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Gasolene Used for Power Purposes Accidentally Ignited Razes Five Business Buildings at a Loss of Fifty Thousand Dollars---Blenheim Sends Aid.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Chatham, May 11.—The village of Merlin, near here, was this morning visited by a conflagration which lasted three hours. It swept away an entire business block, at a loss estimated at $50,000. The fire started in the printing office of the Merlin Mirror, a weekly newspaper, published by C. A. Burns. Gasoline used for power purposes became ignited, and in a moment the entire premises were wrapped in a vast sheet of flames, which, sweeping both directions, carried away five buildings in its path.

The buildings destroyed are those of James Robertson, station agent; E. Abrams, grocery; office and store of the National Supply Company; Oddfellows' Hall, and A. W. Smith's jewelry store. Mr. Smith was able to save a number of precious stones. A brick barber shop caught fire, but was saved from destruction, this being the salvation of the Marquis Hotel, the biggest building in the village.

Blenheim and Chatham were telephoned for assistance. The Blenheim engine arrived when the fire was under control, while Chatham force was called off when on the way.

Three Years for Local Sneak Thief Frank Roberts Given Stiff Sentence

Alleged Case of Horse Stealing Came Up for Hearing Today.

Frank Roberts, the young Englishman who came here from Windsor a few weeks ago, and improved the few days that he was here by stealing from hotel bedrooms and from the residence of Captain T. J. Murphy on Hyman street, was this morning sentenced to three years in Kingston Penitentiary by Magistrate Love.

As soon as Roberts has served his term he will be deported.

Alleged Horse Thief.

Daniel Rodgers was arrested on Saturday charged with stealing a horse, buggy and harness from Mrs. Amelia Meadows.

If Rodgers' story is correct he has been the victim of a mean thief.

It is stated that he bought the horse on the market on Saturday from a man whom he did not know.

He gave $5 down and was to pay the rest later.

Rodgers claims that if the horse and outfit were stolen it was stolen by the man who sold it to him.

The case was adjourned until Wednesday, and bail was refused.

MOIR FEARS MOB IN LONDON ASKS POLICE PROTECTION

London Will Furnish Guard of Police for His Arrival—Whole Town of Arthur Is in Sympathy With the Wolseley Barracks Murderer.

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Arthur, Ont., May 11.—Murderer Moir is mortally afraid of mob law in London.

When he heard that the Government had offered a reward of $500 for his capture dead or alive, that the police of London and of the entire province were on his trail, he at once concluded that London would be a dangerous place for him, and he put in an urgent ppeal for police protection when he arrives in London.

He appears to fear the men of Wolseley Barracks, feeling that they may be resentful and may mob him.

Will Be Guarded.

The police here have communicated with the London authorities, and a strong guard will be at the depot when he arrives.

One of the rumors is that the train will be stopped at the asylum crossing on Adelaide street, and that Moir will be hastily placed in a carriage, and taken to the county jail.

The prisoner leaves here at 5 o'clock and will arrive in London at 11:30, making connection with the express from Toronto at Streetsville Junction.

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GUARDS SHOOT INTO STRIKERS BLOODY CLASH AT OWEN SOUND

Special Constables Volley Into Striking Longshoremen, But Are Routed By a Fusillade of Coal---Four Men Hit and Mayor Kennedy Reads the Riot Act

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Owen Sound, May 11.—The strike of the C. P. R. freight handlers assumed serious proportions shortly after 7 o'clock this morning.

The C. P. R. had about 60 special constables sworn in that they had brought up from Toronto, with Provincial Detective Rogers. The strikers hearing that an attempt was being made to begin work hurried to the wharfs. Several of the strikers were deputed to persuade the men who were going to work to quit, and the other strikers were standing in bunches on the dock. Suddenly, it is alleged, the special constables fired upon them.

A rush was made for the coal pile, and the strikers used the coal so effectively that the constables returned inside the boats, but not before five of them were seriously injured and one may not recover.

Strikers Shot.

Among the strikers two had narrow escapes from being shot, the bullets going through their clothing. One was shot in the foot, one in the shoulder, and one through the calf of the leg.

Read the Riot Act.

After the shooting Mayor Kennedy read the riot act, and both parties were invited to his office for a discussion. Mr. McMurchy, solicitor, and Superintendent Nelson represented the C. P. R.; Mayor Kennedy represented the town, and a committee of three represented the strikers. The meeting resulted in a disagreement. The C. P. R. suggested that the men go to work and leave the matter to be settled by the Government arbitrator, or to accept 15 cents day and 16 cents night for the season. The men, however, refused, and are holding out for last season's figures.

Cared for by Town.

To the credit of the outsiders brought in by the C. P. R. they have stuck to the Owen Sound contingent, though the majority are destitute and are being cared for by the town. The sympathies of the citizens are with the strikers. They hold that it is preposterous to ask men to work for 12 cents per hour, more particularly when the C. P. R. is charging as high rates for freight as they did last year.

Later.

The strike of the C. P. R. 'longshoremen has been settled, and the men returned to work at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The wage scale will be 15 cents for shed work, 16 cents for outside work, and 20 cents for coal and grain work.

Detective Rogers and three special constables have been placed under arrest in connection with the shooting.

MERELY A MATTER OF TIME SAYS CHIEF ON MOIR CAPTURE

Local Police Had Taken Every Precaution To Prevent Moir Getting Away Altogether And Were Certain of His Whereabouts Several Days Ago.

Chief Williams is well satisfied with the capture of Moir, and declares that it justifies the position he assumed from the beginning.

"I said in the beginning that we would get Moir, sooner or later," said Chief Williams to The Advertiser. "I do not believe in hurrying the matter at all. His capture was only a matter of time, and that has proven to be the case.

"As soon as the man had escaped, so much publicity was given his movements and the movements of my men that it was impossible to do much. When the first excitement was over, we were able to get in our work.

Knew He Was There.

"Every day came letters and telegrams telling of Moir. He was seen in many places. We had to sift them out and follow all that looked good. Last week there were no less than a dozen telegrams and thirty or forty letters. Few of them were of any use to us.

"However, I did know that Moir was in the neighborhood where he was captured.

"Three or four days ago, a letter came to me, informing me that Moir was certainly in that neighborhood, and that his arrest would be accomplished within a few days at the outside. I did not make the information public, but I knew it all the time."

"Yesterday I received a telegram from Constable Farrell saying that he had Moir. I called him up on the phone and asked him if he was certain that he had the right man. He told me that there was no doubt about it, I promised to send a man up right away. I did so, and I expect him back with the prisoner before long.

Took Every Precaution.

"We took every precaution to effect the capture of our man. We sent thousands of circulars with a cut of him, and an accurate description of him everywhere.

"There must have been six or seven thousand of these circulars distributed in every part of the country.

"With this fact in mind, there was absolutely no doubt that he would be captured as soon as he moved.

"A man might keep concealed in a house in the country for many weeks, but as soon as he moved he would be captured.

"I am not surprised that Moir was captured without difficulty.

"If he had been come upon the night of the murder, there would have been trouble, and one or two men might have been shot. As soon as he threw away his trifle, there was no doubt that all desire for murder was gone. He would not shoot after that.

"These things take time, but they come out all right in the end."

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SCOOPING UP THE CINDERS

G. T. R. Removing Them From Egerton Street Crossing.

The Grand Trunk have a gang of men working with a steam shovel removing the cinders from Egerton street crossing.

Some time ago the Grand Trunk was ordered by the city to remove the cinders.

The city officials were about to appropriate the cinders for street purposes, but they were a little too late.

NEW DRAIN TOPS

Needed Improvement Made by Street Railway Company.

Manager King, of the street railway has had a new drain top constructed, which will be used along the street railway tracks.

The top fits under the side of the rail, and is made the same height as the rail.

THE WEATHER.

TOMOROW—SHOWERS.

Local Temperatures.

Toronto, May 11—8 a.m.

Today—Fresh to strong southwesterly to southeasterly winds; fine and warm today.

Tuesday—Showers and local thunderstorms.

The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the local observatory for the 24 hours ended at 8 p.m. Saturday were: Highest, 57°; lowest, 38° above zero. Sunday: Highest, 64°; lowest, 35° above zero.

TEMPERATURES.

Stations.	8 a.m.	Min.	Weather.
Calgary	44	42	Fair
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Father Point	42	38	Cloudy

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WEATHER NOTES.

The pressure is comparatively high in the Atlantic States. Elsewhere over the continent it is for the most part below the average.

Fine weather prevails in Canada, except in British Columbia and the Western Provinces, where it is showery.

YESTERDAY'S TEMPERATURES.

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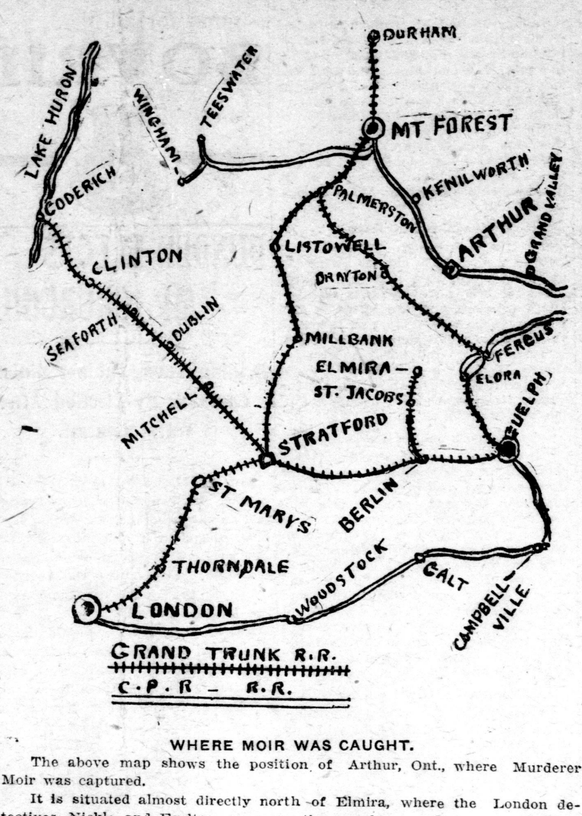

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It is certain that he was seen at Thorndale, St. Marys and St. Jacobs and other places.

FIRE WIPES OUT MERLIN BLOCK
ENTIRE VILLAGE WAS IN PERIL

Gasolene Used for Power Purposes Accidentally Ignited Razes Five Business Buildings at a Loss of Fifty Thousand Dollars---Blenheim Sends Aid.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Chatham, May 11.—The village of Merlin, near here, was this morning visited by a conflagration which lasted three hours. It swept away an entire business block, at a loss estimated at $50,000. The fire started in the printing office of the Merlin Mirror, a weekly newspaper, published by C. A. Burns. Gasoline used for power purposes became ignited, and in a moment the entire premises were wrapped in a vast sheet of flames, which, sweeping both directions, carried away five buildings in its path.

The buildings destroyed are those of James Robertson, station agent; E. Abrams, grocery; office and store of the National Supply Company; Oddfellows' Hall, and A. W. Smith's jewelry store. Mr. Smith was able to save a number of precious stones. A brick barber shop caught fire, but was saved from destruction, this being the salvation of the Marquis Hotel, the biggest building in the village.

