

MALONE IS SENT DOWN FOR LIFE
ON ATTEMPTED MURDER CHARGEJury Finds Him Guilty
After Several Hours
Deliberation.ELOQUENT PLEA
BY HIS COUNSELNo Defence Put In and Chief
Justice Mulock Sums Up
Strongly Against the
Prisoner.

Since, Feb. 24. — In less than three hours the jury in the case against Archibald W. Malone, ex-chief of police, this evening returned a verdict of guilty in the charge against him of shooting with intent to murder his comrade and subordinate, Constable William Wilkins, on Dec. 1 last. Imposed by Chief Justice Mulock. The jury went out at 5:15, and returned at 7:28. During the interval they were brought in once to be readdressed by his lordship, who instructed them to ignore a certain part of the evidence because it was irrelevant.

There was intense silence in the courtroom when the jury foreman said "Guilty." W. E. Kelly, K.C., who has fought valiantly for the prisoner all through the case, the jury being polled, and every man echoed the word of the foreman. "I move the sentence of the court on the prisoner," said G. F. Blackstock, K.C., the crown prosecutor. Aled if he had anything to say, Malone said his counsel would speak. Mr. Kelly simply referred to the prisoner's long and honorable career as a soldier in South Africa. Then his lordship asked the prisoner to stand up, and imposed sentence.

When the verdict was announced the prisoner almost collapsed. His wife, who sat a short distance away, burst into tears. The wife walked weeping to the dock, and then the prisoner, with tears streaming down his face, remarked, "This is awful."

"It will only take about two days to make me crazy the way I feel now," he said.

He asked permission of the court to allow him to remain in Simcoe for a week in order that he might prepare for his wife and children. In addressing the jury the chief justice went into the details of the case and threshed out the evidence very fully. He declared that Malone's conduct had been altogether other than that which might naturally be expected from a police officer. There was no question about the deed, the time of its commission, the identity of the prisoner, or about whom the chain of circumstantial evidence was woven by the crown.

He directed the attention of the jury to the fact that there were different kinds of evidence, direct and indirect. The direct was that given by persons who had been eye-witnesses, and the indirect was that which was given by persons taken in connection with the surroundings. The latter was equally as strong as the former and if circumstantial evidence was not to be taken and convictions based upon it, few crimes would be punished, for the reason that crimes were usually committed by people when there was no one around, as in this case. The jury went out at 5:15 and returned at 7:28 with the verdict of guilty.

Mr. Blackstock then moved for sentence upon the prisoner.

In passing the sentence Sir William Mulock said he did not wish to add to the burden being borne by the prisoner, but he felt it necessary to make a few remarks.

"It gives me very great pain," said the chief justice, "to be obliged to perform my duty at this state of the case, but I must do my duty. You have had very able counsel, and your case has been presented with remarkable ability. I myself have afforded you such protection as I could. The case was conclusive. I must say that I came to the same conclusion myself on the testimony put forward. You have been found guilty, and the question now is what punishment will fit the crime."

"It is not my wish to add to your burden—that is great enough already. I think it advisable for the information of the public to show that the crime justifies the sentence that I am about to impose."

"I entertain no doubt of the correctness of Constable Wilkins' evidence. You were employed and trusted as a police officer, sworn to protect the people of this town. You engaged Wilkins as your assistant. He says your first crime was the entrance to Madden's shop. The evidence is not contradicted."

"Wilkins had no idea then what you were about to do. Through some way you obtained a mastery over him. Your mind was apparently the stronger. It was not unnatural that he should become a victim of your cunning. In November there were three crimes in rapid succession. At the end of the same month it seemed to come into your mind that you only safety lay in the removal of your comrade. You seem to have then prepared the details for your crime. You preferred not to be seen by him that night, and you met him beside the willow tree in the park. By some subterfuge you led him to a lonely fringe at the edge of the park."

"While he was seeking to discover whether there was anybody there, you (Continued on Page Nine.)"

KILLS HIS WIFE
AND SUICIDESDramatic Incident in the National
Portrait Gallery of Old
London.

London, Feb. 25. — John Tempest Dawson, 75 years old, shot his wife while they were together in the National Portrait Gallery yesterday, and then shot himself. Mrs. Dawson died in a hospital soon afterwards. The couple were believed to be Americans. Mr. Dawson was a wealthy retired businessman, and he and his wife had lived for the last ten years at Brighton. Papers on the man's body showed that the deed was premeditated.

It was learned today that John Tempest Dawson, the aged man who yesterday shot his wife while walking together in the National Portrait Gallery, and then killed himself, was a Canadian and lived in Montreal.

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BIG INCREASE IN
JUVENILE CASESInspector Sanders' Report Is
Startling96 MORE IN 1908
THAN NOTED IN 1907Mr. Sanders Thanks the Local Police
for the Assistance
Given Him.

Inspector Sanders, of the local charities organization, has prepared the following statistics regarding the cases which have appeared in the juvenile court during the past year, and will submit them at the annual meeting to be held next month. Altogether there were 245 juveniles, against whom 265 charges in all were laid, 11 having been up twice, 3 on three charges, and 1 on four charges. These 265 cases were dealt with as follows:

"Committed to Victoria Industrial School on charge of theft, 1; committed to Alexandra Industrial School for being incorrigible, 1; sentence suspended, theft 17, trespass 1, assault 1, vagrancy 2, riding on sidewalk 3. Fined, for assault 2, disorderly 17, trespass 1, playing ball on street 1, coasting on sidewalk 1, riding bicycle on walk 10, bathing in river 2, total 46. Ordered to pay costs and damages, disorderly 6, theft 1, total 7. Bound over to keep the peace, assault 3, disorderly 4, trespass 2, assault 1, total 10. Discharged, 10; withdrawn, 4; transferred to senior court, 3; delivered to children's Aid, 4. Total, 265."

POLICE LOOKING
FOR CHAS. MEEKERWhom a Cleveland Lady Is Seeking
to Locate.LONDONERS AGAINST
THREE-FIFTHS CLAUSEDelegates Will Go to Toronto to Inter-
view the Government.

A number of Londoners will attend the temperance convention, which meets in Toronto next week, and a strong effort will be made to get the clause done away with. We know that the Government to abolish the three-fifths clause. The conference will be one of the biggest ever held. Secretary McDer-mid told The Advertiser this afternoon, "and we are going to put forth every effort to have the three-fifths clause done away with. We know that strong interests are being brought to bear to have it remain, but a monster delegation will present a petition on March 4, when the House opens, asking that this measure, which all temperance people regard as unjust, be done away with."

SPECIAL NOTICE
FOR CONTESTANTSNew Regulation As To the Trip-
to-Europe Competition.EXTENDS TIME LIMIT
ON PINK BALLOTSVotes Are Credited on Arrears in Sub-
scription When Latter Is
Paid Up.

As a number of people seem to be misunderstanding some of the terms of the Free Trip-to-Europe Contest, it is necessary to make the matter clear. Letters are constantly being received, asking if votes will be given for money paid now on subscriptions past due. Yes, ballots will be given on money paid on arrears, if a man had received The Advertiser for three years, and had not paid his subscription in that time, and was sent in the subscription price, along with a request for votes, he would receive the 3,000 votes, just as though he had been paying for three years in advance. All money paid in on subscriptions, no matter whether in arrears or advance, will count, the only stipulation being that the votes are asked for at the time the money is forwarded. This is an important point, for letters are being constantly received asking to be credited with ballots for subscriptions paid some time ago. This is, of course, impossible. The request must accompany the subscription or no votes can be given.

An Important Point.

A change is now being made in the special pink ballots, issued for money paid on subscription. In future these will not bear any expiration date, as they can be voted any time up to May 15. Special ballots issued previous to Feb. 26, however, come under the old regulation, and must be used by the date specified time, fifteen days from date. Many contestants have been holding back subscriptions, because they want to have a reserve vote in case of emergency to allow these candidates to protect their reserve, by converting them into ballots, not promises, at the time of the election. The understanding is, however, that the votes obtained thereby in reserve. No information will be given out by The Advertiser relative to the amount of by any means, and the date, or the number of ballots issued. The ballots printed on page two of the daily issue of The Advertiser will, of course, still bear the expiration date, and must be handed in before they are fifteen days old.

In Old London.

Among the points of interest that the successful contestants will find in London, the home of the English constitution, the most wonderful fabric of laws that the world has known, rivalling the alluring Roman law, the life of the great city, the massive buildings of the Parliament, give the traveller some understanding of this. But it is the ancient and the modern, held in any other place to get some conception of that strangely complex yet simple and strong fabric that has been woven into the spirit of the British constitution. For here in the cool grey shadow of the buildings, where half a score of centuries with their monastic orders that bloomed with the wisdom and the understanding of those dark centuries would sink into their hearts.

In this quiet backwater of life the notes of the city come slipping between the winding courts, strangely changed, as though ashamed of their strident clamor.

It has had a strange history this quiet spot in the very heart of the pulsing life of the city. Now only the Round Church of the Templars and the ruins of the temple of Jerusalem remain to speak of the strange page of its history, for this was the stronghold of the Order of the Knights of St. John, the "Poor Fellow Soldiers of Christ," as they called themselves. One of those strange, half-military, half-monastic orders that bloomed with the rise of the crusading spirit and died with its death. In 1128 the order was founded, pledged to defend the way to the Holy Sepulchre. Year by year, the order grew in power, and perhaps lost some of its spiritual ardor, yet went on growing till it became wealthy beyond the dreams of avarice, and powerful enough to make it a menace to the life of nations. Finally, the impious Philip La Belle, of France, who had not scrupled to murder his hands against the Pope in the grey dawn of March 18, 1314, seized the Grand Master of the Order, Jacques de Molay, and burned him to death on the open square of Paris, without the semblance of a trial. It only needed this brand to light the fires in all parts of Europe, and in Edward II's reign the Order of the Templars ceased to exist in England.

But the old church still stands, beautiful in its almost Oriental splendor, and the beautiful stained-glass windows are among the finest example of the art in existence. Here are to be seen the carved effigies of many of the knights who were in the crusade, brief history of the Templars in England may be read in rude effigies of the kings during whose reigns they flourished.

When the order was disbanded its (Continued on Page Ten.)

A PRINCE DROWNED

Casimir Codenski, of Austria, Perishes
at Santa Cruz.

