

MAD DOG SCARE ON TALBOT ST. DUFFERIN AVE. CHILD BITTEN LOCAL MERCHANT ATTACKED

London Excited Over a Series of Incidents Which Occurred Since Noon Today—Little Beryl Jewell Victim of One of the Mishaps.

DETECTIVES HAD A BATTLE ROYAL

Dr. Becher Had a Close Call From Being Bitten Before the Officers Killed the Animal—Mr. Gillian McLean Had the First Encounter With the Brute.

There was considerable excitement in London today over the mad dog scare.

After 1 o'clock a mad dog was seen on Talbot street, and a few minutes later it was seen on Dufferin avenue. The dog was a large black and white dog, and was very fierce. It was seen by several people, and it was reported that it had bitten a child.

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SOUTH LONDONER ATTACKED BY A BOLD HIGHWAYMAN IN A DARK, LONELY PLACE

Mr. George Ellyatt, of 9 Methuen Avenue, Victim of an Assault on Sunday Morning—Managed to Break Away and Get Assistance—When He Returned the Robber Had Disappeared.

A daring attempt was made by a thug to rob Mr. George Ellyatt, of 9 Methuen avenue, South London, early on Sunday morning, as he was on his way home. As Mr. Ellyatt was passing a clump of fir trees on Windsor avenue he heard a light footstep behind him, and as he turned he was seized.

The man's hand caught him in the face, and there are a number of deep scratches all over Mr. Ellyatt's face, where the finger nails scratched him.

Mr. Ellyatt grappled with his assailant and succeeded in tripping him. He then broke free and ran as fast as he could to his home, about two blocks away, to get help.

When he came back with his brother the stranger had disappeared. The matter was reported to the police, but Mr. Ellyatt was unable to give a very good description of the robber, owing to the shadows cast by the fir trees. He thinks the man was waiting, and when he passed stepped out and made the attack.

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WM. C. FURNESS HAS PASSED AWAY

Many Years Manager of G. N. W. Telegraph Company in London.

A PROMINENT CITIZEN

Member of St. Paul's Cathedral Congregation and Also of the Choir.

Mr. William C. Furness, for more than 45 years manager of the Great Northwestern Telegraph Company in London, died at his home, 321 Queen's avenue, early yesterday morning, after an illness that had extended over some months.

Mr. Furness was 69 years of age. When a young man, he entered the employment of the old Montreal Telegraph Company. He was manager for the company at Hamilton, and later came to London as their manager, and remained in that capacity when the company merged with the Great Northwestern. Besides his wife, Mr. Furness is survived by his son, Becher, of New York, and one daughter, Miss Florence.

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COUNCIL DIFFERS WITH LAWYER OVER TREE-TRIMMING BYLAW

Document Was Sent Back So That It May Be More in Accordance With What the Aldermen Intended to Do—A Special Meeting at Noon Today.

Electrical Engineer Sifton was not named a tree trimmer by the city council at a special meeting held at noon today. Instead City Solicitor Meredith was instructed to "prepare bylaws in accordance with the motions of the council."

When the bylaw was read it gave Mr. Sifton wide powers, practically placing every tree in the city under his control. Ald. Rose moved that the bylaw be read a first time, as it would then be possible to repeal it at any time.

Powers Too Wide. "That bylaw gives Mr. Sifton too wide powers," objected Ald. Hancock. "That is not what we intended. We want a bylaw in accordance with the motion passed at the last meeting of the council."

How is it that the bylaw is not drafted in accordance with the motion? "There are many things about these bylaws that are mysterious to me," said Ald. Hancock. "City Clerk Baker was dispatched to interview City Solicitor Meredith and ask him to come to the meeting."

According to the Statutes. Mr. Meredith stated that the bylaw was prepared strictly in accordance with the statutes governing such a matter. "What will become of Ald. Stevenson's notice of motion, placing all the parks under the control of the water commissioners?" asked Ald. Hancock. "The city solicitor's opinion is all nonsense. He did not cut much figure in the Statute book, nor was he right about the river. He is not infallible."

A Time Limit. Ald. Jeffries thought a time limit would overcome the difficulty, but Ald. Hancock insisted that if it could be amended at all it could be amended to cover the trees to be trimmed, and other limitations.

Never Fear. said Ald. Hancock. "The water commissioners will not spend their money in trimming more trees than are necessary." Mayor Beattie read the statutes governing the case, and Ald. Hancock took the debate, stating that the bylaw was not strictly in accordance with the statutes.

Ald. Hancock then stated that the council define the limits of the tree trimmer, and when the motion was put, his amendment carried.

There is hope in sight for the man who likes two poached eggs on which to begin the day's work. The price of eggs will be easier to pay, for the price of eggs has not been very noticeable, and people are still paying from 50 to 55 cents a dozen for eggs, whereas a few weeks ago they were willing to pay even higher prices, but were often unable to secure them.

Now the supply is increasing rapidly, and there is no doubt that there will be a drop in prices in the near future. The eggs seem to have discovered that Easter is approaching, and are making a brave effort to meet the conditions.

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Numerous journeys were made over the ice, but it was impossible to use automobiles on account of the bad condition of the ice fields.

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THE "SPOKANE OF THE NORTH"

IN THE
Inland Empire of
Canada

It is in Central British Columbia

Central British Columbia occupies the same relative position between the Rockies and the Coast Range as does the country tributary to Spokane, Wash., known as the Inland Empire. Each commands the Intermountain country. Each will have a central metropolis. But

Central British Columbia Has

- (1) A larger agricultural region.
- (2) A better rainfall—no irrigation.
- (3) More extensive gold and other mineral deposits.
- (4) More extensive coal deposits.
- (5) More extensive timber resources.
- (6) Petroleum, salt, asphalt, etc.

Central British Columbia has its fruit land along the Skeena and Bulkley. The Empire has in Yakima and Wenatchee.

It is a New Townsite on the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway

Fort George

's the Geographical Centre of British Columbia, and of the largest undeveloped area of good land on the American continent—at the junction of Great Rivers—Headquarters for Steamers, plying thousands of miles North, South, East, West.

Fort George is half-way between Edmonton and Prince Rupert, the "gateway" to the great Northwest. Bulkley, Fraser, Peace River, Skeena and other valleys. Initial offering of business lots on easy terms. Title guaranteed by the Province of British Columbia.

Here Are Some Reasons for Fort George's Position in Relation to National and International Commerce:

- On main line of G. T. P. Ry. between Edmonton and Prince Rupert, 430 miles east of Prince Rupert, 430 miles west of Edmonton.
- On proposed line between Edmonton and Vancouver, 270 miles from Vancouver.
- Terminus of projected line from Yukon.
- Terminus of projected line opening up Peace River Country.
- Terminus of projected line from Victoria.

The above will make Fort George one of the principal railway centres of Canada.

Fort George, the central point and hub of river systems of British Columbia.

Fort George, the commercial centre, distributing point and shipping point for all products, trade and manufactures of Central British Columbia.

Fort George will be the greatest shipping point for lumber in the interior of Canada.

THE SEATTLE TIMES PRINTS THE FOLLOWING:

"There is no better chance for a farm investment in a new country than in the fertile lands of Central British Columbia. A part of the country is one beautiful chain of meadows and lakes. Most of the land is covered by poplar and cottonwood growth, which is easily burned off, while the land can be quickly placed in condition to cultivate, and at an expense of not more than \$5 an acre. The climate is ideal, and no artificial irrigation is necessary. All kinds of fruits can be raised, and the entire country is filled with wild raspberries, strawberries, blackberries, etc. Hazel nuts grow in great quantities. Wheat, barley, oats, rye, timothy, alfalfa and clover can be grown easily and profitably. The land is especially suited to wheat growing. The uplands are of black loam and gravel sub-soil, and in many places there is silt soil, the same as the farms in the Yakima and Wenatchee valleys in Washington."

WHY FORT GEORGE IS SURE TO GROW

A Careful Distinction

In making our announcements of the sale of lots in

Central FORT GEORGE, we wish to make a careful distinction between this sale and the numerous sales of townsites, subdivisions and additions.

We hear of "subdivisions" here and "additions" there, but these are of no value, and are of no value to the owner.

We hear of new "townsites" and "additions" put upon the market. But these are of no value, and are of no value to the owner.

We believe that we are offering to you one of the REALLY GREAT opportunities: the opportunity to participate in the beginning of the "Last Great Metropolis of North America."

This being the case, we are not offering to you an ordinary subdivision, addition; nor are we offering lots in a place destined to remain a village.

Central Fort George is not the beginning of a town.

It is the beginning of a city.

It is the foundation of a place that will quickly become a metropolis.

SOME FACTS FOR COMPARISON

Thirty years ago Spokane, Winnipeg and Vancouver were just where Fort George is today—no railroad transportation, and little population, with lots selling at \$100 to \$150 each.

Today the population of each city is around 100,000, and the lots are about the same in each as follows:

Inside business property, \$2,000 to \$4,000 per front foot; \$75,000 to \$100,000 for a 25-foot lot.

Fifteen years ago Calgary and Edmonton were just where Fort George is today as regards population, realty prices and development.

Today these two cities have a population of 30,000 each. Central business property is selling at \$1,000 to \$2,000 per front foot; \$25,000 to \$50,000 for a 25-foot lot.

Today We Offer You Business Lots at Fort George at \$150 to \$300 EACH

Payable \$10.00 down and \$10.00 per month. No interest. Taxes paid for 1909 and 1910.

Ten per cent Discount for Cash. Title to these lots is irrevocable, guaranteed and insured by the Government of the Province of British Columbia. It is an absolute certainty that inside of one year Fort George will be a bustling city and will increase in population and realty value several times as fast as any of the cities named above, arriving at the position they now occupy in much less time than taken.

Because none of the cities named above, with the possible exception of Vancouver, have such natural advantages, and because Central British Columbia is the last "last west."

Therefore the time to act is now, not tomorrow, not in one hour, but now! Let us send you Maps, Plans and all information Free. Address

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CAN'T MAKE MONEY WITHOUT THE LIQUOR

Whitney Says the Temperance People Responsible for Poor Hotel Accommodation.

Toronto, Feb. 14.—Inadequate fire escapes in rural hotels and the quality of the accommodation in general were the subjects brought to the notice of the Commercial Travellers' Association which waited on him on Saturday afternoon. Hon. J. J. Foy, Hon. W. J. Hanna and Hon. Frank Cochrane were also present at the interview.

J. G. Cane, who was chairman of the fire-escape contest at the Toronto fair last September, complained that conditions in rural hotels had not been much improved since that time. In some of them ropes were provided, but he didn't think much of ropes. What was needed was a good automatic escape, such as one of those which received prizes at the contest. In some hotels no provision was made.

Sir James Whitney: "If there is no fire escape, that is against the law."

Hon. W. J. Hanna: "We have prosecuted every case that has come before the department."

Mr. Cane thought some of the escapes were only excuses.

"A good rope is better than nothing," replied the Premier. "I could go down a rope, and I weigh 200. I have gone down them and up them lots of times when I was a boy. If you're in peril of your life you'll go down a rope all right."

Hon. Mr. Hanna: "I would stake my faith now on a rope rather than on one of those appliances referred to. They are all right for a person who knows how to use them, but the average person doesn't know how to use them."

Sir James: "If I were sure of an inch-rope, and a good one, I'd sign a bond not to ask for anything more."

To Mr. Cane's objection that people slid down the ropes and hurt themselves, the Premier retorted: "Did you ever go up a rope when you were a boy? There is no more necessity for you to slide down it."

Mr. Cane assured the Premier that they were not there to advocate any particular model of fire-escape. They wanted to emphasize the necessity of an escape.

To the inquiry whether local option hotels were compelled to have fire-escapes, Sir James said: "We can force anyone who caters to the public to put them in."

E. Fielding, of Toronto, treasurer of the travellers' association, declared that the fire-escape inspectors were "absolutely useless" to them in getting proper accommodation in local option municipalities. They were either in business there, or had some axe to grind.

"The result of what you are saying," said the Premier, "is that we might as well dismiss all our license inspectors."

"I didn't mean to say that," answered Mr. Fielding.

The inspectors are more likely to be negligent in their duty, to be influenced where there are liquor licenses than where there is local option. The interests at stake are greater."

Mr. Fielding admitted that many of the local option towns were supplying extraordinarily good accommodation, but many of the rural hotels were not.

He paid a high tribute to the inspectors of Hotels and Restaurants, a special effort and a special inspection was necessary.

He suggested that, owing to the difficulty of making local option hotels pay, municipalities be allowed to remit taxes to men who were willing to supply the accommodation required.

Hon. W. J. Hanna suggested that a couple of the members' had bills to permit the municipalities to give a bonus.

Mr. Fielding thought this was along the right lines.

"If you know much about rural municipalities, you ought to know," said the Premier, "that the council that would dare to do that would have only one year's term of office. If I were a rich man, I would be willing to give you \$1,000 for every municipality that would dare to do such an act. There wouldn't be any."

Mr. Fielding thought the Government should assist the municipalities.

Sir James: "If men are willing to vote to say that no liquor should be sold, they should be willing to shoulder the responsibility."

Mr. Fielding complained of the quality of the accommodation in the rural hotels. They should get a fair-sized bedroom; they should be treated as well as the immigrants at the British Welcoming League, and be given sheets that had not been slept in before.

Hon. J. J. Foy (aside): "Hanna, you'd better bring in a bill to provide clean sheets."

Mr. Fielding's other criticisms were lack of proper heating and ventilation. The price charged in local option towns was excessive.

"The truth of the matter," said Sir James, "is that the temperance people who have bought out these hotels can't see that they are charging the men they put in charge such an exorbitant rental that they are unable to make any money. It's all right in the towns, but in the villages it is impossible for a man to make money unless he is allowed to sell liquor."

The members of the delegation were: John Gibson, Toronto, president east-western association; J. M. Dillon, London, president western association; Alfred Robinson, London; William Gray, E. Fielding, treasurer; Lieut.-Col. Stoneham, W. H. Dean, Hamilton; J. G. Cane, W. J. Wilford, W. G. Moody, Berlin.

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NEW WORK FOR THE LOCAL CHILDREN'S AID

Mr. J. J. Kelso, of Toronto, Addressed the Society on Important Matters.

Mr. J. J. Kelso, of Toronto, provincial superintendent of neglected and dependent children, is in the city, and spoke at the special meeting of the Children's Aid Society, held in the city hall. The meeting, which was called to discuss the possibility of branching out into some new lines of work in connection with the society's operations, was very well attended. Sheriff Cameron presided, and a great deal of interest was evinced throughout the meeting in the suggestions which were brought forward.

A question much in evidence was the proper management of girls from 14 to 16 years of age. The society has lately had a considerable number of such to deal with, and it was pointed out at the meeting that it would be

necessary to have a larger staff at the shelter in order to give the constant supervision, which was indispensable in order to work any change in the lives and characters of these girls. It was felt that boys and girls should not be sent to industrial schools, except as a last resource, and that it would be much better, as well as cheaper, to have a large enough and sufficiently well qualified staff of assistants at the shelter to train them for situations.

Several other matters were touched on, and it was decided to take the necessary action to put the new juvenile delinquents act, recently passed by the Dominion Parliament, into operation in this city. The act provides for the treatment of all juveniles who appear in the children's court as delinquents instead of as offenders against the law.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Kelso for the valuable information received, and the fresh impetus given the work by his visit.