Blenheim and Chatham were telephoned for assistance. The Blenheim engine arrived when the fire was under control, while Chatham force was called off when on the way.

Three Years for Local Sneak Thief
Frank Roberts Given Stiff Sentence

Alleged Case of Horse Stealing Came Up for Hearing Today.

Frank Roberts, the young Englishman who came here from Windsor a few weeks ago, and improved the few days that he was here by stealing from hotel bedrooms and from the residence of Captain T. J. Murphy on Hyman street, was this morning sentenced to three years in Kingston Penitentiary by Magistrate Love.

As soon as Roberts has served his term he will be deported.

Alleged Horse Thief.

Daniel Rodgers was arrested on Saturday charged with stealing a horse, buggy and harness from Mrs. Amelia Meadows.

If Rodgers' story is correct he has been the victim of a mean thief.

It is stated that he bought the horse on the market on Saturday from a man whom he did not know.

He gave $5 down and was to pay the rest later.

Rodgers claims that if the horse and outfit were stolen it was stolen by the man who sold it to him.

The case was adjourned until Wednesday, and bail was refused.

MOIR FEARS MOB IN LONDON
ASKS POLICE PROTECTION

London Will Furnish Guard of Police for His Arrival—Whole Town of Arthur Is in Sympathy With the Wolseley Barracks Murderer.

[By Our Own Man on the Spot.]

Arthur, Ont., May 11.—Murderer Moir is mortally afraid of mob law in London.

When he heard that the Government had offered a reward of $500 for his capture dead or alive, that the police of London and of the entire province were on his trail, he at once concluded that London would be a dangerous place for him, and he put in an urgent ppeal for police protection when he arrives in London.

He appears to fear the men of Wolseley Barracks, feeling that they may be resentful and may mob him.

Will Be Guarded.

The police here have communicated with the London authorities, and a strong guard will be at the depot when he arrives.

One of the rumors is that the train will be stopped at the asylum crossing on Adelaide street, and that Moir will be hastily placed in a carriage, and taken to the county jail.

The prisoner leaves here at 5 o'clock and will arrive in London at 11:30, making connection with the express from Toronto at Streetsville Junction.

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GUARDS SHOOT INTO STRIKERS
BLOODY CLASH AT OWEN SOUND

Special Constables Volley Into Striking Longshoremen, But Are Routed By a Fusillade of Coal---Four Men Hit and Mayor Kennedy Reads the Riot Act

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Owen Sound, May 11.—The strike of the C. P. R. freight handlers assumed serious proportions shortly after 7 o'clock this morning.

The C. P. R. had about 60 special constables sworn in that they had brought up from Toronto, with Provincial Detective Rogers. The strikers hearing that an attempt was being made to begin work hurried to the wharfs. Several of the strikers were deputed to persuade the men who were going to work to quit, and the other strikers were standing in bunches on the dock. Suddenly, it is alleged, the special constables fired upon them.

A rush was made for the coal pile, and the strikers used the coal so effectively that the constables returned inside the boats, but not before five of them were seriously injured and one may not recover.

Strikers Shot.

Among the strikers two had narrow escapes from being shot, the bullets going through their clothing. One was shot in the foot, one in the shoulder, and one through the calf of the leg.

Read the Riot Act.

After the shooting Mayor Kennedy read the riot act, and both parties were invited to his office for a discussion. Mr. McMurchy, solicitor, and Superintendent Nelson represented the C. P. R.; Mayor Kennedy represented the town, and a committee of three represented the strikers. The meeting resulted in a disagreement. The C. P. R. suggested that the men go to work and leave the matter to be settled by the Government arbitrator, or to accept 15 cents day and 16 cents night for the season. The men, however, refused, and are holding out for last season's figures.

Cared for by Town.

To the credit of the outsiders brought in by the C. P. R. they have stuck to the Owen Sound contingent, though the majority are destitute and are being cared for by the town. The sympathies of the citizens are with the strikers. They hold that it is preposterous to ask men to work for 12 cents per hour, more particularly when the C. P. R. is charging as high rates for freight as they did last year.

Later.

The strike of the C. P. R. longshoremen has been settled, and the men returned to work at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The wage scale will be 15 cents for shed work, 16 cents for outside work, and 20 cents for coal and grain work.

Detective Rogers and three special constables have been placed under arrest in connection with the shooting.

MERELY A MATTER OF TIME
SAYS CHIEF ON MOIR CAPTURE

Local Police Had Taken Every Precaution To Prevent Moir Getting Away Altogether And Were Certain of His Whereabouts Several Days Ago.

Chief Williams is well satisfied with the capture of Moir, and declares that it justifies the position he assumed from the beginning.

"I said in the beginning that we would get Moir, sooner or later," said Chief Williams to The Advertiser. "I do not believe in hurrying the matter at all. His capture was only a matter of time, and that has proven to be the case.

"As soon as the man had escaped, so much publicity was given his movements and the movements of my men that it was impossible to do much. When the first excitement was over, we were able to get in our work.

Knew He Was There.

"Every day came letters and telegrams telling of Moir. He was seen in many places. We had to sift them out and follow all that looked good. Last week there were no less than a dozen telegrams and thirty or forty letters. Few of them were of any use to us.

"However, I did know that Moir was in the neighborhood where he was captured.

"Three or four days ago, a letter came to me, informing me that Moir was certainly in that neighborhood, and that his arrest would be accomplished within a few days at the outside. I did not make the information public, but I knew it all the time."

"Yesterday I received a telegram from Constable Farrell saying that he had Moir. I called him up on the phone and asked him if he was certain that he had the right man. He told me that there was no doubt about it, I promised to send a man up right away. I did so, and I expect him back with the prisoner before long.

Took Every Precaution.

"We took every precaution to effect the capture of our man. We sent thousands of circulars with a cut of him, and an accurate description of him everywhere.

"There must have been six or seven thousand of these circulars distributed in every part of the country.

"With this fact in mind, there was absolutely no doubt that he would be captured as soon as he moved.

"A man might keep concealed in a house in the country for many weeks, but as soon as he moved he would be captured.

"I am not surprised that Moir was captured without difficulty.

"If he had been come upon the night of the murder, there would have been trouble, and one or two men might have been shot. As soon as he threw away his trifle, there was no doubt that all desire for murder was gone. He would not shoot after that.

"These things take time, but they come out all right in the end."

PTE. W. A. MOIR,
Wolseley Barracks Murderer, Who Was Arrested at Arthur, Ont.

SCOOPING UP THE CINDERS

G. T. R. Removing Them From Egerton Street Crossing.

The Grand Trunk have a gang of men working with a steam shovel removing the cinders from Egerton street crossing.

Some time ago the Grand Trunk was ordered by the city to remove the cinders.

The city officials were about to appropriate the cinders for street purposes, but they were a little too late.

NEW DRAIN TOPS

Needed Improvement Made by Street Railway Company.

Manager King, of the street railway has had a new drain top constructed, which will be used along the street railway tracks.

The top fits under the side of the rail, and is made the same height as the rail.

THE WEATHER.

TOMOROW—SHOWERS.

Local Temperatures.

Toronto, May 11—8 a.m.

Today—Fresh to strong southwesterly to southeasterly winds; fine and warm today.

Tuesday—Showers and local thunderstorms.

The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the local observatory for the 24 hours ended at 8 p.m. Saturday were: Highest, 57°; lowest, 38° above zero. Sunday: Highest, 64°; lowest, 35° above zero.

TEMPERATURES.

Stations.	8 a.m.	Min.	Weather.
Calgary	44	42	Fair
Winnipeg	54	50	Cloudy
Port Arthur	48	40	Cloudy
Parry Sound	48	38	Clear
Toronto	62	44	Clear
Ottawa	52	46	Fair
Montreal	54	46	Fair
Quebec	48	38	Clear
Father Point	42	38	Cloudy

The first column in the above table records the temperature at 8 o'clock this morning, and the second column records the minimum temperatures during the 24 hours previous.

WEATHER NOTES.

The pressure is comparatively high in the Atlantic States. Elsewhere over the continent it is for the most part below the average.

Fine weather prevails in Canada, except in British Columbia and the Western Provinces, where it is showery.

YESTERDAY'S TEMPERATURES.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, 34—52; Atlin, 30—46; Vancouver, Edmonton, 48—62; Calgary, 40—60; Regina, 52—72; Winnipeg, 46—82; Port Arthur, 40—82; Parry Sound, 3—454; Toronto, 36—62; Montreal, 42—64; Quebec, 34—54; Halifax, 38—60.

MOIR IS CAPTURED

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dently knew who he was, and didn't offer to assist the murderer.

The soldier continued his struggles, but the mastery was not in his power.

Tried To Pull Pistol.

He made a sudden dash for his pocket, but the ever-watchful officers intercepted it, and after some minutes' fight, the handcuffs were placed on the wrists of the slayer of Lloyd.

Moir was a pitiful object after his struggle.

When he saw that he was captured, he raged like a wild beast.

His ungovernable temper was manifest during the terrible struggle, and he did not cease to fight until it was impossible for him to make a move.

He kicked and bit and tried every possible means of getting his hands free, but to no purpose.

Was Fully Armed.

As soon as the officers made sure that he was securely handcuffed they searched him.

Around his waist was one of the revolvers he took with him when he left the barracks.

Five out of the six chambers were loaded, and the trigger was on the empty cell.

Moir had made many ineffectual attempts to get the revolver, but the vigilance of the officers alone prevented another tragedy.

The prisoner was placed in a buggy. His belongings were gathered up by the officers, and they started for Arthur.

In an hour or so, the party reached that place, and Moir was locked in a cell to await the coming of the London officers to take him to London to face his trial for the worst of human crimes.

Constable Farrell's Story.

Constable Farrell, of Arthur, freely discusses the capture, and is quite elated over the successful ending of the exploit.

"I have been on the lookout for Moir ever since I was informed of the murder," he said. "When I heard that he was heading Stratford way, I thought that perhaps he might come in this direction, so I kept a lookout for him.

"I did not hear anything definite for some time, although there were many rumors.

"About a week ago, I heard that a man answering Moir's description was working somewhere in the vicinity.

"I did not put much faith in this vague rumor, as there had been so many of them.

A Clue.

"Saturday morning, however, a farmer came to me and said that a man answering the description of Moir had been seen by him along the road in Nichol Township.

"The farmer made inquiries and found that the man was working for a farmer named Robb, whose farm is three miles from Fergus on the gravel road.

"This information looked most reasonable to me, and I ordered my horse hitched right away.

"I sent for Stephen Coughlin, another constable, and we started.

"Coughlin is a good man, and I knew him to be a splendid man in case of a fight. He has been tried and was game.

Reached the Farm.

"Well, we started out, and after many inquiries, we reached the Robb farm about 5:30, I should judge. The barn was situated some distance back, and so we drove right up to it."

"I tied the horse up, and went into the barn through the cow stable.

"There was no person in sight. But there was a wagon drawn up, and I knew that there must be some person near at hand."

"In a minute voices came from the other end of the barn, and we listened.

Murderer Approaches.