Santa Cruz, Tenerife, Feb. 25. — Prince Casimir Sapieha-Codenski, of a noted Austrian line, was drowned off here yesterday. He was heir to great estates in Galicia. He and his brothers, Prince Leon and Prince Alexander, were thrown from a boat which capsize. His brothers were rescued. Prince Casimir was born in 1882.

TITLED SUFFRAGISTS WERE SENT TO JAIL

London, Feb. 25. — Refusing to give security for their future good behavior, the women suffragists who were arrested last night while attempting to reach Premier Asquith, to present to him a petition in the interests of the cause, were today sentenced to imprisonment for one month.

Most of the terms were for one month. Exceptions were made in the cases of Mrs. Fethick Lawrence and Miss Lawrence, who, having previous convictions against them, were sentenced to two months' imprisonment.

Lady Constance Lytton, sister of Lord Lytton, and daughter of the former viceroy of India, told her friends that if they secured her release by providing security, she would repeat her offence.

Sentences were imposed upon about 30 women, including, in addition to the foregoing, Miss Stratford Dugdale, daughter of Commander Dugdale, and cousin of the Hon. William R. W. Peel, who was elected Tuesday in a by-election for Taunton; Miss Solomon, daughter of the ex-premier of Cape Colony, and Mrs. Catherine Elizabeth, an aristocratic supporter of the movement. All these women are of high social standing.

FELL 3 STORIES
SCARCELY HURTCharlie Hodgson's Remarkable
Escape at Perrin's Factory.ONLY DISLOCATED
ONE FINGERFellow-Workers Thought He Was
Killed—How It Happened.

Charlie Hodgson, the 18-year-old son of Mr. W. W. Hodgson, painter, of 143 Mallard street, fell three stories to the basement at Perrin's biscuit works yesterday, into a pile of rubbish, only dislocating one finger.

Hodgson was standing at the elevator shaft waiting for the car to pass, and as it shot upwards, in charge of the boy, he reached out to hand him a message. The gate flew up at the same time, and Hodgson fell headlong into the shaft.

It was thought that he was killed or terribly injured and a physician was hastily summoned.

In the meantime Hodgson who had fallen into a pile of waste paper, packed up stairs and exhibited a badly-dislocated and discolored finger.

The physician dressed the injury, and as it was 6 o'clock the lad went to his home. Hodgson is again at work this morning.

He alighted on his back and is somewhat stiff today.

RAILWAY OFFICIALS
ARE STILL CHEERFULMaking Improvements on G.T.R.
But Are Hazy As To
Track Elevation.

Manager Brownlee and Superintendent Gillen arrived in the city this morning to attend the meeting of the railway commission stated to The Advertiser that there was nothing in the estimates for track-elevation in London.

"I have been down in Florida for the last three weeks," said Mr. Brownlee, "and know nothing of what is going on, except that I have been advised that Engineer Kelly is busy working on plans for London. I have not seen the plans, and know nothing whatever about them."

Many Improvements.

"We are making many improvements at the Point Edward docks, and also intend building a new station there. We expect to get a great deal of trade from that point from the Northern Ontario Railway. We are a number of items of improvement for various points in this district contained in the estimates, but the directors of the company have not yet to consider them, and will not for a few weeks."

"I do not know what items are in the estimates for improvements in London."

JUDGE SNIDER ILL.

Hamilton, Feb. 25.—County Judge Snider was taken suddenly ill yesterday and was removed to the City Hospital, where an operation was performed on him. His honor is getting along as well as can be hoped for.

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW—MILDER.
FORECASTS.
Toronto, Feb. 25.—8 a.m.
Today—Strong northwest wind; fair and cold.
Tomorrow—Fair, becoming milder again.
TEMPERATURE.
Today. Yesterday.
Stations. 8 a.m. Min. Max. 8 a.m. Min. Max.
London. 36 30 46 36 30 46
Victoria. 36 30 46 36 30 46
Calgary. 36 30 46 36 30 46
Winnipeg. 36 30 46 36 30 46
Perry Sound. 36 30 46 36 30 46
Ottawa. 36 30 46 36 30 46
Montreal. 36 30 46 36 30 46
Quebec. 36 30 46 36 30 46
Port Arthur. 36 30 46 36 30 46
Astoria. 36 30 46 36 30 46
Kamloops. 36 30 46 36 30 46
Edmonton. 36 30 46 36 30 46
Saskatoon. 36 30 46 36 30 46
Moosejaw. 36 30 46 36 30 46
Qu'Appelle. 36 30 46 36 30 46
St. John. 36 30 46 36 30 46
Halifax. 36 30 46 36 30 46
Below zero.
WEATHER NOTES.
The storm has moved to the Gulf of St. Lawrence and is being generated from the Great Lakes to Newfoundland. Rain has fallen in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces. The weather is cold in Manitoba and mild further west.

POLICE SOLVE A
HORSE MYSTERYAlleged That Earl Guest Traded
Horses and Was Trimmed.

"The Disappearing Horse Mystery," which was puzzling the police yesterday, has been solved.

It will be remembered that young Earl Guest, while delivering milk on Queen's avenue on Monday afternoon, came out and found that the horse he had left in the street had been taken away and another one, with a very bad attack of the heaves, substituted. The detectives have been looking into the case, and notwithstanding the lad's denials, they have ascertained that he traded horses with another party.

Apparently the lad was inexperienced, and the horse was "doped" so that it did not appear to have the heaves when he got it.

When he found out what kind of an animal he had the boy was afraid and concocted the story which he told to the police.

BRIBERY CHARGES
WERE DISPROVEDReeve Jones Holds His Seat in
Delaware Township.INTERESTING CASE
IN LOCAL COURTS

Must "Make Good"

Upon this Judge Macbeth decided that Mr. McEwen should make good his serious charges in open court at the town hall in Delaware, and named the 23rd of February as the day upon which he must show the reason for the faith that was in him, either upon his own evidence, given in the face of his statements, or upon the evidence of others, whereupon he founded his belief, that all these crimes had been committed; or, in the alternative, that he should have his charges disregarded and dismissed with costs.

The Court.

Some eighteen or twenty witnesses were examined in all by counsel for the plaintiff.

They all showed great annoyance at the evil suggestions which Mr. McEwen had caused to be hurled at them. At the close of the court there was a little of evidence of any corruption of any kind on behalf of Mr. Jones, or his agents.

Many Voters Sought After.

One gentleman had offered to pay a lady's fare out on the street car on the day of election, and that lady declined; another lady was more considerate of her male companion and allowed him to put the ticket in the fare-box. Neither of these, however, had any connection with Mr. Jones. Mr. McEwen did not intend to give any evidence himself.

Mr. McEwen Speaks.

After all the witnesses the defeated candidate could feel had given their statements, Mr. McEwen, on behalf of Reeve Jones, said that as no evidence at all had been produced to show any evidence against Mr. Jones or his agents, he did not propose to call any witnesses, and asked that the charges of Mr. McEwen be dismissed with costs. This has accordingly been done.

BLOWN OFF TRAIN
AND INSTANTLY KILLED

Cornwall, Feb. 25. — Charles Sams, of Brockville, a G. T. R. brakeman, was blown off a train near Summerton, last night, and instantly killed. He was 45 years old and an expert train hand. He leaves a large family.

FISH FURNISHED
FOR THE PRISONERSSquire Chittick and Inspector Provide
Luxury for Castle Carter Guests.

The prisoners at the jail will be calling down blessings upon the heads of Squire Chittick and Inspector Weldon as they provide for the London contingent at Quebec and during transit both ways.

He claims an agreement with them concerning the money to be paid to him for these services, and says that this agreement has not been carried out, and that he has not received the amount agreed upon for his services, which totals \$1,325.82.

In reply the defendants claim, first, that they did not make the contract alleged in the record, and second, that the plaintiff failed to carry out the terms in any case.

The Defense.

While denying the basis of the claims the defendants bring into court the sum of \$700, saying that this is sufficient to satisfy the claims of the plaintiff.

LEFT HOLES UNPROTECTED.

Toronto, Feb. 25.—On the charges of "cutting a dangerous opening in the ice on the bay for the London contingent," a fourth, who had been summoned, failing to show up.

The charge was laid under the criminal code, which requires that all openings made in ice shall be enclosed with brush, trees, or a fence, and which permits the imposition of a three years' sentence for failure to comply with the requirements.

Counsel for the accused asked that they be dismissed with a warning, but the magistrate said he could not do that, but would impose a fine of \$1 and costs or 30 days. This is the first time against the ice cutters, who in this time of year cut great holes in the ice and fail to properly protect them.

WON'T TOUCH TRACK ELEVATION
SAYS CHAIRMAN D'ARCY SCOTTRailway Commission Is In
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Today.DEALING WITH
LEVEL CROSSINGSBig Railway Officials Are in the
City Looking After Their
Interests.

Track elevation will not be dealt with by the Dominion railway commissioners who are in session in this city today.

The commissioners, Mr. D'Arcy Scott, the chairman, Dr. Mills and Mr. Mountain, chief engineer, arrived at noon from the east. They immediately inspected the Adelaide street crossing of the C. P. R., and after a long tramp through the yards went to the Egerton street crossing of the Grand Trunk.

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The Programme.

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"No," he replied. "As regards the Grand Trunk, we have only to deal with the level crossings. It was brought to our attention by the fact that a young lady, I believe, was killed at this crossing some time ago. We inspected this morning with our engineer, Mr. Mountain, and our observations will be incorporated in our finding on that subject."

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Level Crossings.

It is understood that the main portion of the afternoon will be spent in dealing with the level crossings in Essex and Elgin Counties. Of the three in Essex County, the dispute in Tecumseh is over the maintenance of the level crossings, the question of who is to maintain them to be determined by the commission.

That is chiefly the dispute with regard to the crossing at Rodney and West Lorne. The M. C. R. and the Pere Marquette think the cost of maintenance should be assessed on the municipalities, while the municipalities claim the companies should pay for them.

There are a number of legal lights in the city attending the meeting. Crown Attorney Rodd, of Windsor, is here in the interests of the municipalities of Essex County. The counsels of U. E. Gillen and Mr. Pope, Montreal, are looking after the interests of the Grand Trunk.

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The session will last all afternoon. Tomorrow the commission will sit in Guelph.

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The city of London will not be represented.

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Several other municipalities in the vicinity have sent communications to the commission in care of Mayor Stevely. One is from the council of Watford, protesting against the poor service on the Grand Trunk through that place.

The Session.

The first question to be taken up was that of the level crossing over the Grand Trunk at Sandwich, Essex. The commission had directed that a bell to cost \$500, and from \$50 to \$500 annually to maintain, be installed. The taxpayers felt that they should not be called upon to pay this expense, and asked that a decision be given.

