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JOTTINGS FROM NEAR-BY PLACES

HOWLETT.

Howlett, Feb. 9.—Mr. R. E. Howlett shipped a carload of export cattle on Saturday.

The Sharon choir intend giving a wood concert in the near future.

The funeral of one of the oldest residents of Delaware, Mr. Thos. Scott, took place Thursday from his late residence, 2nd concession.

Howlett, Feb. 9.—The W. M. S. held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mr. Thomas Adams on Wednesday last.

We are sorry to note the continued illness of Mr. Wm. Bignell, one of the most esteemed residents of this community.

It is a matter of regret that Mr. Hugh Scott and family are leaving this community. They are giving up farming and intend moving to Lambeth. Mr. Scott will have an auction sale on Feb. 13th.

EMBRO.

Embroid, Feb. 9.—Miss Carrie Munro is visiting friends in London.

Mr. B. Boxall, of Woodstock, is visiting his son, Mr. G. H. Boxall.

Miss Bell McKenzie, of Tilbury, is spending a few days at her brother's, Mr. Wm. McKenzie.

Mr. Ed. Huggins, of Calgary, is visiting his relatives here. It is seventeen years since Mr. Huggins was in Embro before.

Misses Ellen and Barbara Ross, of "Scottia Farm," arrived recently and are visiting with their friends on "Merry Vessels."

And three grown-up children, who are all married, and settled in "Scottia Farm," arrived recently and are visiting with their friends on "Merry Vessels."

The funeral of Mrs. Mary McKay, formerly of Golspe, occurred recently at her home in Inverkip. The remains were buried in the North Embro Cemetery.

Mrs. McDonald was a sister of Mrs. A. E. Murray, Embro, and Mrs. (Dr.) Andrew McKay, Woodstock. A family of

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Quite Useless

The Temporary Relief of Digestive Tablets is Futile.

My experience and study indicate that 90 per cent of dyspepsias have slow liver, weak kidneys and constipated bowels.

These important organs get out of gear, throw an extra burden on the stomach, which it can't handle, and the result is in digestion.

My remedy will cure you. I call my remedy Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Butternut, and can recommend it, because I have proved it does cure chronic stomach trouble.

When you look at the formula of Dr. Hamilton's Pills you will see that they contain vegetable extracts that every physician admits are splendid tonics for the kidneys, liver and bowels.

Everyone knows the virtue of Mandrake, Butternut, Dandelion and Hyoscamus. These health-giving juices and extracts are carefully combined with other principles so as to produce a pill of wonderful efficiency that even children can safely use.

If you feel heavy and dull after meals, use Dr. Hamilton's Pills. If your tongue is furred, or you have bad taste and offensive breath, use Dr. Hamilton's Pills.

If you have a full, choking feeling in the throat and chest, Dr. Hamilton's Pills are badly needed.

If you head aches, you feel dizzy, no appetite and a desire to rest, your liver is at fault and needs the stimulation given by Dr. Hamilton's Pills.

Think it over. Dr. Hamilton's Pills are a system cleaner and health bringer of unusual merit; and they are safe for young and old.

My guarantee stands behind each box, proving my great confidence in the remedy I recommended; 25c per box or five for \$1, at all dealers, and be sure you get the genuine Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Butternut.

A STRONG MAN FOR NORTHERN NIGERIA GETS BIG SALARY

Girouard the Man for the Place, Says One Who Has Campaigned With Him.

London, Feb. 10.—I was greatly interested to read that Sir Percy Girouard had been appointed high commissioner of Northern Nigeria, in succession to Sir Frederick Lugard. Of none of my friends in South Africa have I a livelier and more pleasant recollection than of this distinguished officer of engineers. I had gone once more to Johannesburg, just after the conclusion of peace. The journey had been perhaps a little more pleasant than during the war time, but still very far from luxurious. Sir Percy Girouard's invitation, therefore, to return to Cape Town with him in his comfortable official saloon, was extremely welcome. Sharing Sir Percy's hospitality were two other officers of the engineers, a Canadian and an Englishman, and elsewhere in the train there were two officers of the Cameron Highlanders, who had a standing invitation to meals on at the back of the train without any communication with the rest of it, and as the train ran for long distances without stopping, it was somewhat difficult to arrange meetings with our Highland friends.

A Contrast

The contrast between this species of travel and what I had endured over thousands of miles during the war was indeed poignant. We actually had little paper table napkins, and what I even more surprising, a written menu. The sleeping accommodation was narrow but comfortable, and the supplies proved sufficient for the extensive demands made on them. I have the most delightful remembrance of the long, warm afternoons through which we sat smoking cigars in uninterrupted succession, and looking out the far but not very distant windows. My companions had been through the entire campaign, and endless and excellent were the stories they had to tell. I remember particularly hearing about the engine-driver whose train was attacked, I think near Middelburg. The stoker fell mortally wounded at his side, while the driver himself was shot through both arms and cheek. He stuck to his post, however, and chiefly by means of his teeth and head brought the engine for four or five miles safely into the station. This was only the beginning of the heroism of engine-drivers during the war. Sir Percy Girouard tried to get the Victoria Cross for this man, but a medal was the only reward he received. One of my travelling friends had been in command of an armoured train and had many interesting experiences to relate. I have often been very thankful for this.

Nothing could be less cosy. Major Nanton dwelt particularly on the sufferings from cold in the high veldt. He and his men, he said, had often been as dead as veldt and sick with the cold as if they had been in a heavy storm at sea. They were unable to find any cure for this singular effect of life in an armoured train.

Characteristics.

Colonel Girouard was himself the best of all companions. He looked, and I have no doubt looks, very boyish for a man who has done so much work and won so much distinction. Breezy and boisterous, big-hearted and big-mouthed, with single eye-glass and cigar as his inseparable attributes, very line of his face, every tone of his voice and every gesture tell of energy and decision of character. Colonel Girouard is a Canadian and a Roman Catholic, and he seems to harbor a permanent suspicion that somebody intends to deprive him of his nationality and his religion. The emphasis of his language is devoted to endless amusement to me, especially as it was often blended with expressions of sincere religious feeling. To argue with Colonel Girouard is to be undone, not necessarily with force of argument, but with sheer over-bearing yet always good-natured strength of will and conviction, expressed with flashing eye, thundering fist, scowl of brow and the shout of a splendid resonant voice. And a mere argumentative reply was impossible. But, in spite of this Anglo-Saxon sentiment, Sir Percy Girouard is intensely devoted to his French Canada. "Don't you interfere with us," he would say, "you English think that everybody who is not English is a nigger."

Down to Cape Town.

Long, long talks we had in those quiet African afternoons, as we slid down the single, slender line to far-off Cape Town and the sea. Girouard was at that time head of the Imperial military railways, and he had made his personality felt over the whole system. I was especially struck by his attention to detail. Once he caught sight of an old tarpaulin, inscribed with the betraying letters "T. M. R.," which a kaffir had commandeered for the roof of his private residence. There was a little row, I remember, about that. But on the whole our journey was tranquil and uneventful. The worst mischance was that at Magersfontein the cigars almost gave out, as well they might. I will admit the credit of having pretended that I was sick to death of cigars, in order to save my host the unendurable agony of a famine in this particular. I never seen Colonel Girouard since we parted on the station at Cape Town. I have met a good many men in different walks of life, but never a more happy and healthy and heart-sound personality. Since those days he has married the daughter of Sir Richard Solomon, who has just resigned the position of high commissioner of the Transvaal, and he is now the happy father of a son and heir. Britons may be well assured that Northern Nigeria, at least, will be a well-governed province of the empire.

DISOWNED PRINCE GETS BIG SALARY

Paris Engagement at \$3,000 Per Week.

London, Feb. 10.—Prince and Princess de Broglie seemed particularly happy at the Tivoli last night, for they signed a contract in London yesterday with the director of the Scala, Paris, to appear there one month beginning in May at a salary of \$3,000 a week—a record salary for Paris. There is also a clause in their contract indemnifying them up to a sum of \$40,000 against injury during such time as they shall be in the Scala carrying out their engagement.

Prince de Broglie said last night that he is officially informed that his family will do all in their power to prevent him and the princess from appearing in Paris.

Before appearing there they will both fulfill a month's engagement at the Winter Garden, Berlin, and they are now considering offers from Brussels and Vienna.

"We are seeking engagements on our artistic merits solely," said Prince Robert, "and a letter that I received yesterday from a great musical director in Italy, who addressed me as his 'dear cousin,' gave me more pleasure. I can assure you, than you can possibly imagine."

TWELVE NEW KNIGHTS

German Princes and Nobles Decorated by the Kaiser.

Berlin, Feb. 10.—The Berlin season can be said to have commenced in real earnest today with the investiture of twelve new knights of the Order of the Black Eagle at the imperial palace. During the morning Unter den Linden has been crowded with ambassadors' coaches in medieval splendor, court carriages and private equipages conveying princes of the blood, courtiers, knights of the order, and their Valet de chambre, and the members of noble German houses. It was the most splendid ceremony of the court season.

The following thirteen knights received the accolade from the Kaiser today: Prince Oskar of Prussia, Prince of Waldeck and Pyrmont, Prince Albert of Holstein-Glücksburg, Prince Eulenburg, General Von Leszynski, Herr Von Radowitz, Admiral Sander-Bibran, Dr. Von Studt, Count Von Zedlitz, Cardinal Von Kopp, the Duke of Ratibor, Prince of Corvey and General Von Stulpnagel.

Throughout the ceremony the Emperor preserved the dignified and stern countenance which almost all his portraits present, but as soon as the knights of the order had deposited their long, flowing velvet mantles in the Black Eagle antechamber he was gay.

HIS FIRST UNIFORM

Little Son and Heir of the Czar Heads All Cossack Regiments.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 10.—From time to time there is thrown upon the son of the late Emperor Nicholas a picture of bright times. One such was the scene yesterday, when the baby Czarvitch, aged 2½ years, received his first uniform.

Although last year the small prince was appointed by his adoring father the Finnish Regiment of the Guard, colonel of the Lettish Infantry, captain of the Siberian Sharpshooters and commandant of a battery of the guards, he possessed none of the insignia of these various grades. So the charming idea came to the Emperor's mind to offer their child a uniform and sword.

To the regimental tailor was entrusted the task of making a Lilliputian outfit, and when it was finished, complete in every detail, a deputation of twelve officers, to the imperial palace, to the baby colonel received the deputation in person. Placed by his nurse upon a table in order to be as high as his regimental staff, with his royal parents beside him looking proudly on, he gave his little hand to each officer in turn to be kissed.

He hailed gleefully the sight of the uniform, with its glittering braid and buttons, but the sword frightened him, and when, by a slight mishap, it dropped with a clang to the ground, his little hand sought the audience to an abrupt conclusion.

ORIGIN OF PLEURITIC PAIN.

Just now they are very common, and many people seem subject to a mild inflammation of the lining of the lung, which, if neglected, spreads to the lung itself.

Prompt treatment with Nerviline is needed. Rub it in deeply—pain vanishes, relief is instant—pleurisy is cured, cough, fever, a mustard plaster, more soothing and healing. Nerviline is sure to cure any ache, pain or congestion, because it contains a combination of remedies that destroy internal and external pain of every kind; try a 25-cent bottle—that will convince you.

"TIS A MARVELOUS THING.—When the cures effected by Dr. Thomas' Electric Rub are seen, the speed and permanent relief it has brought to the sufferer wherever it has been used, it must be acknowledged a marvelous thing that so simple a medicine should remedy so many of the most distressing of the human ailments. A sausage four feet long and one foot thick formed the wedding cake at a Hanover butcher's wedding.