"I made a sign of silence to Coughlin.

"We then went to the place where we heard the voices.

"When we arrived there we saw two men.

"One was unharnessing one of the horses and the other stood behind the other animal.

"As soon as I looked I knew that the man who was taking the harness off the horse was Moir, the London murderer.

"I gave him but a casual glance, as I did not want to make him suspicious.

"At the same time I kept my hand on my revolver, as I was not anxious to take any chances with a man of the calfber of Moir.

"I had it so arranged that I could shoot through my coat-pocket in case he made a move.

"I would have shot him down had he made a move to pull a gun.

"I did not want to kill the man, but I wanted to prevent him killing me.

Talked Horse.

"So we made it appear that we were two horse-dealers.

"'You have some pretty good horses there,' I said to David Robb. 'Would you like to sell the team?'

"Robb said that he would sell the team.

"I looked the team over for a few seconds, keeping an eye on the man Moir all the time. He had moved out from the horse a little, but seemed entirely unsuspicious.

"'Would you sell this team?' I asked Robb.

"'Yes, I would sell them if I got enough money,' Robb answered.

"Coughlin and I had not lost any time, as we had moved quite close to Moir.

"Coughlin just appeared to be a man with me, and Moir paid no attention to him.

The Fight.

"When both of us got right behind Moir I gave Coughlin the sign and we jumped him in a moment.

"I grabbed his right arm and Coughlin seized his left. We threw him on the ground, and then the fight began.

"Moir fought and struggled. He fairly screamed with rage.

"Moir is only a slightly-built fellow, but he fought us hard.

"The first thing he did when we seized him was to make a dive for his belt.

"We were ready for that move and stopped it.

Fought Like a Tiger.

"Then he commenced his fight. He bit and scratched, and clawed and kicked. He squirmed like a snake, and did everything he could think of to break our hold.

"I never saw a man put up a more wicked fight. One man would have had an awful time trying to hold him.

"He called for David Robb to assist him, but Robb refused to aid him.

"'Help me, Dave! Give a man a chance!' he shouted.

"His fearful temper was shown then, as it had not been before.

"Had he been able to get a revolver there would have been another story to tell.

Fought All Over the Floor.

"We fought and struggled all over the stable floor. Finally we got the handcuffs on him.

"We could have laid him out, had we so desired, but we did not want to do that. We knew that we could hold him, so we let him struggle until he was exhausted. Then we had him all right.

"When we stood him up he was in bad shape. His eyes fairly gleamed with hate, like a beast at bay. His temper was absolutely fiendish.

Gave Up at Last.

"When the handcuffs were on him, he quieted down. He seemed to know that it was all up with him, and he made no further trouble.

"We searched him and found a 32-caliber revolver on him. Five chambers were loaded. The trigger was on the empty one. He was evidently trying to get the gun when he made a grab, but we were not taking any chances on that.

"Moir cursed himself for being such a fool to be captured so easily. That seemed to bother him a great deal.

Talked With Officers.

"We put him in the buggy and drove him to Arthur. He talked with us on the way in, but I am not at liberty to tell what he said.

"We reached home about 7:30 and had Moir placed in the cells.

"He was quiet and made no further trouble. We watch him all the time, so that he cannot get away.

Admitted His Identity.

"There is absolutely no doubt that the man is Moir. He told us he was, in fact. The description tallies in every particular with the description of the murderer sent out by the London chief of police.

"Moir told me that he did not know that he had killed Lloyd until he read an account of the murder in Stratford on Monday morning.

"I did not find out much from the Robbs regarding the man."

Constable Farrell acknowledged that he would apply for the $500 reward offered by the Government.

He did not know there was a reward for the man's arrest until informed of it Saturday night, after his return with the prisoner.

Shortly after the capture had been effected, Chief Randall, of Guelph, Chief Blacklock, of Elora, an officer from Guelph, and Farmer Chas. Robb arrived at the Robb homestead.

Blacklock as soon as he had been told by Mr. Robb that a man answering Moir's description was working on his farm, phoned Chief Randall, who immediately set out for the farm.

They were prepared to capture the man.

Constable's Story.

"Last evening Mr. Robb came to me and said that he thought Moir was working on his farm," Mr. Blacklock said. "I tried to get someone to go out with me, but I could not. Then I phoned Chief Randall, of Guelph, and he came out. We went out to the farm but the man had been caught before we got there.

"Mr. Robb told me the circumstances. He said that nearly three weeks ago this man had come to his place looking for work. Mr. Robb needed a man, and after considerable dickering engaged him for $20 a month. He had heard of the murder, but had no description of Moir.

"The other day the man was troubled with the toothache. Mr. Robb advised him to go to Dr. Wallace at Alma, and have it fixed. Moir went.

Moir Had Toothache.

"In a couple of days Mr. Robb had occasion to go to Alma, and he had a chat with Dr. Wallace. The dentist remarked that the man whose tooth he had attended to was none other than Moir, the London murderer. Robb was given a description of Moir, and agreed that it was he who was working for him. The hired man had a deformed ear, and all the other marks of the missing Moir. Robb agreed to inform the police regarding his suspicions. He was afraid to arouse Moir's suspicions, as the Robb family knew that Moir was armed, and did not care to take any chances.

"One of the Elora papers printed a description of Moir, but it had been cut out, presumably by Moir, who was not anxious that any description that might lead to his capture should be found lying around the house.

Will Bring Him Back.

This morning Detective Nickle left for Arthur to bring the man back. It is not known when he will return.

Chief Williams is highly pleased with the result of the capture. He has been confident all along that the capture of Moir was only a matter of time, and that before long the slayer of Color-Sergt. Lloyd would be brought to justice.

"The London police have been working quietly ever since this man got away," said Chief Williams. "We have not told everything that has been going on, but we have by no means been sleeping. I have had several officers out since we were supposed to have given up the chase. We were of the opinion that we had Moir within a certain district. We then had a close watch kept. As soon as the man moved we were confident that we would get him. It shows that we had the man located right, and that our method of doing business was not altogether bad. These things all take time. People get in a hurry, but it is never wise to hurry. We have got our man at last."

The Robb Farm.

The Robb farm, where Moir was captured, is four miles directly north of Elora. The farm is run by two brothers, Charles and James Robb. David Robb, who was present at the capture, lives on an adjoining farm.

James Robb was interviewed about Moir, and freely told his story.

"On the night of April 22 I was in Elora at a concert," said James Robb. "About 11 o'clock I returned, and found that a man had come to our house looking for work. My sister told me that he had come about sundown and asked for a night's lodging and something to eat.

"When he had his supper he asked if we wanted a man to work for us. I told him we did, and he applied for the job. I asked him if he had had any experience, and he said that he had about four years' experience.

"In the lamplight he looked to be fairly well dressed and a very respectable sort of chap. I asked him what he wanted a month, and he said $25. We thought this was too much, but we compromised on $20 a month. He started to work for us."

Clothes in Bad Shape.

"In the morning he did not look so well. His clothes were in bad shape. He wore a cap much too small for him, an overcoat, a sweater, khaki trousers and tan shoes. The trousers were very dirty, and it looked as if the man had slept out all night.

"However, we did not suspect anything. We take a Toronto paper, and although it contained an account of the murder, it did not give a description of the man wanted.

Not Suspicious.

"At first, of course, we did not suspect the man. About four days after we found that part of the Elora paper had been cut out. On investigation we found that the missing part contained a description of the murderer. We thought this rather peculiar.

"A day or so after we sent Moir to the sawmill at Alma. He did not wear his own cap, but too kanother cap from the house. We could not understand that at all. However, we were very busy about the farm with the seeding and that sort of thing, so we did not have much time to investigate.

Toothache His Undoing.

"A week ago Saturday Moir complained of a toothache, and I told him to go to Dr. Wallace at Alma. He went that afternoon and had the tooth filled.

"We again noticed that he did not wear his own cap, but another one, that came down quite far over his ears. We did not ask any questions for fear that his suspicions would be aroused.

"I thought I would see Dr. Wallace and talk the matter over with him, as I thought he would probably know something about the case. I went in to see him Monday and talked it over with him.

"Just as soon as he saw me, he said:

"'Jim, you have the man working for you.'

"I agreed with him. Dr. Wallace stated that he was certain it was Moir when he filled his tooth. He noticed the fact that it was the right ear that was mutilated. I was under the impression that it was Moir's left ear that was disfigured. In spite of this apparent discrepancy we were certain this was teh man.

Moir Didn't Know.

"Moir had no idea that we suspected him. We talked of the crime with him. He used to answer our questions briefly, and did not seem to suspect that we knew anything.

"I had another chat with Dr. Wallace and he told us to go slowly, because if Moir became suspicious at all he would either make more trouble or get out.

"However, the neighbors began to talk considerably about the case. Moir did not go out much, and as a result did not hear what was going on.

Told the Police.

"So on Saturday my brother informed the chief of police at Elora, but the Arthur men had made the capture.

"It seems that Constable Farrell had heard of the rumors afloat and investigated.

"It was something after 5 o'clock when Farrell and Coughlin came along. They told me their business, and I told them they would find Moir over in the barn with my brother Dave. I warned them to be careful, as I considered him a bad man and I knew he was armed.

"I told all I knew about the man, and they were convinced beyond all question that it was Moir.

"I did not go with them, as it might excite suspicion. I came up when they had him on the floor in the barn.

"Moir's eyes snapped like fire when he was captured. But he was completely whipped. All the fight had been taken out of him. His spirit was completely broken.

"The officers did not treat the man roughly. The could have laid him out had they desired. They got a grip on him, and let him wear himself out. Moir tried to get his revolver, but the officers prevented that. He asked my brother Dave to help him, but Dave would not do that. He was too anxious to get rid of him."

Moir's Actions.

"Moir was not a bad sort of fellow. He was not very genial, but he did not interfere with any person. He minded his own business very well. He was not fresh or anything like that. Of course we had been suspicious of him for some time, and we watched his every action, and perhaps we did not judge the fellow fairly. We did not get familiar with him. It is not very pleasant to have a murderer in your house.

"We did not know that Moir was armed until over a week after he came. One day we were working in the granary. He was stooping over and he grabbed at his belt. We were suspicious at the time that the revolver was slipping out, and that he had adjusted it.

"The women were not afraid of him. I am glad it is all over."

At Hitchin County Court a disagreement arose as to the distance between two water cranes in Hitchin station. Judge Snagge decided the point by stating that while he was at the station when the case was adjourned, he stepped the distance, and found it was 120 yards, which a railway official said was correct.

It was announced that the mayor of Bacup had presented the town with a site worth £2,000 for a new post-office, the gift being equal to a six-penny rate. He has already given a recreation ground costing £5,000.

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DUNDEE ELECTS MR. CHURCHILL

Brilliant Young Cabinet Minister Captures By-Election After Warm Contest.

Dundee, May 9.—After a short, sharp contest Dundee today proved steadfast to the Liberal faith, which it has held unshaken for a quarter of a century, returning Winston Spencer Churchill, president of the board of trade, to the House of Commons at the head of the poll.