Attorney J. H. Rodd, acting for the township, pointed out that they did not object to bearing the general expense of maintenance, but felt that the cost of the bell should not be borne by the municipality.

Chairman Scott handed down judgment to the effect that the township should pay the cost of the bell, up to \$300, and the company to bear the rest, including all costs of maintenance.

Adelaide Street Crossing.

The first question of importance to London was the matter of the Adelaide street crossing of the C. P. R.

Chairman Scott pointed out that the commissioners had visited the crossing this morning and had found that there was no need at this time to take up the matter of protection, (Continued on Page Eight.)

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"Don't Neglect a Cough or Cold."

It can have but one result. It leaves the throat or lungs, or both, affected.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup is the medicine you need. It is without equal as a remedy for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Bore Throat, Pain in the Chest, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Quinsy and all affections of the Throat and Lungs.

A single dose of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup will stop a cough, soothe the throat, and if the cough or cold has become settled on the lungs, the healing properties of the Norway Pine Tree will proclaim its great virtue by promptly relieving the bad effects, and a persistent use of the remedy cannot fail to bring about a complete cure.

Do not be humbugged into buying so-called Norway Pine Syrup, but insist on having Dr. Wood's. It is put up in a yellow wrapper, three pine trees the trade mark, and price 25 cents.

Mrs. A. E. Elles, Inverness, Alta., writes: "Last spring I had Typhoid fever and Bronchitis, which led me to buy a bottle of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, and before I had finished the bottle my cough was cured. My husband also used it whenever he has a cough. I would not be without it."

Western Ontario

Mr. J. H. Whitcombe, of the Stratford Dispatch, has purchased the plant of the Sarnia Post.

Mrs. Martha A. Hueston, wife of Mr. Charles W. Robinson, died in Stratford yesterday afternoon at the age of 74 years.

The new building of the Preston Car and Coach Company was blown over in the storm yesterday.

Rev. D. E. Martin, pastor of the Trinity Methodist Church, Stratford, has been asked to remain a second year.

Dr. Henderson, medical health officer of Stratford, for over twenty years, has resigned, owing to ill-health.

A reception was tendered Rev. J. W. Hodges, the newly-appointed pastor of St. Paul's Church, Stratford, last evening.

J. H. Maguire, formerly of Stratford, is said to have been awarded a torquise in the Nevada gold fields valued at \$2,500.

Albert Holstock, who was injured in the gas explosion in Brantford last fall, has commenced suit for damages against the Brantford Gas Company.

W. P. Kellett, who came to Brantford recently from the States, has been appointed by the Ontario Railway Commission as general manager of the Grand Valley Railroad.

While doing chores for Mr. John Nevills, near Sarnia, last evening the lantern carried by John Nevills exploded, burning the barn. The loss was about \$1,200, with some insurance.

At a meeting of the Stratford board of education held yesterday afternoon, it was decided to build a four-room addition to the Shakespeare Ward public school at a cost of \$15,000.

Walter Plunkett, charged with the other day charged with inflicting serious injuries on cattle belonging to Ira Gilbert, of Plunkett, that died, was committed for trial yesterday at St. Thomas.

The Brantford District Epworth League's annual convention was held at Chalmers street yesterday afternoon. Addresses were delivered by Rev. T. J. Cansell, Brantford; Rev. H. Crews, Guilford; and Rev. S. T. Bartlett, general secretary of the I. L. League.

Six nurses graduated yesterday from the Chatham Hospital. They were Miss Jennie D. Watson, Sarnia; Miss Grace J. Stewart, Wallaceburg; Miss Mary Josephine Martin, Chatham; Miss Rena H. Mason, Merlin; Miss Eva H. Scott, Glanworth; and Miss Anna McLaughlin, Glanworth.

Picture postcards are being used in Europe for all kinds of announcements. Newly-married couples pose in wedding costumes, and pictures, which are sent to friends; proprietors of inns and restaurants use them for advertising purposes; the new baby is introduced to distant friends and relatives by means of the card, and engaged couples make use of the same medium to show their smiling faces to interested parties at a distance.

How Is a Cold To Be Cured

WHEN IT HAS REACHED THE CHEST, IS DEVELOPING INTO BRONCHITIS AND THREATENS TO BECOME PNEUMONIA?

There's No Time For Delay or Experimenting—It's Time To Use Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine.

It seems too bad that there is not more pain and suffering associated with a cold, for then there would be less tendency to neglect treatment.

So gradually and stealthily does a cold pass from its simpler form of a cold in the head into inflammation of the bronchial tubes and then on to the lungs that many do not realize their condition until pneumonia is upon them.

Ordinarily, of course, the cold is thrown off, but with the system run down and weakened there is every reason to expect that a cold will end seriously.

Why should not every cold be taken seriously and Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine used before a severe illness is upon you?

There are many reasons why you should use Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine. It is more thorough and far-reaching in its effects on the system than any mere cough medicine can possibly be. It keeps the cough loose and open, it aids expectoration and allays the inflammation.

It does more than this. It cures the cold as the best and surest treatment for coughs and colds that we have ever been able to find. Twenty-five cents a bottle at all dealers, or Edman, Bates & Co., Toronto.

Mrs. George Good, Tichborne, Addington County, Ont., writes: "It is with pleasure that I certify to the wonderful success of Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine as a cure for colds. It is the best and surest treatment for coughs and colds that we have ever been able to find. Twenty-five cents a bottle at all dealers, or Edman, Bates & Co., Toronto."

MANY CONTRACTS WERE GIVEN OUT

No. 3 Committee Were Busy Last Night With Purchase of Supplies.

Opening tenders was the chief occupation of No. 3 committee last night. They were for the most part for supplies.

The contract for the coal supply was awarded to W. Heaman & Sons, on the following scale of prices: Hard coal, \$6 75; lump, \$6; relief coal, \$6 75; less than ton lots, \$7; long ton lots, \$7 50. There was no tender for the lowest tender.

The repairing and painting of the thirteen water carts was awarded to George Heaman for \$227.50. There was another tender, but it was somewhat higher than this.

Report Not Presented.

Ald. Moorhead called attention to the fact that the report of the inspector and engineer as to the nature of the repairs and whether or not they were needed, had not been given to the committee, as he had requested. He pointed out that he could not vote to award the tender if he were not convinced that they were not needed.

Ald. Garratt explained that the report had been given, but for some reason or other it had not been submitted to the committee. There was no doubt that the repairs were necessary.

Mayor Stevely moved that the contract be awarded to the lowest tender, provided that the report of the inspector showed that the repairs were necessary. This carried.

Ald. Fitzgerald objected to the purchase of a new cart, as he had been informed that there were two or three carts not in use now, as they were too heavy. As the specifications for the new cart were the same as for the other heavy carts he could see no necessity of purchasing it if it would not be used.

Ald. Garratt pointed out that not only one, but three carts, were necessary. The carts were made according to bylaw, and while they were heavy, they were not more so than was required. The tires were five inches wide, as the bylaw states they should be.

The contract for the new cart was recommended to be awarded to Mr. George Heaman for \$360.

The electrical work for the new fire halls was divided. The London Electric Company were awarded the contract for fixtures at \$60 each hall, and the Electrical Construction Company was given the contract for wiring at \$21 each.

Chinese Auction Room.

Inspector McCallum was present and brought up the case of a Chinese man from Toronto, who desired, he stated, to open an auction room for the sale of Chinese and Japanese ware, etc. The inspector had a conference with the man, and had told him that he would have to get an auctioneer's license. It was expected that the Chinaman would be present at the committee meeting but did not show up, and the committee reported that Inspector McCallum had done right in taxing him as a transient trader.

Nothing will be done by the committee regarding the smoke nuisance, City Engineer Graydon reported that his department had no power to deal with the matter, as they were not allowed to interfere with the use of the land.

One was to appeal to the railway companies to use hard coal in the city limits. The other was to pass a bylaw, compelling both railroad companies and manufacturers to use hard coal. This, he pointed out, would be somewhat of a hardship on the industries of the city, and should not be done. The railroad companies said they would soon be compelled to use hard coal, and the citizens could put up with a little inconvenience from the industries.

London Electric's Account.

The agreement with the London Electric Company has not yet been signed, and the bills of the company for December, January and February have not yet been paid. The account last night was laid over pending the signing of the agreement.

Mr. F. B. Keene addressed the committee, and stated that he could give the same bed mattress as the Ontario Bed Mattress Company, for \$10.75, while the committee was paying \$11 for them. The matter will be threshed out in council.

Those present were Ald. Garratt, chairman, Ald. Fitzgerald, Ald. Moorhead, Mayor Stevely, Inspector McCallum, Fire Chief Atken and Secretary Baker.

MAY EXTEND A CALL TO REV. MR. RUTLEDGE

To Succeed Rev. Mr. Lancelley as Pastor of Dundas Centre Methodist Church.

The question of choosing a successor to Rev. E. B. Lancelley, who leaves for Hamilton at the end of June, will be taken up at a meeting of the quarterly board of Dundas Centre Church to be held on the near future.

Among the names that the board are considering are those of Rev. W. L. Rutledge, of the First Methodist Church; Rev. Thomas Manning, Windsor; Rev. George Campbell, of St. John, N. B.; and Rev. W. F. Wilson, of Toronto. A large portion of the congregation are in favor of Rev. Mr. Rutledge, and it is very likely that a call will be extended to him.

A NEW RULE.

Toronto, Feb. 24.—As a result of the swindling, perpetrated by Christopher Holland now under arrest at Philadelphia, through securing a book of Dominion Express money orders in St. Thomas, a new rule has been put into effect by the express companies. Under this new rule, persons and firms desiring money order books can no longer get these by simply telephoning the express companies first, and then sending messengers for the books, but they must be delivered by the express companies' own messengers.

Mankind is generally classed in five races. The most advanced is the Caucasian, or white race, and next the Mongolian, or yellow race. The negro or black race is peculiar to Africa, and the red Indians to America. The Malay, or brown race, is limited to Southeast Asia.

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VALUE, ONE VOTE.

EUROPEAN TRIP CONTEST

OF THE LONDON ADVERTISER

This Vote Is Cast For

(Name of Candidate)

As the most popular lady in District No. of The London Advertiser European trip Contest.

VOID AFTER 15 DAYS FROM DATE.

