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**THAW'S FIGHT
FOR LIFE IS ON****New York Believes "Unwritten Law" Will Be Defense.****TO AID IN SELECTING JURY****Women Spectators May Be Barred From Courtroom—Great Preparations to Report the Trial.**

New York, Jan. 23.—The trial of Harry K. Thaw for killing Stanford White will begin today before Justice Fitzgerald in the criminal branch of the supreme court. Two talesmen have been summoned, and it is expected that it will take at least a week to fill the jury box.

The selection of the jury will be one of the important features of the case, and during the examination of the talesmen it is expected that the line of defense will in a measure be indicated. Criminal lawyers generally have taken an interest in the case, and it is their opinion that the "unwritten law" and emotional insanity will play a large part in the efforts of Thaw's lawyers. This being so, it is expected that Thaw's counsel will endeavor to obtain only such jurors as would be influenced by the plea indicated.

Thaw may elect jury. Thaw is said to have been studying up criminal trials during the last few days. It is understood that he intends to take an active part in the selection of a jury. Thaw will be seated beside his counsel, at the head of which will be Mr. Harridge. Mr. Demas, the California lawyer, will play an important part later in Thaw's defense. On the prosecution's side there will be District Attorney Jerome and Assistant District Attorney Garvan. The latter will attend mostly to the selection of the jury, while Mr. Jerome will cross-examine the defendant's witnesses, and conduct the direct examination of most of the people's witnesses.

Of Thaw's family there will be in court his mother, his wife, his two sisters—Mrs. Carnegie and a Countess of Yarmouth—and his brother Edward. The Thaws will occupy seats directly behind the defendant. This was arranged yesterday.

Women May Be Barred. There will be no room for outsiders, certainly not while the jury is being selected. It has been suggested that women be not allowed into the courtroom at all, except the women of the Thaw family, and those that are on duty for the newspapers.

Great preparations have been made to report the trial. One company has strung wires into the courtroom, and a telegraph office has been erected temporarily on the main floor. Many out-of-town newspapers will have reporters present, and even London and Paris are expected to send correspondents, so widespread is the interest in the remarkable tragedy.

Scenes of Disorder. Scenes approaching absolute disorder, attended the opening of the trial of Harry K. Thaw, in this city, on the charge of murdering Stanford White. Most of the clashes were between reporters and correspondents and the police. Of the newspapermen there were perhaps 200, and the police force was composed of each. Great squads of bluecoats were commanded by police inspectors. Only about 50 newspaper writers were admitted, the remainder of the space in the courtroom being reserved for the 200 talesmen summoned on the special jury panel. When the newspapermen had been disposed of, there seemed to be more policemen than any others in the neighborhood of the big building. The public had been warned in advance not to attempt to get into the courtroom, and few appeared.

The quarrels with the police, which had filled the hour preceding the trial, were quickly forgotten at 10 o'clock, when William Thaw, of Pittsburgh, the mother of the young defendant, appeared in the courtroom. She was dressed in her customary black and was veiled.

Following her came the Countess of Yarmouth and Mrs. George Lauder Carnegie, her daughters. Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, wife of Harry, came next, and was closely followed by May MacKenzie, the actress, to whose home Evelyn Thaw fled the night of the tragedy on the Madison Square Roof Garden, June 25 last. The party of relatives was completed by Edward Thaw, Harry's brother, and George Carnegie, his brother-in-law.

Thaw to the Bar. When the rollcall had been completed, Mr. Jerome moved that the trial proceed. Justice Fitzgerald admonished the throng in the courtroom that absolute order be maintained throughout the hearing.

"Harry K. Thaw to the bar," shouted the clerk, and there was a hush of expectancy. The prisoner appeared almost instantly from the jury room. He walked somewhat nervously at first, but when he caught sight of his mother and wife, and the other members of his family, his somewhat solemn face lighted into a smile. He bowed graciously as he passed to his seat beside his counsel.

Thaw wore a dark blue suit and carried a plaid ultra overcoat on his arm. It was rather chilly in the courtroom, and Thaw threw the coat about his shoulders. Without further ado, the task of selecting a jury was begun.

**Coldest Night of Winter
Mercury Down to 10 Below**

My, what a dip. The mercury almost slipped through the bottom of the bulb last night. For the first time this winter it dropped below zero. Through the night the lowest registration was 10 below, and this morning at 8 o'clock the weather man was holding his own. But in the crisp, bright sunshine of the morning the people of London did not appear to feel the cold. Ten degrees above zero on a damp day is worse than 10 below when the weather is hard and dry. Nevertheless, there was not a little plumbing put out of business last night.

People who have been in the habit of allowing faucets to run to keep them from freezing are afraid to take a chance now for fear the inspector will call around and cut off the supply. Consequently, many outside hydrants were split by the frost last night. The fall of snow has provided light sleighing in some quarters, and the merry jingle of the sleighbells is now heard on the fashionable avenues.

**SEVEN MEMBERS OF A METCALFE
FAMILY DOWN WITH SMALLPOX****Disease Also Makes Its Appearance in Home of Mount Brydges Postmaster.**

Smallpox in this district appears to be spreading, in spite of the efforts of the health authorities to check it. A dispatch from Strathroy announces that there are seven cases of smallpox in the home of Mr. Duncan McAlpine, of the township of Metcalfe, near Walker's postoffice.

So far the authorities are at a loss to account for the outbreak, as none of the family had been in the smallpox district. Dr. Elliott has quarantined the house, and has taken every necessary precaution.

Yesterday another case of smallpox in this section was reported. It is in Mount Brydges, in the home of Mr. H. A. Bartlett, the postmaster there.

About a month ago Mr. Bartlett's cousin, Mr. Wm. Lockford, came to visit him from Moosejaw. He was only at Mr. Bartlett's a week or so when he took ill.

Smallpox was not suspected for some days, when the family physician called in Medical Health Officer Hutchinson, of London, who is an expert on such diseases.

Dr. Hutchinson pronounced it to be a mild case of smallpox, and the patient was at once placed in quarantine.

Dr. Hutchinson reports that the young girl in the local isolation hospital is improving rapidly.

**CITY READY TO
MAINTAIN SCHOOL?****Location of Hygienic Institute in London Said to Depend on That Point.**

Is the city of London ready to agree to pay the cost of maintenance for all time of a hygienic institute? It was said at the city hall today that upon this question depends whether London shall get the institution.

The Government, it was declared, thinks that if it establishes the school, the city might maintain it.

Several of the aldermen think not. They are of the opinion that the people might be induced to vote a sum sufficient to provide a site for the institute, but that they would not be willing to go further.

All are ready to admit that the hygienic institute would place London on a high plane from a medical education standpoint, and that this city would be the western mecca of medical men in search of higher knowledge. But the aldermen fear the shouldering of an annual expenditure of \$15,000 or \$20,000 at any time to come.

It has also been pointed out that the moment the institute was established here, there would be a great influx of patients from all over the western peninsula to local hospitals, and the already overcrowded Victoria Hospital would have to have its capacity doubled.

Though it is not known to many Londoners, Victoria Hospital is at all times crowded to the doors, and it is not infrequently the case that patients are kept waiting for weeks for a room. If the city builds an isolation hospital, the rooms now occupied by contagious patients will be turned over for other patients, and some of the congestion will be removed, but this extra accommodation will be scarcely adequate, it is said, if the hygienic institute comes to London, and doctors from outside send their patients here in large numbers.

The whole matter is likely to come before the council shortly, when more light will be thrown on the Government's attitude on the question.

SUING FOR \$10,000. Ottawa, Jan. 23.—The widow of Cornelius O'Leary, C. P. R. conductor, who was killed on his way to church last summer, is suing the street railway company for \$10,000 damages. The case is in the high courts.

TWENTY BELOW. Williamsport, Pa., Jan. 23.—Central Pennsylvania is in the grip of the first real cold weather of the winter. The temperature was about 20 degrees below zero at Nordmont, Sullivan County, at daybreak today, and at Eaglesmere it was 16 below. In this valley the temperature varied from 3 to 8 degrees below zero.

**TORONTO COUNCIL
BADLY BUMPED****The Railway Board Orders Cars Back to Routes Favored by the Company.**

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Jan. 23.—The city council— which tied up the street car service yesterday by using police to force cars on routes desired by the city engineer, and opposed by General Manager Fleming—was thrown down hard by the Ontario railway and municipal commission this morning, when an order was issued that the services affected be restored as they were before the city interference.

General Manager Fleming agreed to get the cars back on the routes affected in five minutes. The city is restrained from any further interference, pending the settlement in the courts of the question of jurisdiction concerning routes. Public sentiment is not entirely with the council, as their precipitate action was taken in defiance of Corporation Counsel Fullerton's advice. Mr. Fullerton may resign over the question.

**FORMER GLENCOE MAN
DIES IN THE STREET**

J. C. McRae, Journalist and Teacher, Dies Suddenly at Detroit.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 23.—John C. McRae, who was found on the street on Monday night and died in the ambulance on the way to St. Mary's Hospital, was born in Glencoe, Ontario. He was formerly employed as a reporter on the Toronto Globe, and also taught school. He had been afflicted with heart disease for some years. Four sisters survive. The body will be taken to Glencoe today for interment.

**CRY FOR ASSISTANCE
FROM THE STARVING**

Missionaries in China Cable That a Million and a Quarter Face Famine.

New York, Jan. 23.—The American Bible Association has received the following cable from its agent in China: "Notify all boards that the Shanghai Missionary Association, 274 members, urges an appeal for famine relief through all churches. A million and a quarter are starving. Many deaths already, though five months' suffering has only begun. General relief committee representing all interests in this part of the east unite in placing work of relief entirely in responsible hands of missionaries. This is the opportunity of the century to impress China."

Representatives of missionary bodies met in New York yesterday, in response to this cablegram, and it was by them unanimously recommended that churches, societies and individuals be urged to contribute liberally and promptly.

LOBO'S VOTE ON OPTION

Majority Was Secured for Bylaw, But Not Required 60 Per Cent.

The following are the returns of the local option vote in Lobo Township: Wards: 1 2 3 4 5

For 81 65 78 60-345
Against 42 76 43 57 60-273
Total 123 141 121 117 117
This shows a majority of 67 for the act, but to carry the bylaw a total of 273 votes was necessary under the 60 per cent clause. Local option was repealed in Lobo a few years ago by thirteen majority. The present vote shows a substantial gain for temperance. There are two licensed hotels in the township—one in ward 1 and the other in ward 2. The figures would indicate that ward 2 is satisfied with its present position, while ward 1 gave a decided vote again the bar.

FINE FOR TUFTS.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 23.—Through the recent death of the last child of the late John Frye, a produce merchant, Tufts College comes into a bequest of \$200,000.

**WANT NO LEVEL CROSSINGS WEST
OF WELLINGTON STREET, THEY SAY****Members of Railway Committee Think They Can Be Overcome—Closing of William St.**

Despite the fact that negotiations looking to the elevation of the company's lines in London are not likely to be reopened with the Grand Trunk Railway for some weeks, city hall circles are discussing the proposed work daily.

The mayor and aldermen appear willing to take the matter up again in a business spirit, and Chairman Booth, of the railway committee, is of opinion that the tracks will be elevated this year.

In addition to the sticking point encountered last year in regard to the liability clause, it is expected that there will be trouble over the matter of level tracks.

It is known that several members of the railway committee are of opinion that under no circumstances should there be any level tracks west of Wellington street. They say that while it is only natural that the company should seek to protect its business by providing sidings to deliver goods to and take shipments from those merchants and others located on the company's lines west of Wellington street, there is no good reason why these business men should not be served by an overhead instead of a level track.

It merely means, it was argued today, that shippers, instead of having a platform on the ground floor, will have to have the platform elevated sufficiently to meet the height of cars on the elevated lines.

The old trouble about the closing of William street is also being revived. There still appears to be a doubt in the minds of the people of that neighborhood that the tracks cannot be elevated clear through to Rectory street, despite the statements of competent engineers, one of whom, the late Engineer Jennings, was specially employed by the city, to the effect that it is a physical impossibility. Though it is difficult to make the people believe it, the elevation of Adelaide street is about the same as the elevation of the company's lines on the new level at the city bridge. And if the elevation was carried further east than William street, it would mean that there would be a raise in the tracks from William street to whatever point east of Rectory or Egerton streets was decided to drop down to the true level again.

It was said today that the people of William street will, nevertheless, petition the council to refuse to close the street, when the negotiations are reopened. And the company says that even less the street is closed to vehicular traffic, the city and the company may as well not negotiate.

It is hinted that on all other points, the city included, the city and the company included, the city and the Grand Trunk will find no difficulty in getting down to terms.

PERTH'S NEW WARDEN. Stratford, Jan. 23.—John A. Hacking, of Listowel, was this morning elected warden of the county of Perth.

**SWETTENHAM EXPLAINS INCIDENT;
WILL BE PUT INTO A BLUE BOOK**

London, Jan. 23.—The Government here has heard from Governor Swettenham concerning the incident involving the withdrawal of the American warships from Kingston. Absolute secrecy is maintained at the colonial office, but the fact was elicited that during the night a good many telegrams were received from Swettenham, some of which deal with the incident. These, it is understood, confirm the main features of the affair as already published.