Although the Unionists did not expect to oust Mr. Churchill from that generally regarded safe seat, their most sanguine prediction being that Sir George Baxter, their candidate, had "a good sporting chance," still they have the satisfaction of rising from fourth to second place in the poll as compared with 1906, and of reducing the Liberal majority from 5,411 to 2,709.

The vote today stood: Winston Spencer Churchill (Liberal), 7,079; Sir Geo. Baxter (Unionist), 4,370; Mr. Stuart (Laborite), 4,014; Mr. Scrymgeour (Prohibitionist), 655.

Tariff the Issue.

Dundee is one of the chief sufferers from prevailing bad trade, and the Tariff Reformers and Laborites made the most of it. The former paraded with placards, declaring that the jute workers had lost their employment through the American tariff, and that this was the opportunity for them. The local jute works closed today, and this afforded an excellent argument and one which the tariff reformers were not slow to take advantage of. The advocates of protection and the laborites made capital out of the shipbuilding dispute, in connection with which there are 1,400 unemployed in Dundee.

The fact that Mr. Churchill was not so successful as his predecessor in the board of trade in effecting a settlement of the great industrial crisis was regarded as most hopeful by the Laborites for their cause.

Goaded by Suffragettes.

Mr. Churchill also suffered much from the suffragettes who had frequently broken up open air meetings by the clanging of railway and dinner bells and goaded him on Friday evening to appeal to an assemblage of workmen not to tolerate the rowdyism of toughs but to meet force by force.

On the other hand, the budget announcement of the remission of the duty on sugar undoubtedly was in Mr. Churchill's favor, as Dundee is the center of the jam industry.

BABY JOINS THE ARMY.

Madrid, May 11.—Prince Alfonso of the Asturias, the infant son of King Alfonso, who was born May 10, 1907, was enrolled in the Spanish army at the royal chapel yesterday. The little prince was attired in the uniform of a private of "The King's Own Regiment," and was carried by the queen to the altar, where the military oath was administered.

The income tax during the past year, in spite of a drop of 36 cents per $5,000 on earned income, has increased by fully two-thirds of a million pounds.

In London the other night Messrs. Plumridge realized $340 for an 1881 8-cent blue postage stamp of Cape of Good Hope, being the rarity with the error "One penny."

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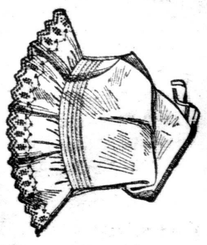
Full Cut Garments—Don't be misled if you see a garment advertised at a very low price. Examine it, measure it. Many sales are made up of garments "made to sell," so pinchingly tight and skimped in every way that many are really only regular goods at regular prices. EXAMINE THE GOODS. KNOW YOUR STORE. We are proud of the excellence of our garments, proud of the values—best we have had in years. In many cases better than we ever had. Depend upon it. THEY'RE THE BEST.

Ladies' White Underskirt, $2.48

This style is represented by above cut. Lace trimmed, made of good cotton, with extra deep flounce of lawn, set with four rows of Torchon insertion and cluster tucks, finished with frill of lace and insertion, over dust-frill of self. Each $2.48

Another style at same price. Made of fine cotton, with extra deep umbrella flounce; cluster of seven tucks and wide embroidery insertion, finished with wide frill of embroidery, gathered band and dust ruffle of self. Lengths, 38, 40, 42 and 44 inches, and specially priced at, each $2.48

Ladies' Drawers, Special, 88c



These are made of special quality, fine cotton, and are extra good width, with frill of embroidery and cluster of hemstitched tucks above frill, gathered band, sizes, 23, 25 and 27; open and closed. Special, 88¢ pair. As represented by accompanying cut.

SPECIAL, 88¢ PAIR.

Special Cotton Gowns, $1.35

Made of good quality cotton, with Mother Hubbard yoke of embroidery insertion, beading and ribbon, with frill of embroidery around yoke, square neck, finished with edging of embroidery; sleeve also has frill of embroidery. Special, $1.35 each.

Marguerite Gown, 98c

This gown is made of fine cambric, with yoke of alternate rows of insertion, fastened with beading and ribbon and lace, short sleeves, with frill of goods and lace. A very dainty gown; extra full. Special, each ..... 98¢

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Murdered a Score of Children Awful Record of French Ogress

Nancy, France, May 9—Janne Weber narrowly escaped lynching here today at the hands of an infuriated mob, after it had been learned that she had strangled a 7-year-old boy to death.

Several months ago the Weber woman was arrested in Paris charged with the murder of over a score of children.

Doctors who examined her expressed the belief that she was a victim of infanticidal mania, but no proof to secure a conviction could be found, and she was allowed to go. The woman arrived here Wednesday, and under an assumed name secured lodgings in the home of a workingman. This morning she was found asleep with the dead body of a boy by her side. The child had been strangled. He was covered with blood, and his tongue had been cut out. When an identity of the murderess had been made an immense crowd gathered outside the house shouting, "Let us get at the tigress," and tried to lynch her.

The police arrested the woman, but they were forced to fight their way to jail with their prisoner.

Britain To Punish the Mohmands

Simla, British India, May 10.—After a long delay the Ameer of Afghanistan has replied to the Indian Government's remonstrance against the invasion of British territory by the Afghans. The Ameer explains the difficulties of controlling the frontier and states that he has issued stringent orders recalling those who have crossed the border, and instructing the officials to prevent further incursions.

Advices from Peshawar yesterday stated that while the Mohmand tribesmen were still giving the British authorities much trouble, most of the Afghans had withdrawn. Major-General Sir James Willcocks, with two brigades of British and Indian forces, has been ordered to proceed with punitive measures and will take the field immediately against the Mohmands.

ARMY OF CURIOUS FLOCK TO LAPORTE

Thousands Visit Scene of the Alleged Murders of Mrs. Guinness.

Laporte, May 10.—All roads in Laporte County today led to the farm of Mrs. Belle Guinness, alleged murderess of at least ten persons. Upwards of 15,000 sightseers visited the place today, including nearly every able-bodied citizen of Laporte. The railroads and trolley lines brought about 8,000 non-residents to the city.

Hotels and restaurants were overrun with patrons, and every conveyance in Laporte was pressed into service in an attempt to provide transportation to the farm. Hundreds, however, were forced to walk.

Excavations for more bodies halted today. Several visitors, however, were seeking information concerning missing friends or relatives, and some of the further information regarding the possible identification of the victims of the farm resulted from their inquiries.

The most definite information came from Olaf Lind Bee, of Chicago. He said that his brother Thomas worked for Mrs. Guinness three years ago and that the last letter from him said that Thomas intended to marry Guinness. Olaf wrote to Mrs. Guinness later and she replied that Thomas had gone to St. Louis and that she had no word from him. Olaf has not heard of Thomas since. He viewed the unidentified bodies, but was unable to find any likeness to his brother in the bundles of bones and flesh. Sheriff Smultzer will continue his investigations at the Guinness farm tomorrow.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

May 8.	Reported at.	From.
Prinzess Irene	New York	Naples
Arabic	Queenstown	New York
Caledonian	Liverpool	Boston
Romanic	Naples	Boston
Empress of Britain	Quebec	Liverpool
Mauretania	New York	Liverpool
Kastalia	Father Point	Rotterdam
Southwark	Liverpool	Portland
Tunisian	Father Point	Liverpool
Sardianlan	Quebec	London

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RIPE TOMATOES, per pound 20c

CUCUMBERS, each 10c

Lettuce, Rhubarb, Parsley, Green Onions, Radish, Spinach, Turnips, Carrots, Etc.

Canned Corn, Peas, Beans, Pumpkins..... 3 tins for 25c

Splendid value in CALIFORNIA SEEDLESS ORANGES, per dozen 35c

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Births, Marriages and Deaths.

DEATHS.

COCHRANE—In this city, on Monday, May 11, 1908, John Cochrane, in his 47th year.

Funeral notice later. 50u

ASHTON—In this city, on Saturday, May 9, 1908, Elizabeth A. Ashton, beloved wife of Charles J. Ashton, aged 74 years and 6 months.

Funeral Tuesday, May 12, from the family residence, No. 12 Cartwright street, at 3 o'clock; service at 2:30. Interment at Mount Pleasant.

BIRTHS.

BUTLER—On Thursday, May 7, 1908, to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Butler, a son.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES

Grand WEDNESDAY
RALPH STUART in **STRONGHEART**
Seats today: 25, 35, 50, 75, $1, $1 50

LONDON MINERAL BATHS

HOT AND COLD WATER.

Open daily, 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday's 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Sundays, 7:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

FOOT OF DUNDAS ST. PHONE 2198. tzx

C. P. R.

Empress of Britain sails Montreal and Quebec to Liverpool, May 15. Special Empress train connects. Call on F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Bank of Commerce, for rates by the Empresses and one class cabin ships. 1

ARMORIES

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SEVENTH REGIMENT BAND,

Under leadership of Bandmaster Slatter, assisted by

MISS ELSIE GREEN.
MR. GORDON HUNT.

Tuesday Eve., May 12
ADMISSION, 10c and 25c. 49c

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When traveling use travelers' checks, the safest and most convenient form in which to carry money. Absolute security. Good for face value everywhere in America, Great Britain and Europe. Get particulars at DE LA HOOKE'S steamship agency, "Clock" Corner.

$40 00—ST. ANNE DE BEAUPRE AND return, from Port Stanley, by boat, includes all expenses. Montreal and return by boat. Special rates, May and June. F. B. Clarke, agent Merchants' Line, Richmond street, next Bank of Commerce. Ring up phone 658. 4

HAMILTON TO MONTREAL, VIA TORONTO—Steamer Dundurn. Thousand Islands route. First-class cuisine. Two-berth rooms. Berths reserved. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Bank of Commerce. 3

CLOSING HOP OF THE SEASON—Palace Dancing Academy, Friday evening, May 15. Dancing, 9 o'clock. Strictly by invitation. Dayton & McCormick.

KNOX CHURCH, SOUTH LONDON—The Men's Club will present a dramatic entertainment in the lecture room on Tuesday, the 12th inst., at 8 p.m. Tickets, 15 cents each, or two for 25 cents. 49u

A LECTURE BY REV. JAMES LIVINGSTONE, on "The Human Voice," will be given in the First Congregational Church, Tuesday evening, May 12. Admission, silver collection, 10 cents and up. 49u

TONY CORTESE—ORIGINAL LONDON Harpers. Music furnished for all occasions. 161 Maple. Phone 1570.