SPENT SESSION ON STATUTES SUNDAY CARS TO PORT STANLEY

The Legislature Busy Yesterday on Many Revision Measures. The First Request of a Series Was Laid Before Premier Whitney Today.

(Special to The Advertiser.)

Toronto, Feb. 24.—Hon. Mr. Foy moves that I do now leave the chair. Carried.

The Speaker steps to the floor of the chamber, the sergeant-at-arms takes the mace from the table, a private member takes the chair beside the clerk, and the House is in committee of the whole on one of the Attorney-general's interminable list of statute revision bills, which make verbal changes in old acts.

"Shall clause one carry?" "Shall clause two carry?" "Carried." And so on until the last clause is reached, and the chairman says: "Your committee report bill No. blank with (or without) certain amendments, and ask leave to sit again."

This formula was repeated with unvarying monotony for nearly three hours at yesterday afternoon's session of the Legislature. The most important, and for the time being, the most interesting to the spectators, and for little value to the press gallery for copy-making purposes.

Juries and Jurors.

The only bill to arouse discussion was that respecting juries and jurors. Hon. Mr. MacKay objected to the provisions of the bill, which provided for the selection of jurors by ballot, and for the payment of a man as a criminal twenty-five years after he had been convicted of perjury, although he had in the meantime lived an honorable life. A man should be given a chance to live down his offence.

"The abstract," said the Premier, "my honorable friend is right, but it is impossible for us to set up the number of years or the kind of life he may be living. The clause remains unchanged."

Mr. MacKay suggested that fees for grand and petit jurors should be increased from \$2.50 to \$3 per day. Mr. Proudfoot said many counties now voluntarily paid the higher fee.

Mr. McEwing, West Wellington, raised the point that a board of three was sufficient to select jurors. At present the senior and junior judges, the warden, the county treasurer, the sheriff are supposed to act, together with the mayor and the clerk of the city within the county. Mr. McEwing says these officials all appear for roll call, then go away, leaving a fourth, the sheriff, to select the jury, and draw \$6 per day for four or five days, so the county rarely gets full value for the money thus paid to jury selectors.

The Premier said that while Mr. McEwing's criticism was well founded, it was the duty of the county treasurer, as paymaster, to see that those drawing fees did their work. Therefore no change would be made in the clause.

Mr. MacKay, discussing the bill respecting arbitrations and references, suggested that county judges should receive no fees for arbitrations.

This suggestion met the same fate as his others, the clause being left as it stood.

The following notices of motion were given: Mr. Racine, on Friday next, bill to amend the separate school act; Mr. Brewster, on Friday next, bill to amend the insurance law; Mr. Torrance, on Friday next, bill to amend the assessment act; Mr. Downey, on Friday next, bill to prevent the spread of pulmonary and other forms of tuberculosis; Mr. Craig, on Friday next, bill to amend the compulsory notification to provincial board of health, by physicians and superintendents of institutions, of all cases of tuberculosis. Literature will then be sent, giving instructions for care of patients and prevention of further infection.

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Settlers' Trains to the Northwest.

The Canadian Pacific Railway will run special trains for settlers going west with live stock and effects, leaving Toronto at 10:15 p.m. every Tuesday in March and April. Colonist cars will be attached and trains run by Canadian Pacific direct, time-saving route, no changes, delays or customs examinations. Settlers travelling alone and with their families should use regular passenger trains, leaving Toronto at 10:15 p.m. daily. By doing so, and paying a small charge for berths, they will have the added comfort of the journey in a tourist sleeper. "Settlers' Guide," free pamphlet, giving full particulars and rates, may be obtained of nearest C. P. R. agent, or direct from R. L. Thompson, district passenger agent, Toronto, London office, 161 Dundas, corner Richmond, 99c.

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WEATHER PROBS: COLD

SMALLMAN & INGRAM

Dundas and Richmond Streets.

Ladies' "Merode" Knitted Underwear

All Hand-Finished Goods—Spring Stocks Are Here.

NOT HOW CHEAP, BUT HOW GOOD." That is the aim of the makers of "MERODE," and the perfection attained in these garments is the result of long and careful study of fabric, fit and finish. The fabric is of the finest, deftly-woven into the most delightful weights for all climates; a prominent feature being the variety of shapes, in regular and out sizes, suitable for slender, stout or medium forms. Every garment is handsomely finished by hand with silk, with a crocheted edge of beautiful design, and the elasticity and perfection of fit presents that beautiful smooth appearance (particularly in the combination garments), which appeals to all women of good taste, and which is so desirable for the new princess gowns. (Examine "MERODE" at underwear counter).

A five-minutes' examination at the counter will demonstrate the virtues of this Underwear more clearly.

Ladies' Fine Cotton "Merode" Vests, sleeveless, quarter or long sleeve. Each 50¢
Ladies' Fine Cotton "Merode" Tights, knee or ankle length. Pair 50¢
Ladies' Fine Cotton "Merode" Combinations, long sleeve and ankle-length. Suit 85¢
Ladies' Fine Cotton "Merode" Combinations, in over sizes. Suit \$1.00
Ladies' Fine Lisle Combinations, sleeveless, quarter or long sleeve. Only, suit 75¢
Ladies' Fine Lisle Combinations, in extra sizes. Only, suit 85¢

Ladies' New Underwear in Fine Cashmere

White or Natural Cashmere Vests, extra fine quality, short or long sleeves, each \$1.15
White or Natural Cashmere Drawers to match Vests, knee or ankle-length, pair \$1.15
White or Natural Cashmere Combinations, short or long sleeve, ankle-length, suit \$1.75
White Cashmere Corset Covers, long sleeve, for, each 85¢

REAR WEST AISLE—MAIN FLOOR.

New Linen Suitings—On Second Floor

Large assortment just received of Plain and Striped Linens, which will be very popular this season for Ladies' Coat and Shirtwaist Suits. Serviceable, too; nothing like them to wear and wash, per yard 25¢ to 50¢

27-INCH PLAIN LINEN, in brown, tan, linen, mauve, gray, pale blue, cadet, navy and black. All fast-wash colors, at, per yard 25¢

27-INCH STRIPED MERCERIZED LINEN, in brown and white, pale blue and white, tan and white; also white grounds with hair-line stripes of brown and two-tone stripes in brown, tan and blue, at, per yard 30¢

48-INCH PLAIN LINENS, (Belgium manufacture), renowned for their superior finish; in brown, linen, pale blue, cadet and mauve; yard 50¢

COTTON PANAMA—Also very popular for Ladies' Shirtwaist and Coat Suits, in pink, sky, copenhagen, tan, champagne, and white, 27-inch, at, yard 30¢

Your Boy's Spring Suit—Velvet

It will soon be time to discard the winter coats. Are you ready with a nice new Suit for the boy? We are showing a fine range of colors now for the Spring Buster Suits, in Corduroy and Plain Velveteens, Browns, Navys, Castors, Greens and Blacks. 24-inch, plain, at, per yard 60¢

Also same shades as above in 22-inch Corduroy, at, yard 85¢

RICHMOND STREET SECTION—SOUTH SIDE—MAIN FLOOR.

ENGLISH BY-ELECTION MODEL TENEMENTS FOR CONSUMPTIVES

Hon. Wm. Peel Elected for Taunton by Majority of 891.

London, Feb. 23.—At the by-election in Taunton today, to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Sir Edward Boyle on account of ill-health, Hon. William Peel, Unionist, was elected by a majority of 891. The vote was: Peel, 891; Labour, 1,088.

The Unionist majority in the 1906 election over a Labour candidate was 329. The constituency has gone Unionist by a majority of three or four hundred ever since.

Mr. Peel, the new member, is a staunch tariff reformer. He is the eldest son of Lord Peel, who was Speaker of the House of Commons for many years. His grandfather was Sir Robert Peel, who was three times premier of Britain in the days of William IV. and Queen Victoria.

LONDON POLICE ARE SAVED TROUBLE

Man Who Was Wanted by U. S. Officers Was Caught in Michigan.

Chief Williams has received word from the police of Flint, Mich., that Allen Jackson, a young man whom the local police had been notified to watch for, has been captured in Michigan. Jackson was taken ill while tramping, and some kindly-disposed people took him in and cared for him. When he got better he repaid their kindness by stealing \$150 and all the jewelry he could lay his hands on. The police all over the country were notified to watch for him.

OVERCOAT THIEF FOUND IN DETROIT

Charles Kennedy Brought Back to London and Remanded for Sentence.

Mrs. Rheda Richardson, of 422 York street, was arrested yesterday afternoon on a charge of stealing \$17 from James Catto, an Italian.

In court this morning Mrs. Hutchinson was dismissed, as there was no evidence to prove that she had taken the money.

Mrs. Hutchinson stated that the man had come to her house in the afternoon, and had been drinking, and that she had never seen the money.

Charles Kennedy, a young Londoner, arrested in Detroit yesterday, admitted stealing a black beaver cloth coat valued at \$20 and a scarf from a local poolroom. Kennedy is 18 years old, and has been in trouble before. He had, according to the story he told the police, been playing pool, and when going out gave his own coat to a friend and then took the other coat, which belonged to Garnett Baker. When arrested in Detroit he was wearing the coat.

He was remanded a week for sentence.

ALL INDIGESTION AND DISTRESS FROM AN UPSET STOMACH WILL GO

ALMOST INSTANT RELIEF IS WAITING FOR ADVERTISER READERS WHO SUFFER FROM STOMACH TROUBLE.

Nothing will remain undigested or sour on your stomach if you will take Diapiesin after your meal. This powerful digestive and antacid, though as harmless and pleasant as candy, will digest and prepare for assimilation into the blood all the food you eat.

Eat what your stomach craves, without the slightest fear of indigestion or that you will be bothered with sour risings, belching, gas on stomach, heartburn, headaches from stomach, nausea, bad breath, water brash or a feeling like you had swallowed a lump of lead, or other disagreeable miseries.

If you will get from your pharmacist a 50-cent box of Pape's Diapiesin you could always go to the table with a hearty appetite, and your meals would taste good, because you would know there would be no indigestion or sleepless nights or headaches or stomach misery all the next day; and, besides, you would not need laxatives or liver pills to keep your stomach and bowels clean and fresh.

Pape's Diapiesin is a powerful purgative from your druggist, and contains more than enough triangles to thoroughly cure the worst dyspeptic. There is nothing better for gas on the stomach or sour odors from the stomach or to cure a stomach headache. You could keep a handkerchief or more useful article in the house.