It is not the present intention of the colonial office to make the telegrams public, the official view being that it is a personal affair between a Government department and an official, which is properly adjustable between them, and the authorities incline to the view that general interests will best be served by having the replies appear in a blue book at some distant period; in the meantime being dealt with through the usual diplomatic channels, for intercourse between power and power.

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW—MILDER. Toronto, Jan. 22-4 p.m. The weather has become much milder today in Alberta. Elsewhere in Canada it has been for the most part very cold.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Ottawa, 34 below-26 below; Atlin, 20 below-20 below; Victoria, 42-38; Edmonton, 2-38; Prince Albert, 24 below-2; Winnipeg, 38 below-12 below; Pelly Sound, 4 below-6; Toronto, 2-16; Ottawa, 12 below-4; Montreal, 8 below-2 below; Quebec, 16 below-2; St. John, 4 below-16; Halifax, 6-16.

FORECASTS. Wednesday, Jan. 23-8 a.m. Today—Fine and very cold. Thursday—A little higher temperature, with light local snow.

Detroit, Jan. 22.—Lower Michigan: Wednesday—Fair. Thursday—Partly cloudy and warmer; light to fresh north to east winds.

TEMPERATURES. Stations. 6 a.m. Min. Weather. Calgary 25 22 Clear. Winnipeg 4 -12 Cloudy. Port Arthur 24 -26 Clear. Toronto 8 -8 Clear. Montreal 16 -16 Fair. Ottawa 12 -4 Clear. Quebec 8 -8 Fair. Father Point 2 -10 Snow.

The sign indicates below zero. WEATHER NOTES. The cold wave is now centered over Ontario. Quebec, with the temperature much below zero in nearly all localities, in the Maritime Provinces moderate snowfalls have occurred, and in the Western Provinces the weather has turned milder.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the local observatory for the 24 hours ended at 8 p.m. Tuesday were: Highest, 13°; lowest, 7° above zero.

**AMMUNITION AFIRE
IN SOUTHERN CITY****Three Hundred Dollar Conflagration in the Heart of Richmond, Virginia.**

Richmond, Va., Jan. 23.—The Williams Building, located in the retail business section, was burned early today, estimated loss, \$300,000. Insurance unknown. For a time the fire assumed threatening proportions, and it was feared much valuable property would be destroyed. The flames, however, were confined to the building in which they started.

The principal losers are the Surburg Tobacco Company, Adams Express Company, and the Richmond Light Infantry Blues, whose armory was located in the building. The Blues lost their entire outfit and a visit to the visit to the Jamestown Exposition, which had been planned, will have to be abandoned. The fire was a spectacular one and attracted great crowds. The explosion of 50,000 rounds of ammunition, stored in the armories, made the work of fighting the flames dangerous. Captain Kaake, of truck company No. 2, was seriously injured by falling walls.

**TWENTY MEN PERISH
IN MINE EXPLOSION**

An Appalling Accident Reported From Primero, Colorado.

Trinidad, Colorado, Jan. 23.—Twenty miners are reported killed in an explosion at the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company's mine at Primero. The explosion occurred today in the main entry, and is supposed to have been caused by a windy shot.

CONSERVATIVE SCANDAL.

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 22.—A big Conservative scandal has been unearthed. It is charged that a leading member of the party received \$30,000 in shares from a syndicate in return for favors done by the department of land and works. The McBride cabinet, it is alleged, knew of it six months ago, but took no action.

**ROBBERS TORTURE
WEALTHY HERMIT**

His Fingers and Toes Amputated and Finally Murdered With a Hatchet.

Euclair, Mich., Jan. 23.—The body of Daniel Heaton, a wealthy hermit, was found yesterday frozen in his own blood in a small hut near the house where he had been living alone. There were evidences that the old man had been tortured to make him reveal the hiding place of his money. Amputated fingers and toes lay scattered about, and the appearance of a heavy rope and of a beam over which it hung, coupled with marks on the victim's neck indicated that he had been strung up to the rafters for a time. Apparently a blow in the head with a hatchet had finally ended his sufferings. It is thought that the murderers secured the booty they sought, as no money was found.

**GUARDING WATER
SUPPLY CLOSELY**

The Inspectors Making House to House Inspection to Prevent Waste.

Inspectors Platt and Platt, of the waterworks department, acting under instructions from the commission, are taking strict measures to husband the water supply of London.

A house-to-house inspection is being made, and woe to those who waste the Springbank aqua pura.

The inspectors meet with some peculiar experiences. Inspector Platt the other day located a house where the supply was cut off and the tenant was getting water from next door.

The landlord was notified, but he said he would see the tenant's tongue a yard before he would have the water turned on.

"They owe me three months' rent now," the landlord said. "I'm applying the drought means to drive them out."

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STEAMERS ARRIVED. Reported at. From. Mongolian St. John's, Nfld. Glasgow. Minnetonka London. New York. Canopic Libau. New York. Canopic New York. New York. Canopic Leghorn. New York. Canopic Brisi. Portland.

HOT AFTER RAISULI. Tangier, Jan. 23.—War Minister Gabbas is concentrating men, munitions and friendly tribes at Zienat, announcing that he intends to make a raid before he would have the water turned on.

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A NEW PORT. Brussels, Jan. 23.—It was officially announced today that the Port of Zeebrugge would be opened to commerce July 1, with appropriate fetes. Zeebrugge is the harbor of the new Bruges-Hoyst Canal, which will be available for sea-going ships of the largest size, and cost about \$5,000,000.

**SEC. ROOT GIVEN
BIG RECEPTION****Great Crowd at Ottawa Hears Canada's Guest Speak.****SIDESTEPS IMPORTANT TOPICS****Dwells on the Splendid Friendship Between the United States and Canada.**

Ottawa, Jan. 22.—A sincere friend of Canada is the Hon. Elihu Root, and every word of his address to the Canadian Club of Ottawa at the Russell House today breathed appreciation of this country's great progress and wonderful possibilities, and desire for a lasting peace between the two peoples.

The Secretary of State from Washington prefaced his speech by reading a cablegram from the governor of Jamaica, returning thanks for the practical aid given to the people of the island by Admiral Davis and by the United States squadron. The audience, which confronted Mr. Root, consisted of the most part of men high in political, professional and commercial circles. In addition to Earl Grey and Sir Wilfrid Laurier, six cabinet ministers were present—Messrs. Patterson, Fielding, Aylesworth, Emmerson, Fisher and Sir Frederick Borden. The speakers of both Houses, Hon. R. F. Sutherland, and Hon. Raoul Dandurand, the leader of the Opposition, Mr. R. L. Borden, and Hon. Richard Harcourt, were also among the guests. When the distinguished visitor arose there was a remarkable demonstration. The hall echoed with three hearty cheers and a tiger, followed by the singing of "He's a Jolly Good Fellow."

Mr. Root was the recipient of an enthusiastic ovation as he arose to respond to the toast of his health, proposed by the president of the club, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, rising first and leading in the cheers. He said:

"Mr. Chairman, Your Excellency, Sir Wilfrid, Gentlemen of the Canadian Club of Ottawa:

"I thank you for your cordial and most friendly greeting. I beg you to believe that I am deeply sensible of the honor conferred upon me by the presence at this luncheon table of the Governor-General and the Premier of Canada." (Applause.)

"Another kindly greeting has been received by me since I took my seat at the table from a gentleman who, for reasons which you will readily appreciate, was unable to be present. I will take the liberty of reading it to you. It is a telegraphic dispatch, dated Jamaica, Jan. 20, received in Washington yesterday, and repeated to me: "To Hon. Elihu Root, Secretary of State:

"Jamaica profoundly grateful for your excellency for expression of sympathy and for the very practical aid so kindly given by Admiral Davis and the entire particular service squadron of the United States navy.

"(Signed) "GOVERNOR SWETTENHAM." (Loud applause.)

Feels at Home. "I do not feel at all a stranger here, partly, perhaps, because in your climate blood has to be thicker than water— (laughter and applause)—partly because in your atmosphere every one born and bred under the stars of England and under the principles of justice and liberty that the English-speaking race has carried the world over wherever it has gone, must breathe freely in Canada." (Applause.)

"It is 10 years since I paid my first visit to Canada. At brief intervals during all that period I have been returning, sometimes to one part of the Dominion and sometimes to another, but always keeping in touch with the course of your development, and with the trend of your opinion and spirit. During that time what wonderful things we have seen. We have seen the feeble, ill-compacted, separate, independent colonies growing into a great and vigorous nation. We have seen the two branches of the Canadian people—the English-speaking and the French-speaking—putting behind the old rivalries and steadily approaching each other in tightening bonds of sympathy and national fellowship—(applause)—a happy augury for the continuance of that 'entente cordiale' which the past is full of years since paid my first visit to Canada. 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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

MARRIAGES.

WHITEHEAD-SMITH—On Jan. 17, 1907, in Broughdale, London, by Rev. J. Carlton McCracken, K. M. Whitehead, of Thorndale, Ont., to Mrs. Edith Dorothy Smith, of Strathroy.

DEATHS.

HOBBS—At Guelph, Jan. 22, 1907, Richard Hobbs, 252 Talbot street, on Thurs. day, at 2.30.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

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WESTMINSTER RINK—CADET BAND

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MEETINGS.

BOARD OF TRADE—A SPECIAL GENERAL meeting of the London Board of Trade will be held in the City Hall on Friday, Jan. 25, 8 p.m., for general business. Professor N. C. James, F.R.S., president; M. A. and Mr. C. B. Edwards will address the board on technical education and manual training. Arthur W. White, president; J. A. Nelles, secretary.

COURT HOPE, NO. 111, O. F. WILL MEET this (Wednesday) evening, 8 o'clock, L. V. Hall, Albion block, Richmond street. Visitors welcome. Charles H. Peacock, C. R. Barry, E. Stiles, recording secretary.

MIDDLESEX BEEKEEPERS WILL MEET at City Hall, London, on Saturday, Jan. 26, at 1 o'clock p.m. Interesting subjects are to be discussed. All welcome. E. J. Miller, vice-president; E. F. Baird, secretary.

A MEETING OF THE LONDON BRANCH of the Ontario Fish and Game Protective Association will be held in the City Hall on Thursday, 24th inst., at 8 p.m. A. Kelly Evans, Esq., secretary of Protective Association, Toronto, will give an interesting address upon our rights as Canadians. Everybody welcome. W. H. Chittick, president; James O. Weldon, secretary-treasurer London branch.

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LANGLEY, MY VALET—CLEANING, pressing, repairing. 253 Dundas. Phone 1721. Wagon calls.

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WANTED—A MAN TO TAKE CARE OF horses. Apply at 180 King street, city.

GOOD BOY TO LEARN TRADE. Apply Advertiser Job Department.

WANTED FOR WHOLESALE HAT AND cap house—Experienced packer and shipper. Also boy (one from high school preferred), about 16 years of age; must be good penman and quick at figures. Apply F. O. Box 556, city.

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DR. ERNEST WILLIAMS, 328 DUNDAS—House: 11-2, 4-8. Phone 1342.

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DR. PINGEL, ELECTRIC SPECIALIST, 444 Wellington street, London.

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MR. ROOT AT OTTAWA.

Secretary Root's address at Ottawa
yesterday was eminently tactful and
ingratiating. His compliments to this
country were more than perfunctory,
as he showed an acquaintance with
Canadian history and the workings of
our constitution.It is gratifying to note his apprecia-
tion of our status as a self-governing
people. The wide circulation which his
speech will receive in the United States
will promote among his countrymen a
better understanding of Canada's posi-
tion and importance as a self-centered
unit of the Empire, and not a mere
ward of the United Kingdom. They
are discovering that "a great and vig-
orous nation," in Mr. Root's words,
has grown up in the northern half of this
continent, and that this neighbor meets
the United States on an equal footing.
The Washington Government appre-
ciates the situation and looks to Ot-
tawa in the treatment of American-Can-
adian affairs.

WHAT IS THE NEXT STEP?

The ratemakers of Toronto having
given a decisive majority for the Ni-
agara power bylaw, the newspapers of
the city are divided in opinion as to
the next step to be taken, and are quar-
reling vigorously over the question.The situation in Toronto is different
from that in other municipalities. Ni-
agara power is already running the
street cars and lighting the streets of
the city. Transmission lines have been
built from Niagara to Toronto by the
Electric Development Company, and the
power is locally distributed by the
Toronto Electric Light Company. Will
the transmission lines, or the local
plant, or both, be duplicated by the hy-
dro-electric commission, under contract
with the city? The Toronto News, a
supporter of the power bylaw, argues
against this extreme application of the
principle of public ownership. It says
that the way to cheapen Niagara power
is not to double the investment for its
transmission and distribution. It favors
a policy of rate regulation, and says
the Legislature could immediately bring
relief by giving the hydro-electric com-
mission or the Lieutenant-Governor-in-
Council power to put into effect the
rates at which the commission say
Niagara power can be profitably deliv-
ered.The Toronto Telegram accuses the
News of betraying the public interest,
and claims that public control of power
rates would be as farcical as public
control of railway rates.Rate regulation, if it can be made
effective, is the most feasible method
of dealing with the whole question of
Niagara power. As recommended by
the Canadian section of the interna-
tional waterways commission, the
power companies should be made to
carry out their charter obligations by
building transmission lines through the
territory which can be served by
Niagara power. Between the Dominion
Government, with its control over the
export of power, and the Ontario Gov-
ernment, with its inherent right to re-
gulate corporations operating under pro-
vincial charters, the public would surely
be protected. The people of Ontario
are not concerned about the theory of
public ownership if they can get equal
benefits from public regulation. If
they could be sure of fair treatment,
they would be content to leave the
power business and its financial risks
to private enterprise. They would not
 begrudge the power companies a rea-
sonable profit on their investment.
They would object, however, to paying
power and light rates which are in-
tended to yield a dividend upon mil-
lions of wasted stock.