"MAT" ALGIE DEAD

Was One of the Best-Known Railway and Hotel Men of Ontario.

Glencoe, Feb. 13.—M. A. Algie, of the McKellar House, died this morning after a long illness.

The late "Mat" Algie was known throughout Western Ontario and eastward by hundreds of friends. He was 55 years of age, and was born at the "Boyne" Farm, Ont. For a great many years he was a faithful employee of the Grand Trunk Railway, and in the capacity as conductor had charge of trains on a great number of the branches.

He entered the service of the G. T. R. in 1880, and made his first run out of St. Thomas, in which city he resided for fifteen years. He was then transferred to Port Huron, from that point to Port Rowan, and then to Goderich, where he made his home for ten years. When some changes were made, Mr. Algie came to London to live, and remained in that city until 1908, when he retired from the road.

He moved to Wingham, where he purchased the King Edward Hotel, which he conducted for some years. A year ago he bought the McKellar House here, where he became one of the most popular hotelmen in Western Ontario.

He is survived by his wife and two sons and three daughters. One son, Albert, is in Medicine Hat, and another son, Louis, at home. Mrs. John Martin, of Calgary, Mrs. Samuel Brown, of Howell, Mich., and Miss Edith, at home, are daughters. The parents of deceased Mr. and Mrs. James Algie, reside at Galt, Ont., one

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Births, Marriages, Deaths.

DEATHS.
CURRIE—In Westminster, on Feb. 12, 1910, Agnes Rae, beloved wife of Daniel Currie, aged 42 years.
Funeral from her late residence, 101 St. George Street, on Tuesday, at 2 o'clock. Interment at Dorchester. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES

GRAND FRIDAY
"DAVID HOLCOMB"
Another "Old Homestead." Best attraction of the season at popular prices, 10c, 25c, 50c. Seats Wednesday.

SATURDAY Matinee and Night
Frank Daniels
In the English Musical Comedy,
"The Belle of Brittany"
Seats Thursday. Mail orders now. Prices: Matinee, 25c to \$1.00; night, 50c to \$1.50.

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Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday.
Moving pictures, Canadian Northwest, by the C. P. R. special photographer, 3,000 feet of film. Free. Theatricals, by the C. P. R. special photographer, 3,000 feet of film. Free. Theatricals, by the C. P. R. special photographer, 3,000 feet of film. Free.

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LOST—SATURDAY NIGHT, ON QUEEN'S ST. A silver watch, returned to George Jackson, 37 Wellington street.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

MERCHANT TAILOR, MEN'S FURNISHINGS business for sale in the best stock complete and up to date, about \$5,000, store well located, cash business, a snap for a live man. For particulars, address George Eberle, Box 22, Owen Sound, Ont.

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WASHING AND SCRUBBING WANTED by the day. References required. Apply 504 Peel street.

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MEETINGS.

MEETING OF HISTORICAL SOCIETY
On Wednesday evening, at Normal School, Barclay Cumberland, 224, the provincial president, will speak on the war of 1812, the opening months of campaign of 1813, and the battle of York, illustrated by maps. Teachers and general public invited.

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LONDON, MONDAY, FEB. 14.

CANADA TAKES THE LEAD.

It is said that Canada is doing less than Australia or New Zealand for naval defence. This taunt is frequently thrown at the Dominion Government by those who have not ascertained the facts. Let us see what each country has undertaken.

Australia will give a Dreadnought, but it is to be the head of Australia's fleet unit. The other ships of this unit will be three unarmored cruisers, six destroyers and three submarines. But Australia will not pay for the whole service. The British Government will contribute \$1,250,000 yearly toward the cost of maintenance.

New Zealand will furnish a Dreadnought, but not unconditionally by any means. The New Zealand Government, whose conduct has been so extolled by Canadians eager to place their own Government in a false light, has driven a keen bargain. The Dreadnought is to take its place in the North Sea, but it is to be the flagship of the China unit. In return for permitting the Dreadnought to be stationed at a distance, the New Zealand Government demands that two British cruisers, three destroyers and two submarines shall be kept in New Zealand waters in time of peace, and that the flagship shall visit New Zealand at least once a year. New Zealand pays only for the building of the Dreadnought, not for its annual maintenance. She demands also that seven other ships be stationed off her coasts at the expense of the British Government, and named as far as possible by New Zealand officers and crews. New Zealand will contribute only \$500,000 yearly toward the navy, and this sum is to be spent, not to relieve the British taxpayers, but to raise the wages of the officers and men above the British level, which is considered too low.

Canada does more than either of the other daughter nations. In the first place Canada immediately takes charge of two dockyards—Halifax and Esquimaux—and maintains them permanently. Australia merely undertakes to maintain the dockyard at Sydney at some future time—"eventually" is the term used in the agreement. Canada is to build and maintain five cruisers and Australia three. Canada is to build six destroyers and Australia the same number. Canada will build no submarines at present, although Australia will have three. But Canada will pay every cent of the cost of maintaining her fleet, while Australia will take \$1,250,000 yearly from the pockets of the British taxpayers. Even though Australia will build a Dreadnought, Canada is paying more for naval defence.

The Ottawa Opposition asks that in addition to a Canadian naval service, Canada hand at once \$25,000,000 to Great Britain to build two Dreadnoughts which are to join the British fleet in the North Sea. The Australian Dreadnought will stay in Australian waters, and the New Zealand Dreadnought in eastern waters, where it will serve the purpose of local defence.

CURBING THE INDIAN PRESS.

Since the first signs of unrest in India, the Imperial Government has hesitated to assent to the curbing of the native press. A few years ago these papers were scarcely read, but now their circulation has reached enormous proportions, and they are becoming less restrained in their utterances. The effect has been to influence the native mind against the "English conqueror," until now in many parts of India the life of a white man is no longer considered safe. It is to the incendiary language of the native newspapers that are attributed the Indian crimes which last year shocked the world—the assassination of Sir Curzon Wylie, and the Hindoo, Dr. Lalcaia, the throwing of bombs at the carriage in which Lord and Lady Minto were driving, and the murder of Mr. Jackson, the collector of Nazik. Such crimes as these have opened British eyes to the fact that, notwithstanding the legislative, administrative and electoral reforms that have been introduced during the last three years, political disaffection has spread to even the highest of the Hindoo castes, jeopardizing the position and safety even of moderate Indian leaders.

The council at Calcutta has introduced a press bill of a most thoroughgoing character, to be enforced until the editors learn how to use the freedom they have been accustomed to in the interests of good government. The bill does not create a censorship, but provides in another way for the control of all printing presses. Their proprietors are required to make a deposit, ranging from \$500 to \$1,600,

which will be forfeited upon conviction of an attempt to incite to murder or anarchy, or to the army and navy, or the loyalty of the army and navy, to excite racial, class or religious animosity, or to cause contempt of the Government or native princes or the intimidation of public servants, etc.

According to an article in the Atlantic Monthly by Professor Paul S. Renish, who has given much study to the intellectual life of the Orient, the leaders of the present political agitation, unlike their predecessors in intellectual guidance, lack all steady training, basing their action on abstract opinions without regard to the intricate and delicately adjusted facts upon which the Indian system rests, and their agitation is considered even by Indians as endangering the normal evolution of Indian political life. The writer does not think they have got a firm hold on the masses yet, but has no doubt they may soon do so, and adds that it is easy to believe that this should result in a feeling on the part of Anglo-Indians which at times approaches panic. The materials dealt with, he says, while ordinarily dormant, are extremely explosive.

TWO MEN, FIFTY VOTES.

The Postmaster-General of Great Britain wittily compares the Unionist phalanx of voters to a stage army. A corporal's guard, by marching across the stage many times in the same direction, may furnish the illusion of a mighty host. It is so with the Unionist army under the plural voting system. Its numbers are not so imposing when the onlooker reflects that one voter is counted several times. The following from the Henley and South Oxfordshire Standard, a Conservative paper, explains the process:

"Messrs. J. W. and W. W. Walker, proprietors of Messrs. Walker & Co. stores, have established what may be practically a record in regard to voting at the recent elections. Mr. W. W. Walker has received no less than 17 votes, and Mr. J. W. Walker 13. Mr. W. W. Walker commenced by giving nine votes in three days, viz.:

"Wednesday, Jan. 19, left Henley at 7.15, voted at Stratford-on-Avon at 11 a.m., was back and voted at Henley at 2 p.m., then proceeded to Wallingford and voted at 4 p.m., getting back to Reading at 5.10 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 20, voted at Wallingford at 9.40, and at Stratford-on-Avon, Essex, at 3 p.m.

"Friday, Jan. 21, voted in four towns and four counties, viz.: Wycombe, Bucks; North Bucks, Bucks; Alton, Hants; and Witney, Oxon. To do this, Mr. Walker had to motor about 80 miles and train about 120 miles.

"Monday, Jan. 24, voted at Ely, Cambridgeshire, in the morning, and at Banbury at 6 p.m.

"Tuesday, Jan. 25, voted at Cirencester, then motored 30 miles to Evesham, in Worcestershire, and voted again.

"Wednesday, Jan. 26, voted at Yeovil, and then Devizes.

"Thursday, Jan. 27, voted at Farnham.

"To accomplish the above, Mr. Walker reckons he covered no less than 1,315 miles by train and travelled in 65 different trains; and 11 miles by motor in 12 different motors, and it took seven days to do it.

"We have not heard of any record to approach this, and yet Mr. Walker's brother, who is entitled to votes, in all, has received 50 votes between them, 25 each."

Even if the principle were conceded that property should have a special voting strength, there would be no justice in such a law. Two other men might be as wealthy as the Walker brothers, but they would only have two votes if all their property happened to be located in the constituency they lived in. The Walkers had 50 votes because their belongings chanced to be scattered over 50 electoral divisions. It is part of the outrageous discrimination in favor of land which the British electoral and tax systems reveal at every point. The Unionist party, as the party of the landed class, profits by it enormously, and the House of Lords perpetuates it for this reason.

The Ottawa Opposition has caught the new malady, febris dreadnoughtensis.

The British Government faces the new parliament tomorrow. Veto or budget?

On the naval question Mr. Foster has achieved the feat of looking at the back of his own neck.

With only the Orkney and Shetland seat to be filled Scotland has elected 60 Ministerialists, and 11 Unionists, Orkney and Shetland invariably go Liberal, so that the Ministerial majority will be an even 50. The popular vote stands: Liberal and Labor, 395, 014; Conservative, 260,079.

Many in the old land and in Canada, too, judging by their attitude toward British politics, are prepared to sing:

Let wealth and commerce, laws and learning die,
But leave us still our old nobility.

The late Mr. Furness was a link with a generation of Londoners of whom few remain. He had lived in the city continuously for 45 years, and was actively identified with many of its interests during the whole of that period. A kindly, cultured man, with a fine sense of honor, he inspired warm friendships and no enmities. He will be genuinely missed by a large circle.

The Niobe, the ship which Canada is to purchase for the first unit of her fleet on the Atlantic, is a protected cruiser of 11,500 tons, and has a speed of 20 knots. She carries 16 6-inch guns and a crew of 600 men. She compares with the Columbia and the Minneapolis of the United States Navy. Her cost ten years ago was \$3,000,000. She is said to be especially good for engine-room training.

THE RULING PASSION.

[Washington Star.]
A little, lean, pale miser was one evening observed fighting with the town blacksmith. Though his nose was bleeding and one eye closed, the miser fought desperately. The blacksmith planted blow on blow, but the little miser never bled an inch.
"Run, ye fool!" hissed a friend. "Ye stand no chance here. Run!"
"Run? No! I've got my foot on a ten-cent piece."

THE HONOR OF THE PRESS.

[Goderich Signal.]
The editor of this paper was presented at Christmas with a gold-headed m-brella. This is mentioned not in a spirit of boasting, but just to let folks know, lest they should fall to wondering, when they see it, if he did not come by it absent-mindedly.

THE INNOCENT VICTIM.

[Washington Star.]
"I believe," said the blunt individual, "in speaking my mind and calling a spade a spade."
"Yes," replied Miss Cayenne. "Many are that way. The tendency is what corrupts the vocabularies of so many parrots."

THE LAZY MAN'S BURDEN.

[Washington Star.]
"De lazy man," said Uncle Eben, "tries to save trouble an' merely succeeds in savin' it up so's to git it in a bunch."

OFFICE BOY MUSINGS.

[Boston Herald.]
If most men got paid for overtime they'd be doctored.
Talk is cheap, but does anybody ever get paid for keepin' still?
Competition may be the life of trade, but it also helps to keep me from gettin' a raise.

PARTICULAR.

[Punch.]
"Lor, Bill, we've got into a fast-claws carriage."
"Yes, don't say so! And me wiv odd socks on!"

WHERE AUTHORITY ENDS.

[Harper's Bazar.]
"Rogers is a born leader of men. Thousands of them would follow him into the jaws of death."

EMBARRASSMENT.

[Chicago News.]
Mrs. A.—What's the matter with Mrs. De Stuy? She looks the picture of embarrassment.

Mrs. Z.—No wonder. Her little boy used all her old love letters to make the tail of his kite, and they came down in the neighbor's yard.

ANTIQUE TABLES.

[Boston Herald.]
An old gentleman was proudly exhibiting some of his most valued possessions to a friend who had called to see him. "That table," he said, with the pride of a connoisseur, "is 200 years old."

"That's nothing," came the starting reply from the visitor's son, who was accompanying his father: "we have one at home which is 500 years old."

"Impossible, my dear boy, impossible! What kind of a table is it?" said the old gentleman.

"The multiplication table."

WORKS OF GRACEFUL FANCY.

[Washington Star.]
"Father," asked little Rollo, "what is a prospectus?"

"The kind I am mostly acquainted with, my son, is a prospectus of a school for the tastes of adults instead of children."

HAD THE UPPER HAND.

[Louisville Courier-Journal.]
"Yes, she threatened to go home to her mother."

"And how did you keep her from doing it?"

"I refused to button her gown for her."

SUCH A QUESTION.

[Chicago News.]
Teacher—Now, Jimmie, why on the birthday of a famous man do they raise the flag on the top of the schoolhouse?

Jimmie (confoundingly)—Why—'cause that's where the flagpole is, o' course!

A LONDONER'S LUCK.

[Hamilton Spectator.]
Cameron Brown, an old Hamilton newspaperman, is making a fortune in the field of invention. How is it that these newspaper fellows always go outside their own business to make fortunes?

THE FOLLY OF CASH CONTRIBUTIONS.

[Montreal Herald.]
Cash contributions to a little permanent national sentiment in behalf of imperial unity, but they will accentuate such sentiment against that unity as now exists. Cash subsidies open no door of opportunity for the imperial forces in the form of naval reserves, add nothing to Canada's stock-in-trade in the shape of dockyards, nor her industrial army in the form of skilled artificers in the making of ships and ship materials. Cash bonuses simply mean that we wash our hands of that measure of responsibility for imperial action that would inevitably be ours if we possessed a national fleet, and that we content ourselves with hiring other men to do our fighting.

ASQUITH'S GRATITUDE TO SCOTLAND.

[Telegraph to Glasgow Record and Mail.]
I wish to express on behalf of the whole Liberal party our sense of the obligation we owe to Scotland, and to the Unionists, Orkney and Shetland invariably go Liberal, so that the Ministerial majority will be an even 50. The popular vote stands: Liberal and Labor, 395, 014; Conservative, 260,079.