BONE-THROWERS LOSING THEIR JOBS

SOUTH AFRICAN NATIVES BECOMING CIVILIZED.

Witch Doctors and "Offended" Ancestors Giving Way to Modern Methods.

The following letter was received by the publisher of the "Naledi Ea Lesotho," a paper published in the Basuto language at Mafeking, South Africa, and translated by him and forwarded to the Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa: "Since I subscribed to a newspaper I have found true health. I have forsaken bone-throwers because I am tired of them. When a child is sick they say it is bewitched and that its ancestors have caused its illness because of some duty which its parents have failed to do towards it, and they say you must slaughter a sheep and anoint the child with its bile. I do not believe in any more bone-throwers. I have found a medicine in the newspaper. I can swear that in case of colds and whooping cough, which does so much harm to children, I have never found Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to fail. I advise you to buy it now and you will never have occasion to go to bone-throwers, who are bound to say that the cause of this illness is witch doctors or offended ancestors and you have to slaughter a sheep to cleanse the sick and cure your child is cured."

(Signed) F. MOKHALL, Monastery, O. R. C.

APPLICATION TO PARLIAMENT

Notice is hereby given that application will be made by the Corporation of the City of London to the Legislature of Ontario, at its next session, for an act:

1.—To confirm and validate the following by-laws, namely:

(a) By-law No. 327, to provide for raising money to pay for the construction of the pavements therein referred to, and to levy the rates to meet the debentures to be issued therefor, passed on the 21st day of December, A. D. 1908.

(b) By-law No. 328, to provide for the

(c) Bylaw No. 3329, to provide for raising moneys to pay for the construction of the tile sewers therein referred to, and to levy the rates to meet the debentures to be issued therefor, passed on the 21st day of December, A. D. 1908.

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(b) Bylaw No. 3330, to consolidate the several provisions of the debentures referred to in the bylaws above mentioned, and to provide for raising by debentures the city's share of the cost of the improvement in the said bylaws mentioned, which is to be raised by specified instalments, passed on the 21st day of December, A. D. 1908.

(c) Bylaw No. 3340, to provide for the issue of 35,000 debentures for the purpose of raising the cost of the improvement above the 1st day of February, A. D. 1909.

2.—To amend the London Waterworks Act, 1873, and amending acts, by providing

may be increased, and that the water commissioners for the City of London shall have power, in addition to the powers conferred upon them by the said acts, to operate, manage and control the city's plant and machinery for the distribution of electric light and power in the City of London.

3.—To authorize and permit the Council of the Corporation of the City of London to submit to the electors of the city for

their assent, and it assented to by the electors, to pass a bylaw for the issue of \$100,000 debentures, to apply the proceeds of the debentures in the purchase of land in the City of London for sites for factories, and to lease the said lands, in such parcels, at such times and upon such rentals, terms and conditions in all

4.—To authorize the Council of the Corporation of the City of London to pay over to the London Health Association the proceeds of the debentures authorized to be issued by the said bylaw No. 3340.

5.—That the existing debenture debt of the said City of London be further improved by the said Council by the issue of new debentures, to meet such portion thereof as is payable by the said Corporation at large, is as follows:

General debenture debt.....	\$2,413,488.61
Waterworks	601,153.36

Consumption Hospital	5,000 00
Electric power distribution	235,000 00
plant	
Total	\$3,254,647 98

The reason for requiring the above issue of debentures referred to in paragraph three of this notice, is the necessity for providing sites for factories in the said city:

And for other purposes.

Dated at London, this 15th day of February, A. D. 1908.

93n-18,25,M4,11,18,25
S. BAKER,
City Clerk.

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Notice is hereby given that application will be made by the Corporation of the City of London to the Legislature of Ontario at its next session for an act:

1.—To confirm and validate the by-law No. 3342, respecting the Globe Cashe Co. Company, passed on the 15th day of February, A. D. 1909, whereby the assessment of the said company is fixed for a period of twenty years from the date of the said by-law.

- 2.-To provide that the annual municipal elections in the said City of London shall be held on the first Year's Day.
- 3.-To authorize and permit the Council of the Corporation of the City of London to renew the exemption of the London Rolling Mills Company for the year 1905 by a vote of two-thirds of all the members of said Council.
- 4.-To permit the Corporation of the City of London to apply the unexpended portion of the moneys realized from the

5.—To amend Section 133 of the Ontario Railway Act, 1906, so as to provide that the Corporation of the City of London may lease the London Street Railway Company to run their cars on Sundays, under and subject to such terms as may be determined by the Corporation.

And for other purposes.

Dated at London, this 17th day of February, A. D. 1909.

93n-18,25,M4,11,18,25 S. BAKER,
City Clerk.

The London Waterworks

TENDERS

Sealed tenders will be received at the waterworks office up to 4 p.m. Monday, March 1, 1909, for the following supplies for the waterworks

Brass fittings, coal, hardware
hydrants, valves and valve boxes, iron
castings, lead pipe, lumber, lubricating
oils, cast-iron pipe, and laying same;
printing and bookbinding, stop-cock
boxes, rubber goods, cotton waste
brooms, brass polish, incandescent
lamps.

Specifications may be seen at Moore
Henry & Munro's office, Carling Block
London, Ont.

Lowest or any tender not

WM. JONES, Chairman,
JOHN M. MOORE, Engineer and
Superintendent.

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OIL SPRINGS MAN HAS DISAPPEARED

Mr. Jacob Hauch May Have Been Waylaid and Murdered for His Money.

Sarnia, Feb. 24. — It is feared by the family and friends of Jacob Hauch, of Oil Springs, who formerly lived in Port Huron, that he has been waylaid, robbed and murdered. He left his wife and four children on Wednesday, the 10th inst., to go to Berlin to visit his father, and has not been heard of since. Hauch reached Sarnia all right, but after that he disappeared completely. His family, expecting a letter from him, waited a week before making inquiries. His friends in Berlin have no clue to his whereabouts.

When Hauch left home he had \$650 in his pocket and carried a gold watch. He was 30 years of age, and was a prosperous hay and grain buyer.

The police of Port Huron and Berlin as well as Sarnia are endeavoring to clear up the mystery of the man's disappearance.

Hauch wore a dark grey suit, navy blue short overcoat, and navy blue sweater, when he left home. He also had a black fedora hat and a Forestaugh riding cap. He was 5 feet 8 inches high, and has a fair complexion and smooth face; aged about 20 years.

BOND GOT TO QUIT OPPOSITION WINS

Political Crisis in Newfoundland Resolves New Election, St. Johns, Nfld., Feb. 24.—Following the issuance tonight of a proclamation by Governor Macdonald postponing the opening of the Legislature from tomorrow until March 4, Sir Robert Bond, the premier in opposition, has announced that his resignation would be handed in this day or tomorrow.

This announcement means that the downfall of the Bond Government is at hand, and that the Opposition leader, Sir Edward Morris, will be called upon to form an administration.

RALPH CONNOR, ARBITRATOR.

Ottawa, Feb. 24.—Rev. C. W. Gordon of Winnipeg, better known as "Rebublican" Bond, the novelist, will represent the Winnipeg Cattle Company on the board of arbitration and conciliation which will deal with the dispute between the company and its men as to wages, etc.

"Rebublican" has been named as arbitrator by the department, the company having failed to make a selection.

The employees will be represented by H. J. Murray, counsel for labor interests in the west.

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A dark, vertical, textured strip, possibly a book binding or a piece of fabric, showing signs of wear and discoloration. The strip is narrow and runs vertically, with a rough, uneven surface. It appears to be part of a larger object, possibly a book or a piece of clothing, as suggested by the context of the image. The lighting is somewhat uneven, with a lighter area on the left side and a darker area on the right. There are some small, light-colored spots and fibers visible on the surface, indicating wear or damage. The overall appearance is that of an old, worn object.

ALL THE NEWS
THAT IS NEWSSETS NEW WORLD'S
POLE VAULT MARK

Jacobs, Chicago University Lad,
Puts Record at 12 Feet
3 Inches.

Chicago, Feb. 25.—Claire Jacobs, the University of Chicago pole vaulter, set a new world's record of 12 feet 3 inches in this event last night at Bartlett gymnasium. The Midway vaulter set the wonderful mark in a superb exhibition that far surpassed anything ever seen in an indoor athletic contest. The performance was the crowning event of the maroon C. A. A. meet which ended in a 48 to 23 victory for the university.

Jacobs' new mark breaks his own world's record of 11 feet 9 1/2 inches, made at the First Regiment open meet last month and sets a new standard in the art of pole vaulting. Jacobs broke his record twice, for he vaulted the bar at 11 feet 9 inches before his first performance. He won the pole vault easily, and on his first exhibition trial he vaulted this height with easily six inches to spare. The mark was measured by the officials and the standards raised on mats to allow the attempt at 12 feet 3 inches.

The remarkable height of the bar looked like an impossibility, but Jacobs got a perfect start and just cleared the bar, five inches higher than his previous performance and seven inches higher than the previous world's record record held by himself. The athlete was given an ovation by the audience.

MIDGETS DEFEATED
JUNIOR DUTCHMEN

Berlin Loses to the Fast Team From
the Classic City.

Stratford, Feb. 24.—The Stratford Midgets defeated the Berlin juniors in the first of O. H. A. semi-finals here tonight by a score of 8 to 1. At first time the score was 2 to 0. In the first half the ice was sticky, but hardened up considerably in the second half. Stratford ran off some superb combination work, and easily had it on the Dutchmen for good clean play. Reinhardt, the visitors' goalkeeper, played a magnificent game, and blocked many likely shots.

Boettger and Arnold both showed up well.

The Midgets found it impossible to locate the nets in the first half, and it was 20 minutes before a goal was notched. In the last period they showed greatly improved form, and had the Dutchmen's defence busy all the time. Bradshaw and Kilduff were in the frontline for the Midgets.

The lineup:
Berlin—Goal, Reinhardt; point, Boettger; cover, Bates; rover, Schlegel; left, N. Seibert; right, F. Seibert; centre, Arnold.

Stratford—Goal, Dillon; point, Richards; cover, Bates; rover, Schlegel; left, Dorland; right, Bradshaw; centre, Simpson.

Referee—Hancock.

MEADOWS MATCHED
WITH THE ITALIAN

Will Race Dorando Twelve Miles at
Toronto Tuesday.

