

RAILWAY SCHEMES PUZZLING THE CITY.

Option Takers Are After the MacNab Street Presbyterian Church Property.

According to a report in the City Hall this morning the union station scheme which some of the large railways have in contemplation is on a much larger scale than the general public was led to believe by the first reports...

Although the Canadian Northern, Mackenzie & Mann's new road, is said to be interested in the new station scheme, the company is looking for a separate entrance into the city.

The city is rather curious to know what the plans of the T. H. & B. are in connection with the switch it wants to cross Gibson avenue with.

To relieve the congestion in the far east end district the Building Committee will recommend the Board of Education to at once build an eight-room addition of the Barton Street School...

City Engineer Macallum visited the filtering basins yesterday to see how the cleaning operations are progressing.

J. H. Williams was granted a permit today for a brick house on Ardvoch street, between Hunt and Dundurn streets, to cost \$1,000.

This afternoon the Finance Committee will open tenders for debentures amounting to \$377,000, made up as follows: Waterworks \$50,000; sewerage and sewage \$65,000; special debentures covering last year's overdraft \$112,000; permanent pavements, \$125,000, and Public Library, \$25,000.

City Solicitor Waddell is in Toronto today to get the date for the hearing of the city's suit against the Street Railway Company fixed.

The Street Railway has over a hundred men at work on Barton street. The James street gang expects to complete the track work to-day and move to Barton street to-morrow.

COURT HAS MERCY ON MRS. CHAS. T. YERKES.

Orders That She be Allowed to Leave and Enter Mansion Without Hindrance—One Woman Provided For and Another Not.



EMILIE GRIGSBY.

MRS. CHAS. T. YERKES.

New York, May 27.—The United States circuit court of appeals granted permission to Mrs. Charles T. Yerkes to go in and out of her mansion at Fifth avenue and Sixty-eighth street without molestation by any of the receiver's guards who have been camping in her home since April 5.

When the case came up on an argument against the continuance of the receivership to-day James Russell Soley and William B. Hornblower characterized as an outrage the manner in which the Yerkes home is invested by the receiver's guards.

Mr. Soley asked that the receivership order be stayed and the men taken from the house or some other relief granted against the invasion of the privacy of Mrs. Yerkes' home.

other day," said Mr. Soley, "and found one of the guards putting on rubber shoes—sneakers. When the clerk asked him why he was putting them on he said that he 'didn't want the people to hear him moving about.'"

Mr. Soley said that when the guards were set in the house, Mrs. Yerkes was so ill that it was not thought safe to let her know of the indignity that was being put upon her.

Judge Adams, presiding, consulted with his associates, Judges Hand and Noyes, and then announced that no change should be made in the case pending the hearing the appeal on June 15.

THE OTHER SIDE. This is a story of tragedy—a tragedy that will live until death mercifully seals it.

It concerns two women—a wife and a favorite. The man—he is dead. Mrs. Charles T. Yerkes, nearly fifty now, widow of the famous Chicago-London traction multi-millionaire, also ex-wife of one Wilson Miner, eccentric young society swell—is one of these women.

Emilie Grigsby is better off now than she was during Yerkes' life. At his end Yerkes provided that the happiness of Miss Grigsby should be of the kind that endures. She alone of those who enjoyed his riches is protected in them after his death.

CANON ABBOTT MAY GET TORONTO CALL.

Cathedral People Somewhat Disquieted—Officials Think He Would Stay Here.

Rev. Canon H. P. Almon Abbott, rector of Christ's Church Cathedral, this city, and under whose pastorate the cathedral has made wonderful progress during the past two years, is being mentioned as the possible successor to Rev. Canon Welch, as rector of St. James' Cathedral, Toronto.

Yesterday the wardens and lay delegates of St. James' Cathedral had a conference, and discussed the situation. The necessity of immediate action was felt, and it is expected the wardens will be prepared shortly to go before Bishop Sweeney with one or more names of clergymen whom they would be pleased to have appointed rector of St. James' Cathedral.

vestry will be held to pass upon the names to be submitted by the wardens and lay delegates.

The two names prominently mentioned already are those of Rev. Paterson Smythe, of St. George's Church, Montreal, and Rev. Canon Abbott.

Of course neither of these clergymen has been approached yet, nor has anything definite been done. The very mention of Canon Abbott as a probable successor to Canon Welch, however, has caused a good deal of talk and not a little worry among the people of Christ's Church.

While St. James' Cathedral is one of the foremost Anglican churches in Canada, the cathedral officials feel that the great work which Canon Abbott has on hand at the cathedral here will have much weight with him should he receive the call. They are inclined to think he would remain here.

JAMIESON'S BODY WAS RECOVERED.

The Funeral of the Former Football Player This Afternoon.

At last the waters of the bay have given up the body of John Jamieson, who was drowned on the 7th of April. The body was discovered by William Paine, 13 Henry street, who was out rowing yesterday afternoon in the vicinity of Oaklands, when he saw an object floating around in the shallow water.

lice and Constables Bramer and Merritt were sent to the wharf in the patrol. Mr. Jutten, securing a gasoline launch, conveyed the officers and Paine over to the north shore, where the body was found without much trouble.

Jamieson lost his life in an attempt to take out a row boat in a raging storm and rescue a cap which had blown into the water. No sooner had the light boat passed beyond the shelter of the wharf than Jamieson lost all control and was blown straight before the wind.

The funeral took place privately this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from J. Dwyer's undertaking parlors to Holy Sepulchre Cemetery. The pallbearers were Messrs. Edward Calligan, W. Harper, J. Gibbs, D. Cameron, A. Cherrier, F. Condon.

BAD WOMAN SENT DOWN.

Maggie Smith Has Had Warnings Often Enough. Must Spend the Next Three Months in Jail.

Last night Sergeant Robinson and a squad of policemen raided the house of Margaret Smith, 127 Cannon street west, and lodged her in the police cells on a charge of keeping an improper house, together with Emma Jackson, and a man who gave the name of William Smith, the former charged with being an inmate and the latter with being a common vagrant.

"But I own that house on Cannon street," said Smith. "That does not make any difference. You are sentenced to three months in jail without the option of a fine."

"That would mean six months in jail," said his Worship. "Well, give them six weeks, I guess that will be warning enough for others."

They said they had, and produced their return tickets. "Well, you had better clear out, and if I find you here on a similar charge again I will send you both down to Toronto, but to a place you will not appreciate."

LARGE ESTATE.

Edwin T. Wright Left One Valued at \$80,050.

The will of Edwin T. Wright, manufacturer, and former partner of the E. T. Wright Company, has been entered for probate by the widow, Mrs. Minnie Caroline Wright. The estate is valued at \$80,050, and is made up as follows: Life insurance, \$5,000. Miscellaneous, \$50. Half interest in the E. T. Wright Company, \$75,000.

IN HOLY BONDS Marriage of Popular Hamilton Young Lady This Evening.

A quiet house wedding will take place this evening at 6 o'clock, when Miss Mary Phillips, youngest daughter of Mr. Alex. Phillips, 132 West avenue north, will be united in marriage to William R. Berry, of Hartford, Conn.

ST. ELIZABETH.

Last Meeting of the Season But Pleasant Events Coming.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES To rent at \$2 a year and upwards, for the storing of deeds, bonds, stocks, wills, silver and other valuables. TRADERS BANK OF CANADA.

Shot His Wife

Indianapolis, Ind., May 27.—Mistaking her for a burglar, Geo. W. Thompson, last night, shot and killed his wife in his home. Thompson went to bed early, leaving his wife down stairs sewing. Later she entered the room carrying a lighted match. Thompson said he awoke, though the light was from a burglar's lantern, took a revolver from under his pillow and fired twice at the form which followed the light. He is held at the police station for fear he will harm himself.

A Wind Fall

London, May 27.—Chas. Morrison, a comparatively unknown millionaire, whose estate it is estimated is worth between 50,000,000 and 75,000,000, died near Reading. He was 92 years old. With a maximum death duty of 15 per cent, and a succession duty of 5 per cent, as provided by the new budget, the government will receive from the estate more than \$10,000,000.

DR. JAMES ANDERSON.

THE MAN IN OVERALLS

INJUNCTION.

Mrs. McLelland May Get One to Stop Dust Nuisance.

OTTAWA HOTEL Ottawa, Ont., May 27.—The G. T. R. to-day has 100 men at work on excavation for the hotel on the Major Hill Park site.

Wears Like Iron.

Renew your old floors and furniture with a coat of Jap-a-lac. It makes them look bright and new.

DR. CARMAN'S TRAVELS.

Toronto, Ont., May 27.—Rev. Dr. Carman, the veteran general superintendent of the Methodist Church, leaves to-night on a short visit to the western provinces.

Wants Like Iron.

Well, I won't grudge the expenses of that deputation to Rochester if it will help the city to get purer and cleaner milk.

When the committee decided to give only one suit a year to the white wings

THE LATE JOHN JAMIESON.



ISSUE WRITS.

Stock Deal Causes Suit—Another Over Rent.

SENTENCED TO HANG

Condemned Man's Legs Had to be Amputated.

BOY DROWNED. Gananoque, Ont., May 27.—The twelve-year-old son of Geo. Robbins, of this place, was drowned near Ivy Lea, on the St. Lawrence, yesterday.

BAZAAR OPENS

Ladies of MacNab Street Church Holding One To-day.

STEAMER AGROUND.

New York, May 27.—The North German-Lloyd passenger steamer Princess Alice ran aground near Fort Wardsworth, Staten Island, to-day while passing out of the harbor for Bremen. The accident was due to the fog.

Even when he is too fresh, it may be that a fellow isn't worth his salt.

AT R. McKay & Co's., FRIDAY, MAY 28, 1909 HAMILTON'S MOST PROGRESSIVE STORE

OUR SEMI-ANNUAL HURRY-OUT SALE

Come To-morrow, the Second Day of the Sale. Don't Delay.

Great crowds of salespeople and enthusiastic women took advantage of the great bargain offerings to-day and to-morrow...

Untrimmed Hats, Regular Value Up to \$2.50; Sale Price 25c. Regular 50c Pure Wool Delaines Sale Price 23c Yard. Regular 40c New York Dress Muslins for 25c Yard.

\$1.00 Waists for 59c--3rd Floor

Navy Blue and Black and White Cambric Blouses, back and front nicely tucked; in sizes 34 to 42; worth regularly \$1.00, Friday's Hurry-Out Sale price 59c.



Hurry-Out Bargains in Whitewear--Third Floor

\$1.75 Dresses for 98c. Children's Dresses in pink and blue Chambray, nicely trimmed with wash braid, regular \$1.75, to clear at 98c. Drawers 15c. Children's fine Cambric Drawers, trimmed with frill and fancy stitching for 15c. \$2.25 Dresses for \$1.49. Girls' Sailor Dresses of dainty white Vesting, full skirt, with deep hem, to clear at \$1.49. Skirts 19c. Children's Skirts of fine white Cambric, age 6 to 12 years, to clear 19c.

Hurry-Out Sale of Rugs and Carpets

\$2.00 Wilton Carpets \$1.00. Wilton Carpets, extra fine quality, two-toned colorings, in crimson and blue. Borders to match, worth \$2.00, slightly damaged, Hurry-Out Price \$1.00. \$1.25 Brussels Carpets 82 1/2c. Brussels Carpets, extra choice value, serviceable colorings. Borders to match, worth \$1.25 and \$1.15, Hurry-Out Price 82 1/2c. \$5c Tapestry Carpets 89c. Tapestry Carpets, extra heavy quality, very fine colorings, with and without borders, a great bargain, worth 95c, Hurry-Out Price 89c. \$1.35 Velvet Carpets 95c. Velvet Carpets, extra quality, light and dark colorings. Borders to match, worth \$1.35, Hurry-Out Price 95c. \$1.00 All Wool Carpets 75c. All Wool Two-Ply Carpets, 12 patterns to choose from, splendid colorings, worth 95c and \$1, Hurry-Out Price 75c. 50c Door Mats 30c. 24 only Door Mats, reversible, worth 50c, Hurry-Out Price 30c. \$18 Brussels Room Rugs \$13. \$18 Brussels Room Rugs, size 2 1/2 x 3 yds., \$13. \$20 Brussels Room Rugs, size 2 1/2 x 3 yds., \$15. \$25 Brussels Room Rugs, size 3 x 4 yds., \$18. \$25 Brussels Room Rugs, size 3 x 4 yds., \$18. \$24 Wilton Room Rugs \$18. \$24 Wilton Room Rugs, size 2 1/2 x 3 yds., \$18. \$24 Wilton Room Rugs, size 2 1/2 x 3 yds., \$18. \$24 Wilton Room Rugs, size 2 1/2 x 3 yds., \$18. \$35 Axminster Room Rugs \$25. \$35 Axminster Room Rugs, size 2 1/2 x 3 yds., \$25. \$35 Axminster Room Rugs, size 2 1/2 x 3 yds., \$25. \$35 Axminster Room Rugs, size 2 1/2 x 3 yds., \$25. \$15.50 Moravian Rugs \$10. \$15.50 Moravian Rugs, size 2 1/2 x 3 yds., \$10. \$15.50 Moravian Rugs, size 2 1/2 x 3 yds., \$10. \$15.50 Moravian Rugs, size 2 1/2 x 3 yds., \$10. \$6.75 Tapestry Room Rugs \$4.75. \$6.75 Tapestry Room Rugs, size 2 1/2 x 3 yds., \$4.75. \$6.75 Tapestry Room Rugs, size 2 1/2 x 3 yds., \$4.75. \$6.75 Tapestry Room Rugs, size 2 1/2 x 3 yds., \$4.75. \$2.25 Hearth Rugs \$1.40. 12 only Hearth Rugs, reversible, large size, worth \$2.25, Hurry-Out Sale price \$1.40.

Little Things at Hurry-Out Sale Prices

Best Safety Pins, 1/2 dozen in barrels, special 2 for 5c. Hair Pins, assorted, special, 2 packages for 5c. Long Wire Hair Pins, special 1c package. Hygienic Face Cloths, special 5c each. Harkon Hose Supporters, worth regularly 25c, sale price 10c pair.

Hurry-Out Sale Corset Cover Embroidery

300 yards, worth reg. 75c, Hurry-Out Sale Price 39c yard. Splendid quality Cambric Corset Cover Embroideries in a great clearing sale to-morrow. Very new shadow and eyelet effects. Come to-morrow and save here. Per yard 39c. 27-Inch Flouncing Embroidery, worth reg. \$1.25, Hurry-Out Sale Price 69c yard. Splendid quality Flouncing Embroidery in a tremendous sale, and if you would share in this great Hurry-Out Sale price come to-morrow; at per yard 69c.

1,500 Pairs Women's Lisle and Cotton Hose--Big Sale

Splendid Value at 20c, Hurry-Out Sale Price 2 Pairs for 25c. It's just your chance to lay in your Summer supply; on sale in tan and black; full fashioned and guaranteed fast colors; sold everywhere at 20c; our Hurry-Out Sale price 2 pairs for 25c.