LEARN TO DANCE—PRIVATE LESSONS by R. B. Millard, 345 Princess avenue. Season open. Call and register. 39tf

$2 60, LONDON TO DETROIT AND RETURN, every Saturday and Sunday. Low rate daily, Detroit, Cleveland and Buffalo. Special excursions, week-end. White Star Line boats. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Bank of Commerce. 2

MUSIC FURNISHED FOR PARTIES, balls, banquets. Phone 1265. Tony Vita's Italian Harpers, 122 Queen's avenue.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

STENOGRAPHER WANTED — ONE with some knowledge of bookkeeping; salary, $5 per week. Box 95, Advertiser. 50c

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GIRL FOR general housework. Apply 506 Maitland street. 50c

WANTED—GOOD COOK AND HOUSEMAID. Apply Mrs. Cooney's Intelligence Office, 197 Queen's avenue. 50c

WANTED — GOOD COOK; REFERENCES required. Apply in evening, to Mrs. George P. Brown, 661 Talbot street. 50c

WANTED—EXPERIENCED OVERALL maker; hours, from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Apply W. A. Butler, Sainsbury & Co., wholesale and retail clothiers, 101 King street. 49c

I HAVE OPENED AN INTELLIGENCE office at 197 Queen's avenue. Phone 2659. Positions wanted for five girls for general housework. Mrs. Cooney. 49n

WANTED—A GOOD HOUSEMAID. APPLY Mrs. C. B. Hunt, Wortley road. 48c

WANTED—GIRL OR WOMAN TO DO housework; two miles and half from city. Apply Box 86, Advertiser. 48c

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED LAUNDRESS. Apply Miss Labatt, 572 Queen's avenue. 44tf

SITUATIONS WANTED.

WORK WANTED AS AUDITOR, BOOKKEEPER, office manager; any office or book work done promptly by expert man. Address Box 83, Advertiser. 45h

SIGNS.

SIGNS OF ALL KINDS—MODERATE prices. "The Signry," 272 Dundas street. Phone 1348.

MALE HELP WANTED.

FOR AN UP TO SNUFF REPAIR JOB, try the Famous Shoe Repair. Phone 2375. Roedding Company, 304 Dundas. zxv

BECOME A TELEGRAPHER WITH US, and we will secure you a good position immediately upon graduation. Send for particulars. Dominion School of Telegraphy, 9 Adelaide east, Toronto. 72tf-z

GENTLEMAN LEAVING FOR ENGLAND shortly could take up good agency, traveling for Canadian firm; Full particulars, Box 91, Advertiser. 49c

PARTNER WANTED IN OLD-ESTABLISHED coal and wood business. Address Box 53, Advertiser. 38bu

CANVASSERS, WITH HORSE AND rig; weekly salary paid. 355 Clarence street.

SALESMEN WANTED FOR "AUTO-SPRAY"—Best hand sprayer made. Compressed air, automatic. Liberal terms. Cavers Bros., Galt. 2tf

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST, SUNDAY MORNING — GOLD brooch; birds, pearl drops. Reward at this office. 50c

LOST—SINGLE DIAMOND RING, LEFT in washroom at Columbia Hotel. Reward at this office. 50c

LOST, SUNDAY AFTERNOON, BETWEEN Thamesford and London, on Dundas—An Irish wolfhound, about 30 inches high. Reward on returning to 602 Queen's avenue. 50tf

LOST, FRIDAY AFTERNOON, ON Dundas street or Lyric Theater—Bracelet, initials "M. D." Finder rewarded at this office. 49c

MEETINGS.

West Middlesex

LIBERAL CONVENTION

A convention of the Liberals of West Middlesex as constituted for Legislative Assembly purposes will be held in the

Town Hall, Mt. Brydges, Thursday, May 14, at 11 o'Clock a. m.

For the purpose of selecting a candidate to represent them in the coming election for the Legislative Assembly and for such other business as may be considered necessary. Meetings to appoint delegates will be held for various municipalities as follows:

Lobo, Tuesday, May 12, at 8 p.m., at the town hall, Coldstream.

Caradoc, Wednesday, May 13, at 3 p. m. at the town hall, Mount Brydges.

Ekfrid, Tuesday, May 12, at 2 p.m., at the town hall, Appin.

Mosa, Tuesday, May 12, at 5 p.m., at the town hall, Glencoe.

Delaware, Tuesday, May 12, at 8 p. m., S. S. No. 4, Delaware, Howlett S. House.

Glencoe, Tuesday, May 12, at 8 p.m., at the town hall, Glencoe,

Newbury, Tuesday, May 12, at 8 p. m., at the town hall, Newbury.

Wardsville, Tuesday, May 12, at 8 p.m., at the town hall, Wardsville.

Each polling subdivision will be entitled to one delegate for every fifty or fraction of fifty Legislative Assembly voters on the last revised voters' list.

W. D. MOSS, secretary-Treasurer.
GEORGE INNES, President.

REGULAR COMMUNICATION OF Union Lodge, No. 380, A., F. and A. M., this (Monday) evening, at 7:30 o'clock, at Masonic Temple. Visitors welcome. James Dean, W. M.; J. Ward, secretary. P

LAUREL CAMP, NO. 25, W. O. W. meets every second and fourth Monday, in Sherwood Hall, 8 p.m. Visitors welcome. P

HOUSES, ROOMS, TO LET.

TWO SHOPS IN MARKET LANE—excellent fruit or produce stands; immediate possession. Apply to J. C. Coote, Market Lane. 50c-zxt

TO LET—SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE ON Hamilton road; gas, hard and soft water; $10 a month. Colby & Co., 117 Masonic Temple. 50tf

TO LET—LARGE FURNISHED ROOMS, clean, bright, with grate; modern. Apply 185 Central avenue, near Richmond. 50c-zxt

FOR RENT—TEN ACRES, FRAME house and barn; two blocks from city limits, on the car line. Apply to Anderson & Co. 49tf

STORE WITH DWELLING, CORNER of Horton and Wellington. Apply James Donnelly, 308 Cromwell street, or phone 1799. 49c

FRONT ROOM—LADIES ONLY. APPLY 732 Dundas street. 49c

TO RENT—BRICK COTTAGE ON NELSON street, in good repair; immediate possession. Apply A. Keenleyside, 385 William street. 49c

TO LET—HOUSE, CORNER KING AND Burwell, 9 rooms, modern conveniences. Apply J. H. Moran, 350 Talbot street. 49c

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ONE-HALF OF STORE, 17x60, DUNDAS street; lease has three years to run. Box No. 88, Advertiser. 48c

FOREST CITY UNION MOVING VANS—Largest improved vans in city. Furniture and pianos carefully moved. W. A. Broughton (successor to John Biggs). Storage, 97 Carling street. Phones 1162; residence, 1444.

HOUSE TO LET—NO. 317 CENTRAL avenue; two-story brick, 8 rooms, all modern. Apply 125 Mill street. 48c

TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE, MODERN, centrally located; also furnished rooms. Apply 443 Ridout street. 48n

TO LET — NEW COTTAGE, SEVEN rooms, with garden, fine cellar; $10; West London. Phone 2531. 48c

TO LET—BEST LOCATION IN CITY for boarding house; 14 rooms, all modern conveniences. Ferguson & Co., 435½ Richmond street. Phone 2531. 48c

ROOMS FOR OFFICES, SAMPLE rooms or light housekeeping. Apply George Rowntree, 60 Stanley street. 46n-xvtzwt

SIX-ROOMED HOUSE TO LET, NO. 13 Chester street; good garden. Apply next door. 45n

TO LET—INSIDE HALF OF TWO-STORY brick house, corner King and Colborne; thoroughly modern; new furnace; newly papered entirely and painted. Apply 409 King street. 26tf

TO LET—LARGE STORE ON DUNDAS street, opposite City Hotel, formerly occupied by London Drug. Apply E. A. Mitchell. 41un

ALEX. HENDERSON'S MOVING VAN, largest in city. Corner Colborne and Cheapside. Phone 1724.

TO LET—TWO-STORY BRICK, NO. 422 York street; vacant May 1; modern conveniences. Apply John Purdom, 429 King street. 26tf

SURVEYORS.

F. W. FARNCOMB, CIVIL ENGINEER and surveyor, Bank Toronto Chambers, Richmond street.

ARTICLES FOR SALE.

TWO SETS SINGLE HARNESS, TOP buggy and Broadway buggy, cheap. 745 Waterloo street. 50c

STRONG AGED MARE FOR SALE, cheap. Apply 550 Hamilton road. 50c

FRAME BARN FOR SALE, SIZE 16x22, corner of Grey and Adelaide streets. Apply 560 Bathurst street. 50c

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BILLIARD, POOL AND BAGATELLE tables for sale—Snap, James T. Gleeson, 631 Dundas. Phone 2223.

FOR SALE — WALNUT WHATNOT, swing mirror, leaf table, sewing machine, brass kettle, bracket door. Box 90, Advertiser. 49c

FIVE GOOD SECOND-HAND MOTORS for sale. Apply Empire Manufacturing Company, Limited, East London. 48n

FOR SALE—FORTY FEET OF GOOD shelving, suitable for grocer, drygoods. Apply Box 85, Advertiser. 48c

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WORTLEY RD. & BRUCE ST. Phone 1397 zx

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EARLY SEED POTATOES, ONTARIO Beauty and Governor Lafollette. George Leith, 776 Dundas street. 40g-xvz

GREEN & CO., 495 YORK STREET sell the best Lopez chestnut hard coal at $6 per ton; good dry mixed wood, $1 75 per load. Phone 1391.

GOOD HARD WOOD, $2 PER LOAD. Dominion Coal and Wood Company, Maitland street. Phone 1788.

WINDLASS EXTENSION LADDER for painters and builders. McMurtry's Hardware and Stoves, 111 Dundas.

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GOOD DRY WOOD, $2 PER LOAD; slabs, $1 80. Forest City Bent Goods Company, 585 Bathurst. Phone 700.

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FOUR DESPERADOES TAKEN PRISONERS

Exciting Chase After a Robber Gang—Detectives Used a Handcar.

Windsor, May 10.—Provincial Detectives Campeau and Mahoney are jubilant today over the capture of four desperadoes who are confidently believed to be the perpetrators of recent robberies in Kent and Essex.

The quartet who were overtaken at Stoney Point today were seen at Comber last night, having aroused suspicion by trying to dispose of some cutlery.

Detectives Mahoney and Campeau, who were notified, left here at once, but before they reached Comber the gang had escaped.

A party of farmers, well armed, followed them, and the men wanted were located at Stoney Point. Pickets were stationed around the village, forming a cordon through which it was impossible to escape.

Before daybreak the quartet emerged from a box car, and the alarm was given. Detectives Campeau and Mahoney, riding a handcar and each armed with a shotgun, started in pursuit down the railway track.

Campeau and Mahoney were successful in arresting all four of the alleged robbers, who were brought to this city. They gave their names as John Wilson, age 24; R. Little, 26; C. Ryan, 23; J. Ryan, 38. They claimed to live in Detroit, and said they were trying to work their way to Buffalo.

MR. JOHN GILLSON,
Liberal Candidate in East Middlesex for the Legislature.

TORONTO TRAGEDY COST FOUR LIVES

Boiler Explosion on Board the R. and O. Company's Steamer Brockville.

Toronto, May 9.—Four men lost their lives this afternoon by the explosion of a boiler on board the Richelieu and Ontario Company's steamer Brockville, at the dock of the Canadian Shipbuilding Company, while another man was dangerously scalded, but may possibly recover.

The disaster occurred when a six-inch circulation pipe collapsed under a light head of steam, although it had stood a much more severe test at the hands of the Government inspectors. The tube spread at the forward end of the boiler. This allowed the steam to burst into a closed forward compartment, where, the doors being closed, it was forced back, and came out through the firehole into the pit, where the five men were at work.