Toronto, Feb. 24.—Tom Flanagan has matched Fred Meadows, of Guelph, to run Dorando twelve miles at the Riverside rink on Tuesday night next. It ought to make one of the finest races Toronto ever saw. Dorando smashed the world's indoor record for ten miles, five miles and four miles, and ran one of the fastest and cleverest eighteen miles that this struggle ever seen in America. He is certainly the fastest runner in fifteen miles, and Shrubbs may have his troubles in beating him at Buffalo tomorrow night.

Meadows has been training six weeks, having quit work, and will be here in a day or two. He ran in the Olympic trials of the Canadian team at London, the fastest five miles ever done by a Canadian, in 25:30. He won his heat in the Olympic games at five miles, and was fourth in the final. He will be handled by Tom Flanagan. In this race, Meadows is so confident of winning that he has agreed that the winner take all. It will be Dorando's first appearance in Canada, and Meadows' first professional effort.

BRANTFORD TO MEET
GALT AT GUELPH

Brantford, Feb. 24.—The Brantford hockey professionals will keep their date with Galt at Guelph on Feb. 26.

Manager Roy Brown has signed Chuck Turner, and "Newsy" Lalonde, of the Toronto pros, to play against Galt in Guelph tomorrow night. Turner will replace Meade between the sticks, while Lalonde will oust either Mercer or Ward.

Now that Galt has proved to be the winner of the Ontario Professional League, it is not known whether they will compete for the Stanley Cup or not. They have had no money, and there is no reason whatever why they should not try for it.

They appear to have as good a claim as any other of the probable contenders. Still it is doubtful if Bruck Irving's team would be able to lift the coveted silverware.

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COBB LOSES IN
SEVENTH ROUND

Star Bout of Windsor Athletic
Club's Card Terminates
Suddenly.

Detroit, Feb. 25.—The fight between Harry Cobb, of Detroit, and Charley Kennedy, of New York, at the Windsor A. C. last night, came to a sudden ending in the seventh round, when Cobb dropped out of a close mixup and rolled over on the floor, unconscious. Cobb's seconds claimed a foul. Kennedy insisted that he hit the Detroit fighter above the belt. No decision was given by Referee Billy Rooks.

The fight had been a pretty one up to the seventh. Kennedy showed himself the better man, and, resorting almost solely to kidney punches, had Cobb rather worn out when, what proved to be the final round, started. Neither man showed any too much aggression. Cobb rather played a slow, waiting game. Cobb, however, constantly moving, found in his opponent a boy who succeeded in keeping him off his feet. Many of Cobb's blows went wild. Only two of them seemed to have the least effect.

Kennedy failed to show any mark of punishment. His head was bruised, and the swelling on his kidneys told plainly the effect of the never-ceasing hammering that Kennedy directed to that portion of Cobb's body.

FRANK GOTCH MATCHED
TO THROW ROGERS

Was an Exhibition Bout, But the
Champion Did His Best.

Toronto, Feb. 24.—Yankee Rogers went on with Champion Frank Gotch at the Star Theatre here, with the determination to earn the \$50 offered by the management if Gotch failed to beat him in the first round. It was the opinion of the crowd who thought that Rogers earned the money. There were times when it looked as if Gotch would win, but Rogers, who had succeeded in getting out of difficulty, Rogers was on the defensive almost all the time. After seven minutes' work, however, he went after Gotch, but the latter soon made him resort to defensive tactics. The finish came with the men doing a mauling act of the mat. Gotch's work was a revelation to those who had never seen the champion in action.

BARRY AND ARNST

Will Probably Scull on Thames in the
Summer.

London, Feb. 25.—Ernest Barry, the English champion, and Richard Arnst, of Berlin, will probably meet for the title and \$2,500 a side on the Thames next August, or September.

"Arnst is the greatest sculler of the present day," says Geo. Towns, "and take it from me, he will very soon be a champion of champions. I picked him to have the makings of a great rower, and for some weeks I trained him myself. You can't pick a sculler, but the slightest doubt that Arnst will beat anyone in the world in a sculling match. His recent performance in New Zealand was not a surprise to me, as it was to so many of the public, for I knew his worth, and that when he rowed against the present day's greatest sculler of the present day."

THE RUNNERS

It was Tommy Longboat or nothing. The first Marathon race on the Pacific Coast was run under the auspices of the Olympic Club of San Francisco, and was won by Olo Bodicker in 2:40 1/2. The race was run on the Pacific Coast, and was won by Olo Bodicker in 2:40 1/2. The race was run on the Pacific Coast, and was won by Olo Bodicker in 2:40 1/2.

GOOD BASKETBALL
FOR THIS EVENING

There are two good games booked in the Y. M. C. A. for tonight. The Tigers and Midgets have met before, and it was an even chance as to which would win out. The Midgets only pulling out a win by one point. Tonight's game will be just about as much of a gamble as ever.

The second game between the Shamrocks and Wizards will be scarcely less exciting. The Shamrocks are seeking a strong bid for the championship, and look more or less likely, but there's many a slip. Kenny Casselman and Frank George on the defense have not a bit of permitting score when they can help it. To do them justice they seem to have the habit of being able to help it. The moral is that the Shamrocks are good, and the Wizards are good, and it would take a clever man to pick the winner before the game is over tonight.

THE RING.
HOW DRISCOLL DID IT.

New York, Feb. 25.—Driscoll stripped to the skin last Friday night before he stepped on the scales. The team was set at 125 pounds. Driscoll was not waver. Attell stepped on the scales wearing a woollen shirt, and after the beam had failed to move Al Lippe weighed him, and he came in at 125 1/2. Driscoll's manager declined to show what the Englishman scaled, but as there could not have been much more than a pound in his excess at 6 o'clock, it is doubtful if Driscoll had more than a pound in his favor when they entered the ring.

THE TOUCH OF THE RIGHT HAND IS
GENERALLY MORE SENSITIVE THAN THE LEFT.

Cork is the bark of a kind of oak tree found chiefly in Spain and Portugal.

Coverpoint's Philosophy

And now comes a wall from Toronto, Ont., to the effect that the last pro. game looked like a frameup between Toronto and Brantford, and that the demon athletes who are paid in real coin of the realm did not play the game of their lives, as they say on the sporting page. We suspected something of the sort, and that is one of the chief reasons why we do not love this great pro. game. For in stance, the Halleybury people are not now in love with their hired men because they were ruled off so many times for rough-house business. This money game is a lovely one, make no mistake, and if a number of pro hockey players find that they must don the white apron next winter for Job, they should not be surprised, and it would be a good thing for the game. The Hamilton Spectator man should look these contests over, and tell what he thinks of them.

Chatham has gone into a Michigan league with Port Huron and some other towns. A league like that has been in existence before, and it lasted just long enough for somebody to get to it, and break it up. Joe Jackson, the Detroit Free Press boxing editor, is head of this league, and he may pull it together for a time, but it does not look like a stay.

There are some things that should find favor this Lenten season, and one of them is that the Toronto pros. should do a month's long penance for their hockey sins. They certainly need to repent for some of them.

Fred Simpson, the Indian, seems to have done remarkable work under Tom Eck's training. His record-breaking ten miles last evening being between now and next fall. His record will give Alf Shrubbs something to beat, provided, of course, somebody has not been cheating on the exact distance.

There was something to the effect that Sokaleks, the wonderful Indian, will come back to the baseball arena, but as he has long since joined the West on the Indian reservation, Out Club, there is no chance. Big Chief Bender, of the Athletics, was about the only redskin to stay away from the sparkling stuff, and he is to retire.

A Cobalt miner offers to give 75 pounds of real silver to be made into

Strong National Team for Pittsburg

The following team will represent the National Alleys at the great Pittsburg tourney: Wm. Karrys, captain; Joe West, C. Sheere, A. Sheere and W. A. Primeau. The team have been bowling in ram form, and are now of bringing home some of the bacon. Alf Sheere has been bowling in grand style. Last evening he

Simpson Breaks the Ten Mile Record

Toronto, Feb. 24.—Fred Simpson, the Indian runner, made good in both his boasts that he would break the Canadian record for the ten-mile run, and beat Dorando's figure, when at the Riverside rink last night he improved his distance in 52:30. This is 1:29 ahead of the Canadian record, made by J. A. Hamilton, at St. Catharines in 1907, and 4:00 2-5 ahead of the record of 56:30 2-5, Dorando made against Longboat at Buffalo. Not only this, but he clipped .85 off Shrubbs' time of 53:15, for the ten miles, and improved himself the premier runner at the distance in Canada. His time, 52:30, is phenomenal, and better than even the most sanguine of his supporters expected.

Simpson ran a fine race, showing great speed, especially in the fifth mile, which he covered in a little over four minutes. Despite the fast pace, he

BELL PHONE TEAM
DEFEATED GERMANS

A very hotly contested game was pulled off at the National Bowling Alleys, when the local staff of the Bell Telephone Company gave battle to the Germans of Galt, with a victory of 34 pins for the former. Scores as follows:

R. L. Stratton	127	152	164	443
C. H. Beard	101	87	139	327
F. Gross	158	172	165	495
C. W. Davis	118	124	126	368
C. Sheere	156	168	202	526
Galt				2138
W. D. Shantz	124	138	162	424
R. D. Kemp	119	110	128	378
A. E. Shantz	141	170	155	466
H. H. Velch	137	178	144	459
Fitz Gross	144	149	134	427
Mr. A. Sheere and A. W. Robinson				2154

KINGSTON NOW TIED
WITH THE T. A. C.

Toronto, Feb. 24.—The T. A. C. players defeated Osgoode Hall team here tonight by a score of 5 goals to 2. At half-time the score was 2 to 1. This victory makes the winners the fifth Kingston. The T. A. C. players defeated Osgoode Hall team here tonight by a score of 5 goals to 2. At half-time the score was 2 to 1. This victory makes the winners the fifth Kingston.

THE TURF.
CEMETERY FOR HORSES.

Palo Alto farm, the late ex-Gov. Leelan Stanford's famous breeding establishment in California, from whose paddocks have come many of the world's great trotters and pacers, is practically but a memory now. The well-known California horseman and philanthropist was not only immensely successful in his breeding business, having made a long and minute study of the breeding problem, but he was truly attached to his horses, and this sentimental trait extended even beyond their lifetime.

Located on the farm is the most extensive equine cemetery in the world. His famous stallions and brood mares, were all laid in graves, over which a stone with proper inscription was raised. Among the best known of these sensational speed progenitors can be named Electioneer, Palo Alto, 2:08 3/4, Dan Wingo Waxans, Sontag, Mohawk, Elaine, 2:20; Mayflower, Sally Benton, 2:17 1/2; Wildflower, 2:21; Norline, and others.