Professor Dorenwend, with Switches, Etc., at City Hotel, tomorrow (Tuesday).

SMALLMAN & INGRAM

THE WEATHER TODAY.
Fair and cool.

THE SATISFACTORY STORE

A Clearance Sale of Sample Tapestry Curtains

These Curtains are not as bright and fresh as new goods. They have been used as store samples. But just look at the substantial reductions. They ought to sell easily at the new price we have marked on them. Right away for first choice. Quantity is limited—only 15 pairs in all. Regular price \$6.00, \$6.50 and \$7.00 pair. Clearing at.....\$4.75

The lot comprises Bordered Repp Curtains in crimson, green and brown; Fringed Armure Curtains of fine quality in self colors of crimson, green and myrtle, and combinations of red and green, green and ivory, linden and tan.

We make a specialty of Tapestry Curtains at the popular price range of, pair.....\$4.75 to \$7.50

Other styles in the newest color combinations from, pair.....\$3 to \$15

Drapery Department—Second Floor.

A Sheetting Bargain, Tuesday

One of the best offers of the February Cotton and Sheetting Sale is due you tomorrow. 10 pieces of 72-inch Bleached Sheetting. Plain or Twill. Our regular 25c quality. Snap it up quickly

Tuesday, for 22c Yard

NOTE—This is the last week of our Cotton Sale. Don't let the remaining few days slip by without seizing your share of the wonderful values we are offering. Cotton prices are advancing, and it's the truest kind of economy to buy liberally now.

Cotton Department—East Store.

Ever See Such Big Value In 50c Tweeds?

That's a question we would like you to answer after you've looked this lot over and noted their sturdy quality and smooth, smart, worsted-like finish. Best Tweeds we've sold at 50c for many a long day—and that's saying a good deal, isn't it?

They are gray mixtures. 44 inches wide. Special, at.....50c POPULAR BLACK AND WHITE SHEPHERDS' CHECKS. Three different sizes. An especially good quality at.....50c

Colored Dress Goods—Main Floor.

SMALLMAN & INGRAM 149, 151, 153 and 155 Dundas St. W.

A WEEK'S DOINGS IN STRATHROY

Presentation of Diplomas to Sunday School Scholars—Woodmen's Banquet.

Strathroy, Feb. 10.—Hon. W. J. Hanna's speech on Wednesday night at the Lyceum was interrupted by an alarm of fire. Quite a number left the hall and learned the fire had started in the cellar of Mihal & Gil's grocery store on Front street. Considerable time was lost by one of the hydrants being frozen, but the fire was put out in about half an hour, without any great amount of damage being done. The origin of the fire is a mystery.

Mr. R. S. Pickard, of the Western Medical School, London, visited his aunt, Mrs. F. Dean, Maria street, recently.

Mrs. D. Lamotte, of Glenora, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ivor, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bell, of Saskatoon, Sask., and Mrs. G. H. Barr, of London, visited friends here last week.

The Front Street Methodist Church Sunday school a week ago presented their scholars with 25 diplomas and seals. Mayor Cameron presented them. His address to the scholars was much appreciated. The diplomas were granted to scholars who had not missed school once during the year. Seals were given to those who had not missed school from two to ten years.

Four of the scholars received seals for not missing school once in ten years. Mrs. James Smith and Mrs. J. Harton have left for Pilot Point, Texas, on a month's visit to their brothers, Messrs. J. and W. Morrow.

The local "Mikado" Company are considering the question of staging their opera in Petrolea at an early date.

Messrs. Moore & Sifton held an auction sale of horses at the Albion Hotel, when some fifteen animals were offered for sale. About half of them were sold at fairly good figures. A well matched team purchased private, brought \$500.

Miss Legate had the misfortune to fall on the ice on Tuesday and break her arm.

The local camp of the Woodmen of the World held a very successful banquet Tuesday evening in Mr. W. Smith's parlors.

A shunting engine on Tuesday morning ran a car off the track near the cannery company's premises. One end of the car struck the veranda of Mr. G. Lamotte's grocery store, breaking a post and scaring the inmates of the store. The auxiliary train from London soon arrived on the scene, and the large steam crane picked the car up bodily and replaced it, much to the astonishment of the small boys.

Yesterday Mr. John Benstead, a highly respected citizen, died at the family residence after a few days' illness from pneumonia. Deceased, who was 68

GOT A PAIN IN YOUR BACK?

You want a pain in your back, and you wonder what is the matter. You perhaps pay no attention to it. Backache is caused by imperfect action of the kidneys, in fact, is the first sign of kidney trouble to follow.

The kidneys, proper, are composed of a close network of fibrous tissue, interlaced with tiny elastic fibres. Their object is the excretion of the uric acid, and other poisonous matter composing the urine, from the blood.

They are continuously at work to preserve the general health of the body and most people are troubled with some form of kidney trouble, but do not suspect it.

Some of the symptoms are: A feeling of weakness in the small of the back, sharp pains in back, puffiness under the eyes, and swelling of the feet and ankles, urinary troubles such as suppressed urination, excessive urination, cloudy, thick or highly colored urine, etc.

Mr. J. L. Weller, Oshawa, Ont., writes: "I suffered for two years with kidney trouble. I had terrible pains in my back, hips and joints. I could not sleep and had a poor appetite. I took boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills, and the pains left me, my appetite returned and I now sleep well. I can recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to anyone suffering from kidney trouble."

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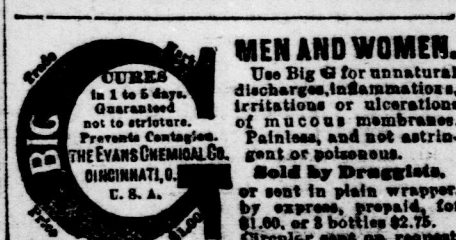
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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

DEATHS.

ROBBES—In West Nisour, on Monday, Feb. 11, 1907, John Robbs, aged 68 years.
Funeral from his late residence, lot 25, con. 1, West Nisour, on Wednesday, at 1 p.m., to Birt Cemetery, under Masonic Order. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. 60a

CAVEY—In this city, on Feb. 9, 1907, Herbert H. Cavey, aged 38 years.
Funeral from Smith, Son & Clarke's undertaking parlors on Tuesday, Feb. 12, at 2:30 p.m.; service at 2 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

MILLER—In this city, on Feb. 11, 1907, Hugh D. Miller, aged 5 months and 22 days.
Funeral from the parents' residence, 7 Thornton avenue, on Tuesday, Feb. 12, at 2:30 p.m.; service at 2 p.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

BENNETT'S

TONIGHT

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One big laugh 20 minutes long.

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In "LOVE'S YOUNG DREAM."

You all know what that is. You have to laugh.

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You don't laugh—just simply scream.

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You will laugh until you cry.

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DON'T FORGET ROCKET CLUB-CARNIVAL, Jubilee Rink, Monday, Feb. 11. Admission, 15c.

JUBILEE RINK-SKATING THIS AFTERNOON. Famous Rocket carnival tonight; 25th Battalion Band in attendance; elegant cash prizes only; competent judges; biggest carnival London has ever seen. Admission, 15c.

WESTMINSTER RINK-CADET BAND tonight. Foresters' carnival, Tuesday night. See programme for big prize list.

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OAK FARM—PRESENTED BY THE ST. Mary's Dramatic Society, Tuesday evening, Feb. 12, at St. Mary's Hall, East London. Tickets, 25c; reserved, 50c. Plan now open, at McPhillips.

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MEETINGS.

DON'T FAIL TO HEAR THE NOTED Hindu orator, Saint M. Sing, deliver his lecture, "The Women of India," in the hall of the Empress, Thursday evening, long lecture, 8 o'clock. The daughters of the Empire. No admission. 60c-w

MEMBERS OF BRITISH OAK LODGE, 9, O. B. are requested to meet at Cullin's Hall on Tuesday afternoon, at 1:30, for purpose of attending funeral of late Bro. C. W. C. Members of sister lodge invited. A. Lepper, secretary.

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LOST-FOUNTAIN PEN, ON SIMCOE OR RICHMOND STREET. Reward. Apply this office.

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WANTED—COMPETENT MAID FOR GENERAL housework; small family; no washing; good wages. Apply 500 Colborne.

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LONDON, MONDAY, FEB. 11, 1907.
THE OLD CRY, THE OLD CANDI-
DATE.

The Toronto World, W. F. Maclean's
paper, has undertaken the task of run-
ning another by-election in London, as
it did in June, 1905. At that time, when
Hon. Mr. Hyman sought re-election on
account of having been intrusted with
a portfolio in the Laurier Administra-
tion, the better element of the Conser-
vative party in Canada were opposed to
a contest, believing that no good could
be accomplished even if they did win,
in view of the strength of Sir Wilfrid's
following in the House. Besides, there
was a feeling that a London boy who
had climbed to the top of the ladder
should be given a chance.

But Mr. Maclean, from his seat in the
House, had boldly challenged the Pro-
moter to open either London or North
Oxford—two seats that sooner or later
would be vacated—so that the elector-
ate might be given an opportunity of
pronouncing upon the Northwest au-
tonomy bills, then under consideration.
Mr. Maclean's "dare" had to be made
good, and when wiser counsel among
the local Conservatives—including
some of the leading men of the party—
protested against the stirring up of
political and religious strife in the
community, when no party good could
be accomplished thereby, the hoodlum
element, led by an emissary of Mr.
Maclean, brushed aside all objections
and insisted on a contest, and a contest
there was, the deplorable result of
which to the Tory party in London will
not soon fade from memory.

Mr. Maclean's paper is "on the job"
again. It insists on an election, and
not only names the party candi-
date, but, as before, selects the issue
on which the battle shall be fought.
Listen to the Toronto World:

"The fight will be made anew. There
is no other Conservative candidate
than William Gray. The autonomy
acts upon which the former fight was
made are accomplished facts, but the
trucking of the Laurier Government
to the sinister influences that dictated
those acts is still open to denunciation."

So it is to be the same old race and
religious cry. The "defenders of the
faith" headed by Billy Gray, and un-
mindful of the past, are once more to
swing into line and strike terror into
the hearts of "Laurier and the hier-
archy," and the rest of them. There
should be in this case but one result.

DIFFERENT METHODS.

The local Tory organ finds it diffi-
cult to understand why the Hon. C. S. Hy-
man resigns a seat in parliament which
there was no legal bar to his holding to
the end of the term for which he was
elected. Mr. Hyman's course is so
contrary to local Tory methods that
the organ seems absolutely dazed. It
is well within the recollection of citi-
zens of London how Tory representa-
tives have clung to seats in the Com-
mons secured by the basest means, and
in one instance aided by a "swallowing
of the book" in the election court that
has ever since been a blot on the fair
name of London. That to the organ
and to the baser section of its party
was "good politics"; Mr. Hyman's
manly course is beyond their compre-
hension.

The organ likewise professes anxiety
lest Mr. Hyman will be absent during
the coming bye-election. It may rest
assured, however, that if his medical
advisers will permit him the Minister
of Public Works will be in the thick
of the fight when the contest comes on;
for a man who has the courage to
surrender a seat in the obtaining of
which there is the slightest question is
not the man to willingly shirk his share
in the work of recovering it.

THE CANADIAN GIRL.

The New York World, of a recent
date devotes considerable space to a
discussion of training schools for nurses
as they are conducted in the big metro-
polis, and in the course of the article
the following reference is made to Can-
adian girls:

"Just now the several training
schools attached to the city institu-
tions on Blackwell's and Randall's
Islands, are recruiting from Canada,
where strong, nervous, unemotional
girls come from the farms, and after
a course in the schools, go to the city
institutions that have sick, and work
like men for what to them is a fine
compensation, but which a New
York-trained girl turns up her nose
at."