Two of the men, who seem to have stood directly before the blast, were instantly killed by inhaling steam. The chief and an oiler, who were a little to the side, escaped instant death, but were frightfully scalded, the skin peeling from their hands and faces. They dropped unconscious.

Charboneau, the second engineer, who was working at the side of the engine, was severely scalded, but managed to escape through an exit, through which clouds of steam were pouring.

As the engine crew were known to be below, every effort was made to reach them by those above; but they could not descend until the force of the escaping steam had abated.

Two of the men below were found unconscious, but still alive. They were hurried to Grace Hospital in the police ambulance, but were so severely scalded that they died shortly before 8 o'clock.

Second Engineer Charboneau was also sent to the hospital.

The two dead were found lying on their faces. They were sent to the morgue.

The Brockville was being repaired, and was to have left here for Kingston on the 26th inst. She plies between Prescott and Kingston.

TENDERS

Sealed tenders will be received at the office of the City Treasurer up to 12 o'clock noon, on Friday, 15th May, instant, for the purchase and removal of the two-story brick-veneer house, 345 South street, to be removed off the premises on or before Saturday, 30th inst.

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DEFENDING THE GERRYMANDER

The London Free Press has the temerity to offer a defense of the most outrageous feature of Whitney's redistribution bill—the gerrymander of Middlesex. The Tory organ argues that the Government might have made matters worse for its opponents, and therefore deserves credit for its moderation. Thus:

"The division of Middlesex County, for instance, might have been arranged so as to almost perfectly balance the constituencies in point of population and to have improved upon the geographical outlay. The result would have been to give to the Conservatives an advantage in two of the three ridings, and because of this the Government did not make any change in East Middlesex. Has this satisfied the Liberal partisan press or speakers? Not at all Instead they actually point to the uneven balance of population."

"An advantage in two of the three ridings," is precisely the effect and intention of the new arrangement. Mr. Hodgin's seat in North Middlesex was supposed to be insecure, but by a shuffling of municipalities which outrages geography, equality of population, and every principle of an honest redistribution, he gains 200 Conservative votes.

Our contemporary cites the riding of North Grey as a glaring case of political indecency and says a Liberal Government so gerrymandered the country as to give Mr. MacKay a seat. It ascribes to the present Government a virtue in refraining from "righting this wrong."

North Grey was represented by a Conservative, Mr. Boyd, from 1898 to 1902, when it was redeemed by Mr. MacKay. It was not altered to give Mr. MacKay an advantage, as the Free Press asserts. The riding in which Mr. Boyd had 137 majority in 1898 was exactly the same as that in which Mr. MacKay had five majority in 1902, and 271 majority in 1905. Mr. MacKay won it on his merits, without the aid of a seat-stealing device like the Whitney gerrymander.

BRITAIN'S DARING EXPERIMENT.

The British Government has redeemed its promise of old-age pensions—the principal plank in its social reform platform.

The bill introduced by Mr. Asquith provides for a pension of $1 25 per week for every unmarried person, widow, or widower, over seventy years of age, and $1 80 for man and wife. Paupers and persons with an income of at least $2 50 a week are not eligible. The dispatches do not give other details of the measure, but presumably beneficiaries must have lived in the country twenty-one years or more.

It is reported that the Labor party is dissatisfied with the meagreness of the pension. On the other hand a large section of the electorate which probably votes Conservative in any event, looks upon such legislation as dangerous and socialistic.

Mr. Asquith estimates that the initial cost of the scheme, which goes into effect on Jan 1, 1909, will be $30,000,000 per annum. The Government must finance it without a departure from its free trade policy. The tariff reformers argue that to carry out a liberal programme of social reform the basis of taxation must be broadened, and that the only possible solution is the imposition of duties upon a wide range of imports. The ingenuity of the new chancellor of the exchequer, Mr. Lloyd-George, who is described by the London Nation as "the most vivid and original political talent" in the Liberal party, will be put to the test. A Radical of the Radicals he will probably find a method of assessing the cost of the pension scheme upon inordinate accumulations of wealth and property. Taxes upon imports fall with the heaviest weight upon the poorer classes.

The present scheme is only a beginning. If it is satisfactory in operation, doubtless the amount of the pension will be increased. Its opponents say the effect will be pauperizing; that the charity of the state will weaken the incentives to thrift and industry among the working classes. Old-age pensions are frankly based upon the assumption that the body of workers do not receive adequate rewards for their industry, and cannot save sufficient out of their earnings to provide for the time when they can no longer work. The system presupposes also the right of the state to regulate the distribution of wealth by means of the power of taxation. Such legislation is very far removed from the extreme individualism, the doctrine of laissez faire, which dominated British politics during a great part of the last century. Those laboratories of social experiment, New Zealand and Australia, have led the way, but the experience of the plan in an old and populous country, such as Great Britain, will furnish a more useful lesson to other nations, whether for emulation or otherwise.

THE REAL WEAKNESS.

Mr. Whitney and his friends seek to make a point out of the weakness of the Opposition in the late Legislature. They must, of course, have reference to its numerical inferiority, as man for man the little band at the back of Mr. McKay was at least equal in ability to the Government contingent.

It was the weakness that Mr. Whitney speaks of, hokever, which, had the Government possessed the courage to be honest, would have given it strength to carry out its pre-election promises; to resist the clamors of the spoilsmen—in short, to give the province the square deal for which the Premier now hypocritically pleads. With its strength of numbers, the Government might have risen superior to a cowardly gerrymander of constituencies, or to such deals as the gift of $130,000 to a syndicate of which a relative of a Cabinet minister was a member, and the guaranteeing of the Canadian Northern Railway bonds, under false pretences. When it should have displayed real strength, as in "that last awful week," the Government was most lamentably weak.

As for the Opposition, weak in numbers though it undoubtedly was, it has performed invaluable services. While it has failed to stay the hand of the Government, its own hand will be vastly strengthened by an electorate which needed only that last awful week to complete its disillusionment.

THE POSTOFFICE DEPARTMENT.

The announcement that the Dominion Government will soon reduce the postage on drop letters to one cent will be received with satisfaction by all classes, but more particularly by the business community. It is another reminder that since they have been in office the Liberals have wrought a revolution in the postoffice service. In no department has progressive and efficient administration been more marked during the past dozen years than in that presided over at first by Sir Wm. Mulock and now by Hon. Mr. Lemieux.

When Sir Wm. Mulock assumed charge of the department in 1906 he found it a sort of political machine, and a rickety one to boot. One of his first acts was to cancel a number of improvident mail contracts which had been given to favorites of his predecessor in office, and put them up to tender, the result being a saving on this item alone of $103,000 annually. As the contracts run for four years the total saving during that period was $412,000.

When the late Sir Adolphe Caron was postmaster-general, the proposal was made to reduce the postage from three to two cents, but he refused to consent, claiming that the reduction would mean a loss of revenue of $700,000 annually. Sir Adolphe was able to show nothing but deficits, that of his last year in office amounting to $781,000.

It was only about three years later that Sir Wm. Mulock took the very step which his predecessor had pronounced impossible. For the first two or three years there were deficits—that was unavoidable in view of the legacies which had been left by the former Government—and then the surpluses began, which have continued ever since. For the nine months of last year of which there is record the surplus amounted to $1,011,965, or, estimating the remaining three months at the same rate, $1,349,020 for the whole year. More than that, the reduction of the British postage from five cents to two cents and the Canadian postage from three cents to two cents meant a direct saving to the people of Canada of another million dollars.

Amidst all this there has been enormous expansion of the service. Postal facilities have been provided for the Yukon and for a large number of new settlements in the West at very great cost; there has been a phenomenal increase in the number of letters carried, necessitating a large increase in the staff of employes; the annual mileage has increased over twelve million miles, over two thousand new postoffices; nearly eight thousand new money order and postal offices and nearly three hundred new savings banks have been established, while there has been a general increase in the salaries of postmasters. At the same time the number of savings bank depositors has doubled, and the amount transmitted by money orders and postal notes has increased nearly thirty-five million dollars.

The Liberal record in the postoffice department is one to be proud of. A Liberal Government introduced free mail delivery in cities, reduced the postage from three to two cents, and now proposes to cut the rate on drop letters in two.

Our contemporary has raised the anti-lawyer cry against Mr. McEvoy. This country, unlike our contemporary, is getting too big for that sort of politics.

Winston Churchill has found a safe seat in bonnie Dundee. Scotsmen rule England and now Scotland claims the most brilliant Englishman in British public life.

The Conservative campaign pamphlet which libels several of the most prominent and honorable citizens of Ontario, is another example of the square deal.

Although the Whitney Government struck the toboggan slide in that last awful week, it began to move toward the top of the chute when it surrendered to the spoilsmen.

Moir was captured because his discoverer had read a description of him in the newspapers. Although some of the police act on a contrary theory, the press is their greatest ally in the running down and detection of criminals.

Liberals are accused of being ungrateful to the Whitney Government, because they might have fared much worse in the gerrymander. In other words, the man who has been robbed by a footpad should be thankful that his life was spared.

What sort of citizens were the Hamilton Conservatives who turned out in honor of George W. Fowler, M. P.? He had the brazen hypocrisy to talk of Government "muck" requiring his services as a muck-raker. If it were true Fowler would be in his native element. What hope is there for the federal Opposition when such men are among its leaders?

COLD STORAGE.

[Illustrated Bits.]

Hook—I understand he married a cool million.

Cook—Yes; but he's complaining now because he hasn't been able to thaw out any of it.

A LATE MEETING.

[Cleveland Leader.]

Mrs. Van Stoo—Where were you so late last night?

Mr. Van Stoo—I—er—why, I was addressing a political meeting, my dear.

Mrs. Van Stoo—Ah, indeed? And did you have a full house, may I ask?

Mr. Van Stoo (absently)—Once, but the other fellow held fours.

ENLIGHTENED.

[Exchange.]

Politician—I don't think I'll have a bit of trouble getting re-elected. Look how easily I won last year when people hardly knew me at all.

Miss Sweet—But that's the whole trouble. The people—know you now.

NEW MOTHER GOOSE.

[Louisville Courier-Journal.]

Young Mrs. Hubbard
Plaintively blubbered,
Her hat is a beautiful thing;
He had a gown made,
And now she's afraid
We aren't going to have any spring.

"PLATONIC" FRIENDSHIP.

[Mary E. Bryan, in Uncle Remus' Magazine.]

There are instances when men of genius have been sustained and inspired in their work and life by the friendship of women. For 35 years the poet Cowper—a victim of fits of melancholia—was cheered and supported by the ministering friendship of Mrs. Unwin, in whose home he lived after as before the death of her husband, until the end of his own life. For sixteen years Dr. Johnson was soothed, upheld and inspired by the friendship of Mrs. Thrale, who, says his biographer, ministered to him in body and mind, and was the most tender of nurses — no comfort that wealth could purchase or womanly ingenuity, set to work by womanly compassion, could devise being wanting to his sick room. Through her influence her husband had persuaded the great man to leave his comfortless den and take lodgings in the elegant Thrale villa, where he enjoyed as much personal independence as if living in a home of his own. He repaid Mrs. Thrale's friendship "by an affection as pure as the affection of a father, tinged with a gallantry which, though awkward, was more prized by her than the flatteries of society." Montaigne asserted that women were incapable of great and enduring attachments like those which history records as having existed between men; but later on in his life he was forced to lean upon the unselfish devotion of a woman—his adopted daughter, whose soul he acknowledged would "one day be capable of that perfect and sacred friendship to which we do not read any of her sex has yet attained."