The most recent burial was that of the great brood mare Manette, who died several weeks since. She had given the farm eleven foals, including the world's champion Arion, 2:30 1/2, Oro Fino, 2:18, and the successful sires—Electrowood and Electric.

There is a grave in the cemetery for one more grave in Palo Alto's burial ground, this being intended for Manzanita, 2:16, at one time the world's champion 4-year-old trotter and now 27 years old.

A cord of wood ordinarily yields about one ton of mechanical pulp or about one-half ton of chemical pulp. Cabbage, like all vegetables which have been cultivated from remote times is believed to be of European origin.

HOW THEY PLAY
IN SILVER LEAGUE

Cobalt and Halleybury Mix It Up
in Strenuous Fashion.

That the Cobalt Hockey League games make the Battle of Bull's Run look like a holiday excursion is shown by the following account of the recent game between Halleybury and Cobalt.

Chauncey Kerby, of Ottawa, did not know what he was up against when he came up from Ottawa to referee the first game of the championship series between Cobalt and Halleybury last night. The latter's ice last night. The game was a 7-1 in Cobalt's favor, giving them a safe lead of six goals.

Diastict in the North.

The game was the dirtiest ever seen in this league, and the rough work was of the most deliberate nature. All this work was on the part of the home team, who were carrying the Walter Small and Art Ross, of the Wanderers, who were playing for Cobalt. The game was carried from the ice twice, and small three times to be repaired, but showed pluck in coming back each time. Herb Clarke was the Cobalt man who did not at some time or other during the game have to be assisted to the dressing room.

The first half was very fast hockey. In fact the best ever witnessed in the league. The first mishap was when Harry Smith chopped Campbell over the eye and got two minutes. Bald and Ross came together shortly afterwards, and in the mixup Ross had to be carried off the ice and a big cut in his nose stitched up. The game was delayed fifteen minutes, and Bald went off for two. Ross got another bad blow shortly afterwards, and Harry Smith went off for five minutes. Ridpath was given five minutes for tripping Bald.

The Real Dirty Work.

In the second half the real dirty work commenced. After thirteen minutes of play Small was coming around his own goal with the puck when Galt deliberately made a jump at him and gave him the stick in the stomach. Galt was barred for the rest of the game, and the small fifteen minutes before he regained consciousness. Chad Tom went off for repairs from an accidental blow from Campbell's stick.

Bruce Ridpath Knocked Out.

Ridpath, back-checked Tommy Smith, and the latter, turning, caught him above the eye, necessitating a trip to the dressing room for five minutes. Ridpath just got on the ice and started down on a rush when Harry Smith hit him on the knee with his stick, putting Ridpath out of the game altogether. The referee's back was turned at the time, but the player was lissed from the rink, Roman went off to even up. The last-minute score was 1-0 in Cobalt's favor. Chad Tom was doing the trick in twenty minutes. In the second half Campbell scored in one minute and Tom scored five seconds. Galt scored again, and Ross a minute and a half later. Tom got the final goal in thirty seconds.

ROOSEVELT AFTER
PALE RHINOCEROS

President Hopes to Land White
Specimen on African
Hunt.

Washington, Feb. 24.—Further details of the President's African hunting trip were announced last night.

Among the interesting features is the telling of the trip, which, after telling of the President's 25 years in public service, says:

"Mr. Roosevelt feels he has earned the right to put in a portion of his time in the sport which most appeals to him. He was tired out two years away from the United States for two reasons. First, and recreation in hunting and scientific research are only the minor ones. He intends to go beyond the reach of those persons who, he believes, would inevitably seek, if he were within reach, to use his influence with the administration of President William H. Taft. Mr. Roosevelt is, of course, aware of the manner in which the charge has been circulated that Mr. Taft would be only a Roosevelt man as President, and what ever Mr. Taft as President might do in the matter would be ascribed to Mr. Roosevelt's influence."

In travelling abroad Mr. Roosevelt will make any such tour as did General Grant after retiring from the presidency. Grant was received in state by emperors and kings wherever he went on his tour around the world. He was feted as no other American ever has been. Mr. Roosevelt will avoid all that, it being his desire to travel as a plain American citizen, and spending a good part of his time in the pursuit of game; he will put himself out of the way of social entertainment."

Statements have been made that the game preserves in British East Africa, under control of the British colonial Government are to be opened to the President and his companions.

Guilty of Assassination.

A man, razor in hand, was caught by a wife assassinating not an enemy, but a corn—what he needed was Putnam's Corn Extractor; it's safe, painless and sure. Try "Putnam's"—nothing sells so good.

BOWLING

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YESTERDAY'S GAMES
ON IDEAL ALLEYS

The Cubs, Favorites and Napl
Leads Were the Winners.

There was a busy day at the Ideal alleys yesterday, three games being played. The first, a five-man team game, between the Cubs and the Londoners, was very close, resulting in a win for the former by only 21 pins.

Scott, of the London team, did some good bowling, making a high score of 245 in his second game, and a high aggregate of 861. Richardson, of the Cubs, too, rolled a fine game.

In the three-man league two games were played off. The first, between the Capitals and Favorites, went to the latter by 214 pins. Hammond made a good score of 198 in his first game. In the second game the "Tiers" went down before the Maple Leafs by 211 pins.

Ross, of the Maples, was high man with 223 and 632. The games resulted as follows:

Cubs	100	130	154	444
London	153	154	102	409
Maple Leafs	164	149	108	421
Bennett	159	144	144	447
Richardson	129	194	144	467
Ferron	135	140	104	379
London	799	892	719	2,410

Trick 145 146 151 442
Easton 153 154 102 409
Agar 143 179 148 470
Scott 143 245 179 567
Brooks 140 151 104 395

Cubs won by 21 pins.
Three-Man-Team League.

Capitals	94	109	121	285
Maple Leafs	119	154	148	421
Bel	138	131	147	416
Hammond	198	131	147	476
Cubs	411	445	487	1,343

Favorites.

Dean	189	174	159	522
Plough	131	154	173	458
Kerr	180	177	169	526
Maple Leafs	599	505	492	1,697

Maple Leafs won by 21 pins.
Tomorrow night's games will be as follows: The Cubs and the Stars, and the Specials and Thistles.

MAP ON AN EGG
LED TO LOST GOLD

Water Lines Told Where the
Treasure Buried Years Ago
Could Be Found.

Tyson, Vt., Feb. 24.—Ezra Burt, who lives about a mile east of the Corners, has a hen which no amount of money will buy. It is a scrawny, ill-appearing fowl with bedraggled feathers and a semi-bald head, and that is more it has laid only one egg in its entire two years' existence. Still, old Betsy, as the hen is called, has a niche in Ezra's heart, and gets the very best grain the farm affords.

The secret of all this is that the one egg Betsy laid contained on its shell a raised water line map of the spot where old Jeremiah Burt, Ezra's great-grandfather, buried his gold at the time of the revolutionary war, and with the aid of this map Ezra recovered the treasure. Just how much this was no one has been able to find out, but it is known that the mortgage on the farm has been paid off and the Burt family is living in comfort.

The Burt's gave up hunting for the secreted wealth 40 years ago, after they had searched and dug until they were tired out. They knew that the paternal Burt sunk his gold somewhere in the earth, and went off to war without telling his family where he had placed it; further than that it was on the farm.

Last summer a gypsy came along selling heads and faces of men, and offered to go into a trance and solve the treasure riddle, provided Ezra bought a dollar's worth of her wares. Burt took up the offer, and in her trance the woman said that some day an old scrawny hen would lay an egg on which would be found a map. If this were followed the treasure would be found. Ezra thought he was "stuffed," but he paid the dollar.

Nothing more happened until a month ago, when Betsy was found in the wood box behind the kitchen stove. Horrified at the idea of having a hen in her kitchen, Mrs. Burt shoed her out, and was surprised to find an egg nesting in the shavings. The egg had peculiar raised lines on the shell, and Ezra was called. He remembered the prophecy of the gypsy and carefully studied the shell. Sure enough, there was a map with a little star at the base of an old maple tree in the sugar orchard.

With a pick and shovel, Burt set forth and an hour later returned with a discolored copper soap kettle heavy with gold. The gypsy kept the secret until the mortgage was paid, when it became common property.

THE TURF.
WINNERS YESTERDAY.

Tampa, Fla., Feb. 24.—Summaries: Moyes 4 to 1, Lady Carolina 30 to 1, Daily Bullman 8 to 1, Anna Smith 5 to 1, Rutaba 8 to 5, Expectev even.

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 25.—Summaries: Great Heavens 8 to 5, Mike Molesta 2 to 5, La Gloria 3 to 1, Ethon 16 to 5, County Clerk 15 to 1, Erados 18 to 5, Progress 5 to 1.

While the United States consumed about 17 per cent of the total world's production of 1887, it consumed 22 per cent of the greatly increased production of 1907.

Further details are to hand with reference to a remarkable Norwegian invention, the fishing telephone. A microphone, the role of which consists in amplifying submarine sounds, is shut up in a thin, water-tight steel box, and kept in constant communication with a tall wire with a telephone receiver installed on the fishing boat. It is stated that with this apparatus the fisherman is always informed of the approach of fish. Each kind of fish gives in the instrument a particular sound. Thus the arrival of herring is signified by a sort of whistling; the codfish announces its arrival in the neighborhood by a sort of grunting.

SIDE LIGHTS ON
MANY SPORTSHAVOC FOLLOWS
FLOOD IN SOUTH

Two Deaths Are Indirectly Caus-
ed by Furious Storm

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 23.—Storm and flood conditions throughout Kentucky and especially in Louisville and vicinity today in many instances caused a suspension of business, an interruption to transportation by rail routes, and much damage to property. Many persons had to flee to high ground with their movable property.

Rain fell in torrents last night and today over a territory extending from central Indiana south through Kentucky and into Tennessee and Central Georgia, but the storm was the severest in this state.

Benton Keith, a boy, hurrying home from school in the blinding rain, was struck by a Louisville street car and killed. Otto Reiser, a grocer, and his negro helper, were injured by the caving in of a sewer under the weight of their horse. A horse was drowned in the under pass of the Illinois Central Railroad and several more were swept away in flooded creeks near Fisherville. Street car traffic in Louisville suffered severely.

Water stands a foot deep at the entrance to Churchill Downs and many stables on the famous race course are flooded.