EYE STRAIN IN SCHOOL.

[Newark News.]
A little boy or girl totally blind is an extremely pathetic sight, but next to this is a child wearing spectacles to place out its defective eyesight. Yet such cases are declared by doctors to be on the increase, and they claim that many of them are caused by the eye strain to which children under ten years of age are subjected in the schools. A number of years ago a crusade was begun against nursemaids, older sisters and even reckless mothers who would expose babies' eyes to the direct glare of the sun when taking the helpless infants out for an airing in baby carriages. That crusade by no means ended yet, and many a courageous woman will today stop a baby carriage whose occupant's unprotected eyes are being blinded by the sun, and will instruct the attendant to either shut out the light or wheel the carriage in another direction.

LONG-WINDED LETTERS.

[Toronto Star.]
There are several ways of writing to a newspaper, and more than several ways in which it is wise not to write. The greatest fault to be found with the average communication is that it invites the pigeon-hole by reason of its length, and because it takes two or three pages of foolscap to say what could have been condensed into a few sentences.

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POWER PRICES PRESENTED TO WATER COMMISSIONERS

Schedule Was Laid on the Table at a Meeting Held on Saturday.

Another "Old Homestead." The Philadelphia Item, under date of Nov. 2, quotes: "William Lawrence shines in his latest rural play 'David Holcomb,' which had its first Philadelphia appearance at the Grand Opera House last night. The play is about as good as the best of the kind, and from many plays of its type." Mr. Lawrence and his excellent company will appear at the Grand, London, on Friday evening next. The seat will open on Wednesday morning. Popular prices will prevail.

Saturday, Matinee and Night. Frank Daniels in his latest success, "The Belle of Brittany" comes to the Grand Saturday night, matinee and night. This delightful English musical comedy, with its wholesome humor and dainty, tuneful airs, comes fresh from a long run at Daly's Theatre, New York, where it has been duplicated in the Grand, London, on Friday evening next. The seat will open on Wednesday morning. Popular prices will prevail.

The basic scale of rates for hydro-electric power in London was submitted by Engineer Sifton at a meeting of the water commissioners on Saturday afternoon. There is a discount of 10 per cent for payment within a certain time, and there will be a further discount if the commissioners find it possible to sell power cheaper when the actual sales are being made.

Following is the scale which has been agreed on for London:

Schedule of Rates for Power. Definitions—Class A, unrestricted service, 24 hours per day; Class B, restricted service, 24 hours per day; Class C, unrestricted service, 10 hours per day; Class D, restricted service, 10 hours per day; rates under Classes B, C and D do not apply to users of 10-horsepower or over.

The flat rate method of charges outlined is: 1 to 3 horsepower, \$50; 4 to 10 horsepower, \$48; 11 to 25 horsepower, \$45; 26 to 50 horsepower, \$43; 51 to 100 horsepower, \$41; 101 horsepower or over, \$40.

Class A—100 per cent of base rates; Class B—90 per cent of base rates; Class C—80 per cent of base rates; Class D—66 2-3 per cent of base rates.

Differential Charges. The differential method of charge is: From 1 to 3 horsepower motor \$1 25 per horsepower, and 24 cents per K. W. H.; 4 to 10 horsepower motor \$1 20 per horsepower, and 2 cents per K. W. H.; 11 to 25 horsepower motor, \$1 15 per horsepower, and 24 cents per K. W. H.; 26 to 50 horsepower, \$1 10, and 2 cents per K. W. H.; 51 to 100 horsepower, \$1 05, and 14 cents per K. W. H.; 101 up to \$1 and 14 cents per K. W. H.

Class A—100 per cent of base rates; Class B—90 per cent of base rates; Class C—80 per cent of base rates; Class D—66 2-3 per cent of base rates.

The matter was laid over by the commissioners.

KNOLLY'S DAUGHTER SAID TO HAVE ELOPED.

But Lord Knollys Has Officially Denied the Charge.

Paris, Feb. 13.—A dispatch from Palma, Island of Majorca, says that English detectives have arrested a young woman charged with eloping with Miss Louisa Knollys, daughter of Lord Knollys, King Edward's private secretary. The detectives also found the girl, who is now in Palma with her brother.

The elopement is said to have taken place about ten days ago, and the couple were seen recently at Monte Carlo. They were supposed to be en route to America.

The man is variously described as a coachman and a British army officer.

London, Feb. 13.—Lord Knollys has officially denied that his daughter had eloped. He recently declared that she was still in London.

Hundreds of well-known Parisians accepted invitations from Mlle. Solange Sicaud, the little daughter of the famous doctor, to attend the ceremony of "naming" her new doll.

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BURNED TO A CRISP.

Troy, Feb. 14.—Minnie J. Searle, aged 30, a daughter of John Searle, of Schachtelke's village, was burned to a crisp in a fire which destroyed her father's dwelling this morning. Miss Searle's sleeping apartment was situated in an inaccessible portion of the house. Searle entered the house and saved \$600 secreted under heavy boxes.

Hon. Geo. E. Foster vs. The Globe and Its Editor.

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"Acute attacks of pain would catch me in the pit and lower part of the stomach. I could not eat meats or starches, as they would quickly ferment, forming gas and causing a constant belching. I was weak and run down and became so restless that I could not sleep at night. There was a distressing pressure around the heart caused from gas, and often I would be scarcely able to draw my breath. I felt miserable generally, and became so irritable that I did not care to see or talk to anyone. Mi-o-na was recommended to me by a friend, and I procured a box. I soon found relief, however, and in less than a week the pain had gone from my stomach. I strengthened gradually and was soon able to eat my meals and enjoy a nice sleep. I gained in weight and became stronger. I had no trouble since, and can only thank Mi-o-na for the speedy and lasting cure given me when all else failed."—W. Harris McCaffrey, 491 Aylmer street, Peterboro, Ont.

If any reader of The Advertiser is suffering from indigestion, belching, gas on stomach, heaviness, sick headache, coated tongue, they should get a box of Mi-o-na today. Mi-o-na gives instant relief in stomach distress, but it does more—it builds up the stomach and makes it so strong that in a few weeks it will be able to digest a hearty meal without any outside aid. Mi-o-na is sold on the money-back plan by W. T. Strong, and leading druggists everywhere.

STEAMER ON THE ROCKS IN STORMY MAGELLAN

Rescuing Craft Only Able to Take Off a Portion of the Passengers.

Valparaiso, Chile, Feb. 14.—Immediately on receipt yesterday of the news that the Pacific Navigation Company's steamer Lima had been wrecked on a reef in the Huamblin Passage, in the Strait of Magellan, and that 88 persons had been left aboard, the Chilean Government dispatched the cruiser Ministro Zenteno to the rescue. Following quickly in the wake of the steamer are five steamers, which the Navigation Company ordered to proceed at top speed to Magellan. The fate of those who were left behind by the British steamer Hatmet, which rescued 205 of the passengers, and crew, will not be known until the Ministro Zenteno, which carries wireless apparatus, arrives there.

No further word was received from the survivors. According to late dispatches last night, there is some hope that the remainder of the passengers and crew on the Lima may be able to hold out if aid reaches them quickly.

The Hatmet, after taking off 205 persons, was compelled to proceed, on account of the danger of being swept upon the rocks by the blow that prevailed at the time.

THE CABINET RUMORS

The Hon. Raoul Dandurand May Join Laurier Ministry.

Ottawa, Feb. 13.—Owing to the fact that Hon. E. P. Brodeur's recovery from his serious illness of the past month or so will necessarily be slow, and that he will probably be unable to undertake any heavy work or responsibility for at least six months, it may be that a change in the portfolio of marine and fisheries will be found necessary. Although it is hoped that Hon. Mr. Brodeur will not be compelled to withdraw from the Government, a fairly widespread rumor prevalent tonight in parliamentary circles is to the effect that Hon. Raoul Dandurand, ex-speaker of the Senate, and one of the most prominent members in the Province of Quebec, may be induced to enter the Government in the near future in the event of Mr. Brodeur's illness necessitating his retirement from the cabinet.

LOCAL PHYSICIAN SAYS THOUSANDS DYING IN EUROPE CAN BE SAVED WITH PROPER MEDICINE.

What is it that keeps down cholera cases in the summer months in America? Ask any doctor or live druggist and he will tell you "Nervine." Just fancy, a million bottles are sold every year to people who use Nervine for stomach disorder, cramps, flatulence and summer complaint. For 50 years in most Canadian homes no other pain relieving medicine but Nervine has been kept. Nothing cures the nervous pains and sickness of the entire family so quickly as Nervine.

As far back as I can remember, at least 50 years ago, there was never a time that my home was without "Nervine." In the summer time, when the children ate green apples and got sick with diarrhoea and cramps, it was Nervine that cured them. My father used Nervine frequently to cure gas on his stomach and acute indigestion. There are but few ailments that Nervine does not cure, and I know of no medicine so useful in fact, so indispensable around the home as Nervine.

This letter, written by Mrs. N. C. Butcher, a well-known resident in Battersea, shows the high opinion entertained of Nervine by those who have used it constantly for nearly half a century.

You'll never regret using Nervine. Get it today, keep it on hand for an accident or sudden case of sickness in your home. Refuse anything else offered you instead of Nervine. Large bottles, 50 cents; trial size, 25 cents. All dealers, or The Cattarhouse Company, Kingston, Ont.

THE CRETAN CRISIS.

Canoe, Crete, Feb. 12.—The consuls of the protecting powers today presented identical notes to the Cretan executive committee prohibiting the election of Cretans to the Greek National Assembly or Chamber, and warning the committee that in the event of the prohibition being disregarded effective steps would be taken to enforce this decision.

LETTER

NO. 4672.

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TEA AT ITS BEST— "SALADA"

in all its garden freshness and fine flavour
sealed lead packets are proof against dirt. The tea can't be contaminated—and it costs no more than common tea.

CHAPTER VII Incidents.

Several months went by, and John Steele saw nothing further, although he heard often of Miss Jocelyn Wray. His business to the continent, whatever its nature, had seemed sufficiently important to authorize from him to her, in the process of time, a short perfunctory message, regretting his inability to present himself at the appointed hour at Strathorn House. Whether the young girl found in the letter a vagueness warranting a suspicion that John Steele preferred the heavy duties of the city to the light frivolities of the country, matters not; suffice it, the weeks passed, and no further invitations, in the ponderous script of the wife of Sir Charles, arrived to tempt him from his accustomed ways. But the days of this long sojourn did not pass altogether uneventfully; a few incidents, apart from the routine of his work, obtruded themselves upon his attention.

A number of supposedly prospective clients had called to ask for him at his office during his sojourn on the other side of the channel. That was to have been expected; but one or two of these, by dint of flattery, or possibly silver-tongued persuasion, had succeeded in gaining access to his chambers.

"I should like to have a look into John Steele's library; I've heard it's worth while," one had observed to the butler at the door. "Only a bit of a peep around!" His manner of putting his desire, supplemented by a half-crown, left the butler no alternative save to comply with the request, until the "peep around" began to develop into more than cursory examination, when his sense of propriety became outraged, and the visitor's welcome was cut short.

"He was that curious, a regular Paul Pry," explained the servant to John Steele, in narrating the incident on the latter's return to London. "Seemed specially taken by the reports of the old trials you have on the shelves, sir. 'What an interesting collection of causes celebres!' he kept on remarking. 'I suppose your master makes much of them?' He would have been handling of them, too, and when I showed him the door-trust me I did, right, sir, even if he should happen to be a client—he asked me more questions before going."

"Personal-like, but I put a stop to that." For a few moments John Steele said nothing; his face, on his reappearance to London, had looked slightly paler, more set and determined, not unlike that of a man who, strongly assailed, had made up his mind to do battle to the end. With whom? How many? He might put out his hand, clench it; the thin air made no answer. He regarded the shadows now; they seemed to wave around him, intangible, obscure. A dark day in town, the streets were oppressive; the people below passed like poorly done replicas of themselves; the rattle of the wheels resembled a sullen, disgruntled murmur.

"You will admit no one to my chambers during my absence in the future," said Steele at length to the man, sternly. "No one, you understand, under any pretext whatever; even a flicker of grim humor in the deep eyes, 'if he should say he was a client of mine!'"

The butler returned a subdued answer, and John Steele, after a moment's thought, stepped to a large safe in the corner, and applying a somewhat elaborate combination, swung open the door. Taking from a compartment a bundle of papers carefully rolled, he unfasted the tape, spread them on the table, and examined them one after the other. They made a voluminous heap; here and there on the white paper in bold regular script appeared the name of a woman; her life lay before him, the various stages of an odd and erratic career. At a cabaret in Montmartre; at a casino in the Paris Bohemian quarter; in London, at a variety hall of amusement. And afterward—wastrel, nomad! Through-out the writing, in many of the documents, a name, too, a flitted name, a man's, often came and went, flitted elusively from leaf to leaf.

The reader looked at this name, wrote a page or two, and inserted them. But his task seemed to afford him little satisfaction; his face wore an expression not remote from discouragement; none knew better than he the actual value, for his purpose, of the material before him. The chaff, froth, bubble of the case—almost contemptuously he regarded it! Had he sought the unattainable? Certainly he had left no stone unturned, no stone, and yet the head and front of what he sought had ever escaped him—should he ever grasp it?—with these new secret activities, menacing him, harassing the future?

He drew himself suddenly up, as if to shake off momentary doubt or depression. Replacing his documents in the safe and locking it, he walked into an adjoining room, a bare, square place on the wall hung with coils and broad swords, and the only furnishings were the conventional appointments of a home gymnasium.

Here, having doffed his street clothes and assumed the scant costume of the athlete, for an hour or more he exercised vigorously, every muscle re-

sponding to its task with an untiring ease that told of a perfect system of training. As he stood in the glow, breathing deep and full, his figure, with its perfect lines of strength and lissness, the superb but not too pronounced swell of limb and shoulder, would have been the delight of the professional expounder of dumb-bells, bars and clubs, as the most proper medium of fitness and condition. Whether he exercised for the sake of exercising, or because bodily movement served to stimulate his mind in the consideration of problems of moment, John Steele certainly had, as never been in finer physical fettle than at this particular period of his varied and eventful career. Which proved of service to him and well-being, for one night, not long thereafter, he was called upon to defend himself from a number of footpads who set upon him.

The episode occurred in his own street near a corner, where the shadows were black, at an hour when the narrow way seemed silent and deserted. For a block or more footfalls had sounded behind him, now quickening, now becoming more deliberate, in unison with his own steps, as from time to time he purposely altered his pace. Once he had stopped; whereupon they, too, had paused. A moment he stood looking up at St. Paul's, immense, ominous, casting at that late hour a dim patch of shadow over scores of pigmy buildings and paltry byways; when he went on, patter—patter—the trailing of feet, inevitable. But they came no nearer until, wheeling abruptly, he entered the short street where his chambers were located. At the same time two men, apparently sauntering from the river in that side thoroughfare, approached him somewhat rapidly, separating slightly as they did so.

John Steele seemed oblivious. He moved into a doorway, and drawing from his pocket a cigar, unconcernedly lighted a match. The fellows looked at him, at the tiny flame, it flickered, and went out. They hesitated; he felt in his pocket, giving them time to move by. They did not do so; in a moment the others from the main highway would join them. As if disappointed in not finding what he sought, Steele, looking around, appeared to see for the first time the evil-looking miscreants who had come from the direction of the Thames, and striding onward they asked brusquely for a light. One of the fellows thus unceremoniously addressed had actually begun to feel in his shabby garments for the article required, when his companion uttered a short, derisory cough.