Tremendous Hurry-Out Sale of Handkerchiefs

Worth Reg. 20c each, Sale Price 10c, or 3 for 25c. Lovely Lace and Embroidered Lawn Handkerchiefs on sale to-morrow at a price that will cause a hurry in this section of the store. We say the Handkerchiefs bargain of the season, so will you when you see them. Out they go, 10c each, or 3 for 25c.

Grand Landslide of Curtain and Housefurnishing Prices

READ THIS LIST. Crepe Cloths, all colors, for kimona, etc., 35c, at 23c yard. A Silkaline, pretty, bright designs, 30c, at 14c yard. White Curtain Muslin, strong, 20c, at 14c yard. Fancy Colored Madras Muslin, 47 and 68c yard. \$5.00 fine high class styles at \$3.40 pair.

Great Hurry-Out Sale Reductions in Women's Smart Tailored Suits

\$20 SUITS FOR \$12.98. \$25 SUITS FOR \$15.98. \$35 SUITS FOR \$15.98. They comprise French Voiles, Serge, Light Worsteds, Panamas and Satin-face Cloths; black, gray, rose, elison, blue, tan, taupe, reseda, navy and light stripes; 36 to 42 inch coat, messaline and taffeta lined, 3 or 4 button cutaway, straight or tuxedo, with shawl or notch collars. Strictly tailored in mannish effects; others are elegantly braided or with Bengaline silk, jet or self buttons, or novelty styles in smart contrasts.

Other Interesting Values Include:

Dainty Lingerie Dress of fine batiste, delicate shades; Point Venise and Val. Jackets, Coats, semi-fitting and Empire, braided or strictly tailored, lined and unlined, very handsome garments; usually \$8.98; Hurry-Out Sale price \$6.98.

Women's Three Quarter and Fifty-inch Taffeta Coats, lined and unlined, very handsome garments; worth \$16.50, Hurry-Out Sale price \$9.98.

Small Girl--Why doesn't baby talk, father? Father--He can't talk yet, dear. Young babies never do. Small Girl--Oh, yes, they do. Job did. Nurse read to me out of the Bible how Job cursed the day he was born;--Tit-Bits.

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A Love Affair

"On business!" he echoed, smiling. "Do you mean that you don't know?" "I know nothing," he said, "I do not even know to what you allude. Is it a secret?" "I am here for the wedding. I am to be bridesmaid, you know--or, rather, you don't know."

"How warm it is! Let us go into the fernery." He rose and offered her his arm in his self-contained manner, and she sank into a chair and looked up at him. "You really are lamentably ignorant, Mr. Fenton," she said, slowly, "not to know that my cousin, Lord Brakespear, and Miss Grahame are to be married on the 24th."

"For a moment he stared at her, his face deathly white, his hands clinched, as if he had suddenly stabbed him to the heart." "You are not going to faint, are you?" With an effort he recovered himself, and seating himself on the chair beside her, said: "I had not heard it."

"You would if you could, Mr. Fenton," she said, her head close to his. "That is true," he said calmly. "You have quick apprehension, Lady Ruth. But forgive me if I think that mine is as quick. I might have said to you what you have said to me. You would prevent it if you could?" "I can not. Can you?" she demanded, mockingly, but with an eager, half-anxious light in her eyes.

"We can be overheard here," he said, in a low but perfectly steady voice. "Come with me, and he nodded to a remote part of the fernery." CHAPTER XXVII. Constance did not come down until just before lunch, and met with an affectionate welcome. "I've got the worst part of the business at this wedding," said the duke, gallantly. "Gad! if I had my way, I wouldn't give you away at all!"

"Rawson Fenton, who had been walking round the grounds, came in as they were taking their seats at the table, and went up to her. Constance gave him her hand, with a few cold words of greeting, and his manner was a perfect study of polite respect and friendliness. He took a seat at some distance from her, and throughout the meal did not address her; but he seemed in a very light humor, and joined in the conversation with a humorous sprightliness which caused a great deal of laughter."

"You seem in very good spirits, Fenton," said the duke. "I suppose you feel sure of the election?" "Oh, yes," he replied, "as sure as a man can feel. I address a big meeting to-morrow night. Will you come over, duke?" "No, by George!" said his grace. "I shall stop at home, and save myself a wedding every week, you know!"

"The gentlemen left the table directly lunch was over to walk round the farm and smoke a cigar, and Rawson Fenton included Constance in his bow of farewell. The day passed, and Constance fell asleep that night counting the hours to Wolfe's return--fell asleep to dream of him. When she awoke in the morning the sun was overcast by threatening clouds, and the duchess at breakfast was in an agony of apprehension for the weather to-morrow. Lunch was got through rather hurriedly, for, as it always the case there were several things to be done, little finishing touches to be given to the all-important dresses, and where Mary, the maid, was arranging the last piece of lace, and making the final preparations. "I'll get you a cup of tea up here, if you like, Miss," she said, shrewdly suspecting that Constance would rather continue dreaming before the fire than go down to the others in the drawing room."

"Will you, please?" said Constance, jumping at the offer; and Mary left the room. A few minutes afterward Constance heard her re-enter, as she thought, but looking round, she saw that it was Lady Ruth. She had her jacket and hat on, and, in a casual way, Constance thought that she looked pale. "I thought you were up here, dear," said Lady Ruth. "I have been in the garden. It is so nice and fresh, and such a lovely gloaming."

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THE HAMILTON TIMES

THURSDAY, MAY 27, 1909.

PERSONAL GOVERNMENT?

The Toronto Mail and Empire intimates this morning that the Governor-General, Earl Grey, "feels a personal responsibility" in the disposition of the case of Blythe, under sentence for murder, and that he, Earl Grey, "is unlikely to permit the death sentence to be inflicted unless his Ministers should unite in a recommendation to refuse clemency."

The Mail and Empire is laboring under a misapprehension. The pardoning power is, like every other part of our Government, exercised only by the advice and direction of the representatives of the Canadian people. It is not within the power of the Governor-General to either make or administer laws in defiance of his responsible Ministers.

These instructions to the Governor-General are still in force. It might be explained that the particular case in which Lord Dufferin undertook to disregard the advice of the Canadian Ministers, or rather, to act without it, was that of Ambrose Lepine, who was sentenced to death for complicity in the murder of Thomas Scott during the Red River Rebellion of 1869-70.

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SCORE ONE MORE.

The Otis-Fensom Company will not take its big new foundry enterprise to Toronto. Instead it will concentrate its plant by building in Hamilton. It has secured the twenty-acre site required north of its present establishment, and will at once proceed to erect the plant, which when completed will employ 600 men.

The decision will be gratifying to our people, and we believe the result will be to prove the good judgment of the company. It will be in a much better position to operate its plant to advantage than if it were split into sections widely separated. And we have confidence that the natural advantages which this city offers over Toronto for manufacturing industries will strongly make themselves felt.

A factor of no small moment in the establishment of those industries is building sites at reasonable prices. Men do not like to be held up by speculators for fancy prices. And few will blame them. The aldermen and the Greater Hamilton Association can help by working to avoid this discouragement to growth and expansion.

THE WHEAT SITUATION.

Wheat options have again advanced in the leading United States markets. The chief cause for the latest flurry is said to have been the report that the Kansas and Oklahoma crop combined would not exceed 60,000,000 bushels. It mattered not that other crop authorities look for from 80,000,000 to 85,000,000 bushels from Kansas alone, the bulls profited by the effect of the report. The cash wheat situation was all in their favor; receipts were small, and the market bore the appearance of scarcity, and prices tend upward.

GERMANY'S MONEY PROBLEM.

A commercial newspaper ventures the opinion that Europe would enjoy a state of harmony never known before if every single country in it were so hard up that it had to be civil to its neighbors in order to do its financing. It needs but a little consideration of the part finance plays in war and international dealings to impress this on the mind.

To begin with, Germany has a system of high protection. The tariff having been screwed up as far as it will go, some other means of raising taxes become necessary. The German tariff, in fact, tends to restrict revenue rather than expand, because after a certain point it is not worth while to import. Germany, however, has a deficit from last year of \$45,000,000, and she is facing one considerably larger in the present fiscal year.

It is interesting to note the position of Germany in the world of finance. A leading authority points out that the practice of borrowing to pay current expenses has reduced the imperial and Prussian credit to about the level of that of a second-rate power. "The old German 3 1/2 p.c.s have sold recently at 90 and the 3s at 81, or four points below British Consols, on which the interest is 2 1/2 p. c. These prices have been improved upon lately with the aid of the bankers, who are using this means to stimulate interest in the new loans.

THE DRINK QUESTION.

Rev. Dr. Leonard Snyder, of Ohio, said to the "Boys' Minister of America," gave an interview to the Victoria, B. C., Post of a recent date on the liquor question, in which he enunciated some views at variance with those generally held by temperance people. He is apparently a "moral suasionist," believing in educating people to control their appetites and their conduct, so that they shall be able to avoid falling victims to the drink habit.

They were indulging too deeply, Mr. Snyder's views might have more force. But it would be very unwise to set up the theory that because some men violate a law, the community should not enact any law against conduct or habits which it deprecates. The man who expects that regulatory or prohibitory liquor laws will never be violated is a visionary. No law is so hard to enforce as a prohibitory liquor law. It can never succeed beyond the degree to which education has brought the people. Get the people right. The interview referred to appears elsewhere.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The British House of Commons has adopted the budget resolutions, and a bill has been introduced, based thereupon.

The city has been getting from the Ontario Government 12 1/2 cents for thousand gallons for water supplied. After this it will not be paid more than the rate which it charges to manufacturers, which is an "at-cost" one of 7 1/2 cents.

Mayor McLaren is not enamored of the irregular lay-out of the eastern part of the city. That is creditable to his taste and sense of symmetry. There is a good deal to be done by the Council by way of controlling in this matter, and benefit might result.

It is now pretty well established that the Sunday selling of confectionery is illegal. Fines of \$20 to \$25 for violations of the law make the business unprofitable, and it will have a tendency to stop it. The strict enforcement of the Act will soon lead to its being respected or amended.

Mr. Balfour's want of confidence motion in the Asquith Government, alleging that it had abandoned the traditional British view of a two-power standard for the navy, was rejected last night by a majority of 114. Another evidence of the part which party politics plays in this naval scare.

According to the Department of Trade and Commerce grain statistics the number of bushels of wheat inspected in 1893-4 was 17,010,290; in 1907-08 the quantity was 74,845,424. The total grain inspected in 1893-4 was 38,325,191; in 1907-08 it was 107,918,986. Canada is getting to be quite a grain producer and she has hardly struck her gain.

We think that whatever their disposition to find fault with the work done, most people will heartily approve of the decision of the International Fisheries Commission to suppress dynamiting as a means of fishing. The \$1,000 penalty is none too large. The neutral mine strip, in which netting is to be prohibited, will also tend to prevent conflicts of jurisdiction and make the laws and regulations more easy of enforcement.

The presence of a number of criminal lunatics in the local asylum will probably always occasion more or less nervousness on the part of the timid, but the danger to be apprehended is not great. It is right, however, that every precaution should be taken to guard against their obtaining their liberty. Thus far there have been no escapes, but the attempt of Moir goes to warn of the need of eternal vigilance.

Mr. Asquith, Lord Charles Beresford, Lord Milner and all the other British authorities on the subject, may unite in the opinion that it would be very poor policy for Canada to present Dreadnoughts to the British navy, but Sir James Whitney will hear of no other method of Canada's participation in the common defence of the Empire. Having made a bad "break" when discussing the defence motion passed by the Commons, Sir James feels bound to talk up to it.

If discipline is to be maintained in the Fire Department the Fire and Water Committee must give Chief Ten Eyck a free hand to enforce it. Sobriety of the employees in this department is a prime necessity, and nothing should be done to hamper the Chief in his efforts to have a force the members of which can be depended upon at all times.

Mr. Ten Eyck is to be commended for the stand he took before the committee last night. There may be distressing circumstances in connection with the present case for discipline, but the efficiency of the department should be the first consideration, and the aldermen will do well not to interfere with the Chief in such cases.

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They were indulging too deeply, Mr. Snyder's views might have more force. But it would be very unwise to set up the theory that because some men violate a law, the community should not enact any law against conduct or habits which it deprecates.

PROF. KENNEDY. (Toronto News.) In losing Professor Kennedy Knox College is deprived of the services of a fine scholar, the Presbyterian Church of a convincing preacher, and Canada of a valued citizen.

SPORTS SCARED THEM. (Grimby Independent.) Well dog gone it, the council didn't pass a by-law to prohibit dogs running at large. A crowd of sports went down to the Council meeting, and all the good resolutions leaked out of the councillors finger-ends.

GOOD SERVICE. (Grimby Independent.) In this connection, it is pleasant to contemplate the vast improvement that has taken place in the service on the H. G. & B. Almost the whole secret of this improvement can be traced to two things—'Plenty of power' and 'lots of rolling stock.'—The merging with the Cataract Power Co., was responsible for both these features of improvement and in this respect, the amalgamation has worked wonders.

UNCLE SAM'S SHORT-SIGHTED POLICY. (N. Y. Journal of Commerce.) If the development of enterprise industry and trade on this continent could have been unhampered by tariff restrictions, the growth of the United States and Canada would have been side by side, with mutual helpfulness and vigor, and together they would have commanded many markets for their resources and the products of their swiftly growing industries, trading freely with each other and largely with the rest of the world.

According to the Department of Trade and Commerce grain statistics the number of bushels of wheat inspected in 1893-4 was 17,010,290; in 1907-08 the quantity was 74,845,424. The total grain inspected in 1893-4 was 38,325,191; in 1907-08 it was 107,918,986. Canada is getting to be quite a grain producer and she has hardly struck her gain.

We think that whatever their disposition to find fault with the work done, most people will heartily approve of the decision of the International Fisheries Commission to suppress dynamiting as a means of fishing. The \$1,000 penalty is none too large. The neutral mine strip, in which netting is to be prohibited, will also tend to prevent conflicts of jurisdiction and make the laws and regulations more easy of enforcement.

The presence of a number of criminal lunatics in the local asylum will probably always occasion more or less nervousness on the part of the timid, but the danger to be apprehended is not great. It is right, however, that every precaution should be taken to guard against their obtaining their liberty.

Mr. Asquith, Lord Charles Beresford, Lord Milner and all the other British authorities on the subject, may unite in the opinion that it would be very poor policy for Canada to present Dreadnoughts to the British navy, but Sir James Whitney will hear of no other method of Canada's participation in the common defence of the Empire.

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OUR EXCHANGES. WILL SOLVE IT. (Toronto News.) The authorities of Windsor are unable to solve the Freight Car Mystery. An appeal will be made to the police at Hamilton.

A CURIOSITY. (Toronto Star.) A United States gunboat is coming up the St. Lawrence to Toronto. It is credible to two nations that this vessel will be viewed in Lake Ontario as quite a curiosity.