SIFTING THE IMMIGRANTS.

The Dominion authorities are re-
doubling their efforts to weed out the
incapables and undesirables from the
mass of immigration. Additional in-
spectors are being appointed for this
work, and increasing vigilance is being
exercised by the department, both in
Europe and in this country. The im-
migration regulations have been grow-
ing stricter, but it is impossible to
close up every loophole, and many per-
sons will continue to get into the
country who are not good material for
Canadian citizenship. The work of the
department is made more difficult by
the too common practice of old country
magistrates and poor boards of sending
to Canada incorrigibles or weaklings,
whom they are glad to get off their
hands. It is not always easy to appre-hend one of this class at the time of
his arrival, but if he becomes a pub-
lic charge he can be returned at the
expense of the steamship company or
other non-official agency which brought
him to Canada.It appears that many immigrants
have come to Canada for reason of
health, whose physical appearance is
not such as to excite the suspicion of
the inspectors, but who are liable to
become a burden on the public. These
persons can be deported within two
years of their arrival. Several cases of
this kind have occurred in the neigh-
borhood of London recently. It may
seem a hardship to refuse these people
Canadian hospitality, but it is just
and right that each nation should take
care of its own social refuse and its
unfortunates. This is a great problem
in the mother country, but Canada
should not be asked to solve it.Governor Swettenham seems to be a
glorified Mr. Bumble.Some of the Canadian picklemakers
complain of British competition, and
are naturally sour on the preference.Mr. Root is Uncle Sam's interna-
tional "jolliter," but a statesman
could scarcely be better equipped.It was 38 below zero in Winnipeg
yesterday, and fuel is scarce, but
westerners would rather freeze to
death than admit they feel the cold.Mr. W. F. Maclean's view is that
Great Britain should have maintained
naval stations in the Atlantic as a
precaution against earthquakes.Mr. Root esteemed it a privilege
when in Ottawa to be able to follow
the debates of the House in Hansard.
The Canadian newspapers will get
the same reports about a month hence.We do not credit the assertion that
Liberal members of the Legislature
will ask the Government to pay the
Liberal leader a salary. The leader
will do well to refuse it, even if it is
volunteered.A short time since when a leading
business man was appointed to the
senate, political opponents of the Do-
minion Government simulated indigna-
tion because an old-time Liberal M. P.
had not been preferred. Now that Mr.
George W. Ross and Mr. Robert Bell
have been chosen, the very same critics
find fault because party men are se-
lected. The only thing that would sat-
isfy these kickers would be to place the
Conservative party in power, and let
them nominate the senators. That they
could or would improve on the appoint-
ments of Sir Wilfrid Laurier there is
reason to doubt, judging by most of
their senate material in the past.New York is probably the most Jew-
ish city in the world. Of the 1,400,000
Jews in the United States, 750,000 have
homes in New York, and of this num-
ber more than one-half have an abiding
place within one square mile of city
lots! There has been so much over-
crowding of the Jewish population in
New York recently, that an effort is to
be made to have would-be emigrants
in Russia and other European countries
choose Galveston, Texas, as a port of
landing, so that the newcomers may be
spread over the Southern and Western
States. The trouble with most of the
Jewish emigrants is that they are not
farmers, but desire to crowd into the
big cities, already well supplied with
ordinary workers. The Canadian au-
thorities do well not to encourage im-
migrants of this type. We have never
much difficulty in getting city work-
men. The trouble has been to get til-
lers of the soil and domestic help.Ramsay MacDonald, the British M. P.
who took a swift turn through Cana-
da, and is now in Australia,
is too ready, like most visitors, to rush
at conclusions. He has been hobnob-
bing with some of those politicians who
profess to believe, that because Great
Britain refuses to revolutionize her
trade policy, she is going to the dogs.
He writes that he has discovered that
the colonies look upon the motherland
as a poor, poverty-stricken creature!
No doubt Mr. MacDonald must have
looked in upon Sir Hibbert Tupper at
Vancouver. "Them's his sentiments."
But they are not those of the great mass
of the Canadian people. They are the
worst friends of Great Britain who
represent to Mr. MacDonald, or to any
other visitor, that "colonists" look upon
Great Britain as played out, and that
Canada and other parts of the Empire
will secede unless the British people
tax themselves against their own de-
sire for the benefit of the colonies.

AMONG THE VERBS.

[Life.]

I paused to talk to a fishmonger. "Fish-
monger," said I, pleasantly, "why do you
fishmong?"
He answered with a cordial smile: "I
fishmong because my father fishmong be-
fore me."
"And have you been fishmonging long?"
I asked further.
"Yes," was the reply. "I have fishmong
for seven years come Michaelmas."
"You are a worthy fishmonger," I re-
sponded, "and I'm sure you always mong
the best of fish."

BLUSHES MADE TO ORDER.

[Pittsburg Dispatch.]

A dermatologist has solved the mystery
of converting a faded society woman into
a study in pink and white. The beauty
doctor has already made several suc-ful experiments with his fountain of youth.
He simply tattoos a blush on the cheeks
without injury to the flesh or skin. He
declares the process does not cause pain—
not even a wince—because the needle only
sends the skin one-sixteenth of an inch.
He uses vegetable coloring to produce the
schoolgirl blush. This is injected under
the skin. The fluid is said to be quite
harmless, and really possesses antiseptic
properties. Two sittings are necessary for
a complete operation, and the effect for a
few days is not pretty. The complexion
changes from pink to red, and finally to a
delicate pink.

EASY.

[Exchange.]

Gladya—Did that dress cost you much?
Her Married Sister—Oh, no, dear. Only
one good cry.

RESOURCEFUL.

[Manitoba Free Press.]

A farmer living 50 miles from Saskatoon
came into that city the other day with two
loads of wheat, 115 bushels. He traveled
in comfort, carrying along a tent, half a
cord of wood, a camp stove and sheaves
of oats for the horses. He made the return
trip in four days in comfort.

RAILROADING.

[Philadelphia Inquirer.]

"Ticket, sir," said a railroad conductor,
passing through one of the trains the other
day, to a passenger.
"My face is my ticket," replied the
other.
"Indeed," replied the conductor, rolling
back his wristwatch and glancing at it, "you
punch all your tickets passing over this
road."

IF HE HAD A MIND!

[Cleveland Plaindealer.]

"I could marry Miss Tardiff if I had a
mind, don't you know?"
"Then, dear boy, why don't you try to
get one?"

A HAPPY WISH.

[Washington Post.]

"Let us hope that all the world as well
as we may find 1907 plentiful, peaceful
and a little less strenuous than the last
few have been, and as it begins let us
heartily wish each other and every people,
kindred and tribe that dwell on earth a
happy new year."

DEVOTION REWARDED.

[Chicago News.]

Oldbean—Darling, I would die for you.
Miss Pinkie—Then you may name the
day.
Oldbean—For our wedding.
Miss Pinkie—No; for your funeral.

PLAIN ENOUGH.

[Punch.]

Young Jarge—Oh, dear, tell me what
made the colonel a M. V. O. Now, what
do they mean?
Old Joe—Woe, where was 'ee brought up?
Master O' Vox—ounds, to be sure.

THE JOB AND THE MAN.

[Philadelphia Press.]

"Here's a letter from the boss," said
the machine leader's henchman. "He said
you'd give me a job."
"But," protested the merchant, "I have
absolutely nothing for you to do here."
"That's all right. I won't mind that so
long as I get me pay reglar."

AT THE SLATE CLUB DINNER.

[Punch.]

Chairman—I'm sure we be all very sorry
our secretary is not here tonight. I cannot
say we miss his vacant face; but I do
say we miss his vacant face.

ITS FACE VALUE.

[Atlanta Constitution.]

The Georgia youth wrote to the old man

The Stanley Cup Record

The Stanley Cup, which has just
passed into the possession of the
Kenora Thistles, was donated by Lord
Stanley, then Governor-General of Cana-
da, and now Earl Derby, in 1893, in
which year it was awarded by direc-
tion of His Excellency to the M. A. A. A.
as champions of the A. H. A. of C. For
six years the ownership of the trophy
was decided by sudden death games, but
since 1899, it has been necessary for a
team to win two in three to lift or re-
tain it. Here is the cup record up to the
present:Awarded by Lord Stanley's direction
to M. A. A. A. as champions of the A.
H. of C.1894. Challenges by Osgoode Hall as cham-
pions of Ontario Hockey Association.
Match blocked by disappearance of ice.1895. M. A. A. A. defeated Queen's College,
champions of Ontario Hockey Association,
by 5 goals to 1. Montreal, March 9.
Cup, however, then passed from the
M. A. A. A. to the Victorias, who that sea-
son won the A. H. A. championship.1896. Victorias of Winnipeg, champions of
Manitoba Association, defeated the
Montreal Victorias in Montreal, by 3
goals to 2.Victorias of Montreal defeated Winni-
peg Victorias in Winnipeg, 5 goals
to 5.1897. Victorias of Montreal defeated Cap-
itals of Ottawa, champions of Central
Canada Association, in Montreal, by
15 goals to 2.1899. In 1899 the idea of playing best two
matches out of three for the cup was
inaugurated by the hockey associations,
the Victorias of Montreal and Victorias
of Winnipeg making a request to the
trustees to play under that agreement.Victorias of Montreal defeated Victo-
rias of Winnipeg in Montreal in series
of matches, best two in three to win.
First match won by Montreal Victorias
by 2 goals to 1. Second match unfinish-
ed. Referee W. Finley leaving the ice
on account of a dispute, when the score
stood 3 goals to 2 in favor of Montreal
Victorias. Winnipeg declined to play
further.1900. Cup passed from Montreal Victorias
to Shamrocks as champions of A. H. A.
Shamrocks defeated Winnipeg Victorias
in three matches. First match won by
Winnipeg by 4 goals to 3. Second
match won by Shamrocks, 5 to 4. Third
match won by Shamrocks, 5 to 4.Shamrocks defeated Halifax Cres-
cents by 10 to 2, and on March 8,
by 11 to 0.

1901. Shamrocks defeated by Winnipeg

from a distant city.
"Dear Father—I regret to say that I
broke my New Year's resolution. I'm sorry
—but please send me \$60."
The old man's reply was brief, but elo-
quent. He wrote:
"Dear John—You put too high a value
on that resolution. It wasn't worth six
cents."

"DOING UP" A SHIRT.

[Yonkers Statesman.]

"This bill is too high," said the custo-
mer.
"Too high?" ejaculated the laundryman.
"That's what I said; too high."
"But, man, do you know how long it
takes to do up a shirt?"
"Why, about four washings."

THE NEW TIME.

[Atlanta (Ga.) Constitution.]

It ain't so much the old times—
"Though bright they be to view."
The world's most interesting subject, why
don't you change the subject?
In the times they call "The New,"
An' jest what they're a-goin'
To do with me an' you.For life is flyin' faster
Than driftwood on a stream;
The old times keep the shadder.
The new times give the gleam;
An' they make us hop so lively
We ain't got time to dream.

CAN'T SWITCH HER OFF.

[Philadelphia Press.]

"But," said the man who considered
himself smart, "when your wife starts
talking, just switch her off."
"You don't change the subject?"
"You don't know my wife," replied Peck-
ham. "She'd simply exhaust the new sub-
ject, and then take up the old one where
she left off."

OUT LATE.

[Chicago Daily News.]

Chaplegh—I was aw-out late last
night, and the aw-aw-aw-aw was I had a
head on me this morning, douchier know."
Miss Canstique—Well, if I were you I'd
stay out late every night.

NOT FOR POSTERITY.

[Philadelphia Public Ledger.]

"I suppose you write for posterity?" ob-
served the visitor to the scribe with bling-
ling brow.
"No? Not on your life!" frankly re-
sponded the person addressed. "Ever notice
any checks being signed by posterity?"

HARDER TO SAY NOTHING.

[Milwaukee Sentinel.]

"Senator, I presume it requires a good
deal of practice to make a speech and have
every sentence in it say something, doesn't
it?"
"It does," replied Senator Badger, "but
a requires more to be able to talk for an
hour and say nothing."

GOT OFF TOO SOON.

[Detroit Free Press.]

First—Cand Sharp—How did you happen
to let that greenhorn skin you?
Second—Ditto—He told me he was going
from Detroit to Chicago, so I let him win
as far as I could. He got off there.

CARELESS OF HIS FATE.

[Philadelphia Press.]

Miss Fitz—I'm so glad you called, Mr.
Gushington. I've just baked a cake for
Willie's birthday. Won't you have a piece
if it?
Mr. Gushington—I'm afraid Willie will
object.
Willie—Naw! You ain't no purticular
friend o' mine. I don't care what happens
to yer.

OUR GELORIOUS CELIMATE.

[Ottawa Citizen.]

Canadians are enjoying a bracing and a
heavier hair, but it is better than balmy
breezes diluted with earthquakes.