Now, it is a well-known fact that
the chief reason why any of our girls
go across the line to pursue their
studies is the difficulty of securing
entrance to a Canadian training school.

The profession of nurse is constantly
growing in favor, and the consequence
is that so great is the demand for
places in the schools of London and
other Canadian cities that as a rule
the applicant has to wait for months
before an opening offers. Occasionally
a girl on seeing the large number of
names on the list of applicants, rather
than wait her turn, goes over to some
American city, where she can graduate
in two years instead of being obliged
to put in three, the term required in
Canadian schools. That these girls
make good in the profession is shown
by the fact that they have the prefer-
ence over even native-born nurses in
the best American families. The sys-
tem of training in our schools is in
many respects superior to that of
American institutions, and naturally
our graduates enter the practice of
their profession much better equipped
than many of their American sisters.
Hence it is that not a few of the Can-
adian trained nurses who have gone to
the United States to practice are to-
day holding positions (some of them in
important institutions) which their
superior fitness alone has secured for
them. If by "nerve" the writer of the
paragraph quoted means the cheek
characteristic of the "New York train-
ed girl" with the turned-up nose, then
the Canadian girls most certainly are
"nervous," if not "unemotional."

"Fine compensation" is a secondary
consideration with the Canadian nurse—
she loves her profession and takes it
seriously. The World writer, in pen-
ning the above paragraph, has gratuit-
ously labeled the Canadian girl.

THE HYGIENIC INSTITUTE.

The proposal of the Whitney Govern-
ment for the establishment in London
of a hygienic institute has too hard a
string tied to it to be to the liking of
the citizens. The need of such an in-
stitution in the western section of the
Province is admitted on all hands, and
that London, as the educational center
of the district, is entitled to it, no one
disputes. But to ask the ratepayers to
provide the site for an institution that
is distinctly a Provincial one, and to
assume, after the lapse of five years, the
maintenance of it at an annual ex-
penditure of \$5,000, cannot be regarded
as less than an attempted hold-up. The
former Government, when locating the
Normal School here, did so without ex-
acting one cent of expense from the
city, furnishing site, building, equip-
ment and everything, as it should do.
But the present Government has a dif-
ferent way of dealing with London, be-
lieving apparently determined that what
this city gets it shall pay for. In con-
trast, too, is the Whitney way of meet-
ing the demands of Provincial institu-
tions located in Toronto. It is not so
long ago that the university there was
voted a subsidy of half a million dol-
lars in addition to the large annual
grant, while the Western University has
made modest requests for aid, only to
be refused. And now to ask London,
with demands on the city for an isolation
hospital and a sanatorium for consump-
tives, which it will find difficulty in
meeting, to bear part of the cost of
an institution that would be as much
a Provincial one as any in Toronto, is
little short of scandalous. Can it be
that only Toronto members have "pull"
with the Government, or has London's
representative no time to worry
over this city's interests? Perhaps
those in his confidence can an-
swer. Meanwhile London has a right
to look for the establishment of the in-
stitute here, and that, too, without cost
to the city.

WIRES NEED A REST.

[Minneapolis Journal.]
"Messages," said a telegraph operator,
"always slide over the wires better on Mon-
day than on any other day. The wires,
you see, have profited by their Sunday rest."
It is a fact that inanimate as well as
animate things get tired and need a vaca-
tion occasionally. You know how true this
is of razors, of automobiles, of locomotives
and it is just as true of telegraph wires.
"A wire after its Sunday rest gives a
quicker, a fuller and a more delicate trans-
mission. It is like a piano that has just
been tuned."

WOMEN STUDENTS.

[Frankfurter Zeitung.]
Women in Europe are largely claiming
the highest educational advantages. Quite
a number of them are studying in the Ger-
man universities, either as hospitaliers
(special students) or as matriculants. Dur-
ing the summer semester, just past, 211
matriculated in the universities of Ger-
many. Of these students 108 are taking
courses in medicine, 66 in philosophy, 22
in mathematics and the physical sciences, 10
in economics, and 4 in law.

TWO CLASSES OF READERS.

[Life.]
There's no such thing as an omnivorous
reader any more in any sense of the term.
People who read everything eat nothing
but predigested cereals, and people who eat
everything read nothing but newspapers.

THE DOCTOR'S ADVICE.

[Buffalo Courier.]
"You need exercise," said the physician.
"The automobile in a case like yours gives
the best exercise that—"
"But, doctor, I can't afford an automo-
bile," the patient growled.
"Don't buy, just dodge," said the doctor.

WOMAN THE AGGRESSOR.

[Woodstock Sentinel-Review.]
It may be argued, of course, that a
woman cannot be held responsible for re-
maining unmarried so long as convention
prevents her from taking the initiative.
But this is merely a subterfuge, and will
not deceive any woman. It is true, of
course, as a statement of a dry fact, that
custom does not allow the woman to make

the proposal; but the doctrine that any
woman has not both the power and the
right to bring any man to the point where
he must propose to her or cease to be a
man, is one which it may be taken for
granted that no woman who knows much
about life will feel inclined to subscribe to.

HE DIDN'T LAUGH.

[Cleveland Plaindealer.]
"Those mischievous Snigley children
made a slide in front of their porch and
then covered it with snow, as a joke on
their father."
"Did he see the joke?"
"Yes, he tumbled to it."

NOT FIRST COST.

[Philadelphia Inquirer.]
Applicant—What does a marriage license
cost?
Clerk—Well, really, it's hard to tell till
you have tried one for fifteen or twenty
years.

BRUTAL.

[Louisville Post.]
A Virginia woman handed her baby over
the fence to a bear, which she mistook for
her husband. Perhaps the mistake was
perfectly natural.

THE ITCH FOR OFFICE.

[Toronto Star.]
"Is ambition to hold political office dying
out in North America?" asks the Detroit
Free Press. For information on this point
the Free Press might write to almost any
member of Parliament of Legislature in
Canada, asking how he gets along with the
patronage committee.

JIMMY'S HEROIC SCHEME.

[Exchange.]
"Jimmy's got a great scheme to get out
of school when the days are fit for skating."
"How does he work it?"
"He goes out 'an' washes his face, an'
the teacher thinks he's ill 'n' sends him home."

AND NO FRESH AIR THERE.

[London Chronicle.]
What is the secret of the longevity of
London cabmen? One of them surprised
the Westminster magistrate by declaring
that he had been picking up fares for the
past half century in the metropolitan
streets. A dip into an official return
showed that there are 1,294 London cabs
between the ages of 60 and 70, 249
between the ages of 70 and 80, while seven
return their ages between 80 and 90. One
almost suspects these seven old patriarchs
of having carried Sedan chairs in the pre-
growth days. At all events, they are a
living advertisement of London as a health
resort, with beefsteak, overcoat and muffs!

LABOR SAVER.

[New York Sun.]
Mrs. Knicker—I thought you said you
would clear the snow off the walk?
Weary Willie—Yes'm; me method is to sit
on it till it melts.

A REGULATOR.

[New York Sun.]
Knicker—How did Whackem qualify as a
railroad expert?
Bocker—He once caught a train by a
timetable.

RESTING.

[Ottawa Journal.]
Mr. Maclean's sleeping car bill will take
a siesta.

REST.

[Henry Van Dyke.]
If all the skies were sunshine,
If our faces would be fair,
To feel once more upon them
The coolish plash of rain.
If all the world were music,
Our hearts would often long
For one sweet strain of silence
To break the endless song.

If life were always merry,
Our souls would seek relief
And rest from weary laughter
In the quiet arms of grief.

HER EXCUSE.

[Philadelphia Press.]
"Mrs. Skandell was telling me a story
today about that odious Mrs. Galley," be-
gan Mrs. Jingley.
"So here," interrupted her husband, "I
thought you hated gossip?"
"Why—er—so I do; but, of course, I can't
hate it thoroughly until I know just ex-
actly what it is."

AT THE MILITARY CAMP.

[Ailly Sloper.]
Pat—Who goes there?
Officer of the day.
Pat—Thin phwat the devil are you doing
out at night?

TOO SHORT.

[Washington Star.]
"What do you think of that speech of
mine?" asked the new member of Congress.
"It was too short," was the answer.
"You were interested?"
"No; I was just fairly settled for a nap
when the applause at the conclusion woke
me up."

AN ARTIFICIAL WONDER.

[Fliegende Blaetter.]
Walter (at mountain hotel, sotto voce)—
Blaise wretch! He says our mountains
aren't high enough, calls the lake a puddle,
and he hasn't any eyes for the exquisite
panorama from the balcony. But I'm going
to give him his bill now; that will astonish
him.

TIT FOR TAT.

[Town and Country.]
First Traveler (cheerily)—Fine day, isn't
it?
Second Ditto (haughtily)—Sir! You have
the advantage of me. I don't know you!
First Traveler—Humph! I fail to see the
advantage.

HIGH ART.

[Weiner Kleinerwitblatt.]
Lady's Maid—What do you say to my
mistress' portrait?
Footman—H'm. Not content with paint-
ing herself, she also lets herself be paint-
ed by others.

"SUPERB!"

[Don Vivant.]
Ten-year-old Toto was going to a party
for the first time.
"Here are two francs, Toto," said his
father. "If it rains be sure you take a
cab home."
When Toto got home he was thoroughly
enchanted.
"Why didn't you take a cab?" exclaimed
his father.
"I did, father," replied Toto, "and I sat
on the box all the way home. It was
superb."

EXPERIMENT PAYS
IN AGRICULTURE

Work of Canada's Experimental
Farms Shows Valuable
Practical Results.

Ottawa, Feb. 10.—The progress of agricul-
ture in Canada and the practical results
obtained by the extension of the experi-
mental farm system formed the subject of
an address by Professor William Saunders,
director of government experimental farms.
As an illustration of the growth and im-
portance of experimental work, Professor
Saunders stated that in 1899 his correspon-
dence amounted to about 8,000 letters in
the course of the year, while for the past
seven years the average has been 68,797
letters. In 1897 the number of seed sam-
ples distributed amounted to 1,149, while
last year the total was 45,885. Contrasting
the wheat production of the various coun-
tries, he pointed out that Great Britain
came first with 39.55 bushels to the acre,
and Germany with 28.55. Canada was well
up, the average for Ontario being 18.92
bushels per acre; Manitoba, 18.45 per acre,
and the Northwest, 19.15 per acre. Experiments
with Canadian Red Fife wheat in England
had been lately carried out, and proved
remarkably successful. With regard to spring
wheats, Professor Saunders says while goose
wheat had proved eminently successful in
certain localities, he could not advise Canadian
farmers to plant it generally. Referring to
recent experiments made by Sir William
Crooks with a view to extracting by means
of electricity, nitrogen from air, to be
used as a fertilizer, Professor Saunders
said that when the scheme was perfected
it would revolutionize agriculture. At
Niagara Falls an American company had
sunk \$5,000,000 in endeavoring to establish
an industry on these lines, but the cost of
electricity was too high to allow the pro-
ject to be successful. It seemed that if
electricity could be produced for this pur-
pose at a cost of \$4 per horsepower, the
extraction of nitrogen from the atmosphere
and the production of nitrate of lime for
fertilizing could be carried out profitably.
In Norway, where there were many large
lakes, a company had been established and
had been operating for some time suc-
cessfully, in the supply of fertilizers. The
matter was an important one, as it had
been estimated that the world's supply of
fertilizer would run out in nineteen or
twenty years, and it was necessary that
something should take its place.