RECOVERING ITS NERVES. (Mail and Empire.) Some satisfaction is to be derived from the fact that the airships as tested in Germany are not such terrible affairs after all. This will relieve the minds of those who have read one of the scare articles in the National Review predicting the destruction of the British navy by a fleet of airships which dropped dynamite on the vessels.

WHY IT IS THAT YOU DON'T WRITE any more articles on 'Advice to others?' asked the editor of the woman's page. 'I really haven't the time any more,' replied the female contributor. 'You see, I'm married now.'

GREAT RAINS.

Train Service Crippled in Three States by Them.

Crops Destroyed by Rain—Tornado Also Does Damage. New Orleans, La., May 27.—Train service on many roads in Louisiana, Mississippi and Alabama was badly crippled last night as the result of torrential rains which were experienced throughout those States.

Memphis, May 27.—Reports from the surrounding country bring advices of considerable devastation by recent rains and wind storms. Mississippi and Arkansas seem to have suffered most. The Arkansas River is out of bank and flood warnings have been sent out that other rivers will rise above the danger point.

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DUNDAS.

Many Visitors For Holiday and Town People Away. Dundas, May 27.—Among visitors recently in town were Harry Cliff, Fort Wayne, Ind.; Chas. Davis, Toronto; Samuel Jacques, Simcoe; Arthur Chenoweth, Stratford; Mr. and Mrs. Will Muir, Inkster, N. Dak.; Gordon Doullittle, Toronto; Mrs. Bert Sheldrake, Woodstock; Wm. Duggan, Scranton, Pa.; Miss Wyndow, Toronto; W. L. Rayson, Brampton; Miss A. Bannister, Port Dover; Miss Clara Greenwith, Toronto; Henry Gray, Freeport; Miss Edna Gillrie and Miss Annie Hufworn, Toronto; Wm. Hourigan, jun., Buffalo.

Among out of town visitors were: Mrs. D. Hetherington in Ingersoll; Mrs. Chas. Lawry, in Toronto; Miss Lillian Fisher, in London; Mrs. E. A. Woodhouse, in Rochester, N. Y.; Samuel McPherson, in Burlington; G. White, in London; Mrs. Robert Crooks and Mrs. Wm. Mission, in Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Davidson, in Grimsby.

County Master John W. Dickson is away attending the Provincial Grand Orange Lodge meeting at Peterboro. Mrs. S. Frank Smith, of Clappison's Corners, has gone on a month's visit to Chicago and other places.

W. H. Brooking attended the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Purvis, at Hanover, on Friday last. A special meeting of the Central Temperance Executive will be held this evening in the Y. M. C. A. parlor. All persons interested in the question of local option are requested to attend.

The following merchants of the town of Dundas will close their stores on Wednesday afternoons of each week at 12:30: A. S. Cain, Towns Bros., J. W. Boyle, J. Kervin, Richard Burke, R. Shea, E. J. Mahoney, McPherson Bros., F. Oakes, H. C. Davis, Powell & Co., J. W. Newitt, John A. Kent, D. Scotton, P. & R. Laing, Mulligan & Watson, R. Clark, A. B. Wilson, E. Builder, Wm. W. Armstrong, J. G. Collinson, Frank H. Pearson, Chas. Cowper, G. C. Wilson & Co., W. H. Bates, W. G. Brown, Grafton & Co., Ltd., Wm. Mount.

The contractors for the erection of the Hydro-Electric telephone line will commence operations here in a few days. Rev. S. H. Gray, who returned last week from Agincourt, left with his family for Huntsville on Tuesday, where they will spend the summer.

Mrs. Chas. N. Pirie, with her young son, of Costa Rica, is a guest of Mrs. Pirie, Foundry street. Mr. Pirie is expected here in a few days, having stopped over in New York.

Rev. Austin Potter, formerly stationed at Smithville, is moving to town, and will occupy Rev. Mr. Smith's house on Cannon Hill during the latter's absence from town for a couple of months. Mr. Gordon C. Webster has given up his position in Hamilton and resumed his old position in the Dundas branch of the Bank of Hamilton. Mr. J. F. Gill has been moved to one of the western offices of the bank. His many friends will be sorry to learn of his removal from town.

Cecil Cushman, while engaged in operating a saw at the Valley City Seating Company factory on Tuesday, got his hand badly lacerated, but was fortunate not to lose any of the fingers. Mr. Ed. Pennington carefully bandaged the wound, after which he was cared for by a doctor. It will be a few weeks before Cushman will be able to resume his position in the factory.

A Pension For Dame Fessenden! Now what about a pension for the famous Mrs. Fessenden? We ought to give her one, or more. Our lustre ne'er would lessen then. Were she a man, she would be quite entitled to be made a knight; Lo, to such wondrous women, we should render gold, at least, with gloe. Should we not give her one, or more? To give it to her, 'tis our right.

Friday Bargains

Another Grand Lot of Gingham, Muslin Regular 15c to 20c Values, Friday Sale 9 1/2c

Greater values than before for this great sale event. Women will fairly revel in the going, for they will want dresses and waists off them for summer wear; and, best of all, they are greatly underpriced.

25c American Batiste 12 1/2c. Just half price for Friday. Pretty American Batistes, in natural, navy, sky and Dutch blue grounds, with stylish, even tailored stripes. Note the width, 38 inches. Very stylish for pretty summer dresses. Friday half price 12 1/2c.

25c Dublin Suitings 12 1/2c. Stylish Summer Suitings for tailored suits, sky, natural, tan, brown and navy, in plain and fancy stripes, 29 inches wide. Just the chance of the season. Worth regularly 20c, Friday's price 12 1/2c.

Two Important Dress Goods Events \$1.25 French Voiles 89c. Fine French Voiles, in a dust resisting weave, also many new fancy effects, 48 inches wide. Every new and fashionable shade, so stylish for summer dresses and separate skirts. Regular \$1.25, Friday sale 89c.

25 Dozen Irish Huck Towels 25c and 30c Values 17 1/2c. 25 dozen for Friday's selling, fine Irish Huck Linen Towels, in fine, heavy, good wearing qualities, thirty absorbent weaves. Plain white and bordered ends, also figured damask ends, good large sizes. The towel chance of the season, 25c and 30c, Friday sale 17 1/2c.

\$8.50 New Spring Covert Coats \$4.95. Stylish and Pretty Fawn Covert Coats for the outing days and cool evenings. New loose and semi-princess styles, with various trimmings, large buttons and self-strappings. Women's and misses' sizes. Regular \$8.50, Friday sale \$4.95.

\$1.25 Children's Dresses 79c. Pretty Children's Dresses in gingham, cambrics and mulls, made in the French, Mother Hubbard and Princess styles, braided and self-trimmed, all sizes. Pretty \$1.00 and \$1.25 kinds are here Friday 79c.

\$2.50 Heatherbloom Undershirts \$1.98. Women's Heatherbloom and English Silk Undershirts in full pleated flounce with deep frills, wear guaranteed, all sizes. Colors in black, navy, brown, green or taupe. Regular \$2.50, Friday sale \$1.98.

FINCH BROS., 29 and 31 King St. W.

KEIR HARDIE. TRIED TO SUICIDE.

His Attack on Missions Resented by Rev. Dr. MacKay. Windsor, May 27.—Mrs. Lillie Page was thwarted last night in a professed attempt at suicide. Mrs. Page made a dash for the river after a quarrel with her husband. She was followed by her husband and Policeman Chas. Down, of the latter of whom after an exciting chase down Gleggery avenue and over the railway tracks, overhauled Mrs. Page and took her to the station, where she promised faithfully not to repeat the attempt.

REPRESENT TRUST. London, Ont., May 27.—It is announced that the firm of C. R. Somerville will be the Canadian and of the new \$2,000,000 trust which is being formed and which includes many of the largest American gun concerns. There will be only one representative in Canada.

Women's Blouses at \$1.00. Just put in stock, nearly 50 dozen Women's White Lawn Waists, all fresh from the factory, elegantly finished with fine Swiss needlework, newest sleeves and collars, waists that are value for \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00, our price, each \$1.00.

Women's Waists at \$1.95. Women's Fine Persian Lawn Waists, very dainty styles and full "Shea" value for \$2.50; all the new style ideas in both sleeve and collar, special Friday price \$1.95.

Small Wares for Friday

Hooks and Eyes, 2 at 4 for... 5c Nail Brushes, 3c, at 3 for... 5c 12-inch Hat Pins, 3 for... 5c 9-inch Hat Pins, per dozen... 5c

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Lace Curtain Bargains

50 pairs only White Lace Curtains in a variety of patterns, all odd lines, 1, 2 and 3 pairs of a kind, worth \$3.50 to \$4, all one price to clear at per pair \$2.50

100 pairs of Lace Curtains, odd lines, some have been used as samples, worth \$1.50 to \$2, on sale for per pair \$1.00

WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR—A quantity of Balbriggan Drawers and vests, for women, the kind that sells for 50c and 60c; white and natural, all go at one price, each 35c

WHITNEY AT MORRISBURG.

Liberals and Conservatives Alike Do Him Honor.

The Lion's Whelps Should Show Europe Something.

A Non-Political Address to His Dundas Constituents.

Morrisburg, May 26.—Sir James Whitney was accorded a warm welcome in his home village to-night, when he addressed his constituents on Imperial questions. The reception and gathering were without party flavor, Liberals joining with Conservatives to give recognition to the Premier and Knight, native of Dundas, on the occasion of his first visit since securing the latter honor. In view of the character of the function the Premier, who was announced to speak on public questions, requested that the evening meeting be non-political in character, and devoted his brief address to Imperial questions. He expressed the hope that great good would result from the visit of our Messrs. Borden and Brodeur, of the Canadian Government representatives to confer with the home authorities on Canada's opportunity to contribute to Imperial defence.

With Sir James on the platform were: Messrs. Andrew Broder, P. H. H. Ross, ex-M. P., Inouque; Irwin Hilliard, Morrisburg; Adam Harkins, Matilda, and others. A brief musical programme was followed by short introductory addresses delivered by Messrs. Broder, as the Federal member for Dundas, to express the sentiments of the county on the honors recently conferred on the Premier by the King.

SIR JAMES WHITNEY. Sir James Whitney was given an enthusiastic reception. He opened by expressing his appreciation of the goodwill of the people of Dundas, irrespective of party, and the kind words spoken of him. "As I grow older," said he, "I realize how much of my so-called success is due to influences not visible to the ordinary observer, to influences altogether outside of politics and outside of party. I owe much to the people of both parties in Dundas, and I am resolved that I shall never seek to represent any other people in the Province of Ontario." (Applause.) The Premier added that he had lived long enough to know that the Conservatives are not always right and the Liberals not always wrong. "There was a great deal of right and sometimes considerable wrong about both parties; there was, in his opinion, too much party prejudice abroad in the land.

At such a gathering, the Premier said, he was not prepared to talk Provincial party politics; he wanted to leave with his old true friends a note in the realm of higher politics. He alluded to the European situation, the needs of the British navy as defined by Sir Edward Grey, and the call for an Imperial reorganization and rearrangement of the groups and communities composing the British Empire. "I speak to you to-night," declared the Premier, "because I feel very earnestly that the people themselves must take hold of these great questions and make them well known. I am proud that the Canadian House of Commons unanimously and cordially passed a resolution referring aid, but while I rejoice in that unanimous action, in my own individual opinion a better result would have been attained had our representatives called to the motherland that they were recommending to the House of Commons the appropriation of the price of a Dreadnought or two Dreadnoughts.

"It might never have been necessary to utilize the appropriation, but it would have bespoken our Canadian heart. New Zealand had already offered, and Australia would have been upon us. The crowned heads of Europe that look askance on the prosperity and majesty of their monarchies, and some serious thinking. They would have realized that all round the world the whelps of the old lion were awake, and ready to stand by and do their share. He thinks it would have been a valuable contribution to peace, and all countries would have done less Dreadnoughts in the end.

Proceeding, the Premier declared the time had come for Canadians to make some return for the benefits of association under the British flag. "We desire to share the burdens as well as that of the benefits," he observed. He congratulated the Dominion Government on sending representatives to England to confer with the Government there, and he hoped for big things from the conference. Concluding, the Premier addressed himself to his constituents in a personal strain. "I am going to stay at home this summer," he told them, "and, I'm coming down to see you. You know me well, you know my defects; I now some of them too—(laughter)—I have doubtless made mistakes, but I have endeavored, according to my light, to serve the people. I will continue thus to try, with varying success. I realize as no other voter in Dundas does what the county is to me, what it has done for me. I am deeply thankful to you all, Conservatives and Liberals alike."

The meeting concluded with the usual cheers.

AFTER ELOPERS.

Scotland Yard Sleuth Has Traced Couple of Calgary.

Calgary, May 26.—Detective Roberts, of Scotland Yard, is in the city in pursuit of a pair of runaways from London, who are believed to be the principals in a sensational case of embezzlements and forgery. Wilson Barnard, confidential clerk in the employ of Messrs. Stillwell & Co., Tottenham Court road, London, and Mrs. Elizabeth Jennings, the handsome wife of a nephew of Mr. Stillwell, head of the firm, are the pair. Barnard is alleged to have eloped with the woman and \$50,000 of the firm's money. They were traced to Liverpool, where they sailed for Montreal by the Dominion. Roberts took the Cunard steamer and arrived in Montreal one day too late.

Womanly Troubles SHOULD NOT BE ALLOWED TO UNDERMINE HEALTH.

It is impossible to go into details on this subject, but the experience of many a poor woman who is crippled for life, just because she didn't use a good remedy in time, should be a warning to others.

When the first stages of womanhood appear in a young girl, a great deal depends on getting her over this critical stage, so that in years to come she will not develop green sickness or consumption.

When she complains of flushed face, headache, bearing down feelings, give her a course of Ferreroze, which will carry her past the crisis.

In the adult woman if any irregularities occur, Ferreroze will be found a remedy of remarkable potency and power.

Ferreroze is the ideal regulator and causes all organs of the body to perform their work properly.

It purifies the blood, tones up the nerves and vital energies. The stomach is strengthened, and digestive and assimilative processes are improved by the good work of Ferreroze. It regulates the bowels, cures constipation and piles, and replaces disease and decay by health and strength.

There is nothing better for the complexion than Ferreroze. It removes the dark circles from under the eyes, removes and cures all manner of skin eruptions, gives brightness and brilliancy to the eyes, a rosy tint to the cheeks, whitens the teeth and develops a well rounded, plump and handsome form.

Ferreroze is the ladies' favorite, and should find a place in every household. It is prepared in the form of a chocolate-coated tablet, convenient and pleasant to take. Price per box, 50c, or three boxes for \$1.25. Sold by all druggists.

WOMAN'S VENDETTA

Toronto Jury Find Mrs. Perry Not Guilty of Perjury.

Toronto, May 27.—The third act in a drama of real life ended in the Sessions yesterday afternoon, when a jury, after less than five minutes' deliberation, found Mrs. Bella Perry not guilty of the charge of perjury laid against her by her former friend, Mrs. Emma Weston. The split between the ladies occurred about two years ago, when Mr. Weston deserted his wife and Mrs. Weston accused Mrs. Perry of having alienated her husband's affections. Since then Mrs. Weston has been actively engaged in chasing Mrs. Perry through the courts. Three actions have taken place, in each of which the result favored Mrs. Perry.