J. H. CHAPMAN & CO

Just For Thursday
SALE OF LINOLEUMSFor one day we will put on a sale of Imported Linoleums. Tomorrow,
from 9 o'clock in the morning until store closes at 6 p.m., we are going to make
things lively in the Linoleum Section by offering best 50c Linoleum at 37½c a square
yard. Two and four yard wide Nairn's and Barry Osler's Printed Linoleums. Nice
variety of patterns, floral and tile effects. You have never bought them here or
elsewhere for less than 50c square yard. Be on hand early for best choice 37½c
of patterns. Tomorrow only the price will be per square yard.
By paying a deposit we will keep any pattern you decide on until you want it.

The China Sale Continues This Week By Request

One of the bargain treats of the season is our China Sale, and, as usual, it
has been most popular. Customers have bought and want to buy still more, so,
by their urgent request, we have decided to continue it this week. Tables have
been rearranged and new lines added. Don't miss the good chances it affords.Anniversary Sale
of Men's UnderwearPenman's Heavy, Unshrinkable Ribbed
Underwear, all wool, grand value at \$1.50 suit;
all sizes in undershirts and drawers. We intend
closing the balance on hand at the remarkable
price per suit.....\$1.00Stanfield's Underwear, the best on the market.
Clearing a small lot on hand at, a suit...\$1.50
And outside (big men's) sizes, at, a suit \$2.00

Scotch Blankets

All-Wool Scotch Blankets, thoroughly scour-
ed and shrunk, clean, beautiful blankets that it
pays you to buy. At the market price today
they are worth one dollar a pair more. Our
prices, pair \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$5.50

Hose, 3 Pairs for \$1.00

Good hosiery judges will seize upon this offer
—our best 40c Cashmere Hose all this week, as a
special offer, 3 pairs for.....\$1.00Anniversary Sale of
Men's Fur CoatsIf price and good quality is an inducement
we ought to see a lively hustle here tomorrow
for these fur coats. Every man who wants a
coat and comes to look at them, we will wager
he'll buy—the bargains are irresistible.\$50.00 Coon Coats, reduced to.....\$50.00
\$35.00 Wallaby Coats, reduced to.....\$29.00
\$33.00 Calf Coats, reduced to.....\$27.50
\$28.00 Kangaroo Coats, reduced to.....\$23.00
\$22.00 Black Siberian Dog Coats, reduced
to.....\$17.002 only Fur-Lined Coats, marmot linings,
otter collars. Were \$58.00 reduced to \$47.0010 only Fur-Lined Coats, marmot lined,
German otter collar. Were \$55.00, for \$45.005 only Heavy English Frieze Coats, tweed
lined, astrachan cloth collar. Were \$12.50,
for.....\$8.95

Cold Weather Underwear

If our underwear sale didn't interest you be-
fore, perhaps it will now, as the cold snap makes
one think of warm underwear. Values are
important.

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

Bright, Seaforth and Clinton.

T. O. P. Robson, umpire, St. Marys.

LUCKNOW WINS GROUP THREE.

Lucknow, Jan. 22.—The umpire re-
ports Lucknow winners in group 3,
western tankard primary competition,
comprising Brussels, Wroxeter, Wing-
ham, Lucknow and Kincardine clubs.
The executive committee of the Luck-
now club have set aside special prizes
for local competition and ten risks
are busy competing in friendly rivalry
for the coveted honors.

BASEBALL.

KELLY FOR MANAGER.

Toronto, Jan. 22.—Joe Kelly, the Cin-
cinnati thrower, will be manager of
the Toronto ball club next season.
This is assured, though there has
been no official announcement of the
fact as yet.
President McCaffrey and Messrs. Sol-
man and Barrow had a long conference
with Kelly at Buffalo on Sunday last,
and at that meeting terms were settled
with the player.

A MOTHER'S DUTY

She Should Carefully Guard the Health
of Her Growing Daughter—Her Fu-
ture Happiness Depends Upon the
Change from Girlhood to Woman-
hood.Every mother should watch with the
greatest care the health of her growing
daughter. She is a girl today—tomor-
row a woman. The happy health of
womanhood depends upon this vital
change from girlhood. When nature
makes ready for womanhood, her blood
supply, she must build up her blood
with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Her
system is unequal to that strain if her
back aches, if she is pale or thin, dull-
eyed or languid. Dr. Williams' Pink
Pills will give her new, rich, red blood
and tide her over the crisis. Dr. Wil-
liams' Pink Pills will make her devel-
opment perfect and regular—they will
make her a strong, happy, graceful
woman. Miss Emerine Villandre, St.
Germain, Que., says: "While attending
school my health began to give way. I
suffered from headaches and dizziness,
my appetite left me and I grew pale
as a corpse. As the doctors did not
help me any my father got me a sup-
ply of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Be-
fore I had used two boxes there was
an improvement, and when I had taken
a half dozen I was again in perfect
health. I believe all weak girls will find
new health if they take Dr. Williams'
Pink Pills."Thousands of growing girls, and
thousands of women owe health and
happiness to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.They keep the blood rich and pure and
regular. They banish headaches and
sideaches and backaches, and they
bring the rosy glow of perfect health to
pale and sallow cheeks. But you must
get the genuine with the full name,
"Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale
People," on the wrapper around each
box. Sold by all medicine dealers and
sent by mail at 50 cents a box or six
boxes for \$2.50 by writing The Dr.
Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville,
Ont.

BILLIARDS.

ANOTHER FOR SUTTON.

Chicago, Jan. 22.—George Sutton de-
feated Old Morningstar at 18.2 ball
line billiards last night by the score
of 500 to 472.

CURLING.

GROUP SEVEN GAMES.

St. Marys, Jan. 22.—The Ontario
tankard curling for group No. 7
will commence on Thursday at Strat-
ford, when the following teams will
compete, viz.: Stratford, St. Marys,
Guelph Union, Guelph Royal City, Hes-
peler, Hamburg, Berlin, Waterloo,Everyone who values good health and the purity of
the goods they are using will buyCowan's
Perfection Cocoa

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The little child, the delicate invalid and the robust and
strong can take it. It is good for all.

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CANADA INSISTS

ON TWO POINTS

U. S. Must Agree to Settle Mat-
ters Which Canada Wants
Out of the Way.Ottawa, Jan. 22.—The present visit
of the American Secretary of State, Hon.
Mr. Root, to the Canadian capital, and
the conversations he has had with lead-
ing public men of both political par-
ties in the Dominion, cannot but af-
ford him a much clearer perception of
the Canadian viewpoints in matters
standing between the two countries,
than he might obtain from months and
years of intercourse through the round-
about channels of diplomatic corre-
spondence. The distinguished visitor
cannot fail either to be struck with the
widespread suspicion and disapproval
with which the newspaper reports have
been received of a desire on the part
of our powerful neighbors for the re-
opening of the sealing question and
other issues between the United States
and Canada in which American inter-
ests are anxious to get things all their
own way. Some of the matters of im-
mediate interest to the two countries,
such as the use of available water and
water-powers along the international
boundary are already being cleared up
through the offices of the international
waterways commission.Upon most of the questions, however,
that the joint high commission of
eight years ago was unable to agree,
two remarks may be made. In the
first place, the Canadian authorities
are not likely to agree to any further
discussion that will be limited to those
subjects alone which American inter-
ests are anxious to get settled. There
must be at the same time a settlement
of other questions outstanding, whose
settlement our own people are anxious
to accomplish. In the second place,
Canadian negotiators, with the mem-Sick all the Time With
Kidney Trouble

4 BOXES CURED HIM

Mr. Whellam was a mighty ill man
this spring. He had been ailing for
almost a year. Sharp pains in the back
and through the hips. Dull headaches
and dizzy spells. Appetite poor—nothing
seemed to taste right.Finally, an old friend told him about
a friend who was in just that condition
and who was cured by GIN PILLS.Mr. Whellam tried them. And you
would not know

AN ELECTION IN A BELFRY

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No other medicine tones and braces like Dr. Hamilton's Pills; they at once cure biliousness, headache, dizziness, poor color, coated tongue and all diseases arising through fault of the stomach, kidneys or liver; try them. Results prove the merits of Dr. Hamilton's Pills, 25c per box or five boxes for \$1.00, at all dealers in medicine.

OTHERS WILL BE GIVEN AWAY

She it is who will select the odalisques from out of the coronation tribute sent by the empire of Iran. Each provin-

Forty years ago the Marquis de Bath placed three lily roots in the lake of his estate at Longjumeau. Now the lilies occupy the water for three quarters of a mile, and have produced such a tenacious nuisance that the whole lake will have to be drained and dredged to get rid of them.

SOCIALISTS' CAMPAIGN IS HOT

But there are signs of a rising resentment against the

into the foreground. We Conservatives who always have had a warm heart for the colonies, and always have been in the front rank when there was a question of securing our colonial possessions.

There probably will be no choice in large proportion of districts.

An interesting feature of the campaign is the decline of Von Buelow prestige and a corresponding rise of Dernburg's. It has become apparent that the chancellor may be a good statesman, but he is a poor politician.

The government issued tonight

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being, although the heavier and more powerful lynx is sometimes considered dangerous. The deer is entirely at the mercy of its two ferocious enemies. Dropping from some overhanging bank

cause Nerviline searches through the tissues and finally applies its soothing properties in the sciatic nerve itself. In this way the source of the pain is reached and cured. About five times stronger than ordinary liniments, not only equals a 25c bottle of Nerviline but destroys aches and pains. Try it yourself.

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cases it has

Doan's Kidney Pills are 50 cents per box or 3 boxes for \$1.25 at all dealers, or will be sent by mail on receipt of price by check or money order.

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E.W.GILLETT COMPANY LIMITED
TORONTO, ONT.

and it searches to the very seat of
has been found to relieve muscular

The trains leaving at 8:10 a.m., and

p.m., 6:35 p.m., 10:55 p.m.
 Depart—6:20 a.m., 10:45 a.m., 2:
 p.m., 5 p.m.

LONDON, HURON AND BRUCE
 Arrive—9:45 a.m., 6:10 p.m.
 Depart—8:15 a.m., 4:50 p.m.
 Trains marked thus * run dai
 Those not so marked run daily exce

the disease. In many
on rheumatism when all

Winter

London and St. Thomas, the first car leaving London at 6:30 a.m., the last car at 8:30 p.m.

EXCEPT ON SATURDAYS, when cars leave hourly from 12:30 p.m. until 10:30 p.m. Last car from St. Thomas at 11:30 p.m.

SOUTHPAW'S SNAPSHOTS AT VARIOUS SPORTS

With the ice hard and fast, the City League hockey contests tonight at the Jubilee Rink should prove to be even speedier than those played last week. The Orions and the Hermits and the Hortons and Waterloos will mix.

The Guelph senior and junior O. H. A. teams are no more. The sub-committee of the O. H. A. put them in the chute the other night and labeled "down and out." Four of the members of the teams are also made the recipients of bona fide certificates of expulsion for life. Professionalism and importation of players are the reasons for the action. All of which shows that it pays to be square at every old game.

In an account of the Thistle-Wanderer Stanley cup match, the Toronto Telegram offers up the following piece of sarcastic wit:

Sad-eyed and sorry was the throng that wended its weary way towards the long line of popular price sleighs that adorned the front entrance of the Arena Rink as the bell in a nearby cathedral was tolling the hour of 11, and many the fair-haired Westmounter sighed as she remarked to her companion, "Ain't it awful, Bill?"

For another milestone in the history of the Stanley cup had been traversed, leaving the visiting Kenora team masters of the situation by a score of 8-6. And chances are had the late Mr. Montcalm had an aggregation of shoters like that headed by Tom Phillips on his firing line the tricolor of France would still be flying from the ramparts of Quebec, and Wolfe would not now be referred to in our public school histories as the big dog with the brass collar of 1759.

A wise chap in Houghton, Mich., writes to the Toronto Globe that the Wanderers, Ottawas or Kenora Thistles will be the holders of the Stanley cup, with the odds favoring the teams in the order named. Judging by their work at Montreal, the wise fellow got the Thistles at the wrong end of the list.

The same wise chap says that Pete Charlton, at point for the American Soo, is a mishap if there ever was one, and adds: "He can't play ping-pong with the American Soo, doesn't know the first rudiments of the game as it should be played, couldn't help another man out with a combination play to save his life, is a poor man at checking, and is nothing extra at defense. He was a great player in the Dominion, but stands no show in the big league."

He should remember that some of the best, if not the cream of the International League players, were imported from Canada. The same writer is generous enough to say of "Goldie" Cochrane, now with the Portage Lake team, that he "is doing very well for a new man in the league, as he takes readily to the new method of play and knows all about the game that there is to learn."

According to this same Houghton scribe, the winners of the International League are to play the Canadian champions for the world's championship. From here it looks as if either the Wanderers, Thistles, Ottawas or Montreal Victorias can defeat the International can produce, and without stretching them too much at this.

Now that Joe Kelly, the Cincinnati outfielder, has been secured to manage the Toronto majors, the fans can sit back with a sigh of relief, and dream of the Eastern League pennant that Toronto may get. Kelly is a good man, all right, but his tendency to umpire-baiting made him highly unpopular in certain circles on the other side. However, Joe may have reformed now that he has decided to take up his residence on this side of the boundary line, and we can hope for better things. At all events, Kelly will stir things up in Houghton, and possibly inject a little life into the team, and that seems to be just what is needed.