It served as a sudden stimulus to him against whom it was directed; the old trickster, John Steele, seemed fully to appreciate. His heavy stick flashed in the air, rang hard; the way before him cleared, he did not linger. But close behind him now the others came, fast; his door, however, was near. Now he reached it, fitted the heavy key. Had it turned as usual the episode would have been brought to a speedy conclusion, but, as it was, the key struck. The foremost of those who had been trailing fell upon Steele, but soon drew back; one of them, unable to repress a groan, held his hand to a broken wrist, while from his helpless fingers a knife dropped to the ground.

A hoarse voice in thieves' jargon, unintelligible to the layman, cursed them for cowards; John Steele on a sudden laughed loudly, exultantly; whereupon he who had thus spoken from the background uttered a derisive, hulking fellow about six feet three, with a shock of red hair and a thick hanging lip—obviously this one

of his assailants possessed immense, unusual strength. In appearance he was the reverse of pleasing; his blood-shot eyes seemed to shine like coals from the darkness, the huge body to quiver with rage or with lust for the conflict.

(To Be Continued.)

THE WILTSHIRE MURDER

Foreigners Thought to Have Murdered Chicago Manufacturer for Revenge.
Chicago, Feb. 13.—Revenge is believed to be the motive for the murder of Charles Wiltshire, the wealthy glove manufacturer, who was found dead Friday in his factory with 37 stiletto wounds in his body.

About a month ago Wiltshire caused the arrest of two Italians for having sold him stolen property. One was sentenced to serve a term in the house of correction, and the other was imprisoned. It is the belief of the police that the second man, who is now in custody, planned to murder Wiltshire for revenge.

The men under arrest are Lorenzo Bartole, 24 years old, and Frank Ebbole, 27 years old. The police are searching for the latter's brother, Chris Ebbole, who, they claim, was the owner of the stiletto sheath found beside Wiltshire's body. Neither of the men arrested would make a statement.

Chris Ebbole was drawn farther into the case when his wife and daughter, unaware of the murder, identified the stiletto sheath as belonging to him. Both said that Ebbole carried the stiletto in his guard when he left home Friday night.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 13.—Chris Ebbole, the third suspect, was arrested shortly before noon. He denied any knowledge of the murder, and claimed that he was out of the city at the time the crime was committed.

JURY HAS SWOPE CASE

Deaths and Illness in Family of Late Millionaire Being Investigated.
Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 13.—A new chapter in the Swope case was begun Saturday, when the grand jury began an investigation of the complicated case.

Every detail of the death of Col. Thomas H. Swope, and James Moss, a cousin of the dead millionaire, and of Chrisman Swope, the nephew, as well as the illness of nine members of the Swope household, who were stricken with typhoid fever, will be gone into.

When court opened it developed that one of the prospective jurors from the country had not reached the city. Judge Lathrop thereupon said that he would not deliver his instructions until late in the afternoon.

John G. Paxton today submitted to the demand that he give his deposition in the suit brought against him by Dr. Hyde asking \$100,000 for alleged slander. He refused to include in his deposition, however, any part of the report on the analysis of the contents of the organs of the Swope made by Dr. Ludwig Hektoen, of Chicago.

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The New Corset Models Are in Keeping With the Lines of Fashion

With the fashions of spring emphasizing the waist line to a greater extent than for the past two seasons, a woman, to be properly gowned, should be fitted in one of the New Model Corsets.

The new stocks, freshly unpacked, are shown in all the prevailing models to conform with the fashion designed for spring. They are models which will lend grace to the figure and comfort to the wearer.

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MISS ROBSON TO MARRY

Well-Known Actress Announces Her Engagement to August Belmont.
New York, Feb. 13.—Formal announcement of the engagement of Miss Eleanor Robson, to August Belmont was made tonight. Miss Robson, who has been in the city since her season in Brooklyn, passing with the fall of the curtain from professional life, will return to her home in this city, where she will remain until the marriage.

Miss Robson, although of English parentage, was brought to this country as a child and has always lived in New York State. She was educated in a convent school, where she remained until she was eighteen years old. It was then necessary for her to choose a calling, and she chose the stage, a profession in which her mother, Mrs. Maudie Carr Cook, had already achieved success. Her successful career as a star began at the Garden Theatre, New York, as Mary Ann in "Merry Mary Ann," about five years ago.

Mr. Belmont is a widower, 57 years of age, and has three sons. The wedding will take place some time in March at Miss Robson's home.

SCHURMAN ON SMITH

Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 13.—Dr. J. G. Schurman, president of Cornell University, was the guest of honor Saturday night at the first banquet of the Phi Beta Kappa ever held in Buffalo. In his introductory remarks Dr. Schurman, himself a Canadian, told a tribute to Goldwin Smith, who recently met with an accident at Toronto.

Dr. Smith, President Schurman said, "Phi Beta Kappa found its greatest living exemplar, and he expressed the hope that his many-sided powers would be saved to the world for many years, and that he would continue to illumine the themes of history, politics, letters, ethics and religion."

WAH VETERAN DEAD.
Port Hope, Ont., Feb. 12.—The funeral took place this morning of the late Thomas Taylor, one of Port

Hope's veterans of the South Africa war. The obsequies were of a military character. Mr. Taylor passed away in the west in a sanatorium from consumption, leaving two sisters to mourn his loss. Mrs. Garbutt, of Toronto, and Mrs. Garveth, of Manitoba. He was a member of D Battery in the Boer war and also saw service in the Riel rebellion.

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But just so soon as your eye rests on this ad, every department will have had their marching orders. Even Tuesday will be a big day.

For the past three weeks our new spring goods have been pouring in. No reserve. Every article in the store, from a needle to a set of dishes, must be sold.

\$7,000.00 Worth of Shop Fixtures For Sale

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LEONCAVALLO DYING.

Milan, Feb. 14. — Ruggerio Leoncavallo, the composer, is seriously ill from heart disease, and his death is feared. His brother has been summoned to Milan by telegraph.

BAD SUNDAY BLAZE IN HEART OF OTTAWA

Nearly \$100,000 Damage to Several Rideau Street Concerns.

Ottawa, Feb. 14.—A fire broke out on Rideau street at noon yesterday, and proved a hard matter for the fire department. It took an hour and a half to get it under control, and by that time the loss was \$75,000, insurance on which is \$46,700.

The chief damage was in stock and machinery of Hugh Carson, Limited, harness makers and leather workers. Their premises were practically destroyed.

Thomas Shore's hardware store lost about \$6,000, and Lord's furniture store \$1,500, and the loss on the buildings is \$10,000.

It is thought the blaze started from a furnace.

CORPORATIONS PROTEST AGAINST PUBLICITY

Insist That New Tax Law of U. S. Must Be Amended and Taft May Agree.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 13.—Four hundred thousand corporations, big, little and of various degrees of good report, are aroused almost to the point of hysteria over the provision of the corporation tax law which requires them to lay bare the secrets of their business for the benefit of the taxgatherer, and then to deposit those sacredly confidential statements in the archives at Washington where they become public records, open to anyone who cares to see them. It is solemnly averred by representatives of the 400,000 corporations that they have no objection to the payment of the tax of one per cent on net earnings over and above the sum of \$5,000; they can stand that, they say, provided that they be left in peace, but to do this, they insist, is to force them to divulge their business secrets, which is where the new law lies.

During the last two weeks there have been many representations of the corporate interests in Washington. Some of them came here serene in the confidence that if they asked it Congress would forthwith repeal such a law, especially when Congress was shown how inequitable and absurd it was from the viewpoint of the corporations. But they were not here more than a day or two before they learned their error. Congress is not likely to repeal any law so dear to the heart of the chief executive as is the one imposing a tax on corporations.

There is a possibility, however, that the publicity clause may be repealed or essentially modified. The matter has been placed squarely before the President, and he has admitted, it is said, that the results might be more far-reaching than he supposed. It is understood that he has agreed to let the government to place any of the corporations in a position where competitors or blackmailers could have an unfair advantage over them.

Of course, one reason why the publicity feature of the law was placed in it was so that the government might get information which might enable it to classify corporations, and bad corporations. That can be done if the sworn statements required are held secret from the prying eyes of persons who, under ordinary circumstances, would not have the privilege or right to examine them. To leave the statements open to inspection would permit competitors to gain improper knowledge of each other's business; it would enable the big corporations to learn just where and how the little fellows were getting on, and it would enable persons who desired to levy political or other blackmail to ascertain just how much the traffic would bear. The corporate interests will work hard to have what they consider a hardship remedied by law.

STANDS BEFORE MIRROR AND SLASHES THROAT

Middle Aged Man's Deliberate Suicide in a Toronto Boarding House.

Toronto, Feb. 14.—While slashing at his throat with a razor in an attempt to commit suicide, a man known as "Rickey" was found by Miss Jessie Fletcher in his room No. 15, Peter street, a boarding-house run by George Fletcher, late Saturday afternoon. The police were notified, and he was taken to St. Michael's Hospital, where he died about an hour later.

Miss Fletcher, who is a daughter of the proprietor, was making up the beds, when she heard a noise in Rickey's room. As she opened the door it struck the man's feet, and she could hear him moan, "Oh, dear! Oh, dear!" She looked behind the door and saw him stretching out his length on the floor, with his head resting on one hand, while he slashed his throat with the other.

She quickly ran downstairs and summoned Alex. Barrie, another boarder, and her father. When they arrived in his room Rickey was still cutting at his throat. Barrie wrenched the razor away from him and gave him some whiskey. After a few minutes Rickey suddenly tried to wrench himself away from Barrie, who was holding his head, in an attempt to get the razor, which was thrown across the room. When he found this impossible he began to swear and plead with them to let him "finish the job."

In the meantime the police and a couple of physicians were summoned, and he was hurried to St. Michael's Hospital in the police ambulance.

The floor of the room where he was found was a pool of blood, the greatest quantity being near the foot of the bed, before which Rickey must have stood when he commenced slashing his throat.

He was about 55 years of age.

NEW MEDAL FOR HEROES.

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 12.—The Ontario Gazette today contains a communication from Earl Crewe, colonial secretary, under date of Dec. 15, 1909, Jan. 4, forwarding from Right Hon. Herbert J. Gladstone, home secretary, a copy of a warrant issued by the King, extending the scope of the new medal, entitled the Edward medal, to be awarded for heroic deeds performed by miners and quarrymen to include those who in the course of industrial employment perform acts of heroism in saving the lives of others in connection with such employment.

FRENCH EXPLORER SEES THE SOUTH POLE LAND

Charcot Expedition Reaches New Land in the Antarctic.

Valparaiso, Chili, Feb. 13.—The French antarctic expedition under Dr. Jean M. Charcot reached latitude 70 degrees south, longitude 126 degrees west, and discovered 120 miles of new land to the west and south of Alexander Island.

Alexander Island, or as it sometimes is called, Alexander Land, is a small island in the South Atlantic Ocean about latitude 49 degrees south, longitude 75 degrees west, and is considered to be a part of the so-called antarctic continent. It was discovered by Bellingshausen in 1821.

During the first antarctic summer, 1908-9, the expedition was able to complete the French map as far as Adelaide Island off the north entrance to the Strait of Magellan, and the westernmost of the group of Queen Adelaide Islands, and a stretch of new land 120 miles long was surveyed. The expedition ultimately reached Alexander Island. The region was explored and proved to be barren and covered with icebergs, glaciers and masses of rock. It afforded no shelter to the explorers who wintered at Petermann Island.

The season was comparatively mild, but bad enough to cause considerable sickness in the party. Numerous interesting excursions were made among the glaciers.

During the subsequent antarctic summer the expedition explored Deception and Endogenous Islands in South Shetland Archipelago. Following this the explorers continued south, discovering new land to the west and south of Alexander Land. Peter I. Island was also visited. The expedition navigated as far as latitude 70 degrees south, longitude 126 west.

Punta Arenas, Feb. 12.—The French antarctic expedition appears to have been a success from a scientific viewpoint. Dr. Charcot, the commander, is here, having arrived on the steamer Ponape. No land was discovered far south, the coast lines surveyed and earlier maps were complete.

THE WEEKLY REVIEW OF BRADSTREET'S

Montreal reports to Bradstreet's that retail trade continues fairly satisfactory in volume. The weather has been more reasonable and winter lines have moved more freely. Clearing sales of clothing, etc., are reported to have been successful. The outlook for spring business continues bright. There are indications that in some departments goods deliveries will fall short of being either prompt or complete. Manufacturers are overcrowded with orders and must work to the limit throughout the season. Values continue bright. There is talk of further advances in manufactured goods consequent upon the high prices of cotton and higher prices seen to be assured for full deliveries. Shipments of all lines of spring goods are being sent out and the volume of trade will be heavy. A normal trade is reported for groceries and most lines are reported firm in tone. Some movement is noted in hardware. It is reported retailers' stocks are generally light, and a big spring trade is looked for. Metals hold firm. Collections generally are no better than fair.

Toronto reports to Bradstreet's that general trade has picked up very considerably during the past week or so. Seasonable weather has helped to help the demand for winter goods and stocks are being cleared up nicely in most lines. Spring trade is beginning to absorb attention and the trade generally is calling for shipments. Returns are being sent forward and the movement of goods will be large. Western orders continue heavy. Manufacturers' extras and clothing continue very busy. The hardware trade reports a awakening interest in spring lines. Metals hold firm. There is also some business moving in builders' supplies. The grocery trade is steady. There is a fairly good demand for all lines. Country trade holds fairly active. Delivery of products are large and prices hold steady. Collections are generally satisfactory.

Winnipeg reports that trade continues active throughout this part of the country. Seasonable goods are moving well in all directions, and shipments of spring goods are being sent out. The sorting trade has been more active during the past week, and it is expected stocks everywhere will be pretty well cleared before the opening of spring business. The hardware trade is reported quite active, and builders' supplies are already beginning to move freely. The movement of groceries is brisk for this time of the year. Prices hold steady. The grain movement during the past few weeks has been unusually heavy for this time of the year, owing to the weather. Collections have generally been fair to good.

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general trade has a good steady tone. The volume of country business is fairly large, while that of the cities has been on the quiet side. The outlook for spring business, however, continues bright and large shipments of goods are being sent forward. Prospects for the hardware trade are considered particularly bright. Development work at many points of the country and the opening up of many mining and lumbering camps being a great factor in this connection. Other lines of goods are moving fairly well and values are steady to firm. Collections are generally fair.

Hamilton reports say general trade holds a steady tone. Retail lines are being cleared up fairly well, and prospects continue bright for an active spring season. Shipments of spring lines are now being made. Country trade has a good tone. Deliveries of products are fairly large and prices generally steady. Low manufacturers are busy and are reported to have on hand all the orders they can fill. Collections are fair to good.

London reports say general business is moving nicely. Spring goods are being sent out and manufacturers are exceedingly busy with orders on hand. Business in the surrounding district is fairly active. Returns for winter goods are generally large, while prices hold steady to firm. Collections are no better than fair.

Ottawa reports say retail trade there is of fair volume and wholesale trade busy with spring shipments. Local factories are working full time, and there is a demand for operatives in some lines. Collections are generally satisfactory.