In the first action for damages for alleged alienation of affections a dismissal was given on the novel ground that a husband, under the statute, is not a chattel of the wife, and therefore a wife has no actionable interest in his affections. A second action for damages for an alleged assault was unsuccessful before a jury, and in the third action, for perjury, alleged to have been committed in the second action, the jury accepted Mrs. Perry's statement that no improprieties occurred between herself and Mr. Weston. Mrs. Perry explained a meeting between herself and Mr. Weston at the Clyde Hotel in 1906. She swore that she was trying to reform Mr. Weston and effect a reconciliation between husband and wife.

During the hearing of the trial yesterday the husband of the defendant sat by her side, and when the verdict was announced fondly embraced his wife. His action was immediately followed by a number of friends and relatives who were in attendance.

PRINCE RUPERT.

The Auction Sale of Lots Was a Great Success.

Vancouver, B. C., May 26.—The auction sale of lots in the new town site of Prince Rupert, the Grand Trunk Pacific terminal, opened on Tuesday morning. Two thousand buyers attended. Bidding for lots in the business section was brisk, and high prices were realized. Public confidence was made strong and criticism silenced by the statement of Land Commissioner Ryley, of the Grand Trunk Pacific, and a telegram from General Manager Chamberlain, that the present town site of Prince Rupert was positively the only terminus of the Grand Trunk Pacific, all rumors to the contrary being incorrect.

The opening day's sales netted \$350,670, the number of parcels sold being 210. What was considered the best business corner, McBride and Second streets, sold for \$16,500—one hundred feet by sixty.

By noon to-day the sales were well over the half-million mark. Residential lots sold at \$75 to \$200 for a 25-foot lot. In the afternoon the sales returned to the business district. Two blocks at the corner of First avenue and Seventh sold to the Westchester Lumber Company, Vancouver, for \$10,000. Two corners on McDonald street went for \$8,900 and \$8,750. Large purchases in the residential section of blocks of four to six lots were common.

Killed by Falling Downstairs. Ottawa, May 26.—Having come to Ottawa in order to get some miter lying in a local bar for him, Daniel Donovan, of Renfrew, died last night as the result of a fall down the stairs of Moore's Hotel, Wellington street. The deceased was over 70 years old.

Harry Brewer, an American forger, who has served time on the other side for the same offence, was sent down at Winnipeg for four years.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS. CURES ALL KIDNEY DISEASES. RHEUMATISM, BRUISES, GRAVEL, DIABETES, BILIOUSNESS.

TWO-POWER STANDARD

Debated in the British House of Commons.

Everything Will Depend on Geographical Conditions.

Distant Powers Cannot be Regarded as of Same Aggressive Strength.

London, May 26.—(Globe.)—In the House of Commons to-night the Premier definitely laid down the view of the British Government in regard to the question as to whether the United States should be considered in determining the British two-power naval standard. Mr. Asquith said a great deal of nonsense had been talked about the two-power standard. It was nothing more than a purely empirical generalization. He agreed that the range of British vision should not be limited to Europe, but, on the other hand, when considering the combined effective strength of any other two powers in the world for aggressive purposes one must have regard to geographical position.

In dealing with a remote power whose naval base was six, eight or ten thousand miles away, with no convenient means of communication, it would be senseless to treat that power as of the same effective value as a power with a naval base a hundred miles or so away. Therefore the United States could not be regarded as one of the two powers which would have to be taken into account. And, although second among the naval powers of the world, she could not be treated the same for aggressive purposes as France, Germany or Austria.

Mr. Arthur Lee objected, saying he would deal with the probability of any war with the United States merely as an academic proposition. "It is really impossible," he declared, "to exclude the United States on the score of geographical remoteness when she had just sent a fleet of sixteen first-class battleships, maintained as a fighting entity throughout, for a voyage of 40,000 miles, in the course of which the fleet circumnavigated the globe and visited many parts of the British Empire."

Mr. Balfour, without mentioning the United States, argued that Mr. Asquith had abandoned the traditional British view of a two-power standard, but the House rejected his motion by a majority of 114.

BRITAIN MUST BE FIRST.

Wellington, N. Z., May 26.—Sir Joseph Ward telegraphed all the members of both Houses of Parliament, asking them to meet him at the Parliament buildings on June 7, to discuss the question of his attending the Imperial Defence conference. In an interview Sir Joseph stated that he would ask them to members to consent to the adjournment of Parliament until his return; if they should refuse at a banquet, Premier Ward said in reference to the great importance of the Imperial Defence conference, that he could not do other than recognize the efforts being made by other powerful countries, and by one in particular, and though one could not take any exception to such a nation trying to rise to the world and protect its interests at home and abroad, yet we must join hands with our own people in the conviction that we ought not to be caught napping, or to allow a nation to get alongside them. The British Empire should be so powerful that there should be no question of any other power obtaining the supremacy of the sea, which is so important to us and to the empire."

WALL STREET HOUSE

Has Been Purchased by Bank of Montreal.

New York, May 26.—Canada's largest financial institution, the Bank of Montreal, has just provided a permanent home for its New York branch by purchasing a site in Wall Street.

It has bought the new eleven-story building at 64 and 66, paying about \$800,000 to the Fifth Avenue and Eighteenth Street Realty Company.

This property is just west of Pearl street, and diagonally opposite the old customers of the bank, the home of the National City Bank. At present it contains stores as well as offices, but it will be altered at once for its new occupants.

An agency has been maintained in this city by the Bank of Montreal for a great many years, but it has never had a first-class location, to said R. V. Helden, one of its officers, to-day. For some years the bank has been waiting for an opportunity to buy a home of its own.

Plans are being arranged for a vault to cost \$25,000, and as soon as this has been built the bank will move to Wall street, probably within a year.

LAW OF EVOLUTION.

Prof. Macallum Holds Principle to be Fundamental.

Ottawa, May 26.—To-day's sessions of the Royal Society of Canada were devoted to reading of papers by members of scientific, historical, literary and sociological subjects. The chief paper of popular interest was one read by Prof. A. B. Macallum, of the University of Toronto, dealing with the results of his research work in the department of physiology in connection with the theory of evolution.

"Physiology, chemistry, geology, astronomy and even psychology, as well as the biological sciences," he said, "all have experienced the unifying influences of the theory of evolution. The principle of evolution is a fundamental law of the universe, and those who have made a study of it, but it is entitled to be considered an eternal law, a law through the realization of which we are enabled to grasp, though feebly, the idea of infinity. Although some of Darwin's conceptions will be altered somewhat before being universally accepted, Darwin will never be deposed."

Mrs. K. Thorpe, wife of a well-to-do settler at Elgin, Man., committed suicide by drowning herself in a slough near her home last night.

James Strong, a young farmer at Cartwright, Man., who was kicked on the head by a horse on Victoria Day, is dead.

ARE A FRIEND TO THE FISHERMAN

Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured Mr. C. Williams' Rheumatism.

He Took the Terrible Disease in Time and a Single Box Made Him a Well Man.

South Ligonish, Cape Breton, May 26.—(Special.)—How easily and quickly Dodd's Kidney Pills banish Rheumatism and other symptoms of Kidney Disease is well known in the case of Michael C. Williams, a fisherman living in this place.

"My kidney disease started from a strain," Mr. Williams says, "and I suffered from it for about three months. I had backache, stiffness in the joints and Rheumatism. When I got up in the morning I had a bad taste in my mouth; I perspired freely with the least exertion, and I was always tired and nervous.

"One box of Dodd's Kidney Pills cured me, and I believe they will cure others who are suffering from Kidney Disease."

If you have any two of the symptoms mentioned by Mr. Williams, you may be sure they are kidneys. One is that your kidneys are sick, and the other that Dodd's Kidney Pills will cure you.

Dodd's Kidney Pills have proved in thousands of cases all over Canada that they never fail to cure Kidney Disease of any kind or stage.

POSTAL FRAUDS.

Another Case Has Been Discovered at London.

London, Ont., May 26.—Important developments are expected shortly in the postal note frauds which were recently worked in this city. The Post-office Department at Ottawa has had evidence which he secured there and it is said has secured important clues from St. Ignace, where the postal notes were originally issued.

As soon as the fraud was discovered here a special officer was sent at once from Ottawa to St. Ignace, and the evidence which he secured there is said to be startling. Apparently London is not the only place that has been worked by the scheme, and it would appear that the quiet little village has been the headquarters for other frauds. This morning the fourth note was presented at the local postoffice by the Dominion Bank, and it was at once recognized as the one long looked for. From \$2 it had been raised to \$20.

The note had been issued at St. Ignace on May 13, and was signed John Rossel, in the same handwriting as the others, which were signed John Maloney. On May 19 the note was presented to the Traders Bank at Sault Ste. Marie countersigned by J. C. Miller, who had evidently given John Rossel \$20 either in cash or money. The Traders Bank forwarded it to the Dominion Bank here for collection.

WILL NOT BE HANGED

Death Sentence on Homesteader to be Commuted.

Ottawa, May 26.—The Cabinet had under consideration this afternoon the case of a homesteader named Tetrault, now under sentence to be hanged next month for the murder of another foreigner near Battleford, last November. The victim died as a result of being stabbed in a drunken brawl. It was decided to recommend to His Excellency that the sentence be commuted to life imprisonment, as the evidence did not show that the crime had been in any way premeditated.

TWO MEN DROWNED

Attempt to Put Out Anchor With Small Boat.

Halifax, May 26.—Capt. Hervey Hines, John Vanemerk, and a boy named Shaw, thirteen years old, started from Argyle for Yarmouth in a large sailboat towing a dingy. A gale coming on they anchored in the lee of Murder Island. At dusk the sail increased, and the attempt was made to put out anchor with the small boat, when the latter upset and both men were drowned. The show boy, alone in the large boat, could do nothing. The bodies were recovered and taken to Argyle.

THE NERVES NOT UNDERSTOOD

By most people and by many doctors—Hence their treatments fail.

The best authorities now agree that restorative treatment such as Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is the only rational and successful means of cure.

It is not so very many years since diseases of the nerves were attributed to the presence of evil spirits and more recently sufferers from nervous derangement recently sufferers from nervous derangements have been told that they only imagine they are sick.

When Dr. Chase's Nerve Food was first put upon the market as the only natural and effective method of curing derangements arising from exhausted nerves it was considered almost revolutionary but its success was remarkable from the start, many who used it being cured of such severe forms of nervous trouble as locomotor ataxia and partial paralysis.

Now the very best authorities claim as did Dr. Chase that the only way to cure diseases of the nerves is to make the blood rich, red and nutritious and to build up the wasted nerve cells by such treatment as Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

Mrs. W. R. Sutherland, St. Andrews, Man., writes: "In 1903 I was stricken with paralysis, fell helplessly to the floor and rich red and nutritious and to build up the wasted nerve cells by such treatment as Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. For six months I lay in that condition without benefit from the doctors' prescriptions. My husband advised me to try Dr. Chase's Nerve Food and get out on the roof, and by means of his bed clothes reached the ground twenty feet below. He escaped twice from jail while waiting trial, and is altogether regarded as one of the worst criminals in the west.

The Public Works Department of Ontario will ask for tenders for the purchase of the dissolved registry office in Sault Ste. Marie and the land on which it stands.

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50 cents a box, 6 boxes for \$2.50, at all dealers or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

DOWN ON CATHOLICS.

DR. SPROULE WANTS THE CORONATION OATH RETAINED.

Resolutions Submitted to Grand Lodge of B. N. A.—The Grand Master Insists That Catholics Are Encroaching in the Matter of Education and Other Privileges.

Peterboro', Ont., May 26.—A definite political platform for the Orange Order is called for by one of the motions submitted to the Grand Lodge of British North America, which was convened here to-day for its eighteenth meeting. The Orangemen of British Columbia are the originators of the movement, and the motion was submitted this afternoon by the delegates from Vancouver, Messrs. John J. Tulk and J. Whitney. The members of the Order in the Pacific Province wish that a platform should be drawn up which could be submitted to political candidates, and that the members of the order should support or oppose the candidates for Parliamentary offices in accordance with their acceptance or rejection of the principles laid down.

The motion was submitted to a special committee for consideration, and their report will probably be taken up after the coronation oath has been passed, rather than an adverse report will be brought in, and the proposal rejected by the Grand Lodge.

THE CORONATION OATH.

Following upon the suggestion made in the Grand Master's address, it is probable that a resolution will be passed condemning the bill now before the British Parliament to amend the coronation oath by removing the clauses held by the members of the Roman Catholic Church to be objectionable. Another motion of interest, more closely pertaining to the conduct of the order, is the proposal that the purple and blue degrees should be restored to the ritual. At the meeting held in Vancouver it was decided that these degrees should be omitted from the ritual, but the necessary amendments to the constitution were never carried out, and as result many lodges have continued to confer them. It is now proposed that the Vancouver resolution should be rescinded.

Officers for the ensuing year will be elected to-morrow night. The struggle for the Grand Mastership, which appeared to be developing at one time, has apparently been ended by Dr. Sproule's expressed willingness to remain in office, and it is probable that all will be settled to-morrow.

The annual meeting of the Grand Lodge of the Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association terminated to-day, when the new officers were elected: Miss Mary Cullum, Toronto, is Grand Mistress; Mrs. J. Miller, Ottawa, Deputy Grand Mistress; Mrs. William Fraser, Hamilton, Junior Deputy Grand Mistress; Mrs. Ellen Smith, Leamington, Grand Treasurer; Mrs. Cullum, Grand Chaplain; Miss Ida Gallagher, Chatham, Grand Secretary; Mrs. E. Bentley, Toronto, Grand Lecturer; Miss L. E. Calder, Peterboro', Assistant Grand Secretary, and Mrs. J. T. Armstrong, Edmonton, Grand Directress of Ceremonies. Lieut.-Colonel Scott, Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge, acted as installing officer. Dr. R. B. Orr and William Forster Toronto, were appointed representatives to the Grand Lodge. It was reported that during the year six new lodges had been created, and that the order was flourishing, both as to membership and finances.

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THE PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

A whole page of the printed addresses of Dr. Sproule, M. P., Sovereign Grand Master of the Orange Order, is devoted to the doings of the Roman Catholic Church in Britain. The attempt to change the coronation oath by removing the clauses held by the members of the Roman Catholic Church to hold the offices of Lord Chancellor and Lord Lieutenant of Ireland. The Orangemen of Canada are advised to join in sending to the King a memorial petition against the proposal, but the House of Lords is the only hope of Dr. Sproule to prevent the passage of the repeal measures. In Ireland, the Grand Master says, Rome is yearly becoming more troublesome.

In Canada he declared that the ever-watchful Church of Rome is ready to avail herself of every possible opportunity for her own advantage, and reference is made to the bill introduced into the Ontario Legislature by Messrs. Racine and McGarrigle with separate school matters, but afterwards withdrawn, as proof that Protestants must always be on guard.