THE PAPERS AND
THE THAW TRIAL

Hope Expressed in Parliament
That the Blue Pencil
Will Be Used.

Ottawa, Feb. 10.—In the House of
Commons Dr. Stockton called the at-
tention of the Postmaster-General to
reports of the Thaw trial which ap-
peared in some of the papers. He
said they could have no control over
proceedings which were taking place in
New York, but they could control the
evidence that was adduced before that
court. He urged the Canadian people
to be very clear, and he thought the
word "concerned," and he thought the
time had come when the postoffice de-
partment of Canada should see that
newspapers of this country printing in
their columns filth that they saw in
some papers did not pass through the
Canadian postoffice. They must do
all in their power to protect the purity
of the Canadian home.

Hon. Mr. Lemaire said he had not
had an opportunity of reading the
newspapers mentioned by Dr. Stock-
ton, but he commended his action in
bringing the matter up, and, for his
part, he quite agreed with the purpose
he stated. He did not know what
interest Canada as a nation and the
Canadian people had in the filthy trial
which was now taking place in the
State of New York. The law on the
subject was very clear, and he had
no hesitation in saying that any Cana-
dian newspaper publishing at present
the very immoral evidence which was
appearing in the New York papers was
guilty of a misdemeanor, and could be
brought to punishment before any
court of law. He thought that the
discussion would serve the purpose of
the honorable gentleman and recall the
Canadian press to a sense of its duty
at present.

SOCIETY COUPLE WEDDED

Miss Evelyn Cavendish-Bentinck Mar-
ries Walter Burns, M. P.

London, Feb. 10.—St. Margaret's
Church, Westminster, was crowded
Saturday afternoon with members of
the American colony and British aris-
tocrats to witness the marriage of
Walter Burns, M. P., nephew of J.
Pierpont Morgan, and Evelyn, daugh-
ter of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Cavendish-
Bentinck, and granddaughter of Mrs.
Maturin Livingston, of New York.
The church was decorated in lav-
ish style and the service was given
by the Rev. Canon. The bride, who was
away by her father, was supported by
eight bridesmaids. Ambassador White-
head and Mrs. Reid, the staff of the
American embassy and many other
well-known persons were present in
the church, as well as at the subse-
quent reception held at the Bentinck's
residence.
The wedding gifts were unusually
costly. King Edward sent the bride
a diamond and amethyst pendant
with an autograph note expressing
his good wishes, and a superb dia-
mond stomacher with huge diamond
drops was the gift of Mr. Morgan.
Mr. and Mrs. Whitelaw Reid and
other American friends and rela-
tives sent handsome jewels.

Professor Dorenwend, with Wigs
and Toupees, at City Hotel, tomorrow
(Tuesday).
Children can't see why mother counts
it misbehavior when papa does the
same thing.
It is never too late to get your just
deserts.

J. H. CHAPMAN & CO

Cleaning Up Before Stock-Taking Is the Consideration of the Hour at Chapman's
Buy Now and Save Money.

Bedding at Sale Prices

The Bedding Sale started last week, gathers force with reinforced
stocks of Sheetings, Pillow Cottons, Pillow Cases, Sheets, Cambrics, White
Cottons, Half Bleached Cottons, Comforters, etc. Now is the time to replenish
your bedding closet. Clean, fresh goods, desirable in every way, marked at this
sale at the lowest consistent prices.

3 pieces plain, open Pillow
Cotton, 40 inches wide, a limited
quantity left of this good seller.
Per yard.....12½c

2 pieces of our best English
Sheeting, 2½ yards wide, fine
Victorian twill. Regular 45c
yard, sale price.....37½c

Bleached English Sheetting,
heavy twill. Sale price per
yard.....23c

New White Crochet Bed-
spreads, size 70x90. Special for
this sale95c

Another line of new White
Crochet Bedspreads, size 76x90.
Worth \$1.25 each, special.....\$1.10

Mail Orders
We solicit out-of-town mail
orders. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Balance of the Down Com-
forters that went on sale last
week, still on sale at the reduced
prices. A marvelous chance to
buy a good comforter (real
down) at a little price. For
example:

\$4.25 Comforters for.....\$3.25
\$5.50 Comforters for.....\$4.50
\$6.75 Comforters for.....\$5.75
\$7.00 Comforters for.....\$6.00
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Remarkable Brussels
Carpet Offer: at a Yard 96c

We repeat our great Brussels Carpet offer.
By paying a deposit we will keep any
pattern you may select and make and lay it
when you wish. Remember the above price
holds good only when we are advertising it.
Choice patterns, a large selection.
Reduced from \$1.25 yard to 96c made
and laid.

A general clean-up before stock-taking of
room-ends of English Tapestry Carpet. We have
a considerable number, and you should have
little difficulty in fitting any room. Extra good
patterns. Not a yard sold for less than 65c. To
clear, per yard.....43c

"Farewell" Prices on
Men's Fur Coats

\$35 Wallaby Coats for.....\$27.00
\$32 Calf Coats for.....\$25.00
\$30 Galloway Calf Coats for.....\$24.00
\$28 Kangaroo Coats for.....\$22.00
\$22 Dog Coats for.....\$14.95
2 only Fur-Lined (Marmot) Coats with
Otter collar. Were \$58, choice.....\$45

Quick March Orders Given
Fur Neckpieces and Sets

The round-up of the season so far as furs
are concerned.
All Fur Neckpieces and Fur Sets are offered
at exactly one-quarter off usual prices.

J. H. Chapman & Co., 126, 128, 128½ Dundas St.

MORE MEDALS FOR YANKEES

The Mikado Anxious to Decorate Many
Prominent Americans.

Washington, Feb. 10.—"As an ex-
pression of his high appreciation of ser-
vices rendered to Japan during its war
with Russia," the Japanese Govern-
ment has asked for permission to con-
fer upon the American ambassadors to
Russia and Japan during the Russo-
Japanese war various decorations, and
the secretary of state today forwarded
the request to Congress.

With Secretary Root's letter there
was a communication from Viscount
Aoki, the Japanese ambassador at
Washington, expressing the desire of
the Japanese Emperor to reward the
following Americans:

Robert S. McCormick and George von
L. Meyer, former ambassadors to Rus-
sia, and Lloyd C. Griscom, former min-
ister to Japan, the first class of the Or-
der of the Rising Sun.
Spencer F. Eddy, former secretary of
the embassy at St. Petersburg, and Hun-
tington Wilson, formerly first secretary
of legation at Tokio, the third class of
the Order of the Rising Sun.

Robert Woods Bliss, former second
secretary of embassy at St. Petersburg;
Irvin B. Laughlin, former second sec-
retary of legation at Tokio, and Thos.
Smith, vice-consul at Moscow, the
fourth class of the Order of the Rising
Sun.

LEGISLATION DEFERRED

Nothing Affecting Insurance Companies
at This Session of Parliament.

The Insurance and Finance Chroni-
cle, published at Montreal, says:
"The recent announcement of Hon.
R. W. Scott, Secretary of State, to the
effect that the Government is not likely
to introduce insurance legislation
this session, did not come as any very
great surprise, in view of the fact that
the report of the royal commission had
not yet been rendered. Sir Mackenzie
Bowell, in commenting upon Mr. Scott's
announcement to the Senate, consid-
ered it an unfortunate matter that there
would be no insurance legislation this
session. He believed that in view of
impending changes in the law many
men who intended to insure were hold-
ing back, and that, therefore, both their
interests and those of the life compan-
ies would suffer by delay. Be this as it
may, the deferring of action gives at
least one opportunity of which the
companies should avail themselves,
namely, the most thorough watching
of the direct results and also the af-
fects of insurance legislation in the
United States. That certain enactments
most ill-advised are being pushed in
many states is already clear to careful
students of insurance affairs. But the
public—and many of our own legisla-
tors—may not be in a position to judge
beforehand as to the ill-effect of 'half-
baked' laws. There will be direct value,
therefore, in strongly bringing to their
attention during the next twelve months
all practical disadvantages to the in-
suring public that arise from mistaken
insurance legislation."

ATLANTIC LINER
HAD CLOSE SHAVE

French Steamer Ripped Away
Portion of Bow in Col-
lision in Channel.

Southampton, England, Feb. 13.—The
Atlantic Transport Line steamer Menominee, from Antwerp, Friday for
Philadelphia, put in here Saturday
afternoon badly damaged as the result
of the collision off Beachy Head dur-
ing the night with the French coast-
ing steamer President Leroy Lalier.

The plates of the Menominee's star-
board bow were torn open to the
water's edge, bales from her cargo
emerging from the opening. The first
officer of the Menominee, who was on
the bridge, noticed what he supposed
to be a sailing vessel steering errati-
cally, with her lights badly screened.
Before anything could be done the
President Leroy Lalier crashed into
the Menominee, tearing a big hole in
her bow. The water filled her forward
compartment, but the bulkheads held
and it did not reach the other parts of
the ship.

The sea was smooth and there was
no panic on board the Menominee,
which launched a boat and sent her to
the assistance of the French steamer,
which had backed off immediately after
the collision. The French vessel was
considerably damaged, but her com-
mander decided to proceed to his port
of destination, Dunkirk.

Eleven first-class passengers and
eighteen cattle men who were on their
way to the United States on board the
Menominee were transferred off the
isle of Wight to the American Liner
steamer Saint Louis, which left South-
ampton for Cherbourg and New York.

AGAIN THAT KAISER

France in Another Hysterical Fit at
His Victory at Elections.

London, Feb. 10.—There was quite a
scare early in the week, especially on
the Paris bourse, over the rumored ob-
ject of King Edward's visit to Paris.
It was repeatedly asserted that a crisis
had arisen which was threatening the
world's peace and that the King had
hastened to consult French statesmen
in an effort to avert war. The Kaiser,
of course, was the object of suspicion.
It was asserted that now that he had
secured a free hand at home by defeat-
ing the Socialists, he was already pre-
paring to give an order for full steam
ahead in an aggressive foreign policy.
Germany's foreign policy, however, has
been too thoroughly disorganized by
the unexpected Anglo-French entente
to venture upon any bold aggres-
sion.

That the Kaiser will devote himself
more actively to foreign affairs in the
future than in the last few months
goes without saying. That he is plun-
ging into an immediate coup of a sensa-
tional nature may be confidently
denied.

ENJOY EATING.

Good Digestion Can Be Readily Gained
With Mi-o-na Stomach Tablets.

It is torment to look upon a tempt-
ing dinner and realize that to eat
it means distress and suffering. By
eating, so that the heartiest meats
will set well and cause no pain, dis-
tress or uncomfortable feeling of full-
ness.

If you cannot eat and

BOXER JOHN L. BACK ON STAGE

Gives a Monologue in Evening Clothes at Matinee.

THEN SPARS THREE ROUNDS

In Telling of the Fighter's Trials and Tribulations His Manager Says His Neck Measures 24 Inches.

New York, Feb. 10.—Mr. John Lawrence Sullivan, who perhaps even more than Harvard University has placed the city of Boston securely on all the leading high school atlases, is turning "em away this week at Hurst & Seamon's Harlem Music Hall, as the storm center of Bob Manchester's Night Owls Everything New But the Title. With a pronounced Harvard accent on his a's Mr. Sullivan is monologuing, and doing three rounds at the end of the burlesque and a matinee every day.

A glance over the big audience yesterday afternoon made one think that Harlem housewives must be having a hard time to keep the "hired girl" at home this week. All around the ceiling was a fringe of absorbed admirers that suggested that Harlem grocery men and butchers have a great many delivery boys and drivers whose grandmothers are being buried. And when Mr. Sullivan appeared during the middle of the afternoon, faultlessly arrayed in evening clothes, the well-known received showed beyond a doubt that his dramatic art has reached even greater depths of the human heart than that of Mr. Chauncey Olcott.