THIS MAN FORGOT THAT HE WAS DEAD

Patient in Chicago Hospital Comes Back to Life Unexpectedly.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 13.—Breathing and pulsation ceased entirely in the body of Frederick McNear in the Chicago Baptist Hospital last Thursday morning for about ten minutes, and today he is clamoring for a beefsteak.

McNear was brought to the hospital last Wednesday night, suffering from a heart ailment. His face and neck had been badly swollen while he was at home, and when his tongue, glottis, and larynx began to swell, he was rushed to the hospital.

He was hardly able to breathe, and through the greater part of the night a nurse had to hold his tongue out of his mouth with a pair of forceps. Dr. Francis McNamara was at his bedside almost constantly.

Toward morning he seemed improved, and Dr. McNamara and the nurse, Miss Anderson, had both left the room for a few moments. Dr. McNamara was horrified to find McNear apparently dead.

She screamed for Dr. McNamara and his examination showed that McNear had ceased to breathe, and that his heart was not beating. Miss Anderson again seized his tongue with forceps, while Dr. McNamara began to pump his heart. An attendant brought a loaded hypodermic needle, and the oxygen tank close to the bed.

Dr. McNamara continued his efforts at artificial respiration, and at the end of about ten minutes McNear gasped.

Oxygen was then administered, and for more than an hour the physician and the nurse continued to work over him vigorously. His breathing had then resumed a somewhat normal status, and his pulse fairly regular, though very weak. Toward he is much improved, and considered out of danger.

GODERICH BYLAWS

Two Concerns Granted a Fixed Assessment for Ten Years.

Goderich, Ont., Feb. 14.—On Saturday two bylaws to grant a fixed assessment of \$200,000 for ten years to each of the Western Canada Flour Mills Company and the Goderich Elevator Company were voted on, and carried by 683 for, and 46 against, and the other by 634 for and 81 against.

The success of these bylaws means that the completely new mill will be built here, one as an annex to the Western Canada Flour Mills Company, and the other as an addition to the present large elevator.

BIG MONTREAL DEAL. Montreal, Feb. 12.—A \$650,000 real estate deal is announced here, by which the property at Peel and St. Catharines streets, now occupied by the Scroggie departmental store, passes into the control of a syndicate composed of Montreal, Toronto and New York people. It is believed the scheme is behind the deal. The tenants will not have to move until the spring of 1912. R. Simpson Company, of Toronto, were the holders of the property.

The first national English Thanksgiving was on Sept. 15, 1888, for the defeat of the Spanish Armada.

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To serve at this season—heat biscuit in oven, pour hot milk over it and salt to taste. Delicious! Try it.

Sold by all grocers, 13c. a carton, two for 25c.

WHEAT

NEVER COMMENCED.

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 12.—Mr. Justice Britton made an order this morning for the winding up of the Fidelity Life Insurance Company. Osler Wade was appointed interim liquidator. The order was made on the company's own petition.

The company was incorporated in April, 1907, with head offices at Toronto. The nominal capital stock was \$1,000,000. The stock subscribed for has not been fully paid up, and as a result the company has never been able to commence business.

Everyone Thought She Was Going Into Consumption.

Gained Ten Pounds in Two Weeks by the Use of Burdock Blood Bitters.

Mrs. Fred. Biggs, Kingston, Ont., writes:—"I was completely run down, my blood was out of order, and I used to get so weak I would be compelled to stay in bed for weeks at a time. I could not eat, was pale and thin; every one thought I was going into consumption. I tried everything and different doctors until a friend advised me to use Burdock Blood Bitters. I did not have one bottle used when my appetite began to improve. I used six bottles. I gained ten pounds in two weeks. When I began to take it I only weighed ninety-three pounds. It just seemed to pull me from the grave as I never expected to be strong again. I will tell every sufferer of your wonderful medicine."

The blood reaches every portion of the body to distribute nutrient and remove effete matter and waste products. Clearly then, any influence, good or bad, affecting the blood, must necessarily affect the entire system for good or evil as the case may be.

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TRAVELERS' GUIDE

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.
SARNIA TUNNEL TO SUSPENSION BRIDGE AND TORONTO.
Arrive from the east—7:45 a.m., 10:59 a.m., 11:12 a.m., 11:33 a.m., 6:30 p.m., 8:00 p.m., 10:10 p.m.
Arrive from the west—12:00 a.m., 12:35 a.m., 11:50 a.m., 1:10 p.m., 4:10 p.m., 6:25 p.m.
Depart for the east—12:14 a.m., 12:45 a.m., 1:30 a.m., 3:00 a.m., 11:40 a.m., 2:05 p.m., 4:25 p.m., 6:33 p.m.
Depart for the west—7:35 p.m., 7:40 a.m., 11:18 a.m., 11:45 a.m., 1:40 p.m., 4:13 p.m., 10:25 a.m., 4:40 p.m., 6:50 p.m., 1:40 p.m., 4:35 a.m., 11:35 a.m., 2:05 p.m., 6:10 p.m.

STRATFORD BRANCH.
Arrive—7:35 a.m., 11:15 a.m., 1:30 p.m., 4:45 p.m., 11:25 p.m.
Depart—6:30 a.m., 10:25 a.m., 2:45 p.m., 6:55 p.m.
LONDON, HURON AND BRUCE.
Arrive—10:00 a.m., 6:10 p.m.
Depart—8:30 a.m., 4:50 p.m.
Trains marked * run daily. Those not marked, daily, except Sunday.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
Arrive from the east—11:25 a.m., 10:30 p.m., 11:02 p.m., 7:15 p.m., 12:30 p.m., 5:25 p.m.
Depart for the east—7:45 a.m., 11:45 a.m., 12:45 p.m., 5:42 p.m., 11:33 a.m., 12:10 p.m., 11:00 p.m.
Daily, 7 days, except Sunday.

PERE MARQUETTE RAILWAY.
Depart—10:00 a.m., 7:15 a.m., 9:40 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 12:40 p.m., 7:15 p.m.
Arrive—8:45 a.m., 12:20 p.m., 1:00 p.m., 4:40 p.m., 8:33 p.m.
To St. Thomas only. To Walkerville Trains not started to and from Port Stanley. From Walkerville.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY.
Arrive—6:55 a.m., 11:10 a.m., 5:10 p.m., 9:35 p.m.
Depart—7:20 a.m., 2:20 p.m., 5:35 p.m., 10:25 p.m.

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ALL THE NEWS
THAT IS NEWS

A DAY IN THE SPORTING WORLD

SIDE LIGHTS ON
MANY SPORTSLONDON TO PLAY
AGAIN WEDNESDAY

Intermediates Meet Winner of
Goderich-Drumbo Series
Here on Feb. 16.

RETURN GAME FRIDAY

Barrie Meets Preston in Junior Semi-
Finals Tomorrow—Third Round
Games.

The following games were arranged on
Saturday afternoon in the third round
and semi-final games in the O. H. A.:

Senior.
Wednesday, Feb. 16—Argonauts at
Kingston.
Saturday, Feb. 19—Kingston at Argon-
auts.

Intermediate.
Monday, Feb. 14—Goderich at Drumbo.
Wednesday, Feb. 16—Winner Goderich-
Drumbo at London.
Friday, Feb. 18—London at winner God-
erich-Drumbo.
Monday, Feb. 14—Cobourg at Trenton.
Wednesday, Feb. 16—Trenton at Co-
bourg.
Friday, Feb. 18—Winner Trenton-Co-
bourg at Collingwood.
Monday, Feb. 21—Collingwood at Win-
ter Trenton-Cobourg.

Junior.
Tuesday, Feb. 15—Barrie at Preston.
Friday, Feb. 18—Preston at Barrie.
Tuesday, Feb. 15—Kingston at Mar-
ham.
Friday, Feb. 18—Marham at Kingston.
The winner of the Kingston-Marham
district will play off with the winner of
the Toronto district, which is now a sub-
ject of protest.

WORLD'S 100-YARD
RECORD IS BROKEN

Donaldson Covers Distance in 9 3-5
Seconds—Former Marker, 9 4-5.

[By Associated Press Cable.]
Johannesburg, Feb. 12.—Donaldson,
the South African sprinter, today
broke the world's professional record
for 100 yards, defeating Arthur Postle,
the world's professional champion, of
Australia, and C. Holway, the Ameri-
can, in 9 3-5 seconds.

Donaldson won by two and a half
yards, less than a yard separating
second and third man. The previous
record was held by Bethune and
Johnson, who covered the distance in
9 4-5 seconds.

THERE'S NOTHING
IN A NAME HERE

Ball Players Can Appear Under As-
sumed Names—They Like It.

[By Associated Press Cable.]
Cincinnati, Feb. 12.—Playing under
an assumed name is not a legal avoid-
ance of rules of organized baseball.
This is the substance of a decision
handed down tonight by the National
Baseball Commission in the case of
Player Pokorney, application for
whose reinstatement to the eligible list
was made by officials of the Toledo
club of the American Association. Po-
korney originally was sold by Toledo
to Evansville, but never reported to
that club, and later, under an assumed
name, played with the California State
League.

SID HESTER MAY
HAVE TO DROP MILL

Alameda Council Refused Permit for
Go, and Fight May Be Turned
Over to McCarty.

Sid Hester, the fight promoter, of Cal-
ifornia, is certainly up against it good and
strong. The city council of Alameda,
Cal., on Saturday night refused to grant
him a special permit to hold the 45-round
championship battle between Battling
Nelson and Volgaist on Feb. 22, and now
Hester does not know where he will bring
off the battle. The fighters signed new
articles last night, and the chances are
that the bout will be turned over to Tom
McCarty, of Los Angeles.

SET NEW MARK IN DOUBLES.

[By Associated Press.]
St. Paul, Feb. 12.—Tolling in the
International Bowling tournament was
confined to the two-men teams and in-
dividuals today and the shifts all went
on during the morning and afternoon.
The evening was given over to recrea-
tion. The entries today were from
Milwaukee, LaCrosse, St. Paul and
Minneapolis. W. Jahnke and I. G.
Grimm, of St. Paul, set a new high
mark for the double with a score of
1,101.

ENGLAND AND IRELAND
TIE IN INTERNATIONAL

No Score in Big Rugby Match—Re-
sults of Play in Old Country
Leagues.

[Associated Press Cable.]
London, Feb. 12.—Following are the re-
sults in today's games in the association:
Aston Villa 3, Sunderland 2.
Liverpool 0, Everton 1.
Middlesbrough 0, Bury 5.
Newcastle United 3, Manchester United
4.
Notts City 3, Bradford City 2.
Preston North End 1, Sheffield Wednes-
day 0.
Sheffield United 1, Notts Forest 4.
Tottenham Hotspurs 3, Bristol City 2.
League Second Division.

Bradford 2, Burnley 2.
Bury 2, West Bromwich Albion 3.
Fulham 1, Oldham Athletic 1.
Gainsborough Town 1, Stockport 0.
Grimsby Town 1, Darby County 1.
Leeds City 2, Birmingham 1.
Leicester Fosse 3, Blackpool 2.
Manchester City 2, Hull City 0.
Wolverhampton Wanderers 3, Glossop 1.
Lincoln City 4, Clapton Orient 0.

Southern League.
Brighton 2, Bournemouth 1.
Brighton and Hove 1, Southend 1.
Bristol Rovers 0, Coventry City 1.
Queen's Park Rangers 4, Leyton 2.
Exeter City 3, New Brighton 0.
Luton 2, Southampton 4.
Northampton 2, Millwall 1.
Swindon Town 1, Plymouth Argyle 1.
Portsmouth 5, Watford 0.
West Ham United 1, Reading 1.

Scottish League.
Hibernian 1, Celtic 2.
Dundee 2, Morton 1.
Port Glasgow 0, Falkirk 1.
Motherwell 1, Partick Thistle 2.
Hamilton 1, Kilmarnock 7.
International Rugby.

England 0, Ireland 0.

**PUGILISTIC SCENE
SHIFTS TO LONDON**

Driscoll Defends Featherweight Title
Against Seaman Hayes—Bantams
Fight in Curtain Raiser.

Feb. 11—Danny Dunn vs. Kid Sullivan,
6 rounds, at LaCrosse, Wis.
Feb. 11—Diggs Stanley vs. Geo. Pierce,
20 rounds, at London, England.
Feb. 11—Eric Driscoll vs. Seaman Hayes,
20 rounds, at London, England.
Feb. 11—Bobby Welsh vs. Tommy Moore,
10 rounds, at New York City.
Feb. 11—Owen Moran vs. Tommy Mur-
phy, 10 rounds, at New York City.
Feb. 11—Jackie Mackay vs. Patsy Kline,
10 rounds, at New York City.
Feb. 11—Harry Thomas vs. Knockout
Brown, 10 rounds, at New York City.
Feb. 11—Billy Allen vs. Tommy Rawson,
8 rounds, at Syracuse, N. Y.
Feb. 11—Tommy Kilbane vs. Otto Yank-
er, 10 rounds, at London, England.
Feb. 11—Tom McMahon vs. Will Mac-
fadyen, 9 rounds, at McKeesport, Pa.
Feb. 11—Frank McArdle vs. Jimmy Dunn,
6 rounds, at Pittsburgh, Pa.
Feb. 11—George Menzies vs. Lew Powell,
10 rounds, at LaCrosse, Wis.
Feb. 11—Danny Sullivan vs. Giff Jones,
12 rounds, at Danbury, Conn.
Feb. 11—Hugh McManus vs. Mike Dono-
van, 6 rounds, at Lockport, N. Y.
Feb. 11—Johnny Dwyer vs. Jack Good-
man, 10 rounds, at New York City.
Feb. 11—Dee Deahler vs. Charles Sel-
ger, 10 rounds, at Baltimore, Md.
Feb. 11—Jerry Murphy vs. Eddie Lang,
8 rounds, at Memphis, Tenn.
Feb. 11—Young Ernie vs. Mike Glover, 6
rounds, at Philadelphia, Pa.
Feb. 11—Johnny Coulton vs. Jen Ken-
drick, 10 rounds, at New Orleans, La.

OTTAWA A WINNER

Defeated Renfrew 8 to 5 in Overtime
Contest Saturday.

[G. N. W. Service.]
Ottawa, Feb. 12.—There was a packed
arena to see the Ottawa hockey club play
Renfrew's team on Saturday night. At
one time the score was 4 to 4, and within
two minutes of time it was 5 all, and no
goal scored. In the overtime Ottawa ad-
ded three goals and won by 8 to 5. At
half-time Ottawa led by 2 to 0. Over
Stuart, Ottawa's captain, in the over-
time, fell and broke his collar-bone. It
is doubtful if he will play again this
season, as he suffers a considerable shock
also. The lineup was as follows:

Ottawa—Lesieur, goal; Luke, point;
Stuart, right; Taylor, center; White-
head, left; Roberts, left.
Renfrew—Lindsay, goal; F. Patrick,
point; Taylor, center; Patrick, rover;
Whitford, center; Millar, right; Fraser,
left.
Referee—Russell Bowie. Judge of play
—Duncan Campbell.

LADY GOLFERS ELECT.

St. Thomas, Feb. 12.—The ladies of the
Elsin Golf and Country Club elected their
officers on Saturday afternoon. The
management of the organization shows
very gratifying results. The membership
has nearly reached the hundred mark,
with many applications for enrollment.
The governing body selected for the season
is: President, Mrs. L. E. Tate; vice-
president, Mrs. E. S. Anderson; captain,
Miss Gertrude Gilbert; secretary and
treasurer, Mrs. John M. McIntyre; handi-
cap committee, Misses Ethel Jones, Ethel
Tate, Kathleen Gilbert, Maud Downie;
house committee, Mesdames W. H. King,
St. James, and Mrs. W. J. King; and
R. Jackson. Mrs. M. A. Gilbert was elected
honorary president.