Sutton, 18.1 and 18.2 ballline billiard champion, had a close call recently while playing Morningstar, a challenger for the title. It was anybody's game until the last inning and the spectators went wild. Billiards is an uncertain game. An off-night on a player's part, a little bad luck, and a dozen and one other circumstances may go to make and unmake a champion in a night.

SOUTHPAW.

LONDON HOCKEY OUTFIT BADLY BEATEN BY AILSA CRAIG SEVEN

Could Only Score Once on Their Opponents—Watford Worst Strathroy.

Ailsa Craig, Jan. 22.—A London hockey team was defeated by the Ailsa Craig Stars tonight in an exhibition game here by a score of 9 to 1. The game was clean; but very unequal, the locals scoring all at will. The line-up: London—Goal, Callahan; point, Healy; cover, Jackson; center, Seal; right, Callahan; rover, Legg; left, Tucker.

Ailsa Craig—Goal, Perry; point, Morgan; cover, Chapman; center, Chapman; right, McNeil; rover, Parker; left, White.

Referee—Wheatcroft, London.

CLEAN GAME AT STRATHROY.

Strathroy, Jan. 22.—Watford defeated Strathroy tonight in a return match by a score of 5 to 1. The game was clean throughout, none of the players being penalized.

The line-up was as follows:

Strathroy—Goal, Jay; point, Urquhart; cover, Cardiff; center, McCoy; left wing, McCabe; right wing, McCall; rover, Wilson.

Watford—Goal, Ferguson; point, C. Dadds; cover, Chatterton; center, Alibolt; left wing, L. Dadds; right wing, P. Dadds; rover, Thorne.

Referee Elliott, of Watford, was unable to be present, so Mr. Harrison, of Strathroy, acted in his place. The game was played under difficulties, the lights going out during the game.

STRATFORD BY A GOAL.

Preston, Jan. 22.—The Junior O. H. A. match played here tonight between Preston and Stratford resulted 8 to 7 in favor of Stratford.

WELLAND WORSTED.

Port Colborne, Jan. 22.—In the first intermediate O. H. A. game here tonight between Welland and Port Colborne the home team won by a score of 12 to 5.

NOT EQUAL TO TASK.

Waterloo, Jan. 22.—Listowel played a fine game of hockey here tonight in a Junior O. H. A. game, but were not equal to the task of beating Waterloo, the home team winning by 6 to 2.

TILBURY DEFEATS DETROIT.

Tilbury, Jan. 22.—Tilbury defeated the Detroit hockey team here tonight by a score of 7 to 1. At half time the score was 4 to 1. The following was the line-up:

Detroit—Goal, Lusigney; point, Brietels; cover, D. Henry; forwards,

Hennenburg, P. Henry, Taylor and McLean.
Tilbury—Goal, T. Mero; point, S. Sloan; cover, Cowley; forwards, E. Mero, Smith, Stevenson and E. Sloan.
Goal umpires, J. Jobbit, Detroit, and G. Chalmers, Tilbury. Referee, E. R. Dromgole.

HAMILTON EASY FOR PARIS.

Paris, Jan. 22.—The return intermediate O. H. A. hockey match was played here tonight between Hamilton and Paris. The game was hotly contested throughout. The match was all Paris, the puck being in the vicinity of the Hamilton goal almost the entire game. The visitors tried to work combination, but were checked every time. At half time the score was 6 to 1 and at full time 8 to 2. Referee, L. Marsh, Toronto.

HARDWARE MEN LOSE.

Teams representing the Hobbs Hardware Company and R. C. Struthers & Co. met last night in the Westminster Rink in a fast game of hockey, which ended in a victory of 5 to 0 for the puck-igglers from Struthers.

The game was certainly a good exhibition. The guardians of the nets, H. Struthers and Judd, were certainly right there when there was anything doing, but the drygoods men were there with the goods, and played a combination which chased the hardware men up into the corner. The lineups were as follows:

Struthers—Goal, H. Struthers; point, W. Blackwell; cover, J. McColl; center, F. Hixon; rover, D. Stevenson; right wing, F. Reid; left wing, E. George.

Hobbs—Goal, Judd; point, Pinch; cover, Speele; center, McLaughlin; rover, Westland; right wing, E. Phelps; left wing, Johnston.

'D' AND 'E' COMPANIES

LOSE INDOOR GAMES

D Company was handed the short end of the scoring last night at the Armories by H Company in the indoor baseball series. The score was 22 to 4. Batteries: H Company, Insley and Anderson; D Company, Hayes and Condon.

In the wind-up C Company defeated E Company by a score of 18 to 2. Batteries: C Company, Penwarden and Sussex; E Company, McLeod and Hunt. Umpires, Dunlevy and Jeffery.

THE TURE.

YESTERDAY'S WINNERS.

At New Orleans—Gold Proof 8 to 5, Whisk Broom 8 to 5, Toy Boy 11 to 10, Emergency 5 to 2, Orbicular 9 to 20, Big Bow 8 to 1, Delestrome 20 to 1.

GUELPH CLUB GETS A SEVERE BLOW

Two Seniors, a Junior and the President Expelled by the O. H. A. Executive.

An investigation into the status of four players of the Guelph hockey club was taken up by the Ontario Hockey Association. Cecil Dayman and Jos. Ouellet, of the seniors, and Walter Mercer and Robert Rochon, of the juniors, were present at a meeting of the O. H. A. executive, and submitted to examination. Dayman and Ouellet came from Penelon Falls to Guelph last summer. The former made admissions that will dispose of his amateur standing when the verdict is reached. Ouellet was candid enough to refuse to take the statutory declaration that he was an amateur, saying that he could not do so. Mercer, who is a Port Hope boy, and would be disqualified under the residence clause in any case, also refused to make the declaration. Rochon told a straight story, and looked to be genuine. President Roberts, of the club, and Secretary Irving, of the seniors, also made statements as to the management of the club.

Here's the resolution passed by the committee:

"That the certificates of Cecil Dayman and Jos. Ouellet, seniors, and Walter Mercer, junior, of the Guelph hockey club, be expelled from the Ontario Hockey Association."

"That J. J. Roberts, president of the Guelph hockey club, be disqualified from all connection with hockey under the jurisdiction of the Ontario Hockey Association."

"That all the games already played by the Guelph hockey club, senior and junior, and those scheduled for the remainder of the season be canceled."

The penalty means the throwing out forever of Dayman, Ouellet, Mercer and President Roberts. The Guelph club does not lose its standing in the O. H. A., nor do the other players of the two teams suffer beyond that they will lose their certificates for this year.

The games won by either club will go as victories for their opponents—in other words, are canceled.

WILL MEET BIG CANADIAN TEAMS

International League Clubs to Tackle Wanderers, Thistles and Ottawas Soon.

A Houghton, Mich., dispatch says:

During the middle and latter part of February and also in March the International League teams will meet the Ottawas, Kenora Thistles, the Montreal Wanderers and possibly the Winnipeg Strathconas. It is also probable that two of the big teams will go to the Amphitheater at St. Paul, the biggest covered rink in the United States, to play exhibition games, for the purpose of showing the people of St. Paul and her sister city, Minneapolis, what professional and thoroughly scientific hockey is. These two towns will enter a team in the league next season, as will Duluth and Columbus, and probably Toronto and Detroit.

It is not improbable that Pittsburgh will throw in her lot with the eastern Canadian teams next season, and that the International League will embrace Toronto as the team farthest east, Columbus and Detroit and possibly Chicago to the south, and the Montreal Wanderers and Calumet in the north and St. Paul-Minneapolis and Duluth in the west. This would make a most excellent ten-team circuit, and there would be a great boom in American hockey.

Following is the correct schedule for the balance of the season, and the changes in dates having been made:

Jan. 24.—Pittsburg at Calumet and Houghton at Canadian Soo.

Jan. 25.—Pittsburg at Calumet and Houghton at Canadian Soo.

Jan. 26.—Pittsburg at Canadian Soo.

Jan. 27.—Pittsburg at Canadian Soo.

Feb. 1.—Pittsburg at Canadian Soo.

Feb. 5.—Calumet at Houghton and Canadian Soo at American Soo.

Feb. 8.—Houghton at Calumet and American Soo at Canadian Soo.

Feb. 12.—Calumet at Pittsburg and Houghton at Canadian Soo.

Feb. 14.—Calumet at Pittsburg and Houghton at American Soo.

Feb. 15.—Houghton at American Soo.

Feb. 16.—Calumet at Pittsburg.

Feb. 20.—American Soo at Calumet.

Feb. 21.—American Soo at Calumet.

Feb. 23.—American Soo at Houghton.

Feb. 28.—Canadian Soo at Houghton.

March 1.—Canadian Soo at Calumet.

March 4.—Canadian Soo at Calumet.

March 5.—Houghton at Pittsburg.

March 7.—Calumet at American Soo and Houghton at Pittsburg.

March 9.—Calumet at Canadian Soo and Houghton at Pittsburg.

March 14.—Houghton at Calumet and Canadian Soo at American Soo.

March 15.—Calumet at Houghton and American Soo at Canadian Soo.

Standing of the teams:

Goals. Games.

F. A. W. L. P. C.

Calumet 26 16 5 2 713

Portage Lake 35 35 6 3 666

Pittsburg 43 28 7 5 581

American Soo 32 41 4 8 332

Canadian Soo 30 48 2 7 300

SWIFT RINK CAPTURES

THE WALKER BUTTONS

After winning five hard-fought games in the Thistle Club tournament, the rink under Skip Swift was yesterday awarded the gold buttons offered by Mr. L. J. Walker. The winning rink included:

C. Mountjoy, lead;
C. Tuna,
J. Burnett,
S. Swift, skip.

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Second Week of OUR BIG Mid-Winter Sale

The past week eclipsed anything in the way of selling we ever experienced in the month of January. During the balance of our sale time extraordinary bargains will be added to our sale sections and the purchasing public will get bargains they never before had an opportunity of procuring. A special list is prepared for you this week:



Men's Overcoats

One hundred and twenty Goodwood and Kenwood style overcoats in plain and fancy effects, 46 to 52 inches long. Form-fitting and box-back styles.

SALE PRICE, \$ 4.98	Regular \$ 7.50
SALE PRICE, \$ 9.98	Regular \$13.00
SALE PRICE, \$13.98	Regular \$18.00
SALE PRICE, \$14.98	Regular \$20.00
SALE PRICE, \$17.98	Regular \$25.00

Boys' Reefers

AGES 9 to 15

A special lot in all sizes to fit boys ages 9 to 15 years in extra quality of dark gray frieze, lined with all-wool flannel.

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A lot of extra-quality of reefers in brown and blue English worsteds, ages 3 to 6 years. A handsome garment for the little chap.

SALE PRICE, \$2.48	Regular, \$4.50
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Boys' Sweaters 39c, Reg. 50c

About three dozen Boys' Blue and Black All-Wool Sweaters, ages 4 to 8 years. Sale price, 35c. Regular, 50c.

Men's Caps, 35c, Regular 50c and 75c

About ten dozen Men's Blue and Black Beaver Caps, with or without fur lugs. All sizes in the lots. Sale price 35c. Regular 50c and 75c.

Men's Fur Coats

2 only Black Bear.	SALE PRICE \$11.98.	Regular \$16
3 only Brown Buffalo.	SALE PRICE \$13.98.	Regular \$20
5 only Brown Buffalo.	SALE PRICE \$15.98.	Regular \$22
2 only Black Buffalo.	SALE PRICE \$16.98.	Regular \$23
3 only Calfskin Coats.	SALE PRICE \$18.98.	Regular \$25
5 only Coonskin.	SALE PRICE \$32.98.	Regular \$40

Boys' Shirts 39c, Reg. 50c

A good lot of Boys' Soft-Front Shirts, in all sizes to fit 12 to 14. Fabrics are all guaranteed. Sale price 39c. Regular 50c.

Men's Tweed Working Pants

About two hundred and fifty pairs of excellent quality of all wool tweeds. Sizes 31 to 40 waist.

SALE PRICE 69c	Regular \$1.00
SALE PRICE 89c	Regular \$1.25
SALE PRICE 98c	Regular \$1.50
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GEORGE WILKES, THE FOUNDER OF THE FAMOUS WILKES FAMILY

Doc Albertson writes to The Advertiser as follows:

In recent issues of several of the horse journals I have read quite a number of articles on famous horses who were, in each case, descendants of the great George Wilkes. Thinking that it might be of great interest to the student of the breeding of the light-harness horse, I have attempted to write a brief history of the founder of that great family.

The very name of Wilkes has become talismanic in the trotting world, and the family of which George Wilkes is the head is the most popular and the strongest in numbers of the day; yet less than 35 years ago he was without reputation as a sire and was ridiculed in the very region where one of his revenges has caused him to finally be regarded as "without a rival and without a peer."

George Wilkes was one of Hambleton's earliest sons, and was foaled in 1856, and bred by Col. Harry Feltz of Newburg, N. Y. His dam, Dolly Sparker, was a famous road mare, whose pedigree has been the subject of dispute ever since her son achieved notoriety, but, like Katy Darling, she has passed into history as "breeding untraced."

She died shortly after foaling George Wilkes—her only produce—and he was raised by hand, never growing to any great stature, perhaps by reason of it. At maturity

he stood just 15 hands, but was a "big little one," a dark brown, immensely stout and evenly made, of great vitality and wear and tear quality. As a 3-year-old he was purchased by Z. E. Simmons, of New York City, for \$3,000 and another horse, and at 5 years made his turf debut.