In Southern Indiana all streams are rising and the Ohio is above the flood stage at Evansville. Near Carmi, Ill., a Big Four freight car went into a washout. A brakeman was killed and the conductor injured.

Atlanta, Ga., was visited by a heavy rain last night. There was considerable precipitation at Memphis during the morning hours, which gave way to a hard winter storm at noon, and Nashville reported a hard all-day rain.

PLAN REGULAR
AERIAL SERVICE

Engineers Contemplate Establish-
ing Airship Stations in
29 Towns.

Berlin, Feb. 24.—The German Aero Stations Company, which was founded four months ago by three groups of aeronauts and set, respectively, has been conducting negotiations with the municipal authorities of those towns in Germany, which it is proposed to establish a regular service of airships.

The engineers employed by this company have worked out plans for airship stations in 29 different towns, and have negotiated with the municipal authorities of these places with the view of obtaining the necessary land. Each station for airships will require, approximately ten acres of ground.

The arrangements for anchoring the airships will be carried out with an apparatus patented by the company, by which the assistance of the large balloons, now required, would be made the airship to an anchor and it slowly into the shed. Each station will be equipped in three large sheds, each of which will be 8 feet wide and 35 feet high. Three airships will be able to anchor or obtain refuge at each station at the same time.

In foggy weather captive balloons will be sent up a considerable height, equipped with four powerful electric lamps. The captive balloons will be able to trail lights intended to indicate the traveling airships where they can find anchorage and refuge.

To Start Airship Service.
The Aero Stations Company has already selected suitable plots of ground in numerous towns, and it is expected that of these will be speedily and rented according to a statement issued by the company of Frankfurt today, the establishment of a regular airship service by means of 29 German towns may now be regarded as a certainty.

Following the example of the University

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DRESSED HOGS SOLD AT \$9.50

Poultry Supply on Market Today
Was Very Small.

HAY QUOTED AT \$10 TO \$11

Oats Brought \$1.20 to \$1.25—Other
Quotations on Local Square.

The weatherman was again blamed for the small market today, and although the weather catalogue has been very nearly exhausted this winter, very few days have been satisfactory to the average farmer.

A number of dressed hogs were brought in, and sold from \$9.25 to \$9.75, but two hogs selling at the latter price. The prevailing price was \$9.50.

Several loads of oats were sold at prices ranging from \$1.20 to \$1.25. No wheat was offered.

Hay was quoted at \$10 to \$11, but was of rather inferior quality when compared with yesterday's offerings. Straw prices are unchanged.

Two farmers offered the poultry shed, and were in danger of being blown away on numerous occasions as the wind swept through in a really delightful manner.

Butchers' meats sold readily. In fact, there was a good demand for all lines of produce, and farmers returned to their homes, many of them before 11 o'clock.

The following is the price list:

Grain.	
Wheat, per bu.	\$1.20 to \$1.25
Oats, per bu.	1.20 to 1.25
Corn, per bu.	1.15 to 1.20
Rye, per bu.	1.10 to 1.15
Barley, per bu.	1.05 to 1.10
Flour, per cwt.	1.10 to 1.15
Peas, per cwt.	1.05 to 1.10
Buckwheat, per cwt.	1.10 to 1.15
Beans, per bu.	1.10 to 1.15
Rye, per cwt.	1.05 to 1.10

Hides and Wool.	
Wool, washed, lb.	14 to 15
Wool, unwashed, lb.	13 to 14
Hides, No. 1, lb.	9 to 10
Hides, No. 2, lb.	8 to 9
Hides, No. 3, lb.	7 to 8
Tallow, rendered, lb.	5 to 6
Calves, each	60 to 80
Sheepskins, each	60 to 80
Calves, No. 1, lb.	11 to 12
Calves, No. 2, lb.	10 to 11

Poultry Dressed.	
Turkeys, per lb.	19 to 21
Geese, each	1.20 to 1.40
Ducks, per lb.	1.10 to 1.20
Chickens, per lb.	1.05 to 1.15
Old fowl, per lb.	9 to 11

Poultry, Alive.	
Turkeys, per lb.	17 to 18
Geese, per lb.	9 to 10
Ducks, per lb.	12 to 13
Chickens, per lb.	12 to 13
Old fowl, per lb.	9 to 10

Live Stock.	
Select hogs, cwt.	6.50 to 7.50
Fat sows, cwt.	4.25 to 4.50
Stags, per cwt.	2.00 to 2.50
Export cattle, cwt.	2.00 to 2.50
Milk cows, each	20 to 50

Vegetables.	
Potatoes, per bag	60 to 65
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Toronto dealers are paying for country stock, laid down here: Hides, all weights, \$1.20 to \$1.25.

The prices for stock being paid by dealers at country points, \$1.20 to \$1.25; calves, \$1.20 to \$1.25; hogs, \$1.20 to \$1.25; sheep, \$1.20 to \$1.25; skins, present take-off, \$1.20 to \$1.25; horse hides, No. 1, \$1.20 to \$1.25.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CITY CATTLE MARKET. Toronto, Feb. 24.—With three light runs in succession, the market was quite active today and prices are from 10c to 15c higher for average and choice butcher cattle. With the Montreal market a little off this week, owing it is said, to the approach of the Lenten season, which affects that market to a greater extent than it does our own local market, the home buyers have had that much less competition than they would have had if the Montreal market had been more active. With the small number of cattle offered this week, buyers were disposed to bid out for higher prices, while buyers were in hopes of a heavier run towards the close of the week, and in many cases preferred buying for a day or two. In view, however, of still another light run, and the fact that the market was not cleared up, buyers were a little more cautious, and the market was not so active as it had been.

For choice butcher cattle or light export, prices were firm at around \$15 to \$16.50. Light export cattle of only medium quality were firm at \$15 to \$16.50. Medium quality were steady, but perhaps not any higher, and the market was not so active as it had been. The market was not so active as it had been.

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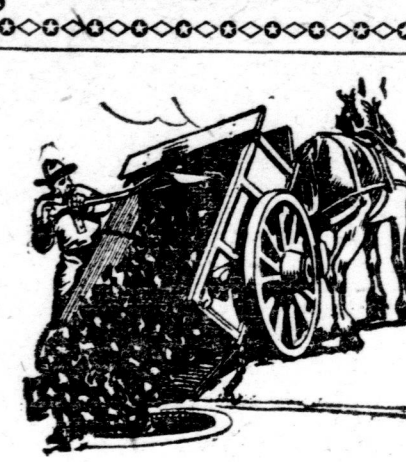
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City and District

—The clearings of the local banks
for the current week amounted to
\$992,221.

—Next Sunday promises to be very
interesting at the Y. M. C. A. Aud-
itorium, Viceroy Hotel, when his wife
and little Rae, the New Zealanders,
will give by song, story and picture,
a portrayal of their native life and
their rise from cannibalism to Chris-
tianity. On Monday they will give an
entertainment in the Auditorium
which is open to the public. The
meeting on Sunday is open to men
only.

Card of Thanks.

Mr. Homer Stott desires to thank all
those who were so kind to himself and
Mrs. Stott during their bereavement in
the death of their son, Hugo Stott.

Laymen's Banquet.

The laymen of Dundas Centre
Church will hold a banquet in con-
nection with the missionary movement
in this city on Tuesday evening next.
There will be a number of addresses
given by local speakers and two spe-
cial ones by President C. J. German
and Mr. James Acton, of Toronto.

A Lecture.

Rev. Canon Tucker will deliver an

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other of his instructive lectures on

Friday night, at Huron College. His

subject will be "The Religions of

India." The lecture will start at 8

o'clock, sharp.

Death of Mrs. Winslow.

Mrs. Ann J. Winslow, wife of Mr.

James Winslow, of 576 Horton street,

died at her home last night, after a

brief illness. Mrs. Winslow was 74

years old and besides her husband is

light which he purposes to cast upon

the principles and evolution of art

from his study of the ancient Hebrew

writings. The lecture will be amply

illustrated with charts and drawings on

a large scale. It begins at 8 o'clock

sharp.

Present Speaker.

Mr. John Penman, of Paris, who

is the chairman of the provincial com-

mittee of the Young Men's Christian

Association, invited a representative of

the various denominations of the city

to meet with him at dinner at the

Tecumseh House last week, in order

to confer about bringing to the city

Mr. Charles R. Drum, of Syracuse, N.

Y., in conjunction with the work of

the Young Men's Christian Associa-

tion religious work. It was decided to

have Mr. Drum spend Wednesday,

Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sun-

day, holding men's meetings and con-

ferences, and the following schedule

has been arranged: Wednesday, 4 p.

m., meeting in the association parlors;

London South; Thursday noon, shop

meeting; Thursday night, meeting and

conference of representatives of all

the city men's league and brother-

hood pastors; and Sunday school

superintendents; Friday noon, shop

meeting; Friday evening, conference

of workers; Saturday, special groups

of workers; Sunday, 4 p.m., men's

mass meeting.

PROF. CHAS. R. DRUM,

Of Syracuse, N. Y., Who Will Hold

Several Lectures on the

City Next Week.

SPECIAL NOTICE, CONTESTANTS

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property passed to the Earl of Pem-

broke, and through him to the Earl of

Lancaster, and when that great family

died out, it returned to the crown, and

in 1338 was granted to another crusad-

ing order, The Knights Hospitallers of

St. John of Jerusalem, who held it till

their order was disbanded in the reign

of Henry VIII.

In the early part of 1343 the Hospi-

talers leased parcels of it to the lay stu-

dents, a rapidly-increasing class, and

by degrees its warlike character gave

place to the studious quiet, only broken

when Mr. Taylor and his rebels burst

for a moment on their quiet lives and

relieved them of the care of such val-

uables as they possessed. Since that

time its life has been quiet, and so has

become the haunts of men of genius.

Swift, Addison, Goldsmith, Sterne,

Smollett, and even the great Dr. John-

son, loved its shaded cloister, and often

came to drink their glass of ale at the

little inn that then was the feature

of its life. It is a place very dear to

all lovers of Dickens, for here is still

to be found Tom Pinch's fountain,

where Tom and his sister used to meet,

in the happiest time of their life, and

the whole atmosphere of the place is

redolent of the spirit of the master

story teller.

GROCERS ARE AGAIN

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Will Likely Ask the Council to Increase

the Cost of License.

The members of the Grocer's Asso-

ciation will in all probability ask the

council in the very near future to raise

the license of peddlers on the city

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Mr. Frank Speaight, of London,

England, will be the guest of honor

at the Canadian Club luncheon which

will be held in the Masonic Temple