RAN DOWN A BOY.

A Chauffeur on Trial For Murder at New York.

New York, May 26.—William Darragh, a chauffeur, was placed on trial to-day, charged with murder in the first degree, having run down and killed Ingevard Trimble, aged thirteen, on March 17. This is the first case in the criminal courts here in which an automobile operator who has caused the death of a person through alleged negligent driving has had to answer to the crime of murder.

BAD MAN AT LARGE.

Peter Hanson Escapes From Stony Mountain Penitentiary.

Winnipeg, May 26.—Peter Hanson, a desperate criminal serving a fourteen-year sentence in Stony Mountain Penitentiary for arson, robbery and the killing of animals, escaped on Monday night and is still at large. He tunneled a hole through the prison wall and got out on the roof, and by means of his bed clothes reached the ground twenty feet below. He escaped twice from jail while waiting trial, and is altogether regarded as one of the worst criminals in the west.

SCRATCHED PIMPLE.

Brookville, May 26.—After scratching a pimple on his face, Arthur E. Young, aged 15, son of Jos. Young, a farmer, contracted blood poisoning and died.

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THEY STOOD BY THE CHIEF.

Fireman Who Was Drunk on Duty Dismissed.

Capt. Aitchison Recommended as Assistant Chief.

To Appoint Lieutenants—Regulate Picture Shows.

The appointment of Captain Robert Aitchison, of the Central station, to the position of second assistant chief of the fire department, as recommended by Chief Ten Eyck, was unanimously approved by the Fire and Water Committee last night. It is unlikely that it will meet with any opposition in the Council. Capt. Thomas Broadbent was an applicant for the position. His application was forwarded to the committee through Secretary James, but was not considered.

Captain Aitchison's appointment was recommended on motion of Ald. Milne, seconded by Ald. Gardner. There will be eight new lieutenants on the department as a result of a plan suggested by the chief and endorsed by the committee. The chief said that when a captain had his day off, fell sick or was away on holidays one of the men had charge of the station. They should be paid, he thought, for the extra responsibility, and by having one man, who would always be in command when the captain was away, would tend towards better discipline. So many first-class men have resigned recently that the chief found he could pay the eight lieutenants ten cents a day more than first-class men receive, and still save \$324 on the salary expenditure for the year. The appointment of the lieutenants rests with the chief.

The committee decided to uphold the chief's hand in maintaining discipline in the department. Fireman Elliott was reported for being drunk while on duty, and the chief recommended his dismissal. Elliott was present and admitted the charge. Ald. Anderson said Elliott had signed the pledge and for his family's sake he wanted to see him have another chance.

"The chief is the man we hold responsible for the discipline of the department," said Ald. Milne, "and I move that the matter be left in his hands." Ald. Morris declared himself strongly in favor of backing the chief up. "We were told the other night there were more drinking on the department than was good for discipline," he said. "It is an unpleasant duty for the chief and for us, but I think we should stand by the chief."

When it was suggested to leave the matter in the hands of the chief Ald. Morris asked if it was not rather cowardly to throw the responsibility back on the chief.

In amendment to Ald. Milne's motion for Elliott's dismissal, Ald. Anderson, seconded by Ald. Gardner, moved that the man be given another chance, the chief having the power to dismiss him the next time he was under the influence of liquor.

"No one has more sympathy for the man and his family than I have," said the chief, "but you can't run the fire department on sympathy."

Ald. Gardner said that if it was a young man who was in the mat he would not hesitate to dismiss him. Elliott had been on the department twenty years and he wanted to give him a chance.

The chief insisted that Elliott had all kinds of chances.

"If it was only one, two or three times this occurred I would object, but it is not," said the chief. "I am going to draw the line here, and I insist on my recommendation being endorsed."

Ald. Anderson and Gardner voted to give Elliott another chance, and Ald. Milne and Morris voted for his dismissal. After a long pause Ald. Hopkins, although he said he regretted very much having to do so.

The chief said he was prepared to go three-fourths of the way with any of his men, but he had to have discipline. The sub-committee, which has been investigating the moving picture shows, recommended that no more of these places of entertainment be permitted within the district bounded by Hunter, Barton, Wellington and Cannon streets. This action, they explained, was taken as a result of complaints made by merchants in the business district that the show houses increased the insurance rates. The committee also recommended that no standing in the aisles be permitted during the performance and that no more licenses be granted without the approval of the Council. These recommendations will be sent on to the Council.

City Solicitor Waddell is not quite sure that the city has to comply with the Provincial Secretary's order that municipalities must not charge public institutions in the municipality more for water than manufacturers. He points out that the Asylum is not in Hamilton. The matter will be investigated.

The Board of Works asked the committee to lay out mains and connections on streets that are to be macadamized this year. The work will cost \$2,870, and provision will be made for this when debentures for the construction work are sold.

Daniel Kelly, who owns some new houses on the east side of Sherman avenue south, made application for water services. He was informed that the Council expected to pass a resolution regarding annexation, and the city will then be in a position to deal with the applications from the country. The committee several months ago decided to permit no more connections by township people until the new pumps were installed.

A. B. Baxter asked the committee to pay him \$250, half the price of a valuable colt, which was run over by the Central combination wagon the other day, while the department was responding to an alarm. The matter was referred to Chairman Clark, the Chief and the City Solicitor.

The agent of the Buffalo Bill Wild West Show, which comes here June 20th, protested against paying \$27,500 for water for the horses for one day. The committee refused to make any reduction.

Fireman Nat. Twinn tendered his resignation, which was accepted, and F. Hughes, J. McHenry and W. Baker were appointed, on sixty days' probation.

The Bank of Montreal has purchased an eleven-story building on Wall street, New York, for its New York branch.

TIMES PATTERNS.



BOYS' OVERCOAT.

No. 2585.—All seams allowed. This jaunty little outside garment for the small boy is developed in dark blue, green or brown broadcloth, Venetian cloth, serge, tweed, cheviot, or covert cloth, as well as in blue or black frize, which is much used for boys' coats. The model falls straight from the shoulders, and is fastened in double-breasted effect with cloth-covered, or bone buttons. A long patent-leather belt gives the long-waisted effect, but, if desired, this and the cuffs on the regulation coat sleeves may be omitted, and the latter finished with a straight stitched edge and ornamented with small buttons, matching those on the front of the coat. The pattern is in 4 sizes—2 to 8 years. For a boy of 6 years the coat requires 3 1/2 yards of material 27 inches wide, or 1 1/2 yards 54 inches wide. Price of pattern, 10 cents.

Address, "Pattern Department," Times Office, Hamilton.

It will take several days before you can get pattern.

NEW BOOKS.

Additions to the Shelves of the Public Libraries.

Books received at the Public Library during the week ending May 22: The Further Adventures of Quincey Adams Sawyer, Pidgeon, L.S.437; The Situations of Lady Patricia, Troubridge, L.S.438; Public Finance, Bastable, 332B2; The Poems of Schiller, Bowring, 832.632B; Glamorgan and Gower, Bradley, 914.30B2; Shropshire, Herefordshire and Gloucestershire, Bradley, 914.24; Short History of the Canadian People, Bruce, 971B4; From Cairo to the Cataract, Carson, 916.202; House Decoration, Cassell's, 747; General History of Greece, Cox, 938C4; Highways and Byways in Normandy, Dearnley, 914.42D2; Les Portes de l'Inde, D'Almeida, 834D; Ciel Rouge, Lery, 821B3; Peter Moore's Journey to Southwest Africa, Fransen, 916.8F2; Garrison Living Drill, R358, vol. 2; Some Living Things, Hallock, 612H4; The Handyman's Enquire Within, Hasluck, 603H2; Heroines of Canadian History, Herrington, 920.7H3; The Two Hague Conferences and Their Contribution to International Law, Hull, 341.949H; Chapters on Spanish Literature, Kelly, 860J2; English Constitutional History, Langmead, 342.421A; History of the English Language, Lounsbury, 400L2; Highways and Byways in Sussex, Lucas, 914.25L; Poems, Lucas, 821B3; Studies in Roman Law, MacKenzie, 340.37; Lessons in Elementary Mechanics, Magnus, 531M; Naval Warfare, Maltzahn, 900M5; Malleable Cast Iron, Parsons, 671P2; Reminiscences of Men and Events, Rockefeller, 920R2; Salvage (poems), Seaman, 821.9S2; The Elements of Politics, Sidgwick, 330S5; Studies and Memories, Stanford, 780S; Sweet Peas and How to Grow Them, Thomas, 716.272; Highways and Byways in Hertfordshire, Tompkins, 914.258; Is Shakespeare Dead? Twain, 822.37T; Essays on the Study of English Constitutional History, Wake, 342.1; General History of Greece, Cox, 938C4; Law of the Constitution, Dicey, 938C4; Protection or Free Trade, Grogan, 337.1; Treatise on International Law, Hall, 341.1; State of Europe During Middle Ages, Hallam, 940.1; Elements of Jurisprudence, Holland, 340.2; An Encyclopedia of Canada, Hopkins, R971, six volumes; History of Political Economy, Ingram, Ancient Law, Maine, 340.5; Manual for the Canadian Militia, Oter, 356.71; Reminiscences of Men and Events, Rockefeller, 920R2; English Constitutional History, Stubbs, 342.42S; Asia and Europe, Townsend, 900T; Central Government, Trail, 334.1; Shakespeare Dead? Twain, 822.37T.

LIVED OVER A CENTURY.

Hugh Kalls, a Native of Ireland, Died in Normandy Township.

Mount Forest, May 26.—Hugh Kalls died in Normandy township yesterday at the age of 102 years and six months. The deceased was born in Belfast, Ireland, and came to Canada, eighty years ago, settling in Peterborough for a short time, and then came to Normandy, where he had since resided. Mr. Kalls was a very healthy man, never having a sick day in his life. In religion he was a Roman Catholic. Five sons and two daughters survive.

Razor Headquarters.

Wholesale and retail at Gerrie's drug store, 33 James street north. Agents for the Carbo Magnetic, \$2; King Shaver, \$1.50; Diamond Edge, \$1.25; Griffin, \$1.25; Wade & Butcher, \$1.25. In safety razors, the Gillette, Auto-Strip, Wiche, and Gillette. Ever Ready, etc. Complete stock safety razor blades.

TO BEAUTIFY OUR FINE CITY.

That Part of Greater Hamilton Movement Takes Shape.

Enthusiastic Meeting of the Civic Improvement Committee.

John E. Brown Suggests Widening of King Street.

The Civic Improvement Committee of the Greater Hamilton Association held its organization meeting last evening in the Board of Trade rooms. The gathering was composed largely of members of the old Civic Improvement Society, which did such effective work a few years ago.

Mr. R. Tasker Steele, Chairman of the committee, presided, and Secretary C. A. Murton, of the Greater Hamilton Association, was also present. Mr. Steele said he was glad to see such a goodly number present. The committee of which he was the head needed the young men, and he noticed quite a number on hand. It was necessary to have the active co-operation of the press. It was there that the good work was accomplished, for without the city newspapers it was impossible to expect good results. During the days of the old society it was a sort of family gathering. Everyone worked in the interests of the city. The City Hall officials were needed to help in the work, and especially for the enforcement of the by-laws. It was rather late to start with any competition for planting of flowers, and improvements to property. A movement of this kind would have as good effect as the bringing to the city of a manufacturing establishment. Young people should take an interest in the growth of flowers. It would benefit their moral life.

The speaker referred to a letter from W. A. Robinson regretting his inability to be present, and asking for a place on the committee. He looked for the formulation of a plan that would give the committee something to do. Mr. Steele said that Mayor McLaren, Engineer Macalium and other important officials of the City Hall were ready to fall in line with any progressive idea for the improvement of the city.

Mr. John Hoodless, President of the Association, congratulated the Chairman on the splendid turnout. He was glad of the appearance of several city officials. It was desirable that the Civic Improvement Society should have a district branch in connection with the housing of the city. The education of the children was a noteworthy thing in helping to make Hamilton a cleaner and better city. It was felt that through the Improvement Society the Association would reach the masses. It would be advisable to have a young man occupy the office of Secretary of the committee. He suggested the name of Mr. Charles Peebles as one of the young men, who would do all in his power to assist the Chairman. Robert Johnson seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

Ald. Allan said he was heartily in sympathy with the movement, and would be glad to lend his assistance at whatever time it might be needed.

Albert Pain was glad to see up again, at the head of the committee, and that in itself was a signal for success. Frank Quinn, of the Board of Health, said that he had always worked hard for the improvement of the city. All the members of the Board were glad to know that the work was being carried on, and he thought that the committee might use its influence to assist the Board in giving it the power it needed to carry on the work. The Board of Health and the Board of Police, Dr. Roberts, needed the committee's assistance.

Mr. John E. Brown stated that the time had come when a larger outlook is necessary. He thought the Parks Board required the assistance of the committee. Natural beauty and pride in the city, he made Hamilton one of the finest cities of the Dominion. He thought the committee should get behind the Parks Board in the establishment of a chain of parks throughout the city. A broader vision of what the city should be, Mr. Brown thought that the committee should interest itself in the making of laws, so that narrow streets be not allowed, or streets that are without any purpose. The question of widening King street, from Johnson street to the city street, on the south side, making it a 100-foot roadway, was worthy of consideration. It would make a magnificent road, and would enhance the value of the street. He was in sympathy with the planting of flowers, but he thought the committee should take up these larger questions.

BREACH OF PROMISE

Plaintiff in Belleville Case Awarded Three Hundred Dollars.

Belleville, May 26.—A breach of promise case was tried at the High Court, before Judge Britton, here today. Mrs. Sophia Lawrence sued Thomas Hansford. The parties reside in Belleville. The defendant was about 50 years of age. The defendant was not present, nor was he represented by counsel. Judge Britton rendered a verdict in favor of the plaintiff, granting her \$300.

ADRIFT FIVE DAYS.

Two French Fishermen Suffer Great Hardships.

Halifax, May 26.—Two castaway French fishermen, Robert Louis and Guillaume Troquer, have arrived at North Sydney. They were members of the crew of the French fishing schooner "Le Bonheur," which was wrecked on the coast of Newfoundland. The two men, who were adrift for five days, were found by a passing vessel. They were suffering from hunger and thirst. While hauling trawls in the North Bay off Cape North a heavy fog settled all around them. Their work done, they attempted to reach the vessel, but the heavy fog and the increasing wind soon confused them, and after hours of vain effort to find their vessel they realized their plight. All that day and for five days and nights they rowed helplessly about on the tossing Atlantic, the heavy wind continuing, and in their small craft they momentarily awaited the end. The only food they had was a small quantity of mouldy biscuit and a dish of water, which was made to last as long as possible. In turn the castaways kept lonely vigils and prayed that some passing craft would save them, but in vain.

CHEMISTRY CONGRESS.

London, May 27.—Upwards of 3,000 scholars of international repute are at present in London to attend the seventh international congress of applied chemistry, which was formally opened this afternoon.

GOING TO LONDON.