He was raced, often with great severity, until he was 16, and won in all 21 races, 56 of his winning heats being in 2:30 or better. His best record, 2:22, was made at Providence, R. I., Oct. 13, 1863, and it remained the champion stallion record up to 1871. During his racing career he was often defeated, but in turn beat such celebrities as Lady Thorn, Lucy, American Girl, Fearnaught, Rhode Island and George M. Patchen, Jun. He was first called Robert Fillingham, and it was under this name that he defeated Ethan Allen in a \$10,000 match race in 1862 and beat General Butler in 1863 and 1864. His name was changed in compliment to the famous editor of the Spirit of the Times.

Long and successful as was George Wilkes' turf career, it is not with his merits as a race horse that history is chiefly concerned, but with his infinitely more splendid achievements as a stallion. Up to the date of his retirement from the track he had done little service. He was underzoned, accused on some sides of not being thoroughly game, and there was no great

call for his services. So in 1873 he was taken to Kentucky and established in the stud at Lexington by W. L. Simmons. There were some derelict comments in the horse press region about "Simmons' baked-up pony." Nine years later, Mar. 28, 1882, when he laid down the burden of his years, his critics had eaten their words or forgotten them, and his obituary was written as that of the greatest sire ever within Kentucky's borders.

Unquestionably the "climatic outcross" was the making of George Wilkes' reputation as a sire. But whatever the cause, in nine years at the stud he accomplished more than any other sire has in a lifetime. Harry Wilkes, 2:13 1/2, and 78 others represent him in the 2:30 list, almost 100 of his sons are accredited as sires, while his daughters are among the most prolific of brood mares. Already his sons are founding sub-families of their own and in every direction the force and quality of his blood are making even a deeper and deeper impress upon the breed of light-harness horses.

Speed—early, natural, extreme and uniform—so unerringly has he bequeathed it to his descendants that it has well been said that it "seems to spring from the very earth in which the ashes of George Wilkes lie buried."

As previously stated, he died in 1882, and in 1902, after being buried just 20 years, his bones were exhumed, mounted, and his skeleton was placed on exhibition at the Kentucky State University. From there it was taken to the American Museum of Natural History at Seventy-seventh street and Central Park, New York City, where it can be seen at the present day.

POLO.

A CHALLENGE.

To Mr. Mitchell, president of Rambler Club:

We wish to challenge your roller polo team to a series of three games for the Hyman Cup, the first game to take place on any Tuesday evening after Jan. 25; the second game on the following Thursday, and the third game, if necessary, on the following Wednesday evening, the games to be played in the Princess Rink, Queen Avenue. Trusting to hear from you through the columns of the paper, I beg to remain, respectfully yours,

CLARENCE L. PRATT,
Manager Princess Roller Team.

BOATING.

A SLICK ONE TO DEFEND CUP.

New York, Jan. 22.—Those who have seen the plans for the defender of the Canada's cup, designed by William Gardner for the syndicate of Rochester yachtsmen, say it is the slickest craft that has been turned out for the class, and it is hoped that after the races for the Canada's cup the owners will take the boat to Hampton Roads to take part in the races to be sailed there in September. According to the latest reports Herreshoff has agreed to enter the contest. He was asked early in the season to design and build a defender, but declined. Now the Wizard of Bristol has been induced, according to rumor, to build a boat, and his craft and Gardner's will battle for the honor of defending the cup against the Canadian yacht, which will be designed by Fife or Mylne. These two designers are turning out challengers.

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PRESENT PASTOR WITH SILK GOWN

King Street Presbyterians Show
Appreciation of Work of Mr.
and Mrs. Rollins.

There was an air of general satisfaction at the annual meeting of the congregation of the King Street Presbyterian Church, held last evening, and there was just cause for it, as more was shown to have been accomplished by the church in 1906 than in any year since the congregation was organized, nearly 30 years ago. Reports were received from the board of managers, the session, and the various organizations identified with the church, and with scarcely an exception they stated that advances had been made. The pastor, Rev. James Rollins, presided, and there was an attendance of members and adherents that completely filled the large school room.

Although the congregation is composed for the major part of workingmen and their families, it was shown that during the year a total of nearly \$4,500 was raised from all sources. The contributions to the general fund amounted to \$1,993, while the receipts of the mortgage fund, including an anniversary collection of \$412, totaled over \$900. Of this sum, \$675 was paid on the mortgage, leaving the indebtedness of the church at the present time at \$2,460.

The membership of King Street is now 427, the largest in its history. At the beginning of 1906, there were 381 names on the roll. Ninety-eight persons were admitted to membership during the year, while 52 removed from the bounds of the congregation, leaving a net gain of 46.

The report of the Sunday school was one of the most satisfactory features of the meeting. The membership of the school is now 344, including 29 teachers and officers, while the average attendance for the year was 200. The largest attendance was on Feb. 18, when 241 were present. The revenue of the school was \$238.61.

To the Ladies' Aid Society, however, belongs a large share of credit for the successful showing made by the church. The ladies early in December took a bazaar in the east hall, and they prepared for it for several months, and the result was that \$704 was handed over to the managers. The bulk of this was used to reduce the mortgage, while a sum was also set aside for the carpentering of the church. In addition to what was realized on the bazaar, the ladies raised \$172.36.

Missions were shown to have been well supported, while the Young People's Society, under the presidency of Mr. James Patterson, grew in membership and extended its work. The average attendance at the meetings of the society was 75.

The election of managers resulted in the return of Messrs. W. Richmond, George Duncan, Scott Murray and Wm. McMillan for a term of three years. Mr. Allan Macdonald, who served two years of the expired term of Mr. Keith, who has removed from the city, and Messrs. John H. Anderson and George Renton were elected to serve one year in the places of members who resigned from the board during the year.

At the close of the business an event took place which showed the warm place which Mr. and Mrs. Rollins occupy among the congregation. The pastor and his wife were called to the platform, when Mrs. J. A. McHarg read an address appreciative of their faithful work in behalf of the church. Mr. Rollins was presented with a silk sash and Mrs. Rollins with a handsome easy chair. The presentations were made respectively by Mrs. Wm. Buskard and Mrs. James Bege. The gown and chair were secured almost entirely through the efforts of the ladies, and it fell to the lot of the oldest lady members of the congregation to read the address and make the presentations. The pastor made a very suitable acknowledgment, not only of the kindness shown to himself and Mrs. Rollins on this occasion, but at all times since they came to King Street Church.

Owing to the vast amount of business to be transacted it was decided to in future hold two meetings for the discussion of the annual reports. The first will be held on the Wednesday preceding the third Sunday in January, at which the reports of the various societies will be considered. At the second meeting the report of the board of managers and the session will be dealt with, and managers elected.

Liver and Kidneys

It is highly important that these organs should properly perform their functions. When they don't, what lameness of the side and back, what yellowness of the skin, what constipation, bad taste in the mouth, sick headache, pimples and blotches, and loss of courage, tell the story.

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ICE JAM AT FORKS; NO TROUBLE FEARED

G. T. R. Says Work at Cove Bridge Is Not Responsible for Accumulation.

A large quantity of ice is jammed at the forks at the foot of Dundas street, and more or less at the way down the river to the Cove bridge, where it is piled up on the right bank of the river. Superintendent Gillen of the Grand Trunk Railway denies that the coffer work of the new Cove bridge is responsible for the accumulation of ice in this river. He points out that the west span of the bridge is now completed and that the coffer work and false work have been removed, so that the channel on the right is free for the passage of ice.

The water in the river is low now, and in any event, no trouble is looked for. In order to get the ice out of the water would have to rise perhaps 12 or 15 feet.

West London property-owners do not like the constant talk of a flood, and its supposed consequences to the suburb. They say that West London is immune from floods, and is as safe as any other part of the city. To show that the people have confidence in the future of West London, they point to the large amount of building which has gone on there.

Engineer Simble stated to The Advertiser today that about eighteen inches of water was going over the Springfield dam this morning. Yesterday Hunt's mill had trouble because of the ice jam, it is said, but as the water lowers the ice settles on the banks or breaks in the center of the stream and floats away.

COMMITTEES STRUCK

County Council Gets Down to Business for January Session.

At this morning's session of the county council 24 communications were received and submitted to the various committees for consideration. The striking committee submitted the following report, showing the arrangements of the various committees:

Education Committee—Councillors Knapton, Glass, N. Graham, Ronald, McEwen.

House of Refuge Committee—Councillors Gillies, Ryan, Sullivan, McFarlane, Beattie, McGregor, Glass, D. Graham, Smith, Toohill, Hill, Robinson.

Finance Committee—Councillors Glass, Knapton, Oakes, Uhlins, Hill, Brown, Smith, Hackshaw.

Board of Road Directors—Councillors D. D. Graham, Kimball, Brodie, Beattie, Robinson, Ronald, Toohill, McEwen, McFarlane, Ryan, Oakes, McTaggart, Hunter.

Printing Committee—Councillors Brodie, Hackshaw, Brown, McGregor, Ronald, Rush, N. Graham.

Agricultural Committee—Councillors Beattie, Toohill, McEwen, Ronald, Robinson, Heath, Hunter.

Joint Committee—Councillors Hill, McFarland, McGregor, Smith, Sullivan, Kimball, N. Graham, Heath, Uhlins.

Petition Committee—Councillors McTaggart, Rush, Knapton, Oakes, Turnbull, Gillis, Sullivan.

The review of the various municipalities will make up the equalization committee.

A motion to appoint W. R. S. McCracken trustee of the Glenora High School, was laid on the table until tomorrow.

Representatives were passed appointing Alex Douglas as high school trustee for Wardsville High School; J. F. Wilson, high school trustee for the town of Parkhill; Dr. McCabe, for trustee of Strathroy Collegiate Institute.

An application by Col. Welsh, of the Twenty-sixth Regiment, for a grant of \$300 for a new monument was referred to the finance committee.

After the reports had been submitted Councilor Turnbull asked that his name be taken from the board of road directors, and the House of Refuge committee, as he desired to give some of the new members a chance to show what they could do. This was done, and the council adjourned until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

WHO WASTES THE WATER?

Citizen Declares That It Is Not the Householders.

A citizen who has been listening a long time to the cry of a water shortage in London, and also to the statement that the people of London use an average of about 100 gallons of water per head every day in the year, made an interesting statement on the subject to The Advertiser today.

He declares that while there may be no doubt that the 4,000,000 gallons of water for approximately 40,000 people are being pumped every day, it is not the people in the houses who are using the water. In fact, he claims that an average of ten gallons a day is all that is being used by the people.

To prove what he says, he produces figures to show that in a certain boarding house in London, where water is spared, the average daily consumption is only six gallons. The proprietor of the house pays for 800 cubic feet of water per month. There are 25 people in the house.

As there are six and a quarter gallons of water to the cubic foot, it is seen that during the month the house uses 5,000 gallons. This would mean 200 gallons per month for each of the inmates, or about 6 gallons per day per head.

The gentleman quoted does not claim that he may not be mistaken in the figures given, but he says that he has every faith in them himself.

In conclusion, he says that if all the places in the city which use water, such as factories, railroads, breweries, etc., were compelled to install meters, it would be found that there would be a tremendous saving in water. It is not the householders who waste the water, he says.

SHORTER HOURS AND BETTER PAY

That's What Bell Telephone Company Is to Give Operators in Large Offices.

A statement which has been given publicly, to the effect that the operators of the Bell Telephone Company were on the point of going on strike some time ago, and that a strike was only averted by the company shortening the hours, is indignantly denied by Manager Baird, whose denial is backed up by the young ladies of the office.

It is true that the company contemplates putting into force a new schedule of hours for the operators, but this schedule is one which has been devised for all the large offices in Canada.

It will mean shorter hours for the young ladies, and also an increase in wages, and will go into effect shortly. The new schedule also means that the operators will work stated hours, and that there will be no broken time.

For example, an operator will not be compelled to work a part of the day, and then return and work a part of the night. There will be a regular staff of operators, who will take their regular shifts at night. It will also mean a uniform service for the public. All good, or, rather, experienced operators will not be crowded onto the busy hours of the day, and the inexperienced ones given charge of the night or slack hours. Instead, the staff, both day and night, will be made up of a uniform grade of operators.

The young ladies of the Bell Company appear well satisfied with their positions, and are grateful to the company for voluntarily devising a scheme which will make things easier and more pleasant for them. The change in the schedule will mean an increase in the local staff of about 25 per cent.

CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

—Mayor Judd was in Toronto today, and Alderman Matthews was acting mayor.

—Miss Alice Leonard, of this city, has been spending some days with the Misses Morrison, St. George street, Toronto.

—Mr. E. L. Gallimore, of Wellington street north, is recovering after an illness which has confined him to his room for the past three weeks.

—The marriage takes place here today of Mr. Reg. Ott, of Fleming, Saskatchewan, and Miss Bertha Fitzgerald, of this city.

—South London Liberals are reminded of the whist match in the clubrooms Thursday night. A prize will be awarded for the highest score. All Liberals are invited to be present.

—Deaths of Mrs. Josephine Howell, wife of Mr. Thomas Howell, died at an early hour this morning at the family residence, 520 King street, after a brief illness from pneumonia.