Mr. Sullivan showed his versatility yesterday afternoon, not only as a raconteur, but he recited all about the gentleness and the tenderness of good woman's love in a voice as manly and deep throated as feeding time at the Zoo. An hour later he stepped upon the sanded stage with Mr. Harry Peterson, of the Polo Athletic Club, and with all his old-time dignified nonchalance Mr. Sullivan gave Mr. Peterson several careless slams on the map that made the bass fiddle tune up all along the line again.

Everybody was there especially to see the star, of course, but in the meantime there were several other good things on the bill. In fact the opening piece, "Whirl-I-Giggle," in which appears the entire company—mostly girls—has more comedians in it than the senate, and they are all on the stage at the same time. It's a screw. When Herman Winkel, for instance, says, "Mack, a word to the wise is sufficient," Anhauser Bush remarks, with a delectable German accent, "A word to the wise is a suspiciousness, eh?" and then Mack breaks in with, "Who'd you say is going fishing?"—when this has been going on for a half hour the ushers have to go down the aisles armed with screwdrivers to fasten the seats to the floor again.

The "Whirl-I-Giggle" has a simple plot. Herman and Anhauser hit Waltz-Ingram McSweeney, better known as Mack, with an inflated bladder as the curtain rises, and the three are joined by a girl named Hanna Held, and all sit down to play poker. Mack loses all his money, because no matter what cards he holds Anhauser and Herman will steal more cards from the deck. Even when he does hold a good hand and says that he will see it, Anhauser holds his cards aloft in the most ludicrous way and says, "I'll raise it," and then Herman remarks, amid screams of Harlem laughter, "I'll take it," and picks up the money.

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SOMNAMBULISM AS CRIME DEFENSE

Claim of Prisoner That He Was Asleep When He Beat and Robbed To Be Tested.

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The same defense which freed Freeman before Judge Cottrell in the municipal court is to be set up on a much more extensive scale in the criminal court, according to Quin O'Brien, attorney for Freeman.

Expert testimony will be introduced to uphold the remarkable story told by Freeman. He claims that while drinking a glass of beer in a saloon, the location of which remains a mystery, with two companions who have not been found, he suddenly lapsed into a mental dormancy, from which he awakened several hours later in a cell.

During this "unconscious" period Freeman broke into the saloon of Fred Polger, Avenue and Fortieth street, and when discovered, beat the saloonkeeper and his wife and put up a desperate fight before neighbors subdued him.

On the ground that he was a somnambulist, and asleep during his exploits, he was acquitted in the municipal court. Grand jurors, however, were lacking in the same degree of experience concerning somnambulism as the judge, attorney and witnesses in the municipal court, and indicted Freeman.

During the last few days Attorney O'Brien, with Dr. A. Augustus O'Neill, whose testimony before Judge Cottrell carried great weight, has been consulting physicians with a view to producing before the Freeman jury a remarkable array of evidence regarding the possibilities of somnambulism.

Dr. Nicholas Senn has been consulted, as has also Dr. Oscar Kling. Next week they will examine the defendant and make an investigation of the case before deciding whether they will take the stand in favor of Freeman.

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SOMNAMBULISM AS CRIME DEFENSE

Claim of Prisoner That He Was Asleep When He Beat and Robbed To Be Tested.

Chicago, Feb. 10.—Somnambulism as a defense for crime will be tested for the first time before a jury in the criminal court, when the case of Ross Freeman, charged with burglary, is tried next month.

The same defense which freed Freeman before Judge Cottrell in the municipal court is to be set up on a much more extensive scale in the criminal court, according to Quin O'Brien, attorney for Freeman.

Expert testimony will be introduced to uphold the remarkable story told by Freeman. He claims that while drinking a glass of beer in a saloon, the location of which remains a mystery, with two companions who have not been found, he suddenly lapsed into a mental dormancy, from which he awakened several hours later in a cell.

During this "unconscious" period Freeman broke into the saloon of Fred Polger, Avenue and Fortieth street, and when discovered, beat the saloonkeeper and his wife and put up a desperate fight before neighbors subdued him.

On the ground that he was a somnambulist, and asleep during his exploits, he was acquitted in the municipal court. Grand jurors, however, were lacking in the same degree of experience concerning somnambulism as the judge, attorney and witnesses in the municipal court, and indicted Freeman.

During the last few days Attorney O'Brien, with Dr. A. Augustus O'Neill, whose testimony before Judge Cottrell carried great weight, has been consulting physicians with a view to producing before the Freeman jury a remarkable array of evidence regarding the possibilities of somnambulism.

Dr. Nicholas Senn has been consulted, as has also Dr. Oscar Kling. Next week they will examine the defendant and make an investigation of the case before deciding whether they will take the stand in favor of Freeman.

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SOUTH SNAPSHOTS AT VARIOUS SPORTS

Local sporting circles are still agog over the results of last Friday's city league hockey contests. And the general opinion among the hockey fans is that the league is comprised of the greatest bunch of in-and-outers that this city has ever seen. One week ago Friday, the Hermits, tall-enders at present, rudely handed the Hortons, leaders in the league, trimming them by 3 to 2. The same night the Waterloos barely nosed out a victory over the Hortons. Then came last week's battles. The Hortons snowed the Orientals under by a ridiculously large margin, while the Waterloos, who had hard work to trim the Orientals previously, won out in clever fashion over the Hermits, who had defeated the premier Hortons. How's that for dope? The man who bets on form would certainly be living on a snowball diet if he gambled regularly on these city league contests. Figure it out—if you can.

Looking at the O. H. A.-Irving muddle from a spectator's standpoint, one would be very much inclined to believe that the self-same O. H. A. is possessed of a decidedly vacillating policy, to say the least. The Toronto News is to be commended for its fight for a square deal in the Irving-pro-charges fracas, as is the Mail and Empire, which followed the pace set by the former sheet. The News covers the ground fully when it says: "The O. H. A. ruled at that now famous Whitewashing Bee last Thursday that it is no offense for an amateur to play against a professional. The O. H. A. made a great hullabaloo about the affair recently when it joined forces with the parent governing body, the C. A. A. U. The articles of affiliation signed on that occasion bind the O. H. A. to comply with the regulations of the C. A. A. U., one of the iron-bound rules of which declares that an amateur athlete who competes against a professional, where a gate is taken, violates all the principles, traditions and precepts of amateurism. Has the O. H. A. not thus violated the articles of affiliation with the C. A. A. U.? Will the latter body take any action against its erring member? Moreover, the O. H. A. has declared that a person may professionalize himself in baseball and not be barred from playing hockey in an amateur body. Does the C. A. A. U. uphold this vacillating satellite in this radical departure from its professions of the past?"

When one is granted a peep at some of the salaries paid professional hockey players it is small wonder that there are so many amateurs guilty of accepting a little slice of coin now and then. Take the case of Rowly Young, the ex-Toronto pro, who was recently signed up by the Pittsburgh professional team for example. Young will receive \$40 for each game he plays, exclusive of expenses. Your amateur goes out and engages in a strenuous hockey contest, receives just as many bumps as the pro. player, and works just as hard for his team. What does he get for it? If he is on the forward line, and in a position to make a few spectacular plays, and his team wins out, he is patted on the back, informed that he is the "only thing," and receives a press notice or two. So far so good. The next day he is practically unfitted for his work, he is sore and stiff, and generally out of sorts. Possibly he breaks a skate during the contest. Five dollars gone up in smoke; and that amount, to the average amateur, is no small item. Herein, in this city, the gate percentage allowed the city league clubs has been so small as to barely pay fare for the teams. Now, the management of the rink gets 60 per cent, while the remaining 40 per cent is thrown into a common fund, to be divided by the various club treasurers (not the players) at the end of the season. Would it not stimulate the sport greatly if each player was allowed a certain stipend for his playing, and as an insurance against possible serious injury, and breakage of skate? In other words professionalization on a small scale (where a larger one is not possible) would, or at least should, stimulate interest in the sport, and be the means of producing some better hockey material. What difference is there between a player receiving money for refereeing an amateur contest, and being paid for playing in a similar contest? Doesn't a player work just as hard as a referee? Does not the player take all chances of injury? Professionalism, open professionalism, is to be preferred to the half-and-half article, and O. H. A. hockey is productive of nothing less—nor more.

Berlin is the only sporting town on the map—that is, if you say it real quickly. One of the Galt papers gives forth the interesting information that a Berlin hockey supporter recently offered a Galt forward \$25 to throw the game, and adds: "But it didn't work, and this true sport, who had his money up on two goals rested on a nervous pillow last night."

Joe Gans has declared the match with Harry Lewis off. Joe wanted 75 per cent for the winner, and Harry would have it 60 per cent or he wouldn't play. Lewis evidently had an inkling of what was coming to him, and one can't blame him for looking for all he could get—along with the inevitable bumping due him.

At last the mighty Longboat has been handed a ripe lemon. Bonhag, the New York runner, defeated the redman in a three-mile gallop at Buffalo on Saturday, and tears are on the flow in Hamilton. In justice to the wild man from Hamilton-Caledonia, however, it must be said that the distance was not to his liking, and that, like Battling Nelson, the further he travels the better he becomes. At that, the lengthy one must have been speeding up a few when he met Bonhag, for the indoor record for the distance was lowered by five seconds. It is now up to the Hamilton Herald and Times men to claim that Caledonia is not a suburb of "Champlain."

LONGBOAT BEATEN, BUT NOT BADLY

Redskin Right on Heels of Bonhag at Close of Three-Mile Race at Buffalo.

Buffalo, Feb. 9.—The race between Tommy Longboat, the Six Nations Indian, and George V. Bonhag, the Irish-American athlete of New York City, proved just as good as advertised by the Seventy-fourth Regiment A. A. The runners kept at each other's heels all during the long plug of three miles and, as promised, the world's indoor mark went to smash. Bonhag winning and lowering his own mark by just five seconds. Each took turns in setting the pace with the hope of leaving the other behind. There was one time in the contest when it looked as if the Indian was about to leave the young American by the wayside, but it was a mere flash in the pan and by the end of the lap Bonhag was in front and setting a fast clip for his opponent. Longboat took the lead at the flash of the gun and maintained it for two laps. The pace did not suit Bonhag and he went in front and remained there for at least two miles. On the seventeenth lap the Indian jumped into the lead and endeavored to leave the New York lad behind. The latter allowed Longboat to have his own way while he gathered his forces together for a final spurt.

At the beginning of the second last lap Bonhag let out a kick, dragging the Canadian Indian with him. Bonhag lengthened his stride. The redskin added a notch or two to his step, long-

in the first place. As the end of the struggle drew near the spectators were seized with uncontrollable excitement and the soldiers placed on guard about the track forgot all about their duty of keeping the men home through a double lane of shrieking, howling spectators, who when they became sobered down to calm conversation declared it the greatest footrace ever run out for Longboat was not more than five feet away when the tape was crossed.

So far as condition and advantage was concerned they greatly favored the red man. He and his trainer have been quartered at the Hotel Niagara for the last two weeks and have been at the armory every day to become familiar with the track, while Manager Rosenthal, of Toronto, has been to see his charge at every opportunity. On the other hand Bonhag figured on reaching Buffalo early yesterday, but was prevented from carrying out his plan owing to a wreck on the road that delayed him near Lyons for seven hours. William Sherring, of Hamilton, Ont., winner of the Marathon race at Greece, came over purposely to look after Bonhag and the young Canadian's experience and advice were of splendid aid to his brother American runner in capturing the event.