Paris, May 27.—Andrew Carnegie and his daughter left here today for London.

TOOK SIX—GOT WELL.

Mrs. R. C. Small, of Ottawa, certainly ought to know a lot about Rheumatism. Goodness knows, she suffered long enough. For years, she was almost a cripple, and at times the pain was so severe that she was compelled to lie helpless in bed.

"About a year ago," writes Mrs. Small, "I saw Fruit-a-tives advertised and decided to try them for my Rheumatism. After I had taken two boxes, I was much better. I took six boxes in all—have had no pain for over six months—and feel that I am completely cured. I have gained over ten pounds in weight and am strong and well."

And yet there are some people suffering who do not know who has not yet given "Fruit-a-tives" a fair trial. Perhaps they don't want to get well.

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NEW SYNOD.

Lutherans of Central Canada Now an Active Force.

Constitution and By-laws Adopted and Officers Elected.

Toronto, May 27.—Great movements have small beginnings, and it may be, as was suggested by one of the delegates, that the small body of Lutherans, some fifty in number, who met in College Hall yesterday, were making history. At any rate, as the result of their deliberations, conducted under the Chairmanship of Rev. M. J. Bieber, the Evangelical Lutheran Synod of Central Canada is now an active, distinct and permanently organized force. The new body enters upon its career with modest pretensions.

The work of organization comprised the adoption of a constitution and by-laws based largely upon those of the New York and New England Synods, the election of office-bearers and the consideration of reports bearing upon matters under the jurisdiction of the new body. According to the constitution, the Synod is divided into two conferences, the eastern and western, the former comprising all the ministers and congregations located east of Kingston, and the western those west of that city. Rev. M. J. Bieber was elected President, Rev. H. A. Kunkle Secretary, and Mr. C. H. Fierheller Treasurer. The President in a brief address stated that several applications by pastors for admission to the Synod had been received, and that new congregations had been organized at Hamilton and Ridgeway. It was expected that a church would soon be established in Ottawa, and a canvass had been made in other cities with encouraging results. One of the subjects which would engage the serious attention of the Synod was the establishment of a theological seminary, and he also urged the formation of a ministerial fund for benevolent purposes, and the holding of an annual Sunday school convention. The Treasurer's report, submitted by Mr. Fierheller, showed a balance in hand of \$18.

At the evening meeting stimulating addresses were delivered by Rev. J. L. Sibole, Buffalo, representing the New York and New England Synod; Mr. Schneider, a delegate from the Sherwood Church; Rev. Dr. J. C. Kuzman, Superintendent of Home Missions, who spoke on home missions, and Rev. George Drach, General Secretary of Foreign Missions. And address was also given by Rev. J. J. May, Montreal, on the catechetical instruction of children.

THE DRINK.

Another View of the Traffic by a Clergyman.

Is Prohibition Worse Than the License System?

(Victoria, B. C., Evening Post.) Dr. Leonard W. Snyder, the "Boy's Minister of America," who annually addresses more than 200,000 children in various parts of the world, is enjoying a few days at the Empress. He will hold no meetings here, having no other reason for coming to Victoria than his love for the place.

Its opportunities, its cleanliness, its respect for the law, and its courteous inhabitants all appeal to him.

His work among the boys has been of great importance to the future citizenship of many thousands of them, have been substantially aided by his peculiar doctrine of individuality. He teaches that no two boys are alike and that God never intended they should be alike. To point this fact out to the lads while they were still in their tender years and to instill into their minds the ambition to become manly, and to fill their appointed places in the world by exercising their own talents and self-control, thereby working out the design the Creator had patterned for them is the object of the doctor.

Throughout the country where he has lectured he has been frequently invited to join in the temperance crusade which has been sweeping the country, but always declines with thanks. He said:

HOW IT'S DONE IN MAINE. "A while ago in the State of Maine in the city of Portland a little girl about eleven years old came to me on the street, saying: 'Hello, Mister, wouldn't you like to have a drink?' Knowing that prohibition had been adopted in that State many years, I felt very much surprised and especially amazed, that under the conditions of State prohibition children should solicit people to drink."

I replied, "Sure, I would like a drink," and she led me for about five blocks, and after walking another distance of nearly two blocks, she showed me the cottage where she lived and said, "Just come in and mamma will serve you." The mother greeted me cordially and did exactly what the little girl had told me on the way—that nothing would be charged for any beer or liquor or any other refreshments I might ask for. The lady asked me what I would like to drink, beer, whiskey or wine, and I ordered a bottle of beer.

When I was served in a very nice manner she said: "We are always glad to serve the stranger, but I never charge a cent," but referred me to a sign above the door reading, "The Lord loveth a cheerful giver," and immediately afterward I was left alone in a nice cosy little room with reading material and my bottle of beer. I not only left the price of a bottle of beer, but I left about twice as much, as I was treated very homelike and very kindly. I informed a friend about the incident, and he replied, "Oh, that's nothing, you will find lots of children who will show you the way."

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Another View of the Traffic by a Clergyman.

Is Prohibition Worse Than the License System?

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Its opportunities, its cleanliness, its respect for the law, and its courteous inhabitants all appeal to him.

His work among the boys has been of great importance to the future citizenship of many thousands of them, have been substantially aided by his peculiar doctrine of individuality. He teaches that no two boys are alike and that God never intended they should be alike. To point this fact out to the lads while they were still in their tender years and to instill into their minds the ambition to become manly, and to fill their appointed places in the world by exercising their own talents and self-control, thereby working out the design the Creator had patterned for them is the object of the doctor.

Throughout the country where he has lectured he has been frequently invited to join in the temperance crusade which has been sweeping the country, but always declines with thanks. He said:

HOW IT'S DONE IN MAINE. "A while ago in the State of Maine in the city of Portland a little girl about eleven years old came to me on the street, saying: 'Hello, Mister, wouldn't you like to have a drink?' Knowing that prohibition had been adopted in that State many years, I felt very much surprised and especially amazed, that under the conditions of State prohibition children should solicit people to drink."

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THOMAS C. WATKINS HAMILTON ONTARIO

THE BIBLE. When God endowed man with intelligence he was endowed with a faculty for acquiring knowledge. At first man was almost divine, and God had direct intercourse with him. Man fell (Gen. 3rd, vi. verse), and after the fall God provided him with the source of knowledge—the Holy Bible. On turning into the title page I believe I saw in an earlier edition that it was prepared under the personal supervision of King James. It was an arduous task, but when the work was completed God rewarded him at once by enabling him to inscribe on the title page, "This is the authorized version." It was ample reward for a life of toil; he could lie down on his couch and rest in peace. The highest reward that a man can attain for a life of toil is a quiet conscience.

MARKETS AND FINANCE

Thursday, May 27.—Very few farmers put in appearance at central market this morning, and the quantity of produce offered was small indeed. Good beef found a ready sale, and pork, on account of the scarcity, went a little higher. Practically no grain was offered, but the price of oats was a little higher. Asparagus and radishes were plentiful, and the price of the former was a little lower.

Dairy Produce. Creamery butter... 28 to 30. Dairy butter... 25 to 27. Cooking butter... 23 to 25. Cheese, new, per lb... 20 to 22. Cheese, old, per lb... 18 to 20. Eggs, dozen... 22 to 23.

Poultry. Chickens, part... 80 to 1.00. Geese, pound... 1.00 to 1.50. Turkeys, lb... 1.10 to 1.20. Ducks, pair... 1.20 to 1.50.

Fruits. Apples, barrel... 3.00 to 5.00. Do., choice, carcase... 9.00 to 11.00. Do., medium, carcase... 8.00 to 9.00. Mutton, per cwt... 9.00 to 11.00. Veal, prime, per cwt... 8.00 to 10.00. Lamb, per cwt... 15.00 to 16.50.

SUGAR MARKET. St. Lawrence sugars are quoted as follows: Granulated \$4.70 per cwt., in barrels, No. 1 golden, \$4.30 per cwt., in barrels. These prices are for delivery here. Car 10 1/2 cts less. In 100-lb. bags prices are 5c less.

OTHER MARKETS. NEW YORK STOCKS. Sugar, raw firm; fair refining 3.45 to 3.46; centrifugal, 90 test, 3.22 to 3.23; molasses sugar, 3.17 to 3.20; refined, steady.

WINNIPEG WHEAT MARKET. Wheat—July \$1.27 1/4 bid, October \$1.08 bid. Oats—May 52 1/2c, July 53 1/2c.

BRITISH CATTLE MARKETS. London.—London cables for cattle are steady, at 13 1/4c per lb. for Canadian steers, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10c to 10 1/4c per lb.

MONTREAL LIVE STOCK. Montreal.—At the Canadian Pacific live stock market the offerings were 240 cattle, 210 sheep and lambs, 600 hogs and 1,375 calves, prices being as follows: All grades, on account of comparatively small supply and good demand. There are, as an enquiry from export buyers, but as enquiries of good to choice stock were limited, no business was done. Choice steers sold at 6c to 6 1/4c; good at 5 1/2 to 5 3/4c; fair at 5 to 5 1/4c; good cows at 4 1/2 to 5c; common cows at 3 to 3 3/4c, and bulls at 1 1/2 to 4 1/2c per lb.

Meats. Bacon, sides, lb... 16 to 17. Bacon, backs, lb... 17 to 18. Hams, lb... 18 to 19. Shoulders, lb... 11 to 12. Pork, lb... 10 to 11. Bologna, lb... 12 to 13. Ham, lb... 14 to 15. Fresh sausage, lb... 10 to 11. New England ham, lb... 12 to 13.

Flowers. Geraniums, pot, dozen... 1.00 to 1.50. Carnations... 20 to 30. Heliotropes... 10 to 15. Pansy plant, dozen... 40 to 50. Fuchsia... 10 to 15. Stakes, box... 15 to 20. Salvia, pot... 10 to 15. Lobelia, dozen... 20 to 30. Foliage, dozen... 10 to 15. Aster, 3 doz... 25 to 30. Petunias, box... 10 to 15. Zinnias, box... 10 to 15. Marigolds, box... 10 to 15. Hydrangea... 10 to 15. Hanks, dozen... 10 to 15. Bouquets, dozen... 10 to 15. Palm, dozen... 10 to 15. Rose bushes... 10 to 15.

Meats. Good supply and demand. Beef higher. Beef, No. 1, cwt... 9.50 to 10.00. Beef, No. 2, cwt... 8.50 to 9.00. Live hogs... 7.50 to 8.00. Dressed hogs... 10.00 to 10.50. Mutton, per cwt... 10.00 to 10.50. Yearlings, lamb... 10.00 to 10.50. Veal, per cwt... 7.00 to 7.50. Spring lamb... 9.00 to 9.50.

Fish. Good supply and demand, no change. Salmon trout... 15 to 20. White fish... 12 to 15. Herring, lb... 8 to 10. Halibut, lb... 10 to 12. Haddock, lb... 10 to 12. Pike, lb... 10 to 12. Cod, lb... 10 to 12. Flounders... 10 to 12. Smoked Salmon... 10 to 12. Lake Erie herring, lb... 10 to 12. Minnow Haddock, lb... 10 to 12. Smelts, 2 lbs... 10 to 12. Lake Ontario trout... 10 to 12. Lake Ontario whitefish... 10 to 12. Pickerel... 10 to 12. Perch... 10 to 12. Skate... 10 to 12.

The Hide Market. Fair supply, demand small, prices steady. Wool, pound, washed... 15 to 18. Wool, pound, unwashed... 12 to 15. Cash skins, No. 1, lb... 1.00 to 1.20. Cash skins, No. 2, lb... 0.80 to 1.00. Cash skins, No. 3, lb... 0.60 to 0.80. Cash skins, each... 1.00 to 1.20. Horse hides, each... 1.50 to 2.00. Hides, No. 1, per... 0.80 to 1.00. Hides, No. 2, per... 0.70 to 0.90. Hides, flat... 0.90 to 1.10. Sheep skins... 0.80 to 1.00.

Grain Market. Barley, white, bush... 1.20 to 1.35. Wheat, red, bush... 1.25 to 1.40. Rye, bush... 0.85 to 0.95. Buckwheat... 0.85 to 1.00. Chopped corn... 0.85 to 1.00. Corn... 0.85 to 1.00. Peas... 0.85 to 1.00.

Hay and Wood. Straw, per ton... 7.50 to 8.00. Hay, per ton... 12.00 to 13.00.

NEW YORK STOCKS

La Rose... 7.40 7.42. Little Nipissing... 24 26. McKinley-Darragh... 85 90. Nipissing... 10 85 11 00. Nova Scotia... 49 49 1/2. Peterson Lake... 28 28 1/2. Silver Bay... 29 35. Silver Leaf... 13 1/2 13 1/2. Silver Queen... 35 39. Temiskaming... 1 25 1/2 1 27. Tretreway... 1 37 1/2 1 38. Gifford... 10 1/2 10 1/2.

LIVERPOOL MARKET. Wheat, unchanged. Corn, unchanged to 1-8d. lower.

THE ONLY GIRL

(Stuart B. Stone.) Gordon lined their photographs up on the mantel and thought and fought out the whole delicious, painful problem. There was Betty on the extreme right right by the gas jet—plump, saucy, brown-eyed Betty. Need ultra-critical man go farther? No, he would ask Betty the divine that afternoon, and Gordon raised the picture to his lips.

EXPRESS ROBBERED.

\$25,000 Stolen Between Ottawa and Toronto. Not the First Robbery—Several Dismissals of Employees. (Special Despatch to the Times.) Kingston, Ont., May 27.—The facts are made public for the first time since the perpetration of the crime of a second daring and skilful robbery of a car, running between Ottawa and Toronto. In the first robbery several weeks ago packages of bills to the amount of \$25,000, consigned from Ottawa to Toronto, were lost at some place in transit between those two points. In this latest robbery, however, an even larger amount than this was taken, the exact sum being unobtainable, but it is learned that the package contained gold and negotiable bills aggregating \$25,000. Both robberies have occurred on the night run, and are apparently no clues to the robbers. Several messengers and other persons have been dismissed. For several nights after the robbery detectives slept in the car no robbers appeared. A few nights after they released their vigilance and the second robbery occurred.

OBITUARY.

Chosen Friends Conduct Funeral of Late James Brayley.

The funeral of the late James Brayley took place yesterday afternoon from his late residence, mountain top, Barton, to Hamilton Cemetery, and was largely attended. Rev. John Young officiated at the house and grave, assisted by Rev. F. W. K. Harris. The bearers were three members of the Maple Leaf Council, chosen friends, Rev. J. J. Morton, James Fairclough, W. D. Dingwall, and three personal friends, W. A. Edwards, Christopher Salisbury and E. T. Kerr. The floral tributes included the following: Gates a jar, wife and sons; wreath from grandchildren; stars, C. O. C. E. Mr. and Mrs. James Dixon, Miss Emma Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Calder, Emma and Fanny (nieces), Board of Managers of Chalmers Church, Rev. J. J. Morton, chaplain of the Maple Leaf Council of Chosen Friends, conducted the last rites at the grave for the society.