—The funeral of Mr. Howell was held in Worcester, Mass., about 55 years ago, and after her marriage in New York City, she came to London in 1869, residing here continuously since. In addition to her husband, she is survived by three sons and one daughter—Alfred and Walter, of Toledo, Ohio; Emma and George, at home. The family will have the sincere sympathy of many friends in their bereavement. The funeral takes place on Friday at 2:30.

NEW ADVERTISER STORY

A Splendid One Will Begin in Saturday's Edition.

On Saturday next The Advertiser will begin one of the most fascinating stories that have appeared in these columns in years. This journal has purchased from the Canada Newspaper Syndicate the serial rights of "The Ghost of Lochrain Castle," or "The Underground Syndicate," the latest success by Mrs. C. N. Williamson, the English author of "The Princess Passes," "The Lightning Conductor," and other popular novels. It will be published in daily installments.

"The Ghost of Lochrain Castle" contains a thrilling plot, into which tragedy, mystery and love are skillfully woven by a past master in the writing of fiction. The scene is laid in Scotland, and the characters are sketched with rare power. Readers should not miss the opening chapters of Saturday.

SERIOUS FREIGHT WRECK

Fast Train Crashes Into a Way Freight at Lynden.

One of the worst freight spills experienced on the Grand Trunk's middle division for some time occurred at an early hour yesterday morning at Lynden, a small station about five miles east of Brantford. The way freight, from Paris to Hamilton, was standing near the depot, when No. 88, a fast freight running from Sarnia Tunnel to the bridge, crashed into it, wrecking half a dozen or more cars. The debris took fire, and a large quantity of goods was consumed.

The engineer and fireman of the fast freight jumped and escaped injury. None of the way freight crew were in their van at the time, otherwise they may have been killed, as the van was smashed to kindling-wood.

A heavy snowstorm was raging at the time, and this prevented the engineer of the fast freight from seeing the signals on the crossing track.

It's easy to talk philosophically if you are not personally interested.

THEY ARE A POWERFUL NERVE-DRIVEN, and nervous system, and nervous system is difficult to deal with. These are many testimonials as to the efficacy of the famous "Vegetable Pills" in treating this disorder, showing that they never fail to produce cures. By giving proper tone to the digestive tract, and restore equilibrium to the nerve centers.

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Alum baking powders are sold to consumers at from 10 to 20 cents a pound. So detrimental to health are these baking powders considered, that in many countries their sale is prohibited. Strong's Baking Powder.

25c Per Pound.

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TRUE BILL FOR MCGILL

Ex-Ontario Bank Manager Is Charged With Theft of \$125,000.

Toronto, Jan. 22.—Two true bills were returned by the grand jury of the city today, indicting Charles McGill, former manager of the Ontario Bank, with signing a false return to the Government, and with the theft of \$125,000.

Messrs. F. H. Pope and W. R. Chenoweth were the witnesses examined in support of the first charge.

There are nine counts in the second indictment. The witnesses were Crown Attorney Corley. They were Messrs. E. Ames, W. R. Chenoweth, F. H. Pope, Ernest Swallow, Cecil B. Lloyd, D. N. Gladman, M. J. Quigley, John G. Beattie and H. M. Kelso.

The evidence taken in New York in support of the charge of theft of about a million and a half of dollars will be submitted to the grand jury when the Crown prosecution, Mr. G. Lynch Staunton, secures the court's permission to do so.

QUAKE IN SICILY

Rome, Jan. 22.—Since the Kingston earthquake slight earthquakes have been felt in Sicily and are continuing, which has caused considerable alarm. There are threatening to collapse, compelling their occupants to camp out in spite of the severity of the weather. Mount Aetna and Stromboli continued to show signs of activity. Snow fell for hours here.

HANGING FROM FAULTLINE

Toronto, Jan. 22.—An Englishman named William Corbett, 55 years of age, committed suicide by hanging himself in his boarding-house at 274 King street east today. He was found suspended from the faultline with a clothes line round his neck. Corbett had been out of work for some time.

PUGILIST BURNS

IN LONDON TOWN

Talks of His Go With O'Brien in the Spring—Sure to Win, He Says.

Tommy Burns, the clever heavyweight pugilist, was in the city this morning for a short time on his way to Woodstock, where he will give an exhibition tonight with his sparring partner, George Menzies, conqueror of Young Corbett and other fast boxers.

The Advertiser's sporting man got a tip that Burns was coming, and he went to the Grand Trunk depot to have a chat with him. The scribe had never before set eyes on Burns, but he had heard of him in London. Seeing a husky-looking chap about 30 years of age, with a monster diamond earring, a checked vest, a diamond ring and a brand new pair of tan gloves, protruding from the breast pocket of a neat overcoat, the newspaperman came to the conclusion that it was none other than the prizefighter. His conclusion proved to be correct.

"Yes, I am Burns," said Tommy, when the question was put to him. "Who are you?"

The newspaperman explained, and everything was lovely. Burns was anything but reticent. He stated that he is making a theatrical tour of Canada which will probably last until March at least, after which he will journey to the Coast and get into trim for the O'Brien bout.

Burns talked on various sporting subjects of interest, during which he mentioned that lacrosse, in his opinion, was the best of all games for the development of speed.

"About fighting?" he was asked. Burns smiled knowingly. "If there were no fat purses there would be one less heavy-weight in the field," he replied. He emphatically denied the report that his bout with O'Brien in May at Los Angeles is to be called off.

"Both O'Brien and myself have \$250 forfeit money up," said he, "and the club is bound to bring the bout off. Rivals of McCarry's club are floating those pipe-dreams."

"But about the side-steps you are said to have expected when Jack Johnson wanted a bout with you," was the next question.

"I can whip that colored man in ten rounds," he retorted. "But I do not meet negroes in the ring in order to make a living. In fact, if I listened to my wife's pleadings—she is a southern girl—I would not fight at all. About two years more of it, and I can retire and live on my income the rest of my days, if I see fit to do so."

"Mike Schreck wants to meet you," Burns said.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE

Reported by C. N. Spencer, Stockbroker, Market Lane, for The Advertiser.

Chicago, Jan. 23.

Wheat—Open. High. Low. Close.

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R. J. Young & Co. | R. J. Young & Co.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday The Last Stock-Taking Sale for 1907

The last three days of 1907 stock-taking sales—it's been extraordinary selling, chiefly because the reductions have been on stylish, fresh goods that would have been well worth their regular prices later in the season had we wished to carry them over, but the store policy (carry nothing bought for one season into another) had to prevail.

The next three days mean special bargains in

Black and Colored Dress Goods
Colored Velveteens and Silks
Blanket and Beaver Cloths
Furs and Fur Coats
Children's Mantles

Fancy Waistings
Wool Shawls
Wool Hosiery
Women's Underwear
Children's Underwear

and many small lots of winter stuffs that must be cleared during the next few days. Can't begin to give a list of reductions, but cost or profit has been lost sight of in our endeavor to make a final clearance.

Ten Cases of New Embroideries and Insertions, that are worth 8c yard; Thursday, Friday and Saturday the price is 5c

These are well embroidered on splendid quality cambrics in both blind and open work patterns. You'll not buy anything like these at 5c later in the season.

75c Wool Shawls for 55c Black Peau de Soie at 49c

Black, Cream, Gray, Cardinal
Fresh, clean new goods, all wool and full sizes. Our staple 75c line. Only a few dozen to clear at this price.

Another end of our guaranteed stamped selvaige silk, fast dye and particularly rich finish. Worth regularly 65c. A splendid silk for dresses and petticoats.

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doesn't he?" asked the man behind the pencil.

LOCAL MARKET.

London, Wednesday, Jan. 23. There was a slow sale for the 29 loads of hay that was marketed today, the majority of the loads were of poor quality. Sales were made at \$11 to \$12 for clover or mixed hay, and \$12 to \$13 per ton for timothy.

Oats were scarce and prices were firm at \$1.08 to \$1.11 per cwt. There were several loads offered today, which sold at \$5 to \$5.50 per ton, or \$3.50 to \$4 when sold by the load.

WEEKLY REVIEW.

The attendance at the markets the past six days was hardly up to the average so far as numbers are concerned. The supply of small stuff was particularly light, and consequently there was a good demand. The delivery of hay was the largest of any week since last winter; sales as a rule were fairly brisk, and prices were about steady.

Grain—The supply of oats has been light; sales are made at \$1.08 to \$1.10 per cwt. for the best quality. Barley is easier at \$1 to \$1.05 per cwt. Wheat, 70c per bushel.

Hay and Straw—The number of loads offered during the week reached nearly 200; sales were brisk, considering the number of loads marketed; prices were a trifle lower, at \$12 to \$13.50 per ton, mostly at \$12.50 per ton. Straw is in fair demand at \$5 to \$5.50 per ton.

Butter and Eggs—Trade for butter is steady, with offerings about equal to the demand; sales are brisk at 23c for choice crocks and 24c for the best light pound rolls in wholesale lots. There was a big lot of eggs offered on Saturday; prices were easier, some of the crates and basket lots being sold at 25c per dozen; for strictly fresh laid 25c to 26c per dozen for small lots was obtained.

Potatoes—The supply has been small and prices are firm, at 75c to 80c per bag by the load.

Apples—Trade continues to be quiet; the supply is fairly large, at \$1.50 to \$2 per barrel; occasionally \$2.25 is paid for choice Spies or Greenings; by the bag, 50c to 80c.

Poultry—The supply is about up to the average for this time of the year. The following prices are not plentifully paid: Turkeys, dressed, per lb, 12c to 14c; geese, do, 10c to 12c; ducks, 10c to 11c, or 9c to 10c per pair; chickens, 7c to 8c alive; by the pair, 6c to 9c for dressed, and 5c to 6c alive; old fowl are dull, at 7c per lb dressed, and 5c to 6c alive.

Dressed Hogs—Prices are steady, at \$8.75 to \$9.25 per cwt. for best, fat sows sold at \$6.50 to \$7 per cwt.

Live Hogs—The price for next Monday's shipment has not yet been decided on, but it will probably be about \$5.50, or near this figure; small pigs are not plentiful; sales are made at \$5 to \$7 for pigs 8 to 10 weeks old.

Butchers' Meats—Beef sells at \$5 to \$6.50 by the carcass, or \$5 to \$6 per cwt for forequarters, and \$5 to \$7 for hindquarters; veal sells at \$8 to \$9 per cwt by the carcass; lamb, 15c to 16c per lb by the carcass; mutton is higher, at \$7 to \$9.50 per cwt.

Hides and Skins—Hides are 5c per lb lower, at 9c for No. 1, 8c for No. 2, and 7c for No. 3 grades. Calveskins are steady at 12c per lb; sheepskins, 75c to \$1.40 each.

WOOL MARKETS.

Toronto, Jan. 22.—Wool—Conditions in the local market have not changed, and the steady tone in the European markets has as yet had no effect there. Prices are steady, at 25c for washed, 25c to 26c for unwashed, 15c for rejects and 8c for pickings.

HAY MARKET.

Toronto, Jan. 22.—Baled Hay—The market is very steady; quotations are \$11 to \$12.50 for No. 1 timothy, and \$9 for No. 2, on track basis.

Baled Straw—Steady, at \$5.50 to \$7, on track.

DAIRY MARKETS.

Chicago, Jan. 22.—Butter—Steady; creameries, 20c to 21c; dairies, 19c to 20c.

Cheese—Firm, 15c to 14c.

NEW YORK.

New York, Jan. 22.—Butter—Firm; receipts, 7,791 packages; street prices, extra creamery, 30c to 31c; official prices, creamery, common to extra, 25c to 26c; held, common to extra, 20c to 25c; renovated, common to extra, 15c to 20c.

Cheese—Steady to firm; prices unchanged; receipts, 1,222 boxes.

OIL MARKETS.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 22.—Oil opened and closed at \$1.53.

OIL CITY.

Oil City, Pa., Jan. 22.—Credit balances, \$1.50.

LONDON.

London, Jan. 22.—Petroleum, American refined, 6 1/2-16d; spirits, 7 1/2d.

ANTWERP.

Antwerp, Jan. 22.—Petroleum, 20 francs 40 centimes.

SUGAR MARKETS.

New York, Jan. 22.—Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 3c; centrifugal, 3 1/2c; 3 1/2c; molasses sugar, 2 1/2c; refined steady.

LONDON.

London, Jan. 22.—Raw sugar—Muscovado, 3c; centrifugal, 3 1/2c; beet sugar, January, 3 1/2c.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

Toronto, Jan. 23.—Wheat—Receipts are light and breadstuffs prices are generally firm. Quotations are:

Canadian Pacific, 187 1/2; 188 1/2; 189 1/2; 190 1/2; 191 1/2; 192 1/2; 193 1/2; 194 1/2; 195 1/2; 196 1/2; 197 1/2; 198 1/2; 199 1/2; 200 1/2; 201 1/2; 202 1/2; 203 1/2; 204 1/2; 205 1/2; 206 1/2; 207 1/2; 208 1/2; 209 1/2; 210 1/2; 211 1/2; 212 1/2; 213 1/2; 214 1/2; 215 1/2; 216 1/2; 217 1/2; 218 1/2; 219 1/2; 220 1/2; 221 1/2; 222 1/2; 223 1/2; 224 1/2; 225 1/2; 226 1/2; 227 1/2; 228 1/2; 229 1/2; 230 1/2; 231 1/2; 232 1/2; 233 1/2; 234 1/2; 235 1/2; 236 1/2; 237 1/2; 238 1/2; 239 1/2; 240 1/2; 241 1/2; 242 1/2; 243 1/2; 244 1/2; 245 1/2; 246 1/2; 247 1/2; 248 1/2; 249 1/2; 250 1/2; 251 1/2; 252 1/2; 253 1/2; 254 1/2; 255 1/2; 256 1/2; 257 1/2; 258 1/2; 259 1/2; 260 1/2; 261 1/2; 262 1/2; 263 1/2; 264 1/2; 265 1/2; 266 1/2; 267 1/2; 268 1/2; 269 1/2; 270 1/2; 271 1/2; 272 1/2; 273 1/2; 274 1/2; 275 1/2; 276 1/2; 277 1/2; 278 1/2; 279 1/2; 280 1/2; 281 1/2; 282 1/2; 283 1/2; 284 1/2; 285 1/2; 286 1/2; 287 1/2; 288 1/2; 289 1/2; 290 1/2; 291 1/2; 292 1/2; 293 1/2; 294 1/2; 295 1/2; 296 1/2; 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LONDON AND DISTRICT

—Mr. J. W. Matthews, of Windsor, Ont., is in the city.