THE PROBABLE REASON.

[Chicago Tribune.]

"Mamma, is that bay rum in the bottle on your table?"

"Mercy, no, dear!" she replied. "That is mucilage."

"Oh!" said little Johnny; "perhaps that's why I can't get my hat off."

A SMALL WAIST CRAZE.

[Toronto Star.]

There is a small waist craze in Paris. By the way, isn't it strange that the devotees of fashion never include a big, charitable heart fad in their list of anatomical vagaries?

ACROSS GALILEE BY RAIL.

[Charles M. Pepper, in Scribner's.]

The Hamidieh-Hedjaz Railway revives the sacred memories of the Holy Land and also of the prophet Mohammed. Its real starting place is at Haifa, the Mediterranean port under the lee of convent-crowned Mount Carmel, where Elijah gathered to him all Israel and the prophets of Baal, and confuted their false gods by himself bringing down fire from heaven. Here, too, is the brook Kishon, where he slew the priests of Baal. The railway route is through the plain of Esdraelon, past Nazareth and across Galilee, and along the sweet and tranquil waters of Lake Tiberias, with the Mount of Beatitudes in the background; through the canyon of the River Hieromiax, and up into the cultivated plains of the Hauran the scenes are still scriptural, except that the uniformed boatmen of the excursion companies and the steam launches on the Sea of Galilee have a modernizing effect which is not entirely atoned for by the fishermen fishing from their boats as in the time of the Saviour.

I took this journey starting on a black winter's morning, and finding place in the third class passenger coach among the Bedouins, Arab pilgrims, Turkish officials and army engineers, Syrian traders, French train crew, dragomen and mail sacks. The promise of tourist travel had not then become sufficiently alluring to secure better accommodation. But though the car was uncomfortably crowded by the mix-up of the Arabs and Bedouins, with their guns and belts, their turbans, their striped blankets of black and white, and their tunics, they made room for the stranger with all the formal courtesy of their traditions. The railway may transform the desert; the railway coach does not destroy the desert dweller's sense of hospitality.

The mail distribution was primitive; long waits of the train while the carriers from beyond Lake Tiberias received their packets, receipted for them by affixing their signet seals, and exchanged gossip. There were packages, even newspaper bundles, and letters with superscriptions in Arabic, French and English.

ORNITHOLOGICAL.

[La Touche Hancock, in New York Press.]

There is a song I've lately heard,
Which runs, "I would I were a bird,
A singing thrush or cooing dove!"
(The last put into rhyme with "love!")
But disregarding things erotic,
I think, don't you, it's idiotic?
The thought to me has just occurred
That if I were to be a bird,
I fancy I would be an owl,
For that's the wisest kind of fowl,
With nothing in this world to do
Except to hoot "Tu-whit, tu-whoo!"
This thought has somewhat of pretense
To be considered common sense,
And more conviction ought to bring
In places where they're wont to sing!

"DEAR WINSTON."

[London Standard.]

At a meeting addressed by Mr. Churchill yesterday there were loud cries for "Lady Randolph"—Mrs. Cornwallis-West having accompanied her son to the meeting for the first time during the contest. Mrs. Cornwallis-West responded, and she did so in a happy vein. She was epigrammatic, and for the moment captured the audience by her naivete. "I think," she said, "that one speaker from one family is sufficient. But I will just say that, while a hear a good deal about dear coal and dear beer, my motto is 'Vote for dear Winston.'"

SLANDERER BENNETT DRESSED DOWN.

[Hugh Guthrie, M.P.]

In the custom of chivalry, when you cast down your gauntlet and asked somebody to take it up, the challenge was always answered. And tonight I would cast down the gauntlet to the member for East Simcoe, and I offer him this challenge: If you can show that the minister of marine and fisheries has been guilty of the slightest jot or tittle of dishonesty in connection with the administration of his department, I will take back all I have said in commendation of that honorable gentleman. And I say to the member for East Simcoe: If you do not accept that challenge, then in the language of chivalry, if you lived in the old days, you would be spoken of as a coward, a poltroon and a backslider.

MAKEUP OF BRITISH ARMY.

[Westminster Gazette.]

Among those offering to enlist in the army last year it was found that 27,321 unskilled men came forward, against 13,022 skilled tradesmen, in addition to 15,223 men classified separately, such as fishermen, boatmen, stewards, barmen and clerks. About one-fourth of each category was rejected, the unskilled having a slight advantage in the numbers passing. In the army Englishmen predominate; there are 178,240, against 3,588 Welshmen, 18,129 Scotsmen, 22,835 Irishmen, 9,014 colonials, and 25 aliens.

JUDGED AND DOOMED.

[Stratford Beacon.]

Judged by his Hamilton speech alone, Mr. Whitney has proved himself unworthy of the position of premier.

SPRING!

[New York Sun.]

Say!
How's this for May?
May first,
Ain't it the worst
You ever saw?
A foot or more
Of snow way out in Corry!
Say! Ain't you sorry
You rushed the season so
A week or two ago
To show your Easter clothes
And hose?
But never mind!
The Marchy wind
Will soon
Bring June,
You bet!

A RAPID DESCENT.

[Toronto Globe.]

In "that last awful week" the Whitney Government found its level. It showed how speedily it is possible to reach the end of government usefulness.

TO AVOID MICROBES.

[New York Herald.]

Now the scientists assert that butter is one of the best fields for tuberculosis germs to thrive in. That's another thing to be added to the list of foods to be shunned. The day is coming when the only way for a man to avoid infection and keep himself healthy will be by starving himself to death.

DRAG PONDS AND LAKES ON LAPORTE MURDER FARM

Authorities Expect To Find in Waters About Mrs. Guinness' Home Fresh Evidence of Wholesale Murder, and Will Push Investigation With Vigor.

Laporte, May 11.—Lemuel Darrow, mayor of Laporte, after a conference with prominent citizens last night, declared that the investigation into the Guinness murder mystery will be pushed with great vigor.

"Up to the present time," said the mayor, "there has been only a lukewarm inquiry into the amazing case. By this time all the lakes in the vicinity of the Guinness farm should have been dragged. The pond back of the graveyard has not been investigated. It will be. Clear Lake and Fish Trap Lake, both west of the farm, will be dragged.

"I suspect that more tragedies will be discovered."

Chicago, May 11.—John Larson, of Chicago, a nephew of Mrs. Guinness, expects to go to Laporte today or tomorrow to see if he can establish beyond doubt whether Mrs. Guinness perished in the flames of her home. "Mrs. Guinness received an injury some years ago," said Mr. Larson last night, "but the scar remained. It stretches across the chest from left to right, in all about eight inches in length."

West Middlesex Liberal Convention Will Be Held on day Next

To Select a Candidate for the Provincial House.

A convention of the Liberals of West Middlesex will be held in Mount Brydges on Thursday next at 11 o'clock to nominate a candidate to contest that riding in the coming Provincial elections.

The executive met in Glencoe on Saturday and accepted the resignation of Mr. Duncan C. Ross, M. P. P., who will contest the north riding in the coming election.

Several candidates are mentioned, prominent among them being Mr. T. G. Turnbull, who was gerrymandered out of the north riding; Mr. J. C. Elliott, of Glencoe, and others.

The meetings to be held for the selection of delegates are as follows:

Lobo, Tuesday, May 12, at 8 p.m., at the town hall, Coldstream.

Caradoc, Wednesday, May 13, at 3 p.m., at the town hall, Mount Brydges.

Ekfrid, Tuesday, May 12, at 2 p.m., at the town hall, Appin.

Mosa, Tuesday, May 12,, at 5 p.m., at the town hall, Glencoe.

Delaware, Tuesday, May 12, at 8 p.m., S. S. No. 4 Delaware, Howlett schoolhouse.

Glencoe, Tuesday, May 12, at 8 p.m., at the town hall, Glencoe.

Newbury, Tuesday, May 12, at 8 p.m., at the town hall, Newbury.

Wardsville, Tuesday, May 12, at 8 p.m., at the town hall, Wardsville.

Rev. Mr. Carew Speaks On Evangelism

Rev. Mr. Carew, of Maitland Street Baptist Church, preached interesting sermons Sunday to large congregations.

In the evening his subject was "Evangelism, the Supreme Factor in the World's Upward Progress."

"Evangelism," he said, "in its spirit and power is that which keeps the world moving onward and upward in the truest sense of advance. Money cannot be this power, as the upward as well as onward demands the spiritual and eternal. Nor can education, great as it is in moving things onward intellectually, scientifically, inventively, for while this will give us magnificent pagans, like Plato, of whom Coleridge declared, was a plank from the wreck of paradise cast upon the shores of idolatrous Greece. Yet classic civilization could not withstand the ravages of the tooth of time or bear the tonnage of immortal destiny. Egypt, Babylon, Greece, Rome, have all disappeared beneath a Christless horizon.

"Nor can an intellectual knowledge of God and solemn forms of religion keep a nation from death and decay as the Israelites illustrate, for, although they had the example of the Christ, yet lacking in the spirit of evangelism, they failed to be redemptive to the nations around them.

"But the religion of Jesus, as it produces likeness to Jesus, is redemptive in its influence and service, as Paul's career shows. For as he hurled himself into the darkness of heathendom and made their temples echo with the evangel—God so loved the world—how quickly Diana of Ephesus was dethroned, Minerva of beautiful Greece, and all the gods of the Roman Pantheon.

"And this evangelism, awakening in the individual a passion for upward progress, also inspires in us the Christ-passion to overthrow the evil and establish the good. Deprive the nation of this and it will soon drop back to a self-ruinous materialism that lives in the shadow of death and decay.

"Among the noblest words found in the vocabulary of man, service shines out with conspicuous brightness. It is the essence of history, biography and poetry, because in quintessence it is the expenditure of life.

"Of all forms of service possible to man none bear more clearly the stamp of God than that of our text. He brought him to Jesus.

"Individual work for individuals. This necessitate life being put in contact with life as Jesus was not anchoretic in his conception of Christian service. Sanctification by isolation is not Christian. To put himself in living contact with those he came to save, Jesus became incarnate. The inspiration for such a service of personal work is, souls saved are souls restored to the image of God."

Solos were rendered most acceptably during the services by Miss Edith McBride, Miss Alma Grigg and Mr. Harry Marshall.

EDWARD'S SKILL WINS IN SWEDEN

British King's Rounds of Visits Bears Fruit in Court at Stockholm.

Stockholm, May 9.—The round of visits which King Edward is paying to the Scandinavian courts is of considerable interest, in view of the so-called settlement of the northern problem, embodied in the recently concluded Baltic-North Sea treaties.

In reality little has been settled so far, and Norway has not been mentioned, as its integrity is guaranteed, and its position well understood.