COBALT STOCKS.

Table with 2 columns: Bid, Asked. Amalgamated... 12 12 1/2. Heaver... 35 35 1/2. Cobalt Central... 39 42. Cobalt Lake... 16 16 1/2. Crown Reserve... 3 31 3/4. Chambers-Perland... 30 31. Foster... 8 00 8 25. Kerr Lake... 8 00 8 25.

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Announces they have withdrawn their connection with A. E. Carpenter, 42 102 King Street East, and all business heretofore with J. R. Heintz & Co. must be transacted through their own office, 102 King Street East, Hamilton, Canada.

LONDON MARKET.

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\$500 PEARL.

The Reward of a Man Who Was Baptized in River at Maunie. New York, May 27.—A despatch to the World from Jenseville, Ill., says: John Morgan, living in Maunie, Ill., on the Wash-bash River, near this city, was baptized in the river at Maunie. He wore a shoe in which there was a loose string. This dragged over the bottom of the river. A mussel closed on the string. Morgan pulled it out on the bank after him. When he opened the mussel shell he found a pearl which he sold to a dealer for \$500.

VICTORIA LODGE, I. O. O. F.

The election of officers and representatives to Grand Lodge brought a large turnout of the members of Victoria Lodge, No. 92, I. O. O. F. The last regular meeting held on May 25. The following were elected for the term beginning June 1st and ending December 31st, 1909: Wm. Halliday, N. G. G. L. P. Robertson, V. G. W. F. Mapham, R. S. B. F. Richardson, F. S. J. E. Walker, treasurer. Jas. Nash, B. F. Richardson and T. H. Edsall were elected representatives to the Grand Lodge to be held at Ottawa in August, sun-day, \$25.

Overrated.

Fair Client—I want you to sue that woman for \$5,000 damages! I sue that woman for \$5,000 damages! Lawyer—But, madam, your husband is well known in this community. I advise you to sue the woman for a smaller

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name was omitted from some of the events in which he scored in the report which appeared on Wednesday. J. Burke, the game, was second for championship honors.

SCRAPS OF SPORT

A meeting of the City Baseball League managers will be held at Skerrett's tomorrow evening for business connected with the league's finances.

Women and Finance.

"One woman, when informed that her account was overdrawn, wrote saying she was very sorry, and at the same time enclosed a cheque she had drawn on us, and hoped the remittance would set matters right. One other woman client, when visiting us with a friend, was called aside by our cashier and told that her account was overdrawn by a dollar. She immediately handed him a bill from her purse, saying she sincerely hoped her carelessness had not financially distressed us."

Horses in Quayaquil.

In the hot spring sunshine a good many horses were sunbathed. "Equine sunbathers are very well," said a veterinarian, "but what would you say to equine trousers? You'll see them in Quayaquil. There the mosquitoes and greenhead flies are so thick that horses and donkeys, unless their legs are cased in cloth, become unmanageable in their pain."

Knocking Down the Pins

The final match for the championship of the last half of the season in C Class was played at the Hamilton Bowling & Athletic Club last night. The teams which qualified by winning first place in their section were the Sweet Caporals, Dynes' Scoundrels and the Victoria Lawn Bowling Club. The match was decided on three games, total pins, and proved to be one of the most interesting of the series. Each team was well supported and cheered on by many rooters, and in this respect the game very much resembled some of the warm matches during the winter. They were fighting hard for the handsome club medals and did not give up until the last frame had been rolled. The first game was very close, and at the end of the second game only one pin divided the Scoundrels and the Victorias, with the Sweet Caporals close up. In the last game the Victorias drew away and became the champions, with the splendid score of 955, and the Sweet Caporals jumped into second place, with 830. Richmond, of Sweet Caporals, was the star of the night, with 583, with D. Wylie a close second, with 532. P. Muldoon scored a nice 535, while M. Muir was the only other man over the coveted 500 mark.

Victoria Lawn Bowling Club.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Score. G. Haymen... 166 146 183 495. T. Bryman... 114 129 188 431. D. Wylie... 203 177 202 582. E. Peacock... 139 99 180 409. W. Muir... 164 179 182 525. Total... 768 721 935 2442.

Three Championships Have Now Been Decided.

The teams which have now been decided at the H. B. & A. C. Wood, Valance & Co. team winning in B Class, and the Crescents the first half of C Class, and the Victoria Lawn Bowling Club the second half of C Class.

New York, May 27.—Bowling teams of policemen from Buffalo and New York will roll in Madison Square Garden on Saturday night.

The teams will line up as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Score. Buffalo—Sergeant Simon J. Then, Ar-piano Danahy, William Wadson, Frank Mahoney, Andrew Callahan, Charles Bauld, substitute. New York—Charles H. Wilhelm, Geo. Smith, former Captain James Campbell, Jos. P. Craft and Dan Haggerty, Julius Leek, substitute.

The best performance at the afternoon session was Blatz and Stout, of Plainfield, N. J., who scored 1,172 in the contest for two-man teams, thereby taking first place over the mark of 1,141 made yesterday by Bergestown and Thomas, of New York.

In the individual contests yesterday's high mark went to H. J. Miller, of New York, who scored better than 200 in each of his three games, making a total of 644. The best performance heretofore in the tournament was 631, by A. Lawson, of New York.

In a special match to-night Larry Sutton, of Rochester, the Western champion, defeated Alexander Dunbar, of New York, in eight games, 1,524 to 1,386.

TORONTO MARKETS

LIVE STOCK.

The railways reported 62 carloads of live stock at the City Market for Wednesday.

There was a good demand at Tuesday's prices for all classes of fat cattle. One load of cattle, 1,100 lbs. each, brought in by A. Steers, was sold by Dunn & Leavack to a Kingston buyer at \$5.70 per cwt., to put on grass. These cattle were fed by Farmer James A. Renne, of Scarborough.

R. J. Collins sold two loads of butchers' 1,010 lbs. each, at \$5.10 and \$5.15 per cwt.

Wesley Dunn bought 100 sheep at \$4.75, average, per cwt.; 150 spring lambs at \$4.75 each; 250 calves at \$5 each.

Mr. Dunn reports too many small lambs of poor quality. Only good quality lambs are wanted.

Export ewes, \$4.50 to \$5 per cwt.; rams, \$5.50 to \$4 per cwt.; spring lambs, \$3 to \$5.50 each; calves, \$3 to \$5.50 per cwt.

Mr. Frank Harris reported the market strong at \$8 for select hogs, fed and watered at the market.

FARMERS' MARKET.

The offerings of grain today were nil, and prices in consequence are purely nominal. Hay quiet and firm, with sales of 20 loads of timothy at \$15 to \$16 a ton. Straw is nominal in absence of offerings.

Dressed hogs are very firm, selling at \$10.75 for heavy, and at \$10.75 to \$11.00 for light.

Wheat, fall, bushel... 1 35 0 00. Do., goose, bushel... 1 25 0 00. Oats, bushel... 0 57 0 58. Barley, bushel... 0 62 0 63. Rye, bushel... 0 65 0 66. Potatoes, bushel... 0 95 0 97. Hay, per ton... 15 00 16 00. Do., No. 2... 11 00 13 00. Straw, per ton... 13 00 13 50. Dressed hogs... 10 75 11 00. Butcher, dairy... 0 22 0 25. Eggs, dozen... 0 18 0 23. Chickens, broilers, lb... 0 35 0 40. Do., yearlings, lb... 0 17 0 19. Fowl, lb... 0 14 0 16. Celery, per dozen... 0 40 0 00. Potatoes, bag... 1 00 1 15. Onions, bag... 1 65 1 75.

BANK OF ENGLAND.

London, May 27.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Total reserve, decreased... £517,000. Circulation, increased... 173,000. Bullion, decreased... 343,804. Other securities, increased... 1,438,000. Public deposits, increased... 1,347,000. Government securities unchanged.

The Speed of Automobiles.

Many are the plans to curb the automobile speed maniac by legislation. One ingenious man has suggested that the chauffeur be fined and the automobile be imprisoned for a stated number of days! There may be some sense in that, in spite of one's first thought. Certainly many automobilists have overridden public patience entirely and the situation is becoming unbearable. A ghastly number of pedestrians have already been slain this spring, and the total for the season is sure to run very high.

The "joy riders" are the chief source of the trouble—chauffeurs who steal their employers' machines out of hours and adventure forth eager to "burn up the pavements." Legislators are passing measures looking to a more stringent license system; in some states a chauffeur who thus "joy rides" may be arrested for larceny.

It is rather gratifying to find that the actual owners of cars themselves are seldom so reckless of the rights of others. Indeed, these owners, banded in different automobile associations, are doing all they can, by advice and active cooperation, to remedy the present dangerous conditions.

The final remedy, of course, lies in impressing deeply upon the minds of automobilists a strict system of automobile ethics. Adherence to good sportsmanship in automobilism, as in other pastimes, will prove the radical cure.

From the View-point, in The Outing Magazine for June.

Vain Regret.

"Here's an interesting newspaper article headed, 'Some Don'ts in Selecting an Automobile.'" "I've been having a kind of a 'Don'ts' buy one in it, when I was looking around for mine."

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LONDON MARKET.

Table with 2 columns: Bid, Asked. Consols... 85. A. N. C... 51.2. A. C. P... 84.5. A. S. C... 109.1. B. & O... 114. B. C... 77.5. Erie... 34.4. Erie First... 51.2. Ills... 146.2. M. K. T... 72. C. P. R... 180. N. P... 147.2. N. Y. C... 129.6. Penna... 134.1. Reading... 154.4. Rock Island... 31.2. Southern Ry... 30.6. S. Paul... 149.7. Sugar... 49. Texas & Ohio... 114. Ches. & Ohio... 77.5. Distillers... 40.3. Erie First... 51.4. Ills. Cent... 146.2. M. K. T... 41.3. Louisville & Nor... 138.4. Lead... 86.4. M. O. P... 74. M. N. C... 25.3. N. Y. Pacific... 147.2. N. Y. C... 129.6. O. & W... 48.5. Penna... 134.1. Reading... 154.4. Rock Island... 31.2. Southern Ry... 30.6. S. Paul... 149.7. Sugar... 49. Union Pac... 188.3. U. S. Steel... 60.3. U. S. Steel, pref... 119.2.

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EXECUTED THIRTEEN.

Unlucky Number Suffer For Deeds of Unlucky Date.

Hanged in Public in Constantinople This Morning.

Government Relief Work in Hands of Leader of Assassins.

Constantinople, May 27.—Thirteen men were hanged in public at day-light today in Constantinople, having previously been found guilty of complicity in the revolutionary outbreak of April 13. The bodies were left exposed to view for a short time only.

A BAD APPOINTMENT.

London, May 27.—The Times Constantinople correspondent says that much apprehension has been caused among the Young Turks and Armenians by the news that the new Yali of Adana, who is described as a somewhat fanatical Kurd, has entrusted the important task of distribution of the Government Relief Fund to Baghdad, a Turkish land owner who was the first to lead a band of armed men into the bazaar of Adana and begin the slaughter of Armenians.

THE VERY BEST YET.

Te-morrow a Great Day of Saving in Good Things For All.

On page 7 in to-night's Times is the Thomas C. Watkins' store announcement of to-morrow's Friday Special Value Day announcement of genuine hour sale and all day bargains in Right Home standard of qualities, the like of which has not heretofore been known.

BAD WOMAN SENT DOWN.

(Continued from Page 1.)

Leitch, as she looked pleadingly at the Magistrate after admitting being drunk. For the past two months Mary has been the most regular attendant at the Police Court. On each and every occasion she swears most religiously that it will be the last time. Heretofore Mary has been allowed to go with the usual \$2 fine, but of late she has drunk herself into such a condition that the Magistrate thought a rest from the wild turmoil of outside life would do her good, and also give her a chance to straighten up. She was remanded for one week.

Charles Currie, Dundas, a well dressed man of about thirty years of age, was charged with committing an assault upon A. McMaster. The complainant said that when he was walking on Merrick street near MacKay street last night the defendant accosted him and asked him to have a drink. When he refused, he said, Currie followed him up the street. The defendant said he had no recollection of what occurred, as he was in such a state of drunkenness that everything that happened was a blank. He was fined \$5.

The case of Mrs. A. Lyon, Murray street, who was charged by Cyrus Stewart with forgery, was remanded until to-morrow at the request of the complainant.

D. Fairchild did not appear to defend a charge of truancy laid by Inspector William Hunter, and another summons was issued.

Frank Harris, 80 Locke street, south, and Michael Sullivan, Toronto, admitted that they were drunk last night. They were fined \$5 and \$2, respectively. Albert Clarkson, 14 Keith street, and Alexander Boyd, Prospect Place, who appeared in court Tuesday morning, and were remanded until to-day to secure witnesses to prove that they had not been fighting, turned up in court this morning without their witnesses. They were each fined \$5.

TO BE SENT BACK.

By Order of the Czar Aligned Murderer Goes to Russia.

Ottawa, Ont., May 27.—Jan Buchholz was before Judge MacTavish to-day on the application of the Russian Government for the extradition of the man, who is charged with conspiracy to murder one of his neighbors in a northern province of his home land. On the sworn deposition of the Russian Minister of Foreign Affairs being presented the application was granted, and after the usual 15 days' stay of proceedings a Dominion police officer will leave on his long journey with the accused man. Buchholz was arrested at Winnipeg some time ago.

A Noiseless Typewriter

Has not as yet been produced anywhere, but Smith Premier No. 10 makes less noise than any other typewriter. Noise on a typewriter can be classified into three parts, namely: 1, noise made by the space bar; 2, noise made by the type bars coming in contact with the type roll; 3, noise made by the shift key. On Smith Premier No. 10 the space bar makes practically no noise; 2, the type bars striking the platen make less noise than on any other machine; 3, we have no shift key therefore, we have no noise. Model No. 10 is the only perfectly noiseless typewriter on the market. A. Brickmann, 15 Main street east, phone 3388.

TEA TABLE GOSSIP.

—Mr. William Snell left last night for Toronto, where he has secured a good position.

—George Eiton, of Barton, has had a summons issued for George Brandon, also of Barton, charging him with assault.

—At the Ladies' Aid Society's social at St. Andrew's Church this evening a coat bearing 1,050 worked autographs will be on exhibition.

—Hamilton Sons of England will go to the closing meeting of the season at Stoney Creek Battledale next Saturday afternoon. Members will take the 3.10 H. G. & B. car from Terminal Station.

—Ald. Geo. Guy, who has been suffering with appendicitis, was able to sit up to-day. Dr. Carr has decided that an operation is not necessary.

—Hon. Adam Beck left London last night for Montreal, from whence he will sail for England on Friday to attend the International Horse Show.

—Caxton Chapter, I. O. D. E., will hold the closing meeting of the season at Stone Creek Battledale next Saturday afternoon. Members will take the 3.10 H. G. & B. car from Terminal Station.

—Henry Bush, the young man who met with an accident while alighting from a car at the corner of Kent and Herkimer streets, a few nights ago, and was taken to the City Hospital, is somewhat improved to-day.