Bonhag ran three miles in 14:48 3-5 at the Twenty-third Regiment Armory, Brooklyn, on Nov. 24, 1906. That world's record held good until last night, when the figures were reduced by Bonhag to 14:43 3-5. His time by quarters, kept by C. S. Orr, are as follows: Quarter-mile, 1:04; half, 2:14 2-5; three-quarters, 3:28 3-5; mile, 4:44 1-5; one and a quarter, 6:01; one and a half, 7:19; one and three-quarters, 8:37 3-5; two miles, 9:56 2-5; two and a quarter, 11:05; two and a half, 12:23 3-5; two and three-quarters, 13:45; three miles, 14:43 3-5.

Professor Dorenwend, with Hair Goods, at City Hotel, tomorrow (Tuesday).

NEW CLUBS WANT TO GET IN LEAGUE

Already Looking for Admission to East End Baseball Organization for 1907.

A meeting of the East End Baseball League will be held shortly to make arrangements for the coming season. The launching of the league in the East End last season met with such success in every way that it is the intention this year to make still further efforts for this popular pastime at Queen's Park. Last year the accommodation for the crowds which attended the games was altogether inadequate, and it is expected that the city council will be asked to give some proper accommodation, not only to the league, but to those who may use the park diamond outside of Saturday afternoons during the summer.

Already quite a number of new clubs are making inquiries for admission to the league.

The officers of last year's league were president, Mr. James Fitzgerald; vice-president, Mr. George Childs; secretary-treasurer, Mr. C. G. Moorhead.

HOCKEY. GAME AT DENFELD.

Denfeld, Feb. 9.—A fast game of hockey played here today with a score of 6-3 in favor of Denfeld North over Denfeld South. The game was closely checked and good combination played on both sides, Case and Rasser putting up a fast game for the winners. Thompson and Cunningham played a good game for the South team.

ROW WAS RAISED AT OTTAWA RACES

Spectators Dissatisfied at the Free-For-All Bets Declared Off—New World's Record.

Ottawa, Feb. 9.—Phoebe W. won the free-for-all at the Central Canada ice races this afternoon, finishing first in the final heat. Blackbird, which had been taken charge of by the judges for suspicious play, after winning two heats yesterday in the easiest possible fashion, finished second, driven by a new jockey. Intense excitement prevailed, and at one time the crowd appeared so ugly that the judges intimated that unless quiet was restored the races would be declared off.

In the final heat the world's ice record was broken by Phoebe W., the time being 2:17. The record of Grosvenor over the track was 2:20, 2:22, 2:22, 2:17. 2:20 trot and pace, purse \$500: Pauline C. H. Putnam, Ottawa, 2:21 1-2; Cornercracker, Joe, D. A. Adams, 2:21 1-2; Brownville, 1:23 1-2; Sid Barus, J. W. Furbush, New York, 1:23 1-2; Miss Appleby, W. J. Murphy, Rutland, 1:23 1-2; Emma L. J. Lamb, Toronto, 1:23 1-2; Bonnie Patchen, W. H. Comstock, Brockville, 1:23 1-2; Joe Allan, W. H. Simpson, Lindsay, 1:23 1-2; Bobby T. J. G. Warnock, Ottawa, 1:23 1-2; William C. James, McDowell, Toronto, 1:23 1-2; Lorne Brino, R. J. McBride, Toronto, 1:23 1-2.

Five miles, purse \$500: Helen R. W. Higgins, Rockland, 1:23 1-2; George M. P. L. Brewster, Worcester, 1:23 1-2; Cleopatra, A. C. Syer, North Bay, 1:23 1-2; R. and R. L. McAvatier, Montreal, 1:23 1-2.

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SENIORS FAILED TO APPEAR.
Blenheim, Feb. 9.—The hockey match billed for tonight between the old seniors and a junior team, whose average age is eighteen years, did not come off owing to the non-appearance of the seniors, who were defeated by the juniors a week ago by the score of 5 to 2.

PRINCETON IS CHAMPION.
New York, Feb. 10.—Princeton won the intercollegiate hockey championship last night by taking the deciding game from Yale. Last night's score was 2 to 1.

HARVARD WAS NOT IN IT.
Cambridge, Mass., Feb. 9.—The McGill University hockey team defeated the Harvard team at the stadium today by a score of 3 to 2.

THE TIE.
At New Orleans—Polly Prim 9 to 5, Henry A. Schroeder 20 to 1, Nellie Montrose 7 to 10, Alma Dufour 1 to 3, Orville 9 to 1, Fantasio 9 to 10, Miss Leeds 7 to 5.
At Oakland—Creation second, Silver Sue 7 to 1, Sir Edward 3 to 2, Voladay 9 to 2, Edwin Gump 5 to 1, Vox Populi 10 to 1.
At Oaklawn—Courier Girl 12 to 1, Hollow 50 to 1, The Bear 4 to 1, Floriel 6 to 5, Snowball 4 to 1, Cursus 5 to 1.
At Ascot—Hologna 15 to 1, Balbus 7 to 1, Col. Jack 2 to 1, W. H. Carey 7 to 2, Otto Price 5 to 1, Niblick 7 to 5.
TWO JOCKEYS SUSPENDED.
Hot Springs, Ark., Feb. 9.—Jockeys Swain and Helgerson have been suspended for unsatisfactory riding.

PITTSBURG TALKS OF CHALLENGING

If Smoky City Leads Pros., It Will Meet Kenora for Stanley Cup.

Pittsburg, Feb. 10.—In case the Pittsburgh hockey team wins the championship of the International Hockey League, it is the intention of the management to challenge for the Stanley cup, emblematic of the world's championship.

The trophy is at present held by the Kenora Thistles, one of the strongest teams of Canada.

There has never been a match for this cup in which an American team has participated, and the cup was originally given as emblematic of the championship of Canada. At the time of the gift, however, hockey was not played in the States, and not until recently has the game been sufficiently strong to make a good showing against the cup holders.

The Pittsburgh team, which now holds third place in the professional league, is unusually strong, and is selected by many hockey enthusiasts as the ultimate winner of the season's series. At present the players are on an invasion of the corner court circuit, and should they win major-ty of their games they will come home in the lead.

A series for the Stanley cup with an American team figuring as one of the contestants would arouse much enthusiasm here and in other sections of the country where hockey is played. Adherents of the sport have already signified their willingness to back the locals to the limit. In case a series can be arranged for the possession of the cup.

DRAFTING RULES ARE CHANGED

Property Rights of the Minor League Clubs Fully Protected by New Rule.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 9.—Important changes in the rules for drafting minor-league players were announced by the national baseball commission today. At the request of the Pacific Coast League, the national agreement is to be changed, so that hereafter the drafting period in that league shall commence and end at the same time as the drafting period in all other minor leagues, namely, Sept. 1 to Oct. 15 of each year.

Fully to protect the property rights of minor-league clubs and to prevent the drafting of players contrary to the spirit of the national agreement, the following new rule was adopted: "Rule 6.—When a minor-league club has secured a minor-league player by draft, it shall not be permissible for such major-league club within one year after having secured such player by draft to release the player to any other club out of which the player was drafted, until it shall have first given the club from which the player was drafted an opportunity to repurchase the player at the drafting price paid by the major-league club. This rule, however, shall not be retroactive; that is to say, it shall apply only to drafts to be made in the future."

"In submitting lists of purchased players as required at present, all major-league clubs must hereafter file with the commission copies of the agreements entered into relating to such purchases; it being the intent and desire of the commission to make close inquiry into all agreements providing for purchase, in order that all the transactions may be bona fide and not made with the view of protecting clubs, retaining players, thereby preventing the player from developing in their profession, and enabling them to secure adequate compensation for their experience, as is provided by the national agreement. Copies of agreements referred to in this rule may be filed with the commission by any interested minor-league club."

It is required, in another new rule, that the secretary of the National Association furnish the national commission with the full names and addresses of drafted players and the extent of their salaries, when drafted, so that prompt information can be given the club drafting such players.

CHESS.

SIXTH GAME A DRAW.
New York, Feb. 10.—The sixth game in the championship chess match between Dr. Emanuel Tasker and Frank J. Marshall was played here yesterday and resulted in a draw after 21 moves. The game was as brilliant and exciting as it was short, and Marshall, who appeared to have a losing position, surprised the experts by bringing about a draw.

CURLING.

CANADIANS WIN MEDALS.
Utica, N. Y., Feb. 10.—The International Gordon championship medal was won by the Canadian players in the annual curling contest held here yesterday. The American teams were made up of New York and Utica players. The score was 28 to 31, the visitors winning by seven points. It was one of the greatest ice contests ever held here.

POOL.

RETAINS TITLE.
New York, Feb. 10.—Thomas E. Huston, of Scranton, Pa., retains the title of national professional pool champion, having defeated Edwin Dawson, of St. Louis, in the three evenings' play concluded last night. The total score was 600 to 568.

WRESTLING.

GOTCH DEFEATS BURNS.
Knoxville, Tenn., Feb. 10.—Frank Gotch, the American champion, won last night's wrestling bout with Farmer Burns, of Iowa, taking the second and third falls. Burns won the first in 24 minutes, while Gotch took the others in 10 and 4 minutes respectively.

WILL NOT STAND FOR INTERFERENCE

National Skating Association Says It Is Going to Run That Particular Kind of Sport.

New York, Feb. 9.—A meeting of the National Skating Association took place last night, but it adjourned without taking any action upon the communication from the Amateur Athletic Union, notifying skaters that the Americans who competed in the Canadian meet at Montreal have been disqualified. The meeting simply voted to acknowledge the receipt of the missive. Immediately after the meeting the element in the association which is supporting the Amateur Athletic Association held a conference, upon which a formal call for a meeting on Feb. 26 was given Secretary F. M. Clarke. Of this meeting, Clifford E. Dunn, one of the directors of the National Association, said:

"We will make a fight at a regular meeting of the clear-cut issue whether we are to stand by the A. A. U. alliance or not. Every one of those men who competed at Montreal will be disqualified if the association is to continue."

President D. H. Slayback, of the association, said:

"You may take it from me that we are going to run skating, and we are not going to have any outside interference. We know what is right and we have always stood for pure amateur sport."

COLORED RUNNER WON CHIEF EVENT

Took Six-Hundred Yard Run at Madison Square Garden From Three Fast Ones.

New York, Feb. 9.—J. B. Taylor, the colored runner of the University of Pennsylvania, won the principal event, a special race at 600 yards, of the indoor meet held by the Pastime Athletic Club, at Madison Square Garden tonight. It was a fine race, for Taylor competed with three of the fastest men in the country, and at the finish had a lead of only six inches over Harry Hillman, jun., of the New York Athletic Club. El B. Parsons, of Yale and the New York Athletic Club, who ran in the colors of the latter organization, and Charles Bacon, of the Irish-American Athletic Club, finished in the order named. The time was 1 minute and 14 seconds.

The time equalled the indoor record for the distance, made by Parsons at the games of Fordham University last year. Taylor, Hillman and Parsons will meet again in the garden at the games of the New York Athletic Club on March 12. Martin J. Sheridan, of the Irish-American Athletic Club, and Ellery H. Clark, of the Boston Athletic Association, both of whom have had the honor of winning the national all-around championship of the American Athletic Union, met in two of the field events. Sheridan, who has won international honors, sustained his reputation by winning the shotgun handicap, with an allowance of two feet, with an actual put of 42 feet 10 inches. Clark was third, with 36 feet 3 1/2 inches, and an allowance of 7 feet.