RECORD ENTRY
LIST FOR A. B. C.

Secretary Langtry Has 410 Five-
Men Teams and Over a
Thousand Doubles
In Now.

TWO THOUSAND SINGLES

Detroit Leads With 65 Teams, and Chi-
cago Is a Close Second.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Detroit, Feb. 14.—All previous records
for entries in the American Bowling Con-
gress are broken for the tenth annual
tournament, which is scheduled to open
here on Feb. 28. There are now in Sec-
retary Langtry's hands 410 five-men, 1,002
two-men and 1,955 singles. Detroit wound
up with 65 five-men teams, Chicago was
a close second, entering 57 of them.
Other cities that contributed heavily
were Cleveland 23, Cincinnati 20, St. Louis
18, Toledo 18, Columbus 12, Milwaukee 10,
Pittsburg 12, Buffalo 10, Dayton 8, Wheel-
ing and Indianapolis 7 each, Saginaw 6,
Philadelphia 5, and New York 2.

FAST ALVINSTON TEAM
DEFEATED ST. THOMAS

By 5 to 3 Score—Winners Are Looking
for Dates.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Alvinston, Feb. 12.—A fast and ex-
citing game of hockey played at the local
last night. The St. Thomas Collegiate
team went down before the Alvinston
Icebergs. The Alvinston boys
played the game of the day, and by the
final combination of the forwards suc-
ceeded in scoring 5 goals to the Collegiate's
3. St. Thomas' forward line consisted of
the game in a very important manner.
The lineup—Hamilton, goal; C. Reid,
point; J. Young, center; B. Shaw, right;
St. Thomas—L. Lodge, goal; P. Page,
point; Elliott, center; J. Houston,
rover; Cameron, center; Cochrane, right;
wing; C. Smith, left wing.
The Alvinston boys would like to see
another game with good nearby town.
Average age 15. Address: Russell Shaw.

JAMES J. JEFFRIES
IN FAREWELL FEED

Big Boxer With Gutch Is Tendered a
Banquet at Duluth.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Duluth, Feb. 12.—This was an eventful
day for the Jeffries-Gutch combination.
H. H. Frazer, owner of the hotel, and
San Berger gave a banquet to night to
Jeffries and Gutch to commemorate the
winning of the world's championship.
The company presented Mr. Frazer with
the watch. Jeffries will leave on Monday
for San Francisco, and Gutch will be in
training for his fight with Johnson.
TOUR CLOSED.
St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 14.—James J. Jef-
fries closed his central tour last night
with Virginia Minn. He was to attend
the ski tournament today at Duluth and
to leave that night for San Francisco,
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fight with Jack Johnson.

GALT DEFEATED

Brantford Took Fast Pro. Game by 9
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[G. N. W. Service.]
Simcoe, Feb. 12.—Brantford Pro-
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a row at Galt a couple of weeks ago,
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winning by a score of 9 to 3.
The first half was good, fast, clean
hockey, with the score being 3 to 3 at
half-time. In the second half the Galt team
tired badly and then began to rough
hockey, and a couple of lively fights
as a change of programme.
Referee Munro, of Simcoe, had his
hands full in this half, but was strict
and impartial, imposing 21 penalties.
The lineup—Tyner, goal; Sandford,
point; McGregor, rover; Moyer, Randall,
Rowden and Duxie, forwards.
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Murphy, rover; Dougherty, G. Cochrane,
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BARRY-KAUFMAN BOUT OFF.

Jim Barry, the heavyweight of Chicago,
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Barry-Kaufman for six rounds in Pitts-
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city for the purpose of clinching the con-
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Dady, wired the club officials that they
had decided to call off the negotiations.

MANY CANADIANS ARE
ENTERED IN 15-MILE RACE

Holmer, Sellen, Acoese and Fred Mea-
dows Will Be Among the Starters
at New York.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
New York, Feb. 13.—Professional
footracing will be revived at Madison
Square Garden tomorrow night, when
seven of the crack long distance men
of the world will toe the mark in a
15-mile struggle. The starters will be
Hans Holmer, Quebec; Fred Meadows,
Guelph, Ont.; Paul Acoese, Grenfell,
Sask.; Jim Crowley, Ireland; Gustav
Ljungstrom, Sweden; Percy Sellen,
Toronto, and Charles Muller, of the
Bronx, New York.

KLING WINS AND 154-
GAME CARD WILL STAY

So Says Garry Hermann, and He
Ought To Know—Johnny May Sue
For \$40,000.

Cincinnati, Feb. 14.—That Cate-
ling, of the Chicago Nationals, will be
reinstated and that the short schedule of
games will be adopted at the annual
spring meeting of the league in New
York, was the prediction of President
Garry Hermann, of the Cincinnati club,
before he left for the east last night.
Hermann said he did not believe the
former Cuh catcher should not be de-
clared eligible, and for the schedule,
he did not believe there would be more
than one or two in favor of the long
series. On a Hermann statement
came the report that Kling has sent to
the national commission a statement to
the effect that if they do not allow him
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TAKE UP BILLY
MURRAY'S CASE

National League Moguls Will
Consider Claims of Former
Philadelphian.

LOOKS LIKE A BATTLE

Four Clubs Said To Be in Favor of 168
Games—Three Against—Neutral.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
New York, Feb. 12.—The big baseball
league will adopt playing schedules this
week and will make other arrangements
for the championship series to begin on
April 14. The National League
men will meet at the Waldorf in this
city, where the American League club
owners will convene at Congress Hall in
Chicago. The roll call in each instance
is fixed for 2 o'clock Tuesday.

Murray's Case Up.

The National League board of directors
will meet here 11 o'clock tomorrow
morning to take up the much-talked-of
case of William J. Murray against the
Philadelphia club. Murray was recently
discharged from the management of the
Philadelphia team, in spite of the exist-
ing contract, calling for two years' salary,
amounting to \$15,000, and a claim for back
pay of \$12,000.

The Philadelphia club, since Murray
signed his contract, has changed hands,
and the club sets forth the argument that
it cannot be held responsible.

Will Be an Appeal.

No matter how the directors decide the
case, it is conceded there will be an ap-
peal to the national baseball commission.
If Murray loses in the end, he will carry
the matter into the courts. The directors
will also take up the matter of the Phila-
delphia club's failure to pay a \$5,000 fine
for the forfeiture of a game at the Polo
grounds last fall.

At the National League meeting a fight
is promised. Schedules calling for 168
and 154 games respectively will be introduced.
Conservative baseball men and the Ameri-
can League as a body are opposed to the
168-game plan, on the ground that it may
interfere with the playing of the world's
series in the fall.

Four For Long One.

But the strongest advocates of the plan
insist that the long schedule can be ar-
ranged without inconvenience to anyone.
Brooklyn, Chicago, St. Louis and Phila-
delphia will line up for 168 games beyond
a doubt. Pittsburgh, Cincinnati and Boston
will make a hard fight for 154 games,
while the New York club will remain
neutral until it can be shown conclusively
that the interests of the league will not
be harmed by the change.

There seems to be a dispute as to the
number of votes required to adopt the
schedule. One faction argues that the
majority will rule, while the other de-
cidedly a three-fourths vote is necessary.

The American League will adopt the
same schedule promptly, and will also
adopt a new agreement binding the clubs
together for another ten-year term, if not
longer.

CLIFFSIDES WON

From M. A. A. A. Team in the Inter-
provincial Series.

[G. N. W. Service.]
Montreal, Feb. 12.—The Ottawa Cliff-
sides and the M. A. A. A. hockey teams
met in the interprovincial series on
Saturday night, and the match re-
sulted in a victory for the Cliff-sides by
a score of 4 to 3 in favor of the Cliff-sides.
The teams were:
Cliff-sides—Kinley, goal; Bell, point;
Williams, rover; Christie, center; Dion,
rover; Stuart, right; Scott, left.
M. A. A. A.—Gandy, goal; L. Kelly,
point; Kendall, rover; Ryan, center;
Evelagh, rover; Fraser, right; Glass, left.

WINNIPEG BONSPIEL

McAulay, of Southampton, Continues
His Winning Streak—Other
Games.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Winnipeg, Feb. 14.—McAulay, of
Southampton, is still in fine luck, and
on Saturday won three games, defeat-
ing Ramsey, of Plumas, 16 to 11 in the
Tetley curling contest, and Jameson, of
the Thistle Curling Club, of Winnipeg,
in the McLaren cup contest, by 9 to 3.
He won again from Clark, of Winnipeg,
in the annual contest, between local and
outside rinks, by 11 to 5.

Gulidge, of Galt, was easily defeated
in the city against country competition,
by Cassidy, the crack local skip,
14 to 6. Cullingford, also of this city,
won from Cameron, of St. Thomas, 11
to 9.

The city of Winnipeg led by 16
points in the competition with the
visitors. Goldie lost to Palmer in the
Dwight event.

RACE FOR CITY CHAMPIONSHIP.

Arrangements are being made for a
mile skating race for the championship
of the city at the Jubilee Rink in the
near future. Six entries have been re-
ceived thus far. They are F. A. Stew-
art, Ed Smith, Eli Muscili, Will Dunn,
Bob Hughes and Henry Legg.

NATIONAL BOWLERS
WIN FROM HAMILTON

Defeat Five-Men Teams Includ-
ing Canada's Leading Alley
Trundlers.

CULHAN AND WEST WON

Doubles From Martenson and Green—
The Scores.

The National bowlers easily defeated
the Hamilton trundlers on the local al-
leys Saturday evening before a good
crowd. The visitors had a fine bunch
with them, Harry Green and Bill Moon,
the winners of the championship of Can-
ada two years ago, being on Hamilton
No. 1.

Following the matches, the Ambitious
city men were banqueted by the win-
ners.

The scores were as follows:

Hamilton No. 1.
Martenson 232 136 185 563
Smith 132 128 180 597
Moon 168 225 157 550
Cooper 205 138 174 517
Green 198 180 181 559
Total 960 849 887-2,696

Nationals No. 2.
Graham 171 193 186 550
Culhan 151 203 197 551
Arthurs 158 166 202 526
Murray 167 202 174 543
West 200 194 183 577
Total 817 958 942-2,717

Hamilton No. 2.
Irwin 171 151 150 472
Bolton 154 158 191 503
West 149 158 180 487
Jameson 145 153 150 448
Barclay 155 146 142 443
Total 765 764 799-2,318

Nationals No. 3.
Tambling 202 143 156 501
Sheers 177 180 172 529
M. Foley 169 164 162 500
Young 161 169 168 500
Ayers 192 129 129 450
Total 914 818 854-2,620

Doubles were won by Culhan and West,
West and Culhan, and Green and Martenson.
Martenson and Green 179
Green 178
Total 357

The schedule of the National League
for this week is as follows:
Monday—Pittsburg vs. Yankees, Cubs.
Tuesday—Pittsburg vs. Cubs, Yankees.
Wednesday—Tigers vs. Thistles.
Thursday—West's Thistles vs. Young's
Pirates.
Friday—Midgets vs. Highlanders.

NEW WHIST SERIES.

Beginning with tonight's game the
Tennish Club will inaugurate a series
of twelve Monday night games, to
which all whist players are invited.
Valuable prizes will be given the two
players securing the highest total ag-
gregate plus score during the series,
providing they have played in at least
eight of the twelve games. The novelty
feature of this series is the rule which
prohibits any two whistlers playing as
partners more than once during the
contest. All games will positively start
at 8:15 sharp.

TILLSONBURG HOCKEY.

[G. N. W. Service.]
Tillsonburg, Feb. 12.—The first of the
semi-finals of the hockey tournament
was played last night between Spring-
field and Bankers, the score being 7 to 4
in favor of Springfield. In the second
game Port Huron lost to Reds by the
score of 3 to 2. The Reds and Bankers
play next Thursday night, the winners
playing Springfield on Friday.

LATONIA IN SYNDICATE HANDS

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Cincinnati, Feb. 12.—The control of the
Latonia Jockey Club passed from the
hands of local stockholders to the mem-
bers of the Cella-Condor syndicate, of St.
Louis and Chicago, tonight. This change
of ownership was accomplished by the
sale of all the stock owned by Congress-
man Joseph H. Boone, of Kentucky, Geo.
B. Cox, of this city, and Rome Respass.
They were the only local stockholders in
the club controlling about 1,000 shares.

HERE'S THE DOPE FOR
O. H. A. CHAMPIONSHIP

But Two Teams Will Be Left After
Feb. 21—Tonight's Exhibition
Game Called Off.

As the London intermediates have
been notified that they will meet the
winner of the Goderich-Drumbo series
Wednesday and Friday of this week,
the exhibition match scheduled for to-
night between the locals and the
Stratford senior O. H. A. team has
been called off.

There are now two teams left in the
east, Cobourg and Trenton, and Col-
lingwood of the north will meet the
winner of that series Friday and Mon-
day nights.

That is the winner of the London
vs. the winner of the Goderich-Drumbo
series meets the winner of the series
between Collingwood and the winner
of the Cobourg and Trenton round, in
the finals. But two teams will be left
after Feb. 21. It's the simplest thing
in the world to figure out.

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Surpassing in its variety of selection, its pretty styles, its fine materials, its beautiful needlework and wonderful values any of its predecessors. Every piece of Underwear is immaculately snow-white, brand new stock and sure to compel attention by the fineness of materials, the beautiful trimmings, the careful, clever workmanship and finish, quite as much as by the reasonable prices asked.

Women's Corset Covers

Women's Corset Covers, full front, made of good cotton, low, round yoke, trimmed with lace insertion; sizes 34 to 42 bust. Sale special 25¢

Women's Corset Covers, full front, made of nice fine Nainsook, trimmed with lace and insertion; sizes 34 to 42 bust. Sale special 35¢

Women's Gowns

Women's Nightgowns, made of good quality cotton, with neck and sleeves finished with embroidery; sizes 58 and 60. Sale special 75¢

Women's Skirts

Women's Skirts, made of good cotton, of generous width and finish, with wide flounce, finished with deep hem, and one row of lace insertion; lengths 38, 40, 42 inches. Sale special 75¢

Women's Skirts, two handsome well-made lines; one has handsome deep umbrella flounce of tucks and insertion and embroidery, the other trimmed with lace. Good value at \$1.35; lengths 38, 40, 42 inches. Sale special 95¢

Women's Skirts, extra fine quality of cambric, trimmed with 16-inch flounce of fine open pattern embroidery, regular \$1.50 values; sizes 38, 40, 42 inches. Sale special \$1.19

Women's Drawers

Women's Drawers, made of good soft-finished cotton, wide umbrella style, with extra deep full frill, of fine lawn, trimmed with two clusters of narrow tucks; sizes 25 and 27 inches. Sale special, 25¢

Women's Drawers, fine soft-finished cotton, with cluster of tucks and wide umbrella flounce of fine embroidery; sizes 25 and 27 inches. Sale price 35¢

Women's Drawers, made of good cotton, with handsome umbrella flounce of fine lawn, trimmed with lace insertion and lace; sizes 25 and 27 inches. Sale special, 49¢

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SUICIDE OF MINISTER'S SON.
Philadelphia, Feb. 14. — The body of the young man found dead yesterday in a cave in Fairmount Park, with his face pillowed on a pile of cotton, was identified today as that of Wilbur Allison, son of the Rev. T. J. Allison, of Charlotte, N. C.
An empty bottle which had contained chloroform was found near the body

and the police say Allison committed suicide. He had been missing from his boarding-house for a week.