—Letters received from Mr. John Moodie and family describe their delightful motor tour through the South of France. They are enjoying the pleasures of continental travel and expect to remain abroad until mid summer.

—Mr. Wm. Anderson, the well-known violinist, is confined to his house, the result of a fireworks explosion on Victoria Day. He is out of danger, however, although at first it was feared that the accident was a most serious one.

—Archdeacon Clark announced this morning the removal of the offices of the Synod of the Diocese of Niagara to the Bank of Hamilton building on July 1st. At present they are situated on Main street east, in the Germania club building.

—Rev. W. F. Wilson, D. D., formerly of Wesleyan First Methodist Church, who is just closing his four-year term at Trinity Church, Toronto, was given a complimentary resolution by the official board at its meeting on Tuesday night. His term has been eminently successful.

—The parents of John McConnell, 118 Robinson street, are very anxious about their son. He disappeared on Victoria Day and nothing has since been seen or heard of him since. He was 14 years of age, fair complexion, dark eyes, tall for his age, medium build, and wore a light grey suit, blue tie and cap.

—A Brantford made bicycle, the property of Russell Moore, 73 Oak avenue, was taken yesterday afternoon from in front of a King William store. In its place was left an older and worn-out bicycle, but as this make was also a Brantford possibly a mistake was made—that it is not a case of theft.

—The members of the teachers' training class of St. Andrew's Church last night presented the Sunday school superintendent, J. M. Robinson, with a dictionary Bible, handsomely bound in Morocco. The presentation was made by E. Bower, jun., and Miss Ida Hill. The class will not meet again until the fall.

—Mr. James Riach, who has filled the position of night clerk at the Rossin House, Toronto, for a good many years, has been appointed assistant manager of the King Edward Hotel, in that city, and assumed his new duties on Monday. Mr. Riach is an old Burlington boy, and was clerk at the Royal Hotel here for a number of years.

—The attention of the fire brigade was required at two small fires yesterday afternoon. About 4 o'clock a defective chimney caused about \$10 damage at the home of Frank Williamson, Niagara street, and a few minutes later a garbage barrel in front of the residence of Mrs. Mary Macomb, 84 West avenue north, was ignited by the setting off of fireworks nearby.

—A wandering horse, attached to a buggy, was found on the Dundas road last night near the Half-way House by Mr. Anderson, a farmer who lives in that vicinity. Rugs, whip and all the complements were in the buggy, and only the driver was missing. The police do not expect any foul play. The buggy has been left in charge of Mr. Anderson, who reported the matter to the authorities.

—On Empire Day Mrs. Fessenden was presented with a basket of roses at the Charlton Avenue School, as a mark of appreciation of her great work in establishing an opportunity for the patriotic education of the children of the Empire. Mrs. Fessenden gave a short, instructive address upon the topic "A Good Name is Rather to be Chosen Than Riches," emphasizing the point that the national good name is in the keeping of every one belonging to the Empire.

HAMILTON CASES.

Ontario Railway Board Will Deal With Them on June 22.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Toronto, Ont., May 27.—The Ontario Railway Board has fixed Tuesday, June 22, as the date for the hearing of two cases closely affecting Hamilton. At 11.30 a. m. the hearing of Hamilton vs. the Hamilton Railway will come up, and at 2.30 p. m. the hearing of the application on the part of Barton township for annexation to the city.

City Solicitor Waddell represented the city before the Board this morning. The Board also handed out a formal order in the matter of the application of the Niagara Falls Board of Trade, compelling the lowering of the rates from 10 cents flat rate to 5 cents for three miles and under, or 2 cents a mile above that.

The Great Hurry-Out Sale.

R. McKay & Co. started one of the greatest clearing sales in dependable merchandise ever attempted in Hamilton, and every person who wants to save on their summer purchases should in justice to themselves visit this store every day during the sale. Look for the Hurry-Out Sale tickets when you enter the store; they will convey to you some of the best buying chances in years, and at 2.30 p. m. their daily advertisements in this paper.—R. McKay & Co.

THE NASHVILLE.

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BOYS CAUGHT.

Policeman Rewarded For Arresting Joe Smith, the Burglar.

Bandmaster Hurt—That Chicken Fight in Brantford.

(Special Despatch to the Times.)

Brantford, May 27.—The police arrested last night Joe Harp and Gordon Atridge, two young Brantford incorrigibles, who escaped from the Victoria Industrial School some three weeks ago and who, like bad pennies, turned up at home yesterday. They were not in town an hour before they were given a spectacular chase along the railway track by Constables Kerr and Donnelly, and captured. Both will be taken back to Mimico to-day to complete their five-year terms.

SERVICES RECOGNIZED. The clever capture of Joe Smith, the burglar, made here a little over a week ago by P. C. Bostwick, is to be recognized by the Police Commissioners, who have decided to add two years to the constable's standing with the department, which means a considerable increase in pay. Smith was sentenced to seven years in Kingston, and was caught re-handled by Bostwick, who made a plucky fight in order to effect his capture.

AN ACCIDENT. An unfortunate accident happened last night, when Bandmaster Bartram, of the Telephone City Union Band, was returning from Mohawk Park. He was unable to get a car, and decided to walk home. Coming down Mohawk hill he stepped on the sole of the open car struck him forcibly, inflicting a deep gash in his hip and fracturing his leg. He was in company with his wife at the time. The accident will incapacitate him from work for some time.

MORE COING. Although twelve defendants were fined here yesterday for being present at a recent Brantford-Hamilton cocking match, the police say there are a dozen more to appear yet at the Police Court. The sports are very sore over the outcome of the affair, and claim to have been given away to the police by one of their own number, who was present, and against whom prosecution has not been made.

GENERAL NOTES. Al. Watts and Freddie Minnes, the local battery now with Brantford in the Western League, it is stated, will return here very soon to play with Veritys. The locals have not found the west to their liking.

Mr. John T. Hewitt yesterday received from the city \$23,500 for the Ladies' College property, on which will be erected the new Collegiate.

At the annual meeting of the Woman's Musical Club here Mrs. A. G. Parker was elected President, Mrs. Harry Cockshutt and Mrs. Sutherland Vice-Presidents, and Miss Moffat Treasurer.

Bella McKee, who kept a house on Colborne street, is wanted by the police on a charge which has been laid against her place. Bella has left the city.

The horse of Mr. Hulbert, of Falkland, gave a rare example of brute intelligence at Paris yesterday afternoon. A little girl in attempting to get a ride on the rear of a wagon stumbled and fell in front of the horse, which was following. The horse instantly realized the danger, and lifting each foot carefully stepped over the girl without causing the least damage.

FOR CAMP.

Strength of the Units in No. 2 Military District.

(Special Despatch to the Times.)

Ottawa, Ont., May 27.—For No. 2 district, in which the rural corps, contingents to Toronto and Hamilton are placed, the following training strength for each unit is authorized.

Governor-General's Body Guards, 2d Dragons, Hamilton, and 9th Mississippi Light Horse, 236 officers and men each.

Fourth Field Battery, 7th Battery and 9th Battery, 81 officers and men each.

12th Infantry, 23rd, 31st, 34th, 35 and 77th, are authorized to drill 293 officers and men each.

37th, 291 officers and men; the 20th, 23rd, 31st and 39th, 207 officers and men each, and the 44th, 203 officers and men.

The Second Army Service Corps, 76 officers and men, 9th Army Service Corps, 57 officers and men.

10th, 11th and 12th, Medical Corps, 46 each.

The authorized training strength for the Niagara Camp is 4,341 officers and men of all corps.

The total training strength for rural corps camps throughout Canada is 20,426.

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Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths which are inserted in the Daily Times also appear in the Semi-Weekly Times. 50c. first insertion; 25c. for each subsequent insertion.

BIRTHS

STARRS—On Wednesday, May 26th, 1908, at 29 Jackson street, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Starrs, a son.

DEATHS

IN MEMORIAM. MATHESON—in loving memory of Sarah A. Orr, beloved wife of the late James Matheson, who entered into rest May 27th, 1889.

THE WEATHER.

FORECASTS—Moderate to fresh variable winds, showers and thunderstorms, but partly fair. Friday a few scattered showers, but generally fair and warm.

The following is issued by the Department of Marine and Fisheries: Temperature 8 a.m. Min. Weather.

Table with 3 columns: Location, Temperature, Weather. Locations include Calgary, Winnipeg, Port Arthur, Port Sound, Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, Father Point.

WEATHER NOTES.

The depression which has been in the southwestern States since Saturday last is now spreading over the Lake region attended by heavy rains and thunderstorms; elsewhere in Canada the weather is fine and in the western Provinces quite warm.

Washington, May 27.—Eastern States and Northern New York—Showers to-night and Friday; light to moderate southerly winds.

Western New York—Showers to-night and Friday.

Lakes Erie and Ontario—Light to moderate south shifting southwest winds; showers to-night and Friday.

Probs. Showers and thunderstorms, generally toward night, not much change in temperature.

O. J. C. ENTRIES.

Horses Named For Woodbine Races To-morrow.

Woodbine, May 27.—There are seven races on the card at this track for to-morrow afternoon, the feature event being the Maple Leaf Stakes for three-year-old fillies foaled in Canada.

There are six entries in this, one being Mr. Seagram's Plater, Mendip. There are big fields for the last two races on the card. Following are the entries:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Age. Entries include Miledna, Shore Lark, Seorchlight, Southern Bride, Gwendolyn F., Lady Ormar, Devson, Ruby Bird, Sprat, Croydun, Peep In.

"Davies" entry. Second race, Lorne Purse, maiden 2-year-olds, five furlongs.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Age. Entries include Chilton Queen, Front Row, Count Steffins, J. H. Houghton, Compton, Faulteroy, Pulka, Jim Miller.

Third race, Maple Leaf Stakes, 3-year-old fillies foaled in Canada, one mile and one-sixteenth.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Age. Entries include French Shore, Mendip, Lady Milner, Woodbine Belle, Bridleen, Scotch Moor, Seagram entry.

Fourth race, Ormonde Purse, 4-year-olds and up; one mile.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Age. Entries include Terah, Ontario, Uncle Tom, Redmoore, Little Osage, Belle Wether, Red River.

Fifth race, Mayflower Purse, selling; for 2-year-olds; five furlongs.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Age. Entries include Hickory Stick, Galvesca, Buay, Kid, Compton, Jack Dennerlen.

Sixth race, Cobourg Purse, selling; for 3-year-olds and up; one mile and 70 yards.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Age. Entries include Toll Box, The Globe, Thomas Calhoun, John Garner, Edwin Gunn, Arrowswift, Neoskaleta, Dredger, Ben Double, Malodictum, Lyhurst, Blyth, Holscher, Lally.

Seventh race, second Strathcona Purse, for maiden 3- and 4-year-olds; six furlongs.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Age. Entries include Silverin, Morocco, Maximum, Tremargo, Sally Cohen, Teddington, Gold Front, Jim Parkinson, Roman Wing, Manuscript.

x Apprentice allowance claimed. Weather clear; track sloppy.

Friday's Fish List.

Sea salmon, whitefish, trout, herrings, fresh pickerel, finnan haddie, kippers, tressies, anchovies, shredded cod, boneless cod, Holland and Lochfynes herrings in kegs, salt mackerel.

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HAMILTON MAN

Arrested in Guelph on Charge of Robbing Hotel.

Window Came Down With a Crash and Gave the Alarm.

(Special Despatch to the Times.)

Guelph, Ont., May 27.—At three o'clock this morning the crash of breaking glass aroused the inmates of the Albion Hotel, and the proprietor, Mr. May, and the house porter saw a stranger climb out of the window leading to the bar room. The police were phoned for and Constable Greenway arrived a few minutes later. The nocturnal visitor had just been seen to go around the corner of the hotel, and by making a sprint the constable was able to make a capture. He gave his name as Peter Fairburn, of Hamilton, and was remanded for a week on a burglary charge. The cash register had been gone through and only 10 cents was left, while change amounting to a little over a dollar was found in the pockets of Fairburn.

An entrance had been gained by piling beer boxes to the window and a pane had been broken to permit of a fastening being undone. A window had been propped up and it was when the propped window slipped and the window came down that the alarm was given.

There is no such name in the Hamilton directory. Possibly a bogus name was given the police.

Friday Bargains.

Friday bargains will be the order of the day at Finch Bros., many lines of new goods that are reasonable and fashionable will be sold at prices that should interest every economical buyer. Read Finch Bros' advertisement to-night for particulars.

What Banks Fear the Most.

What banks fear is not so much a burglar gaining access to their premises by forcing doors, but by tunnelling and other equally cunning and daring methods. A few years ago a cashier in one of the national banks of the United States in New Mexico was busy at work one evening in the office when his quick ear detected some curious sounds. They seemed to proceed from a subterranean region, and he was long in concluding that robbers must be tunneling from an adjoining building to the vault in the bank.

Guards were immediately posted in and around the building. Soon they observed the masonry of the bank to be giving way. In the County of Lambton, gentlemen who died on or about the eleventh day of April, A. D. 1899, are required on or before the 15th day of June, A. D. 1909, to send the executor of the said deceased, full particulars of their claims and the nature of the securities, if any held by them. After said last mentioned date the estate of the deceased will be distributed among the parties entitled, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall have been given.

Dated at Watford this eleventh day of May, A. D. 1909. COWAN & TOWERS, Solicitors for above named executor, Watford, Ont.

Notice to Creditors

Notice is hereby given that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of John Duffy, late of the Township of Warwick, in the County of Lambton, gentleman, who died on or about the eleventh day of April, A. D. 1899, are required on or before the 15th day of June, A. D. 1909, to send the executor of the said deceased, full particulars of their claims and the nature of the securities, if any held by them. After said last mentioned date the estate of the deceased will be distributed among the parties entitled, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall have been given.

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STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS.

May 28.—Laurelton—At Glasgow, from Boston. Corsican—At Cape Race, from Liverpool. Empress of Ireland—At Cape Race, from Liverpool.

Alice—New York, from Venice. Majestic—New York, from Southampton. Bremen—At New York, from Bremen. Ryddan—At New York, from Rotterdam. Princess Irene—At New York, from Genoa. Saxonia—At Queenstown, from Boston. Philadelphia—At Liverpool, from Philadelphia. Montreal—At Liverpool, from Montreal. Philadelphia—At London, from Boston. Mandi Calvo—At Barcelona, from New York. La Lorraine—At Cape Race, from Havre. Montreal, Que., May 27.—The Allan Line steamer Pomoranian, from London and Havre for Quebec and Montreal, passed Cape Race noon yesterday.

In an Ohio town there is still maintained a stage-coach system of transportation, the steeds whereof are of that sad appearance presented by the horses attached to the Fifth Avenue line in New York not so many years ago.

One day a Cincinnati man, visiting the town in question, boarded a stage, having no other currency than a \$5 bill. This he proffered to the driver. The latter took it, looked it over for a moment or so, and then asked: "Which horse do you want, Bill?" Harper's Weekly.

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Horses and