C. C. McFried, of the Irish-American Athletic Club, established a new American record by winning his heat in the 60 yards hurdle event in 8.45 seconds. He was second to C. D. Toole, of the New York Athletic Club, in the final, but while Toole's time was 8.15 seconds, it did not count, because he knocked down a hurdle. Following are the principal results:

600 yards run, open, handicap—Won by H. P. O'Dell, Irish-American Club, 25 yards. Sixty yards run, handicap—Final heat won by George E. Hall, Irish-American Athletic Club, 15 feet. Time, 61.5 seconds. 880 yards run, open, handicap—Won by Ed A. Kelly, Teunichard street—Y. M. C. A., 52 yards. Time, 1:35.45.

220 yards run, handicap—Won by L. B. Dorland, Pastime Athletic Club, 12 yards. Time, 42.15.

Standing high jump, handicap—Won by J. A. Miller, unattached, 2 inches, with an actual jump of 4 feet 10 inches.

Special 600 yards run—Won by J. B. Taylor, University of Pennsylvania, by 6 inches. Time, 1:14.

400 yards run, open, handicap—Won by J. J. McIntee, unattached, 16 yards. Time, 52 seconds.

Putting 16-pound shot, handicap—Won by Martin J. Sheridan, Irish-American Athletic Club, 2 feet, with an actual put of 42 feet 10 1/2 inches.

Sixty yards high hurdle race, scratch—Won by C. B. Toole, New York Athletic Club. Time, 8.45 seconds.

60 yards, novice—Won by F. W. Kennedy, Columbia University. Time, 1:25.45.

Three mile run, open, handicap—Won by Thomas Collins, I. A. A., 250 yards. Time, 16:28.

Running high jump—Won by H. A. Gedner, Boston Athletic Association. Scratch, 6 feet.

THE RING.

A CHAMPIONSHIP BATTLE.
Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 9.—What is really a championship battle was arranged this afternoon by the Milwaukee Boxing Club, when it matched Kid Murphy, of New York, and Young Fitzgerald, of this city, to meet on Feb. 15 in a ten-round contest. Murphy is 105-pound champion of the east, and Fitzgerald holds the title in the west. Jimmy Barry, of Chicago, was former 105-pound champion of the world.

GANS DECLARES MATCH OFF.
Philadelphia, Feb. 8.—Announcement was made here last night by Joe Gans that his match with Harry Lewis has been declared off. Gans says that Lewis was not satisfied with the division of the purse, which was arranged on the basis of 75 and 25 per cent, when the preliminary agreement was signed. He says Lewis now wants the purse divided on a basis of 50 and 50 per cent.

FOOTBALL.

BEAT ENGLAND AT RUGBY.
Dublin, Feb. 9.—In the third game of the International Rugby football series, Ireland beat England by 17 to 9.

Men's \$3.50, \$4 and \$4.50 Trousers for \$2.95

FEBRUARY IS TROUSER MONTH. A new pair would make that suit look better and last out the season.

Our books close for stock-taking on Saturday night at 10 o'clock. So we are starting a sale of Men's Trousers today. They are all-wool tweeds and fine worsteds, all sizes, in neat patterns, mostly fine dressy worsteds. Sold for \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$4.50.

On Sale While They Last For, Only

\$2.95

Do not put off coming until the end of the week. Judging by the response to our Pant Sale of last week, there will be none of these left by Saturday night.

OAK HALL

KELLEY'S ADVICE TO BALL PLAYERS

Toronto's New Manager Tells Men of the Diamond What They Should Do.

Joe Kelley, who will manage the Toronto team this coming season, has written for a Cincinnati newspaper an article of advice to ball players. The principles embodied in it, he says, will apply to the Toronto team. Here is his article:

"Professional baseball is conducted on business principles. The man just entering the professional ranks must make good. I do not mean simply going out and playing sensational baseball. I mean that he must take the same care of himself that is required of a man who expects to be successful in any other line of business. Hundreds of young men have broken into the game, soared to the very loftiest heights, and then dropped with a sudden thud into oblivion. Drinking and the swelled head have been the cause in nearly every such case. The young man who thinks it necessary to become a good fellow just because he is a good ball player, is badly mistaken. Shun drink and the company of those who are anxious to curry favor, and your chances of getting to the top and remaining there are of the best. The youngster who breaks into baseball with an abnormally developed opinion of his own value is either going to get out in the cold sooner or later, or he will eventually change his mind about such matters."

"I advise all ball players who wish to keep in trim to avoid indoor baseball. Playing on a parlor floor is bad for the legs, with sudden stopping and starting, which plays havoc with the muscles. I know of a number of good ball players who suffer from 'Charley horse' and bad legs during the playing season. These men play indoor baseball during the winter months."

"I think bowling is hard on a player's arm. Bowling balls are so heavy that using them tends to hurt the arm. I believe game like pool, where light balls are used, is beneficial. Billiards are good for the eye. Infielders who find judging difficult, some troublesome will find billiards a great game to develop a good eye. The game requires accuracy and good judgment. Don't keep down to your playing weight during the off-season. The muscles of your body are certain to suffer if you keep one weight all the time. Don't aspire to become a professional ball player unless you are all ready and anxious to keep on learning as long as you play the game."

"Nobody ever knew everything about baseball."

SKATING.

DAVIDSON STILL IN THE GAME.
Harley Davidson, winner of the five-mile race at the New Rink, Cincinnati, last week, is one of the best-known skaters in America. He is also known throughout Ontario, where he years ago competed in the bicycle races and gave exhibitions of speed and fancy ice skating in company with his sister, Miss Mabel Davidson. He has been skating on the rollers for some years and he has made all kinds of records. The full-mile course of the New Rink gave him an opportunity to gauge himself for a mile spin and he claims that in the fourth mile of the five-mile race he skated in 2:49 2-5. Davidson has skated in all the big matches in all the big rinks all over America. Davidson runs a rink in Sacramento, Cal. After he finished his race at the New Rink, he threw on his overcoat and slipped across to the Old Rink in Cincinnati, where he gave his exhibition as usual, not omitting his backward jump over seven chairs, the feat with which he closes his act.

RICKLE'S Anti-Consumptive Syrup is agreeable to the taste, and is a certain relief for irritation of the throat that causes hacking coughs. It used according to directions it will break the most persistent cold, and restore the air passages to their normal condition. There is no need to recommend it to those familiar with it, but to those who seek a sure remedy and are in doubt what to use, the advice is—try Rickle's Syrup.

THE LABORS OF SIR GEORGE MURRAY
Humphrey proved that there is about one centenarian to every 127,000 people and that of 70 authenticated cases not one reached 110 years; three only are said to have been 108 and one 106.

WILL MAKE NO CHANGES.
New York, Feb. 8.—Clark Griffith, manager of the New York Americans, said today: "I shall make no changes in the team, because I believe that new men are not needed. You can say that no deals will be made at all. I was pretty well satisfied with the New York team at the end of last season. We made a hard fight for the pennant, and with a better pitching staff we would probably have beaten out the White Sox."

"For that reason I can see no way to improve the regular team. I shall keep Laporte on third base again, and, of course, the other infield positions will be covered as usual by Chase, Williams and Elbert. Moriarty and Yeager will be retained in case of emergency, for both are star utility players."

"Conroy, Hoffman and Keeler will be the regular outfielders, and you cannot beat them. We will have also Delahanty to call upon in the event of injuries of one of the others. Kleinow and McGuire will look after the catching."

BRITISH FLAG IT EVERY HOME

How the Japanese Show Their
Friendliness to Great
Britain.

Rev. Fuji Nakada, of Tokio, Japan, was in the city on Saturday night and Sunday, and left today for Providence, R. I., where he will hold a series of meetings in the interests of the work which he is carrying on in his native land.

Mr. Nakada is a son of one of the first converts to Christianity in the land of the Mikado, and for the past twenty years he has been engaged in furthering the Gospel among the Japs. "Christianity is making rapid advances in Japan," he said to The Advertiser yesterday. "In every part of the country it is taking a hold, and at the present rate of progress it will not be many years before it will have been heard in all parts of the land. Has the war with Russia hindered it in any way? Not the slightest. On the contrary, it has proved a help. One of the greatest difficulties before the war was to reach the remote towns and villages, but the war has been over come to no small extent, in this way. At the time the troops were being mobilized and sent to the front, chaplains held services for them in the big centers, and also accompanied them during the operations in the field, and in this manner men from every corner of the kingdom were reached, thus enabling them to carry the message to their districts on their return home."

Mr. Nakada stated that the people are not suffering from the taxes levied on account of the war to the same extent that might be believed by reading some of the papers. It is true, he said, that the people are being taxed, but, he says, that the country is making wonderful progress commercially, that the factories are busy, and that wages have advanced considerably. The effects of the famine in the northern districts have also disappeared. In fact, Japan is enjoying prosperity.

Mr. Nakada was a chaplain with a regiment through the Manchurian campaign, and he says that at the conclusion of the war hundreds of Russians who had been taken prisoners, declined to return to their own country, preferring to remain in Japan. While they were being forcibly detained, the Japanese provided teachers for the Russians, and by this means many who were previously unable to read or write received a fair education. At the present time, he declared, there are societies of Russians in Tokio and Yokohama who are doing whatever is possible to assist their brothers at home to secure a reformation in the form of government.

Asked regarding the trouble in San Francisco over the exclusion of the Japanese from the public schools, and the possibility of complications arising between Japan and the United States as a result, Mr. Nakada said that is not the slightest danger of such a thing. Every Jap knows full well that the Americans are in sympathy with them in the war with Russia, and he will not be at all alarmed by what he may hear from the United States press of the Japanese. Neither would a Jap be heard to say a harsh word against the United States, for it is a hard and fast rule for the people of the Flowery Kingdom to utter nothing unkind of one who has done him a good turn.

"What is the feeling in Japan toward Britain?" was asked, to which Mr. Nakada replied with much enthusiasm: "The feeling toward Britain? Unspeakeable. How could it be anything but the very best? Britain is our friend, and every Jap knows it full well. He knows that the Mikado had the moral support of Britain in the recent struggle, and he now looks on Britain as his best friend. As a result, you will find the British flag in nearly every home in Japan today. Can you say the same of the Japanese flag in Britain and her dependencies?"

Mr. Nakada addressed large congregations on Saturday evening and yesterday in the Christian Workers' Church, King street, and was listened to with much interest.

BOWLING AT LIBERAL CLUB

Teams Representing No. 2 Ward Clashed on Saturday Night.

Teams representing No. 2 ward met in the Liberal Club bowling tournament on Saturday night, and had a very good game. No. 2 team won by 21 pins. Roy Cooper made the highest individual score. The figures:

TEAM NUMBER ONE	Totals
Curtis	129 75 204
Stockton	123 123 246
Wiley	118 118 236
Boyd	101 147 248
Beal	104 139 243
Totals	675 692 1,367

TEAM NUMBER TWO	Totals
Lockie	92 92 184
Cooper	124 151 275
Dickson	124 128 252
McMurphy	148 136 284
Jones	102 82 184
Totals	590 613 1,203

Majority for No. 2 team, 31 pins. No. 4 ward teams play this evening.

Comio Valentines.
The Red Star News Co., 8 Market Lane, are showing new lines of comic valentines, including the Busted Heart's series.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

STRIKE RINK - SKATING EVERY afternoon, Saturday afternoon matinee; evening, band, finest of ice.
FOR HALLS-OUTINGS ON EGBERTON road, Hamilton road, good food and entertainment, low taxes, easy terms; naval scheme. Workingmen, get your own home. Absolute security for all parties. W. E. Colby, 36 Sedan street.

SHORT WEIGHT POTATOES SOLD

But There's No Way of Getting at
the Sellers—Question Agitating
Civic Officials.