THE QUEBEC ELECTIONS.

Quebec, Feb. 14. — This is nomination day for the municipal elections in Quebec, but the nomination will not be closed before 4 o'clock. At noon today Senator Choquette and Ald. Nap. Drouin were put in nomination for the mayoralty.

VICIOUS ATTACK ON
A POLICE OFFICER

Windsor Constable Hit Over Head
With an Iron Bar.

Windsor, Feb. 13. — A wig which he wore undoubtedly saved the life of Police Officer William Lister last night, when he was struck a terrific blow on the head with an iron bar in the hands of F. J. Stroyens, a prisoner who had been locked up on suspicion at headquarters.

Lister suspected that Stroyens intended to commit suicide by hanging, and determined to transfer him to another cell, where he could be more closely watched. Unlocking Stroyens' cell door, the officer called to him to come out. Instead of doing so, however, the prisoner, who had managed to wrench from his cot a bar weighing ten pounds from his cot, made a rush for the officer and brought the bar down with a crushing blow on his head. Half-blinded with the blow, which streamed down his face, but still conscious, Lister staggered back, managed to reach the outer door, where he closed and locked behind him, leaving Stroyens at large in the corridor.

Attracted by the moans of the wounded officer, two other policemen rushed in, finding in the slaking of a glowing sent a hurried call for Dr. R. Carney, police surgeon, and then started in to secure Stroyens.

As the door of the corridor opened the officers advanced with drawn revolvers, but when they entered the cell, they would-be murderer having smashed all the lights, Officer Livingstone fired a shot in the direction where he thought the prisoner might be, but a moment later the revolver was struck from his hand by the prisoner, who had hidden behind the door on the arm, Stroyens, hidden behind the door, had jumped out and dealt another vicious blow at the officers before being finally overpowered. He fought like a fiend.

After examining Lister's wounds, Dr. Carney declared that he did not worry about the blow. A few stitches in the forehead and he would be on his feet in a few days. Lister's injuries are less serious.

Stroyens, who is a foreigner and speaks little English, says he lives in Detroit, and is by occupation a glazier. He was refused entrance into the United States yesterday, and he crossed the river into Windsor earlier in the day. Stroyens was declared insane and turned over to his brother this afternoon, who took him to Detroit, where he will probably be committed to an asylum.

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MOST LIKELY LOST
WITH 32 OF A CREW

Searching Parties Fail to Find
Missing U. S. Naval
Tug Nina.

Boston, Feb. 14. — No news of the missing United States naval tug Nina, which left Norfolk the Charleston navy yards last Sunday, has come to relieve the anxiety as to her fate. The belief is growing stronger hourly among seafaring men here that the little vessel has gone to the bottom, carrying to their death her crew of 32 men.

Wireless operators at the Charleston navy yard and at the Newport naval station are keeping in touch with the battleships, gunboats, and revenue cutters, seeking over the waters of the North Atlantic, for the Nina, but the search so far has yielded no sign of the whereabouts of the missing vessel.

HALIFAX TO HAVE A
NEW NAVAL COLLEGE

Will Be Erected at a Cost of One
Hundred and Fifty Thousand
Dollars.

Ottawa, Feb. 14. — The new naval college, which is to be built in connection with the Government's naval scheme at a cost of \$150,000, will, it is understood, be erected at Halifax, as will also be barracks for the staff, etc., at a cost of \$200,000, and possibly an admiralty dockyard at an estimated cost of \$100,000. Halifax will also be the headquarters where will be stationed the Atlantic squadron of two new Bristol, the six destroyers and the Niobe, which is to be purchased at a cost of \$1,075,000. These vessels will require a complement of 1,549 men and 87 officers. The annual estimated cost of maintenance at the Halifax station is as follows: For the staff, 100 men of the two Bristols (with cost of upkeep), \$708,000; for the seven destroyers and 261 men of the Niobe, \$376,000; for the 30 officers and 540 men of the six destroyers, \$763,000; for the upkeep of the dockyard, \$200,000; for barracks, staff, etc., \$75,000; for pay allowance, victualling, etc., of recruits, \$1,075,000; for the upkeep of the naval college, \$80,000; total annual expenditure at Halifax of approximately \$2,402,000.

At Esquimaux, which will be the Pacific headquarters for the Bristols and the Rainbow, the total annual expenditure will be approximately \$1,088,000. The two Bristols will have a complement of 40 officers and 1,000 men, and the annual cost of pay, victualling, upkeep, etc., is estimated at \$708,000. The Rainbow, with a crew of sixteen officers and 165 men, will cost about \$230,000 per year. For dockyard maintenance at Esquimaux the estimate is \$100,000 per year.

The annual cost of the headquarters staff is estimated at \$80,000 per year, and for contingencies there is an estimate of \$100,000, thus bringing the total annual expenditure up to \$2,402,000.

The total naval force for the twelve vessels of the new fleet, including the Rainbow, will be 163 officers and 2,454 men.

RETIRING FROM BUSINESS

J. M. Thompson, Proprietor of Woods' Fair, Makes Announcement.

Mr. J. M. Thompson, proprietor of Woods' Fair, has decided to retire from the retail business in London, and the store has been leased. It is the intention of Mr. Thompson to devote his time to his business on account of ill-health. It is three years since Mr. Thompson purchased the business from the late J. C. W. The business will continue on in the present store until the 1st of March, when the new lessee takes control of the premises, and the store will be remodelled entirely with a side entrance.

Mr. Thompson will continue to sell the present stock until Sept. 1st, in the store until the above date. It is the intention of Mr. Thompson to remain a resident of London.

Many excellent bargains will be offered during the closing sale, and today's paper a half-page advertisement announces the retiring sale.

CORRESPONDENCE

Breakwater Needs Attention.
Passing along the breakwater the other day, I noticed several weak spots between Blackfriars street and Oxford street bridges, which, in my opinion, would likely break through when the river breaks up this spring.

I believe our city fathers are having a discussion "Re Dredging the River." I would suggest, if they do, why not build a good substantial concrete wall with the gravel between Blackfriars street and Oxford street bridges? I notice they have to constantly patch up that section every year, owing to the ice smashing the lumber in the spring. I am well aware it would cost a big sum of money, but it would stand for a great number of years, and, who knows, save the city from a serious disaster.

A RESIDENT.
St. Patrick street, West London.

DOGS QUARANTINED

Eighteen of Them in Stratford Bitten by Supposedly Mad Dog.

Stratford, Feb. 14. — Dr. Tennent, of London, government veterinary inspector, quarantined eighteen dogs here on Saturday. Seventeen of the dogs were bitten by a spotted dog owned by Joe Bourque, and the other dog by A. Johnston's dog. Both these dogs were shot and their heads sent to Toronto. It was reported that there was every indication of rabies in both heads.

The death of Mrs. E. J. aged 57 years, on the 3rd concession of North East Hope Township, occurred yesterday morning. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon.

SHEEHAN'S HOME BURNED.
New York, Feb. 14. — Fire today destroyed the country home of John C. Sheehan, former leader of Tammany Hall, near Rye, N.Y. Mr. Sheehan and his family, who were in the building at the time, narrowly escaped and saved none of their effects. The loss is likely to reach \$150,000, partially covered by insurance. Part of this loss is of a valuable collection of paintings and statuary Mr. Sheehan had accumulated.

FIRE IN A FARMER'S SHACK
TAKES THE LIVES OF THREE

Little Children of a Farmer Living North of Parry Sound Meet
Death in a Fire Which Destroys Their Home.

Parry Sound, Feb. 14. — Word has just been brought to town by Mr. Alex. Bayette, that the house of Mr. Freeman Carpenter, who lives at Shawanaga, about eighteen miles north of here on the C. P. R., was totally destroyed by fire Friday night about 12 o'clock. The father and mother, five children, and a young lady who was visiting the family, were killed. The fire broke out in the kitchen, and the children were killed by the flames. The father and mother were killed by the flames. The father and mother were killed by the flames.

BROTHERS IMPLICATED
IN MURDER OF GIRL

Atlantic City Police Seeking
Slayer of an Eighteen-
Year-Old Girl.

Atlantic City, N. J., Feb. 14. — Country-wide search has been instituted for Wm. Zylar and his brother Arvis, who are wanted by the police to clear the mystery surrounding the death of Jane Adams, the 18-year-old girl of this city whose body was found on the beach on Sunday morning. William Zylar was the last person seen with Miss Adams on the night of Feb. 4, when she disappeared. He is 25 years old, and has a wife and two young children in this city, who are in almost destitute circumstances. His brother is 18 years old.

Miss Adams, with her sister Alice, 14 years old, on the night of Feb. 4, in company with Arvis Zylar, went to Young's new pier at the foot of Arkansas avenue. On the way they met William Zylar by appointment, it is said. After spending the evening on the pier the younger couple returned home, leaving Jane Adams and William Zylar on the ocean end of the pier.

The girl failing to return home that night, her mother started to search for her, and found William Zylar at his home. He gave no satisfactory explanation of her whereabouts, and the next day he disappeared. Several days later his brother Arvis also was reported missing. The mother of Jane Adams believed the girl had eloped, and notified the police, who have been looking for the couple when the body of the girl was found.

After an examination of the body the theory of elopement was changed to murder, because on the forehead, over the left eye, there was a deep gash, which the coroner's physician said caused the girl's death.

ANNUITIES FOR WOMEN

New Feature of Government System
To Be Placed Before People.

Ottawa, Feb. 13. — Mrs. Willoughby Cummings, who last week resigned the position of secretary of the International Council of Women, has been appointed field secretary of the women's department of trade and commerce. Mrs. Cummings will devote her time to drawing the attention of the women of Canada, through lectures, the preparation of literature, etc., to the advantages of a government system of annuities as a field for safe and profitable investment. She will address various women's associations throughout the country, and by reason of her long experience in newspaper work, her abilities as a public speaker, and as secretary for several years of the National Council of Women, she is well fitted for the position.

The total receipts to date for the purchase of annuities amount to over \$450,000. Of this amount, about half has been contributed by women. The total receipts to date for the purchase of annuities amount to over \$450,000. Of this amount, about half has been contributed by women. The total receipts to date for the purchase of annuities amount to over \$450,000. Of this amount, about half has been contributed by women.

TEDDY WORRIES BILL

German Ruler's Plans Held Up Pending
Word of Visit.

Berlin, Feb. 14. — The foreign office has endeavored for some weeks to learn just when former President Theodore Roosevelt expects to be in Germany, but is still in the dark as to the distinguished American's plans. It has been widely published that Mr. Roosevelt will be in Berlin on April 28, but if this is so, it is not known officially, and the situation is embarrassing in a way, as Emperor William's spring plans cannot be definitely arranged in the meantime, because his majesty proposes to be in the capital when his guest arrives.

Official messages have now been addressed to Mr. Roosevelt, with instructions that they be forwarded with the greatest dispatch, and, if necessary, by private runners, if he can thus be reached sooner. Between telegraphic points, a reply from him, making known his intentions is expected any day now.

It is understood that the Emperor has invited Mr. Roosevelt to be his personal guest, and whether he will be accorded the honors usually bestowed upon the head of a government is a question which is frequently suggested by the paragraphs of the press. That the former president will be thus honored is denied with much positiveness by one of the news agencies today. This agency declares that, however much the Emperor may desire to honor his guest, he cannot receive him personally at the railway station or send a royal train as his representative to meet him, because this would be a too obvious departure from state etiquette.

One editorial commentator suggests that the Emperor must have considered the possibility of Mr. Roosevelt's refusal to accept a demonstration of regard for the president's predecessor.

Hon. Geo. E. Foster vs. The Globe and Its Editor.

One of the most interesting libel suits in the history of Canada. Full and unbiased reports (beginning Feb. 16) in The Globe daily while the trial lasts. Order through any newsdealer, or direct from The Globe, Toronto.

DEATH OF POPULAR PRIEST.
Philadelphia, Feb. 14. — Rev. Stephen A. Kelley, a widely known Jesuit priest and formerly president of Loyola College, Baltimore, died here yesterday, at the age of 67 years.

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Asquith's Programme.

The Prime Minister, supported by the entire cabinet, will arrange the order of proceeding, and after proving that he is master of his own house, will direct the coalition majority as though it were his property rather than the chancellors, or Mr. Hardie, or Mr. Redmond's, or Mr. O'Brien's. That is the programme, made by the moderate men on both sides, who expect the Government to carry the budget and extricate the treasury from serious embarrassment.

The risks of a sudden downfall are great when there is a serious quarrel between Messrs. O'Brien and Redmond, and each is bent on convincing the Irish people that he is against the Government. Still, the Prime Minister has a potent resource in the fact that the factions are without money and are not prepared for another election, while the Labor and Nationalist leaders can defeat him at their own discretion, he also holds the whip hand over them.

If he escapes he will use his influence from the Government to secure their defeat in the next election, when their treasuries are empty rather than to the parliament and indignity of the Unionists.

Time to Oppose Budget.

There are certain who assume that the Unionists will vote for the budget and avert a financial catastrophe when the factions are negotiating redoubtable conditions of national unity. It is more probable, however, that they will follow the mandate of their constituents and vote against the budget, leaving to the working faction the responsibility for breaking up the coalition majority, however, that the Prime Minister will take the initiative, and without infringing with the Labor section or other Irish faction will then to overturn the Government whenever they wish to do so.

English politics is neither patriotism nor statesmanship, but partisan warfare. Meanwhile, how can the King Government be carried on if the budget be held up by the Irish members and the assurances of the immediate passages of a resolution against the Lords and the introduction of the veto bill after Easter are rejected by Mr. Redmond as inadequate guarantees?

An Appeal to Balfour?

The Conservatives, too, have been exultation, assert that Mr. Asquith's only resource will be a personal appeal to Mr. Balfour for support in order to complete the financial arrangements before the end of March. Plotted as they are against the budget, the Unionists could only see it through if it were made over and the land and excise sections were dropped.

Prime Minister's resignation could be secured, it seems more likely that he will extricate himself by private negotiations with Mr. Redmond and carry the budget through, yet the hope created by the Irish faction is serious that it would not be possible if Winston Churchill has asked the abolition of Viceroy of India. This is one of the wildest of the recent rumors.

Grave floods have occurred in the north of New South Wales, and much of country surrounding Tamworth has been laid waste. Tamworth is now covered with mud.

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LIVE HOG PRICES WERE LITTLE HIGHER

\$8.15 Per Cwt. Paid on Local Market—Offerings Were Small Today.

There was only a small market again this morning, though there was a very fair demand and what was offered sold well. The farmers who arrived reported the roads still very heavy. In most places the light snow that fell Saturday has blown over the track, and quite obscured it, making it rather precarious travelling with the number of pitch-holes existing at present.

Despite this fact, however, there was a very fair amount of hay offered, which sold rapidly, most of it at the \$14 and \$15 price that has prevailed lately, but some few loads went a trifle higher, selling at \$15.25.

Oats were somewhat scarce, and any made their appearance, but the price remained unchanged, \$1.20 being paid for first-class quality, and from that figure down to \$1.15 was the price paid this morning.

