally as illustrated in St. Paul's Epistle to the Corinthians.

A LONDON AUTHOR

Mr. Harvey O'Higgins, Who Is Now Claimed as a Yankee.

The Toronto News says:

"'Why can't it be made a little plainer to the American critics,' writes a Canadian, who has made New York his headquarters since entering with success on the career of a contributor to American magazines, 'that Mr. O'Higgins, of "Smoke-Eaters" fame, is not a Yankee, but a Canadian? He comes from London, Ont., and did his first work on 'Varsity and the Star. You will no doubt have seen his volume (the Century Company) by this time, and I leave it to your own judgment. But the other matter—that of nationality—ought to be mentioned, too. The glory can fairly go where it belongs, and that is not in New York.'

HOW FOOD WORKS.
A Sure Way Out of Bowel Troubles.
So-called "septic appendicitis" will often hang on for years. This is caused by white bread, potatoes and other forms of starchy food that the individual does not properly digest, and it is useless to attempt to make a permanent change by any form of drug, for all drugs "wear out," and in time refuse to benefit where the cause of the disturbance is not removed.
Septic appendicitis is a general term for a diseased condition of the bowels caused from undigested starch, and, as stated above, it may go on for years; yet people must have starchy food.
It is a well-established fact among physicians and individuals who have made the experiment that when bowel disturbances are shown, a change in food must be made, and that the famous pre-digested food—Grape-Nuts—is the most perfect remedy, for it contains no medicine of any sort, but it is made up of the selected parts of wheat and barley in which the starchy part has been changed in the form of sugar that is found in the human intestines after the starchy part of the food has been perfectly digested.
When Grape-Nuts food is used in place of bread or any of the other forms of starch, the body is supplied with the necessary elements already in the form of this sugar (known as "Post sugar), and is therefore ready for immediate assimilation for the first act of digestion has taken place outside of the body and during the process of manufacture.
Absolute certainty of results can be depended upon and the disease relieved by this method.
A prominent Missouri editor tells this cheerful story:
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Advertiser Correspondence

The Kindergarten.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

I believe it is true that as a rule parents do not intelligently appreciate the advantages which come to their children through our system of education. In fact, about the only time our attention is drawn to the relation between teacher and child is when some unruly pupil is punished, and his parents interview the teacher to find the cause of the trouble. We do not expect perfection from teachers, because we do not find it in any profession; but it may be truthfully said they have our highest confidence. Any child with proper home training looks upon his teacher as a person to be admired and loved, and we believe they are competent to do the best for our children.

My attention has been called to the subject by the number of small children I frequently see on our streets during school hours, and I have made inquiries of the parents as to the cause. The children are somewhere between 4 and 6 years of age, the period that is allotted them in the kindergarten. Usually any answer I received was vague. The parents had not awakened to the importance of this period of the child's life. Perhaps if it meant immediate dollars and cents to them the matter would be more carefully treated.

My child has had the privilege of attending the kindergarten nearly two years, and to me it is a matter for thankfulness he has been there. Not that it makes him quiet, which some people call goodness, but that the world is a happy wonderland to him. He views all men as brethren, with considerable intelligence. Nature is an open book, out of which he reads great laws and traces them to their source. He is always employing himself with different kinds of construction—perhaps it is a bit of colored pencil he illuminates the pages of some old magazine with, or scissors and paper he may use to show us something he views as beauty; and I might mention many other ways equally interesting to the sympathetic onlooker. His conversation tells us of the thing he is particularly interested in at kindergarten, be it season, festive day or one of the world's workers. He is constantly expressing in snatches of song the joy he feels about the flowers, birds or some happy time. He is interested in his playmates at school, the social instinct is satisfied, and if he has proper guidance at home the street has very little attraction for him if he has any other place to play.

The mother finds it impossible to fill in these two years of childhood as it can be done in the kindergarten, and to rob a child of this heritage, from what I know it has meant to my child, I regard as a crime.

The kindergartners are always ready to give information about their method of development with the children; and it would be a great benefit if the parents would spend a morning once in a while and see the children at work and play as I have done. Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for the valuable space.

AN OBSERVING MOTHER.

Most Canadians who are at all interested in current fiction are aware that Mr. O'Higgins is a Canadian, and doubtless found that an additional reason why they should read with pleasure his book of stories about New York firemen, which are as fresh, sincere, and promising as any collection of short stories that has appeared this season. Mr. O'Higgins' nationality is a matter of satisfaction to Canadians; but its recognition by critics in the United States is likely to depend to a certain extent at least on the author's choice of subject. Fortunately, however, those who care most for the credit of Canadian writers, find it of greater importance that they, like Mr. O'Higgins, should do good work, than that their choice should be confined to Canadian subjects."

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