—Miss Annie Lahiff, of Hamilton, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. W. H. Ogilvie, 888 Eglar street.

—Mrs. Kinder, of Strathroy, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles Turner, 430 English street, city.

—Mr. James Ferguson, the east end tailor, is in Chicago, attending the Custom Cutters' Association of America.

—Mrs. W. H. Ogilvie (nee Connolly) will be at home to her friends on Tuesday next, afternoon and evening, and afterwards on the first and fourth Tuesdays of each month.

—Mr. Charles G. Moorhead, of East London, desires to thank the citizens, especially those of the east side, for the vote given him in the recent municipal election. In one division in the east end Mr. Moorhead polled 102 votes out of 130 cast.

THE FLOWER OF EMPIRE.

The London and Middlesex Historical Society were treated to a most interesting and edifying entertainment last night at the Normal School. Rev. W. J. Spence, of Milverton, delivered an illustrated lecture entitled "The Flower of Empire." The lantern slides were of the very best, and Mr. Spence's review of the growth of British power during the past century, beginning with the scenes of the victories of Nelson shown, and coming down to the achievements of Lord Roberts, sustained the keenest interest of the audience throughout. A well-merited vote of thanks, moved by Mr. Geo. W. Armstrong, seconded by Mr. Henry Macklin, was extended the lecturer.

LECTURED ON "ROME."

The First Congregational Church was well filled last night when an illustrated lecture on "Rome" was given by Rev. J. Ross. In aid of the local Young Women's Christian Association. An excellent selection of views was shown, and the lecture was interesting and instructive from start to finish, being of a historic and descriptive nature. The principal buildings and cathedrals of the city were described, and some panoramic views were also shown. The famous St. Peter's Cathedral was the subject of much of the lecture, a complete history of it being given. Rev. D. S. Hamilton occupied the chair, and in introducing the lecturer he spoke at some length on the work of the Y. W. C. A., pointing out that it was deserving of support. A goodly sum was realized from the lecture, and was gladly accepted by the association.

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CHEESE SCORING CONTEST

Result of the Competition Held in Connection With Dairy Convention.

Secretary Barr, of the Western Ontario Dairyman's Association, has announced the result of the cheese scoring contest, held in connection with the Western Ontario Dairyman's convention.

Average score of the three judges—Flavor, 41; texture, 28.50; color, 14.16; finish, 10—total, 93.66.

First prize, James Cleland, Listowel—Flavor, 41; texture, 28; color, 14.50; finish, 10—total, 93.50.

Second prize, F. A. Thompson, Bonnington—Flavor, 40; texture, 29; color, 10—total, 93.50.

The prize was awarded upon the following score of points.

One point, difference in flavor, is equal to four points.

One point, difference in texture, is equal to three points.

One point, difference in color, is equal to 1.50 points.

According to this method the scoring is based upon the relative importance of the score. Flavor was of more importance than texture, and also of more importance than color.

Although the total score of both prize winners is the same according to this method of scoring, Mr. Cleland is considerably ahead, as follows:

Difference in flavor point—1.50

Difference in texture ½ point—1.50

Difference in color 1-3 point—50

Total points 3.74

Mr. Thompson—

Difference in flavor ½ point—2

Difference in texture ½ point—1.50

Difference in color 16-100 point—21

Total points 3.74

ON UNIVERSITY SENATE

Graduates of Medical College Name Four Representatives.

The graduates of the London Medical College held a meeting last night for the purpose of electing four representatives on the senate of the Western University. The election resulted as follows: Dr. C. S. McGuffin, was elected for the four-year term; Dr. E. Scadding, for three years; Dr. J. B. Campbell, for two years, and Dr. J. D. Baird, for one year.

The medical branch of the corporation was then formed, and the following officers elected:

President—Dr. A. V. Bacher.

Secretary—Dr. Septimus Thompson.

Executive—Dr. H. T. Reason, H. A. McCallum, C. H. Reason, F. R. Eccles and J. B. McCallum.

To extend the membership of the corporation and advance various affairs in general will be the object of the branch.

FORMER LONDONER DEAD

Mr. Richard Hobbs Passes at Guelph From Attack of Pneumonia.

Mr. Richard Hobbs, a former Londoner, died after a short illness at his home in Guelph yesterday morning. Death resulted from an attack of pneumonia.

The late Mr. Hobbs resided for 22 years in London, and only left here a short time ago for Guelph, where he took up his residence on Delhi street. Although but a short time in the Royal City, he had many friends.

In London he was very well known also, and his death is lamented by all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance.

The deceased was the father of Dr. Hobbs, the superintendent of the Homewood Sanatorium, Guelph, and at one time on the London asylum staff, and had moved there to be close to his son. The body will be brought to this city for interment.

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There is an altar society in Brooklyn composed of night policemen. The members contribute a certain amount every month which pays for lights and flowers on an altar of perpetual adoration.

Dr. J. M. McBryde, president of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute of Blacksburg, Va., has been placed on the retired list as a pensioner of the Carnegie Institution. He is the third educator from Virginia to receive this distinction.

D. O. Mills is one of the few remaining here and one of New York's best citizens, director in twenty big corporations and prominent in philanthropy. Mr. Mills is 81.

Mr. Garratt's Plum Was Placed in Cold Storage

Appointment to the Fair Board Held Up—Is for an Alderman Yet.

The city council last night held a session which lasted a little less than two hours, and at which a large list of routine business was transacted. Mayor Booth, Ald. Gillean, Saunders, Gerry, Booth, Rose, Matthews, Beattie, Scarlett, Stevely and Cooper and City Clerk Baker were present.

A bylaw was introduced to appoint Mr. Joshua Garratt on the Western Fair board instead of Ald. Booth, who dropped from the fair board to make way for Mr. Garratt. The latter had been appointed to the L. and P. S. R. board, but as one too many directors had been named for that body, it was found necessary to make a berth for Mr. Garratt somewhere else. So Ald. Booth made a vacancy on the fair board.

Ald. Cooper blocked the appointment, however.

"You don't even know that Mr. Garratt will be confirmed in the seat," he said. "You had better wait until you hear from the courts. And he is not yet an alderman, for he has not appeared to take the oath."

And on motion of Ald. Cooper, the bylaw was allowed to lay over.

Mr. Charles Taylor was appointed to succeed Mr. W. D. Willis on the board of health, Mr. Willis having gone west to live.

Street Watering.

The watering of the city streets by the London Street Railway Company was brought up by a motion introduced by Ald. Gillean, seconded by Ald. Booth.

No. 3 committee be given power to make a contract for street watering with the company for a term of years; and as the municipal act only allows a municipality to make a contract for one year, that the Legislature be asked to amend the act, so as to permit of the city making an agreement for a term of years.

Ald. Gillean explained that the company will not go to the expense of purchasing a sprinkler unless the city is willing to make a contract for a term of years sufficient to make it worth while.

Ald. Matthews said that no matter what is done the city will have to have the old carts. The street railway cannot do all the watering. He thought the council should wait awhile. He didn't agree to believe the water shortage is as great as indicated by the commissioners.

Ald. Cooper was of a like opinion.

Ald. Booth vigorously defended the proposal. The scarcity of water warrants such a scheme being adopted, he said. And he did not bind the city to a contract. It only gave the committee power to go ahead and negotiate with the company for an agreement which will cover a term of years.

Ald. Gillean's motion was carried.

The Isolation Hospital.

Chairman Matthews of No. 2 committee stated that he has arranged for a new isolation hospital to be constructed on the site of the old isolation hospital.

It was also stated that when matters are sufficiently advanced, and the new hospital scheme is agreed upon, a special building committee will be set up to superintend the construction of the hospital.

The seven clauses of No. 1 committee's report were carried, including the clause which recommended that the petition of the deputy returning officers who acted in the last election, for an increase in pay, be filed.

BILL MAY EXILE RICH AMERICANS

Measure Before Congress Deprives Those Living Abroad of Citizenship.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 22. — Rich Americans who have established permanent residences in Paris and other attractive capitals of Europe, will find their citizenship endangered if a bill favorably reported to the House today by the house committee on foreign affairs be enacted into law.

The bill establishes several other principles of great importance. Any naturalized citizen residing five years in a foreign state will cease to be an American citizen. Any American woman who marries a foreigner will take the nationality of her husband, but at the termination of the marital relationship may resume American citizenship. Any foreign woman marrying an American becomes an American citizen, which she will remain, unless she formally renounces allegiance.

A child born without the United States of alien parents will be deemed a citizen by virtue of the naturalization of the parent during its minority, citizenship to begin at the time of permanent residence in the United States. Children born abroad of American citizens, who continue to reside outside of the United States must, in order to receive the protection of this Government, record at an American consulate when they reach the age of 18 years their intention to become residents and remain citizens of the United States.

SCIENCE VS. RELIGION

President Eliot, of Harvard, Says Latter Must Bow to Former.

Boston, Jan. 22.—President Charles W. Eliot of Harvard University, speaking before a meeting of Congregational ministers in this city today on the subject of Ecclesiasticalism, Ritualism and Creeds, emphasized his position against anything and everything that stands for finality in religion.

"Outside of what is called religion," he said, "there is no place where absolute truth is fixed. There is an irresistible trend toward the belief that truth cannot be fixed. In the region of philosophy and metaphysics there is an incessant flux; in chemistry, zoology, botany, no one for a moment believes that the end has been reached. Why should the theologian say he has reached the fixed point in his research?"

The speaker likened the theme of science to a mountain feeling his way carefully and slowly into a harbor overhung with fog.

"That is precisely what the men of science are doing," said President Eliot. "They know how slowly, painfully, patiently they must make their way. The theologian takes a different attitude. He sees in the fog of mystery a thing to be believed. The scientific man is going to rule. Before long it will be only his way that will command the respect of thinking people."

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Have Strenuous Time Rounding Up Herd of Cattle With Winchester.

Peterboro, Ont., Jan. 22. — A story which savors of the wild and woolly west, comes from a section of Smith Township, known as "The Wilderness."

It relates to the rounding up of several head of wild cattle on the farm of Andrew Tully, of the third line of Smith, which almost resulted in the loss of human life. These brutes owe their fierceness to a buffalo ancestor, who was at one time used for cross-breeding in that district.

The other afternoon, three young men, Darcy and James Dunlop and Nathan Stahler, armed with 44-Winchester rifles, started out in pursuit of the wild animals, which have scarcely seen a human being since their birth. They had purchased them from Tully, and it was only with dogs and guns that the animals could be caught. Darcy Dunlop succeeded early in boring a hole through the head of a young heifer which could get through the woods as swift as any deer.

The animal ran a long distance before the loss of blood compelled it to drop. A couple of the hunters immediately proceeded to stick the heifer, which made several unsuccessful attempts to break away. In the midst of their work they suddenly heard a crashing of dead boughs, and two of the other infuriated cattle were almost on them. They rapidly dodged the animals, which passed between the two men as they were holding down the first prize. They were soon forced to abandon positions and seek shelter behind some stumps until able to get a shot at the enraged beasts. The hunters only got half the cattle on that day, and finished the rest of the herd on a following afternoon.

The woods and swamp were the animals lived contain about 60 acres.

TRAVEL FROM THE SOUTH

Flock of Grosbeaks Noticed in a Calgary Park.

Calgary, Alta., Jan. 22.—The citizens of Calgary are usually too busy with everyday affairs to notice the presence of a flock of evening grosbeaks within the city limits. These beautifully-colored birds make their home in the

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mountains of New Mexico, but during the winter months their movements are influenced by the food supply, when they occasionally wander as far east as the Prairie Provinces, Ontario, and on one or two occasions have been observed in the Province of Quebec. Being members of the finch family they have the unusually thick beak peculiar to seed-eating birds. The plumage of the males is of surpassing beauty, and when seen among the bleak and withered fruit of the Red River maple, on which they principally subsist, they will be quickly recognized as wanderers from a warmer climate. Edwin Beaupre, of Kingston, who takes a keen interest in ornithology, recognized the evening grosbeak in the C. P. R. park, where they may be seen feeding in the morning.

The adult males have golden yellow colored bodies, deep black tails, and black and white wings. Young males and females lack these gorgeous colors, being uniformly gray, with two wing bars of black and white.

Most of the things we learn from experience come under the head of compulsory education.</