Straw and other grains were very scarce, and there was no change in price. Other prices remain as follows:

Wheat, per bu.	\$1.08	\$1.08
Oats, per bu.	1.20	1.20
Corn, per bu.	1.20	1.20
Barley, per bu.	1.10	1.10
Beans, per bu.	1.15	1.15
Rye, per bu.	1.05	1.05

Hay and Straw.

Hay, per ton	14.00	15.00
Straw, per ton	1.00	1.25

Dairy Produce.

Butter, creamery, lb.	25	25
Butter, rolls, lb.	25	25
Eggs, fresh-laid, dozen	35	35
Honey, strained, lb.	10	10
Honey, in comb, lb.	15	15

Poultry, Dressed.

Turkey, per lb.	15	20
Duck, spring, per lb.	15	15
Old duck, per lb.	12	12
Old chicken, per lb.	12	12
Geese, per lb.	14	14
Goose, per lb.	12	12

Poultry, Alive.

Old duck, per lb.	8	8
Turkey, per lb.	15	15
Duck, per lb.	10	10
Young duck, per lb.	10	10

Butcher's Meats.

Beef, by the carcass	6.00	9.00
Mutton, per cwt	7.00	11.00
Spring lamb, per lb.	12	14
Dressed hogs, per cwt.	11.25	11.50

Live Stock.

Small pigs, per pair	5.00	10.00
Small pigs, per pair	5.00	10.00
Stags, per cwt	5.00	5.50
Export cattle, per lb.	10	10
Milk cows, each	30.00	40.00

Hides and Wool.

Lambskins, each	75	110
Wool, unwashed, per lb.	10	10
Hides, No. 1, lb.	8	8
Hides, No. 2, lb.	7	7
Hides, No. 3, lb.	7	7

Vegetables.

Potatoes, per bag	25	35
Turnips, per bag	25	35
Celery, per dozen	40	40
Lettuce, per dozen	40	40
Brussels sprouts, per dozen	40	40
Cabbage, dozen (4 lbs.)	40	40
Red cabbage, dozen (4 lbs.)	40	40
Onions, per bushel	110	125
Beets, per bushel	40	40
Spinach, per bushel	120	150
Carrots, bu. by the load	20	20
Carrots, bu. by the load	30	40

Fruits.

Apples, per bushel	1.50	2.00
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PRODUCE.

TORONTO, Feb. 14.—The grain markets are very firm at the opening today, despite the fact that the improvement in the condition of country roads has caused deliveries to increase. Country millers are in the market for Ontario wheat quotations: Ontario wheat—No. 2 mixed winter, \$1.06 to \$1.07; No. 2 white, \$1.07 to \$1.08; Manitoba wheat—No. 2 mixed winter, \$1.06 to \$1.07; No. 2 white, \$1.07 to \$1.08; on track at lake ports, for delivery in February, No. 1 northern, \$1.10 to \$1.11; No. 2 northern, \$1.09 to \$1.10; No. 3 yellow, 70c to 71c; No. 4 yellow, 69c to 70c; No. 5 yellow, 68c to 69c; No. 6 yellow, 67c to 68c; No. 7 yellow, 66c to 67c; No. 8 yellow, 65c to 66c; No. 9 yellow, 64c to 65c; No. 10 yellow, 63c to 64c; No. 11 yellow, 62c to 63c; No. 12 yellow, 61c to 62c; No. 13 yellow, 60c to 61c; No. 14 yellow, 59c to 60c; No. 15 yellow, 58c to 59c; No. 16 yellow, 57c to 58c; No. 17 yellow, 56c to 57c; No. 18 yellow, 55c to 56c; No. 19 yellow, 54c to 55c; No. 20 yellow, 53c to 54c; No. 21 yellow, 52c to 53c; No. 22 yellow, 51c to 52c; No. 23 yellow, 50c to 51c; No. 24 yellow, 49c to 50c; No. 25 yellow, 48c to 49c; No. 26 yellow, 47c to 48c; No. 27 yellow, 46c to 47c; 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—Miss Isabelle O'Brien, of Gray & Parker, buyer and manager of the millinery department, left Saturday for a purchasing trip to New York.

The following pupils took part at the recital given at Conservatory Hall last Saturday afternoon: Misses Sophie Weissman, Mabel Hardie, Leonore Smith, Helen Wells, Florence Woolley, Lettie Ward, May Tomlinson, Estelle Beacom, Lillian Steinbock and Alice Christopher.

Grand Trunk Earnings.

G. T. R. traffic earnings from Feb. 1 to 7, 1910, were: 1910, \$729,669; 1909, \$605,330; increase, \$124,339.

A London Trip.

Sarnia Observer: A number of Sarnia Scottish Rite Masons will go to London to attend the annual Scottish Rite convention in this city on Friday.

Died in Ireland.

The death of Ellen Brown Loughrey, eldest daughter of the late Archibald Loughrey, of this city, occurred at "Carrowmore House, Myross, Ireland, on Jan. 12, last month. The funeral was held to the Ballinagh Presbyterian Church burying ground.

Southwold Farmer Dead.

Jonathan Herrington, a retired farmer of Southwold Township, in Elgin County, died in this city on Friday, after a brief illness. Mr. Herrington was in his 74th year, and for some time lived in St. Thomas, where he conducted a carriage business. Mrs. Geo. Martindale, of 451 Horton street, is a relative. The funeral was held this afternoon to Scottsville Cemetery, and Rev. Mr. Sutcliffe conducted the services.

TOMLINSON-PATERSON.

A very pretty wedding was celebrated at "The Cedars," Harrietsville, when Miss Nellie Paterson, daughter of Mrs. T. Paterson, became the wife of James Tomlinson, of Thamesford, in the presence of a large gathering of relatives and guests. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. Mr. Watson, of Thamesford.

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volle, trimmed with silk embroidery. Her felle veil was surrounded by orange blossoms, and she carried a shower bouquet of white roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Tomlinson left on their honeymoon for Detroit and points west, having been the recipients of many beautiful presents, among which could be seen a handsome check from her brother, Mr. Thomas Paterson, of Lethbridge, Alta.

LOCAL OPTION IS THE GERM OF DEMOCRACY

Mr. James Simpson, of Toronto. Speaks for Temperance in Local Church.

Mr. James Simpson, a Toronto newspaperman, and chairman of the board of education of that city, spoke in the Talbot Street Baptist Church last evening on the subject "Labor and the Bar." Mr. Simpson came out strongly as an advocate of local option.

"I am most pronouncedly in favor of the local option measure," said the speaker, "because it has in it the very germ of democracy. It gives to the citizen the right to initiate legislation, and the referendum is introduced, giving the people the right to express their opinion through the ballot box, and finally when the people have expressed their opinion by a three-fifths vote, it is a mandatory order to the Government to carry it into effect."

"Local option takes away the bar from between the factory and the home, and what little money the workman can make, and I know that it is little enough, he will be enabled to take home.

Evil of Intemperance.

"I do not wish to be understood," continued the speaker, "as taking the position that when we have closed up the bars, we will have settled all the great questions that have to be faced by civilization. But I do maintain that the evil of intemperance is one of the present evils of society which should be abolished, and that the abolition of this evil will leave the way open for a more careful consideration of certain causes that lead up to dangerous conditions that obtain everywhere in the civilized world.

Curse of Drink.

"I don't hold that all poverty is caused by drink, and all drinking by poverty. But I do believe that a large measure of the responsibility may be placed at the door of intemperance. I think I know something of the workings of this Dominion, and want to say that just to the extent that the work of intemperance incapacitates himself intellectually and physically to obtain a livelihood for himself and his family, just to that extent does he shut himself out from those advantages that he can or should enjoy from the returns that come to him through his everyday work."

LOBO PUBLIC SCHOOL.

Standing of Pupils for January in School Section No. 8.

Following is the report of school section, No. 8, Lobo, for the month of January, the names being in order of merit:

Class V.—Pearl Weir, Vera Carmichael, Ernest Hick.

Class IV.—Marjorie McNeill, Maude Donnelly, Dick O'Neill, Willie Hick, Gertrude Weir, Alex. McNellis.

Class III.—Willie Ferguson, Gordon Carmichael, Edna Walsh, Basil Bowman, Willie Mahley, Myrtle McNeill.

Class II.—Lizzie Sells, Rosie Hick, Myrtle Beech, Vertie Jones.

Part II.—George Hick, Vida Walsh, Nora Walsh, Roy McNeill.

Average attendance for the month, thirty-five.

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A SUNDAY IN CHURCHES

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Rev. Dr. Stackhouse, in South London Baptist Church: "One of the most striking things in connection with the Laymen's Missionary Movement occurred when a little cripple girl at Aylmer gave us her diamond ring. I told her to take it back, and she said 'It's wrong' when one's head is for God, through that ring we raised \$11,000, and finally the ring was given back to the little one."

Rev. F. E. Malott, at Colborne Street Methodist Church: "Many young men fail in life and achieve nothing worth while, because they do not set a high enough value upon themselves. They are looking in true self respect. If you want people to believe in you, you must believe in yourself."

Very Rev. Dean Davis, at St. Paul's Cathedral: "This is a season for Lenten duties, a time for self-examination, repentance, earnest prayer, and for the making of resolves to amend our lives."

Rev. W. T. Wilson, of Guelph, at the First Presbyterian Church: "The average person would not pick John the Baptist as the greatest man in Scripture, and yet the Savior, yet Christ knew perfectly well what He was talking about when He said John was the greatest of all. It takes magnificent courage to tell a Herod that 'It's wrong' when one's head is for God, yet John did it. No man that is a coward can be a Christian. It takes courage to tell congregations the plain, unvarnished truth, as John told it to his people, and who showed true greatness all through his life and teachings."

Rev. R. J. Bowen, at the Auditorium, speaking on "The Canadian Mission": "There were 27,000 people who came to our shores last year, and of this number 138,000 could not speak English, and when you realize that after these people have resided here for three years, they are enabled to vote for representatives to Parliament and to have their voice in the government of the country, it is easily seen how dangerous a factor this shows become unless something is done to teach these people. They have come into our business life, and they have come to stay, and they must be assimilated, and their voice must be heard in legislation. And if we are to have an invasion we must be capable of withstanding it by our own capacity. This the Bible Society is trying to do, by teaching a common belief and fostering a common language."

At St. Peter's Cathedral last evening Rev. Father Ross continued a series of sermons he is preaching on "The Sacrament of Penance," taking as his subject, "Contrition." Next Sunday Father O'Connor, of Windsor, will preach a special sermon on this subject under the auspices of the Children of Mary.

Rev. A. K. Birks, at the First Methodist Church last night, spoke from the text, "I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills from whence cometh my help." He spoke of the influence that the mountains of the land of Palestine had on the Jewish nation, and drew lessons therefrom. "Sometimes," he said, "the troubles that seem almost unbearable will be found to have a deeper meaning of good when we look at them from a different viewpoint." In conclusion, the speaker stated that the influence of the mountains on the Bible would never be forgotten, and that the work of the Bible Society was an unending influence in the lives of men.

Bishop Williams, at Christ Church: "This season of the year everyone should ask himself, 'Am I living a worldly life? We should try to find out if we are living to please God, or to do as others do. A worldly life consists in living without thought of God.'"

Rev. H. A. Graham, at Askin Street Methodist Church: "Truth conceived is a blessing to all. Here is a man,

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Rev. Dr. Ross, at St. Andrew's: "Among the many unspoken thoughts of Jesus Christ when he told his disciples that he had many things yet to say to them were probably ideas of the universal mission of Christianity, a pure spirituality, the new church. The growth of his kingdom was to be slow, whereas the Jews thought it should develop quickly."

Rev. W. H. Claris, at the Southern Congregational Church: "There is a disposition today for some people to think that because of the small number of converts comparatively small in number it would be better to give up our principles. This would to my mind be selling our birthright. We live as a denomination a work to do, a message to teach, and we should do it."

Rev. Thomas Mitchell, of the New St. James Church, preached an anniversary sermon at the Presbyterian Church in Wilton Grove Sunday.

Mr. E. H. Hawkins, of Huron College, is assisting Very Rev. Dean Davis, of St. James' Episcopal Church, in the work in his parish. No successor to Rev. S. S. Hardy, who recently went to Woodstock, has yet been appointed.

The laymen of the Colborne Street Methodist Church will hold a banquet on Tuesday evening, at which Rev. C. E. Manning, of Toronto, will speak.

At St. Andrew's Church Sunday morning Dr. Ross preached a delightful five-minute sermon to the children in the congregation on the Bass Rock in the Firth of Forth, on which many covenanted were imprisoned during the troubles in England and Scotland. At the special anniversary services celebrated in the Askin Street Methodist Church Sunday the offering amounted to \$300.

Rev. Mr. Perdue, of St. Paul's Cathedral, preached in St. James' Episcopal Church, South London, last night.

Rev. W. McKenzie, of the King Street, preached in St. James' Church, in the Talbot Street Baptist Church yesterday morning, and in the evening Mr. James Simpson, of Toronto, chairman of the board of education, spoke.

Next Sunday will mark the anniversary of St. Andrew's, and Mr. Knowles, of Galt, who is rapidly making a great name for himself as an author, will preach both morning and evening, and will also address a gathering of the Sunday school pupils in the afternoon.

Very Rev. Archdeacon Hill, of Trinity Church, St. Thomas, preached in Christ Church Sunday morning, taking as his subject, "Temptation."

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Bayliff Church, was absent in Wallaceburg Sunday, where he conducted anniversary services.

Rev. John Morris preached a special Lenten sermon at the Memorial Church last night on "Temptation."

Rev. W. H. Graham, B. A., B. D., of Victoria Avenue Church, Chatham, preached anniversary sermons in the Dundas Centre Church last evening.

A special missionary service will be conducted in the Wellington Street Methodist Church next Sunday, when addresses on behalf of the Woman's Missionary Society will be given by Mrs. J. H. Tennant and Mrs. W. J. Mortimore.

SOUTH DELAWARE.
South Delaware, Feb. 12. — Mr. and Mrs. W. S. West, of Woodstock, have returned home from spending a few days at D. Campbell's.

Misses Ada and May Parsons, of London, are visiting at Parsons Bros. Murray Leach, of Wainstead, has returned home from visiting relatives here.

Mrs. C. Routledge and Miss Jessie Johnston, of Hyde Park, were renewing old acquaintances here last week.

Alex. McFarlane, 300, is visiting relatives in Wainstead.

A large number have requested the managers of the concert held here on the 31st of January, it being one of the A. Baker is busy getting ready to raise his barn in the spring.

"DRUNK AS A LORD."
Mr. Runciman testifies that it used to be a saying among the Turks in Constantinople that whenever a man was drunk it was conclusive proof that he was an Englishman. That reminds one of the story current in Oxford some years ago that in a certain eastern country the populace would cry "Ox! Ox!" after an inebriate person—the explanation being that an august native had brought the habit home with him as the most visible result of his English university training. There is a phrase of our own which is almost as bad—"as drunk as a lord." Probably that was not intended in reprobaton of the peevish but simply expressed the envy of the humbler Englishman in less sober days than these toward a class which could afford continuing to do what he would if he could.—London Chronicle

The unfilled tonnage of the United States Steel Corporation at the close of 1909 amounted to \$,800,000. It is estimated that on Dec. 31, 1909 the unfilled tonnage