Is it unlawful for anyone to sell on the market a bag of potatoes which weighs less than 90 pounds? This is the question which is agitating Chairman Gilman, of No. 3 committee, and Inspector McCallum just now.

It is known for a fact that farmers and others are selling bags of potatoes which weigh between 65 and 70 pounds every market day, and they practically defy the city to do anything about it. Last December the city passed a bylaw, making it an offense for anyone to sell produce on the market short of weight or measure, but it appears as though this enactment of the city is not worth the paper it is written on. The fact of the matter appears to be that the city has not decided what weight shall constitute a bag of potatoes, and that it is not within the power of the city to do this without the consent of the Legislature.

As a consequence, until the matter is settled, there is only one safe course for the city to pursue, and that is to buy everything on the market by weight. At all hazards, buy no potatoes by the bag.

If a man sells you a bag of potatoes, ask him how many pounds are in the bag.

If he says 90, and you find the weight short, you have him, Mr. McCallum says. But he has the right to sell you 50 pounds for a bag of potatoes, if he desires.

It is commonly understood that a bag of potatoes weighs 90 pounds and contains a bushel and a half, but it appears that there is no law which says how much a bag of potatoes shall weigh.

It appears that some years ago a number of bags of potatoes and a number of rolls of butter were seized by the city on the ground that they were under weight. At that time the city solicitor informed the inspector that it would be unwise to continue the seizures, as unless the potatoes were sold by weight, the butter by the pound, and the man who offered them for sale had committed no offense.

Chairman Gilman intends to see that the matter is straightened out at once, and No. 3 committee will take it up.

CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

—Mr. H. E. Watson, organist of Old St. Paul's Church, Woodstock, has resigned to take up his residence here.

—Principal and Mrs. Waller have gone to St. Catharines, where they will spend a week.

—Staff-Capt. Hay, of this city, will conduct a special meeting at the Salvation Army Citadel in Santa tonight.

—Mr. Crozier Sifton, who has been spending a few weeks with his family in this city, returned to Winnipeg this morning accompanied by his daughter, Miss Bella Sifton.

—The employees of the London Rolling Mills were entertained by the firm at a banquet in the Masonic Temple on Saturday night. About one hundred were present, and a very pleasant time was spent.

—The services in the Hamilton Road Methodist Church will be continued every night this week. The services yesterday, under the direction of Miss K. Morton, were of exceptional interest. Both were attended by large congregations.

—A male chorus club of sixteen voices assisted in the musical service at Askin Street Methodist Church, last night. The club was recently organized by Mr. Clarence Gilmore, of the church. Mr. Gilmore, an acquisition. Last evening's was its first appearance.

—Quite a number of able-bodied men are applying to Inspector Sanders, of the Charity Organization, for relief. One man told the inspector today that he could do any kind of work, but saw horse in the office at the time, and the visitor took time for the forelock and stated that he was again wood-sawing.

—The services in Chalmers' Presbyterian Church yesterday, were of an appropriate character in view of the closing of the old building, preparatory to entering into the new church. At the evening service a duet was rendered by Mr. Watson and Miss Martha Forrester.

—Mr. Watson is a member of St. Paul's church, while Miss Forrester is a new member of Chalmers' church, and gives promise of being of great assistance. The duet was "God is Love," and was much appreciated by a large congregation. Mr. A. McGilg, another new member of the choir, sang "Almost Persuaded" in pleasing manner.

HOTEL SOLD

The Odell Hotel property, situated on the Wellington road, just south of the city, was sold at auction on Saturday by Mr. A. M. Hunt. Mr. T. Gerry was the buyer, the price paid being \$1,580. In addition to the hotel there were seven and a half acres of land.

ELECTED A BENCHER

Mr. Richard Bayly, K.C., of this city, has been elected a bencher of the Law Society at Osgoode Hall fill the vacancy caused by the death of Senator Kerr, of Cobourg. That Mr. Bayly was not chosen at the general election was due to an oversight of the secretary, and that his benchers have rectified the error at the first opportunity will be approved by the members of the bar of the Province.

PRESENTED A FLAG

In the Dundas Street Center Sunday School yesterday afternoon, Mrs. (Rev.) E. B. Laneley's class of young ladies presented the school with a magnificent Union Jack. Miss Frost read an address to Mr. D. A. McDermid, superintendent, and Miss Lenore Talbot and Miss Banghart presented the ensign. The unfurling of the flag was the signal for great applause, followed by the singing of God Save the King. Mr. McDermid received the flag on behalf of the school, in a patriotic address, in

which he thanked Mrs. Laneley and the young ladies for their handsome gift.

BOYER—MOORE.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at St. Peter's Cathedral this morning, the contracting parties being Miss Mark Kathleen Moore, eldest daughter of Mr. John S. Moore, of the Dominion gas meter works, and Mr. Theophile Boyer, for many years attached to St. Peter's Cathedral. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. Father Aylward, assisted by Fathers O'Neill and White. Mr. and Mrs. Boyer leave this afternoon for Toronto, Montreal, Ottawa, and other eastern points. Amongst the numerous presents were two very handsome gifts from Bishop McEvay and Father Aylward.

THE GREAT SCOTTISH CONCERT.

The Jessie MacLachlan Concert Company will be heard in this city on the 15th day of February. The company is headed by the famous prima donna soprano, whose recent tour through Australia caused such a furore in musical circles, and of whom the Melbourne Punch, one of the most conservative publications in Australia, said: "We have never had a singer since the late forgotten days of Kate Hayes who has so taken great audiences by storm or stirred up such scenes, as the one on Saturday night, when 3,000 men, women and children stood to cheer, to applaud, to wave hats and handkerchiefs, and to show in other ways of an artist whose vocal gifts are illumined by sincerity, spirit and sentiment, has a power over the feelings of others, greater in one sense, than that of accepted sovereign or conformed conqueror." The other members of the company are Mr. Douglas Young, the famous Scotch lyric singer; Mr. Murray Graham, piano soloist; Mr. John McLinden, the great "cellist," and Mr. Robert Buchanan, accompanist and conductor. Seats for the MacLachlan company's concert will be on sale at the Grand Opera House, on Wednesday morning. Be on time, as the interest in this concert is unusual.

WILL DRIVE AWAY BLUES

Bennett's Bill Th's Week Is Brimful of Comedy.

Sunny Jim is said to have acquired a happy disposition from eating a certain brand of breakfast food. Recently a noted London scientist, discovered a treatment which puts the cheer proportion in the shade of the old apple tree. It is to laugh. It is a well-known fact that a good hearty laugh will drive away all dull care. It scotches the nerves, and makes one feel like a boy with a new suit of clothes. It puts one in a new atmosphere. It is a new man, take advantage of this new and wonderful cure for the blues—go to Bennett's, tonight, and laugh until you forget your little troubles.

Of all the comedy bills ever presented this week's is said to be a winner. O'Brien Havel and Effie Lawrence, two clever people, will present "Ticks and Clicks," by the famous sketch writer Will M. Cressy. It is the funniest of the funny. Mr. O'Brien is one of the comedians that keeps you laughing until your sides ache.

"Loves Young Dream," presented by Emil Hoch and Company, is a sketch which reminds you of your happy courtship days. Everyone has held hands at some time or other. It is natural—it has to be done to win the lady. This sketch is built upon such happy lines. Don't miss it. It is a rare treat.

Luiz Brothers, the twentieth century marvels, are wonders and will be the talk of London.

Orth and Fern, two clever comedians, have a line of talk, which will tickle the palate of the most critical.

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Strong's Baking Powder

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"Strong's Baking Powder is found to have very high aerating power. It is a Cream of Tartar powder containing no alum or phosphate, and it is not adulterated."
Alum baking powders are sold to consumers at from 10 to 20 cents a pound. So detrimental to health are many countries their sale is prohibited. Strong's Baking Powder.
25c Per Pound
W. T. STRONG
Dispensing Chemist.
181 DUNDAS STREET.

K. Thaw?" asked Mr. Delmas, of Mr. Lyon.

"Ever since he was a boy," replied Mr. Lyon.

"I hand you an envelope, and ask you if you ever saw it before?" Mr. Delmas handed the witness an envelope of large size, and made of heavy brown paper.

"I have seen this before," said the witness. "It was once in my possession."

"When?"

"Sometime prior to April 1, 1906. It was sealed and apparently contained a package."

"How did you receive the package?"

"From the hands of Harry K. Thaw."

Mr. Lyon said he was familiar with the defendant's handwriting, and it was his handwriting on the envelope.

"What did you do with the envelope?"

"Placed it in my box in a safety deposit vault in the bank, where it remained until the latter part of November, 1906, when I took it out, and gave it to my stenographer, Charles Johnson."

Mr. Lyon identified part of the writing on another envelope, as that of his stenographer.

Cross-examined, the witness remarked that there was doubtless many letters from Thaw in the bank at Pittsburgh.

"Can you produce these letters?"

"Yes."

Mr. Jerome then stated that he could not continue the cross-examination without the letters, and asked that the letters be produced. Mr. Delmas objected to the letters being turned over to the district attorney.

It finally was agreed that they should be sent to the clerk of the court.

John B. Gleason, of Thaw's counsel, was called to the stand.

Mr. Gleason said the will had been in his possession since Dec. 11, 1906. Mr. Lyon testified that he held the will till the latter part of November, 1906.

Delmas Gets the Note.
Mrs. Thaw was then recalled.

Mr. Jerome, on Delmas' demand, produced the note Mrs. Thaw passed to her husband in the Cafe Martin on the night of the shooting. The note reads: "The B— was here a minute ago, and 'out again'."

The court took a recess at 12:20 p.m. until 2 p.m. It has been agreed that Mrs. Thaw shall temporarily step aside to permit introduction of further testimony tending to show the unsound condition of the defendant's mind.

"Did you ever hear Mr. Thaw refer to threats by White?"

Mr. Jerome objected that a plea of self-defense by the defendant's own statements is not admissible.

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alist should first show that Thaw was of unsound mind, during the occurrences covered by the questions, and that the stories told him might have affected his mind in the way counsel desired to indicate.

The objection was sustained.

"What effect upon Thaw did the presence of Stanford White have?" Again Mr. Jerome objected, and was sustained.

"Upon your return from Europe in 1904, was Mr. Thaw present on the steamer?"

"Yes, sir."

"When on the steamer, do you remember whether Mr. Thaw told you anything about a certain young girl, and what happened to her at the hands of Stanford White?"

"Yes."

The court sustained another objection by Mr. Jerome, and the witness was not allowed to tell the story.

"In Paris," asked Mr. Delmas, "did you tell Mr. Thaw about a young woman who was known between you as 'the girl'?"

"Yes."

Mrs. Thaw was not allowed to detail this story, either.

"When did Mr. Thaw make his last proposal of marriage to you, the one which you accepted?"

"I think it was about April 1, 1905."

"What did he say to you at that time?"

Jerome again objected and was sustained.

A document was shown Mrs. Thaw who said that it was first shown to her by Harry Thaw, in January, 1906, she thought.

"Did he make any declaration regarding it at that time?"

Another objection was sustained.

"Did you ever hear Mr. Thaw refer to statements he had made to the society for the protection of children or for the suppression of vice?"

Mrs. Thaw was not allowed to answer.

Mr. Delmas then announced that as the court's ruling prevented him from going further into these matters, he would ask leave to temporarily withdraw the witness, and proceed along other lines.

Mr. Jerome acceded to the request, and Mr. Delmas then asked for an early adjournment in order to prepare for the new line of evidence. A recess was ordered at 12:20 until 2 p.m.

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