Denmark's position, for all practical purposes, is unchanged, or rather unchangeable. Sweden agreed with Great Britain and France to denounce the treaty whereby the two powers jointly undertook to protect her against Russia.

The amiable assurances of a desire to maintain the status quo, which is the gist of the new Baltic agreement, is supposed to serve in place of such protection, and may do as well or may not. One fact stands out clearly, however. Sweden, being under the protection of no particular power or powers, is at liberty to throw whatever weight she possesses in whichever direction she sees fit.

This is the first fruit of the new king's diplomacy. He has achieved a certain amount of freedom of action, and the immensely increased risks of the situation in the Aland Islands question will now be threshed out between St. Petersburg and Stockholm.

Sweden is not a signatory power to the treaty forbidding their fortification, but should she assent to its denunciation it is difficult to see on what grounds Great Britain or France could object. If they do, Sweden will have gained a point by showing goodwill toward Russia.

Again, should the Swedish opinion be too strong against the abrogation of the treaty, neither Great Britain nor France could well afford to yield to Russian pressure, as it would throw Sweden into the arms of Germany and paralyze Norway and Denmark.

It is an interesting enough game, and is just as likely to promote peace as anything else.

It is said that with the possible exceptions of the King of Italy and the Sultan, there is no cooler head than Gustav around the European board today, and the decision of King Edward to include Stockholm in his itinerary, in the face of several points of etiquette in such matters, was a fine stroke. It is a mooted point with whom it originated and does not matter much if with King Edward it shows that he thoroughly understood the new situation.

CANADIAN

The Brantford and Hamilton radial line will be opened on May 23.

Police Magistrate Noble, of Strathroy, is seriously ill at his home.

A 500-barrel-a-day oil well has been struck in the Leamington district.

Ernest Hancock, of Hamilton, a 13-year-old boy, fell into the lake Saturday and was drowned.

An Italian laborer was arrested at Guelph, charged with threatening the life of Mr. Wardell, his former employer.

The home of Frank Cudmore, of Brantford, was burglarized on Saturday night. Some valuable jewelry was stolen.

Mrs. Hunter, of Cleveland is asking the Guelph police to assist her in getting her child from her husband, who lives at Erin.

Frank, the 7-year-old son of Edward Hartley, St. Catharines, fell into the Welland Canal on Saturday, and was drowned.

Henry Hornick, a Stratford young man, fell off a high scaffold Saturday and was badly injured. He will recover, however.

Mr. J. S. Wilson, of St. Thomas, is charged by A. N. Hutchinson, of the same city, with sending immoral postcards through the mails.

Fred Coombs, a young Englishman, was arrested in St. Thomas, charged with stealing a gold watch and other articles from Harry Bacon, with whom Coombs boarded.

James Wells, of Guelph, was arrested Saturday, charged with forgery. He attempted to pass a forged check on the Traders' Bank and also tried to pass a check on a grocery.

NO ANNULMENT FOR ANNA

Sagan Not Likely to Carry Out His Threat of Becoming a Protestant.

Rome, May 10.—The Prince de Sagan and Mme. Anna Gould not only have completely failed to secure the papal annullment of Madame Gould's marriage to Count Boni de Castellane, but they have not even had an audience with the Pope. They have not seen any personage connected with the Vatican or the Congregations.

Prince Rospigliosi, who married an American, Mrs. Parkhurst, similarly has failed to get her former marriage annulled, though he threatened to become a Protestant. He has not carried out the threat, and now lives in Rome. His wife entertains a great deal, though she is never invited to court balls or received back into society.

The Prince de Sagan has also threatened to change his religion, but will not do so, and should he marry Mme. Gould it is believed they will live in Rome, where he and she have already become good frinds of the Rospigliosis.

The persons in receipt of pauper relief in London on April 4 numbered 123,779, or 26 per 1,000 of the population, as compared with 25.1 per 1,000 in the previous year.

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SACRIFICED HIS PRIDE TO SAFEGUARD DUMA

St. Petersburg, May 11.—M. Khomyakoff's sacrifice of his personal pride in order to safeguard the Duma, has won unstinted praise in all quarters. Yesterday, on the demand of Premier Stolypin he withdrew the presidential strictures on the statement made a few days previously in the Duma by the Minister of Finance, M. Kokovosoff, who, during the course of a debate, exclaimed: "Thank God, we have not a parliament in Russia yet."

M. Khomyakoff, from the chair, referred to the minister's remark as an unhappy expression, but later he was notified by the Premier that he must withdraw his stricture, failing which Premier Stolypin threatened to resign. In consideration of the fact that Premier Stolypin has been the Duma's truest friend, M. Khomayakoff decided to accede to his request.

DISASTROUS FIRE AT CAMPBELLTON, N. B.

Harquail's Lumber Mill and Several Residences Were Burned.

Campbellton, N. B., May 10. — The most disastrous fire in years raged here from 1 till 4 o'clock this morning, destroying twelve buildings, with a total loss of $73,000.

J. and D. Harquail's lumber factory was totally destroyed, along with dry houses filled with lumber and large piles of sawn lumber. William Smith's residence, J. D. Harquail's residence, Smith's store and barn, and D. H. Sheal's residence occupied by Ernest Blair, were all destroyed. For some time the whole town was threatened, but practically every able-bodied man assisted in fighting the flames by the destruction of Harquail's factory.

The town loses one of its most important industries, and 100 men are thrown out of employment. The insurance carried amounts to $34,400.

ADELAIDE.

Adelaide, May 9.—Miss Ethel Newell, of Watford, was the guest of her cousin, Miss Gertrude Woolley recently.

Wilbur Payne has left for Brigden where he has accepted a position as buttermaker.

Mrs. McKay, of Oil Springs, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. Cline.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Demary visited friends in Harrietsville recently.

L. C. Miner was in Sarnia one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Daniels spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. Down.

Mrs. W. Harris, of Watford, spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Dell.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

At New York—New York, from Southampton, Louisiana, from Genoa; La Lorraine, from Havre; Hamburg, from Genoa; Blucher, from Hamburg.

At Boston—Anglican, from London.

At Southampton—Philadelphia, from New York.

At Manchester—Caledonian, from Boston.

At Boulogne—Nieuw Amsterdam, from New York.

At Liverpool—Arabic, from New York; Empress of Ireland, from St. John; Southwark, from Portland; Tritonia, from St. John; Bohemian, from Boston; Carmana, from New York.

At Father Point—Monmouth, from Bristol; Kensington, from Liverpool; Ionian, from Liverpool.

At St. Johns—Mongolian, from Liverpool.

At Moville—Caledonia, from New York.

CURE NOT PROVED.

It is not everyone who proves the ineffectualness of insomnia cures at sever years of age.

The father of the lad, who was about seven years old, was a physician, and when the child found difficulty in getting to sleep was ready with advice.

"I'll tell you something that will soon put you to sleep," he said. "You begin and count slowly up to 100, and then another hundred, and so on, and before you know it you'll be sleeping. Try it tonight when you go to bed."

Everything remained quiet that night until the father went to retire. As he passed the boy's bed a little voice piped:

"Papa!"

"Yes, my boy."

"What comes after trillions?"

But the wakeful youngster's query was not answered; his father had vanished into his own bedroom.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

THE CRIMSON BLIND

BY FRED M. WHITE

"I have been asleep," she said. She passed her hand dreamily over her face. "I have been in a dream for seven long years. Enid brought me back to the music again tonight, and it touched my heart, and now I am awake again. Do you recollect the 'Slumber Song,' Hatherly Bell? The last time I sang it you were present. It was a happy night; the very last happy night in the world to me."

"I recollect it perfectly well, Lady Littimer," Bell said.

"Lady Littimer! How strange it is to hear that name again. Seven years since then. Here I am called Margaret Henson, and nobody knows. And now you have found out. Do you come here to blackmail and rob me like the rest?"

"I come here entirely on your behalf and my own, my lady.

"That is what they all say—and then they rob me. You stole the Rembrandt."

The last words came like a shot from a catapult. Enid's face grew colder. Bell drew a long tube of discolored paper carefully tied round a stick from his pocket.

"I am going to disprove that once and for all," he said. "The Rembrandt is at present in Lord Littimer's collection. There is an account of it in today's Telegraph. It is perfectly familiar to both of you. And, that being the case, what do you think of this?"

He unrolled the paper before Enid's astonished eyes. Margaret Henson glanced at it listlessly; she was fast sinking into the old, strange oblivion again. But Enid was all rapt attention.

"I would have sworn to that as Lord Littimer's own," she gasped.

"It is his own," Bell replied. "Stolen from him and a copy placed by some arch-enemy in my portmanteau, it was certain to be found on the frontier. Don't you see that there were two Rembrandts? When the one from my portmanteau was restored to Littimer his own was kept by the thief. Subsequently it would be exposed as a new find, with some story as to its discovery, only, unfortunately for the scoundrel, it came into my possession."

"And where did you find it?" Enid asked.

"I found it," Bell said, slowly. "In a house called 218, Brunswick Square, Brighton."

A strange cry came from Enid's lips. She stood swaying before her lover, white as the paper upon which her eyes were eagerly fixed. Margaret Henson was pacing up and down the room, her lips muttering, and raising a cloud of pallid dust behind her.

"I—I am sorry," Enid said, falteringly. "And all these years I have deemed you guilty. But then the proof was so plain; I could not deny the evidence of my own senses. And Von Gulden came to me saying how deeply distressed he was, and that he would have prevented the catastrophe if he could. Well?"

A servant stood waiting in the doorway wtih wondering eyes at the sight of a stranger.

"I'm sorry, miss," she said, "but Miss Christiana is worse; indeed, she quite frightens me. I've taken the liberty of telephoning to Dr. Walker."

The words seemed to bring consciousness to Margaret Henson.

"Christiana worse," she said. "Another of them going; it will be a happy release from a house of sorrow like this. I will come up, Martin."

She swept out of the room after the servant. Enid appeared hardly to have heard. Bell looked at her inquiringly and with some little displeasure.

"I fancy I have heard you speak of your sister, Christiana," he said. "Is she ill?"

"She is at the point of death, I understand; you think that I am callous. Oh, if you only knew! But the light will come to us all in time, God willing. Look at this place, look at the blight of it, and wonder how we endure it, Hatherly, I have made a discovery."

"We seem to be living in an atmosphere of discoveries. What is it?"

"I will answer your question by asking another. You have been made the victim of a vile conspiracy. For seven years your career has been blighted. And I have lost seven years of my life, too. Have you any idea who your enemy is?"

"Not the faintest, but, believe me, I shall find out in time. And then——"

A purple blackness like the lurid light of a storm flashed into his eyes, the lines of his mouth grew rigid. Enid laid a hand tenderly on his arm.

"Your enemy is the common enemy of us all," she said. "We have wasted the years, but we are young yet. Your enemy is Reginald Henson."

"Enid, you speak with conviction. Are you sure of this?"

"Certain. When I have time I will tell you everything. But not now. And that man must never know that you have been near the house tonight, not so much for your sake as for the sake of your friend, David Steel. Now I can see the Providence behind it all. Hatherly, tell me that you forgive me before the others come back."

"My darling, I cannot see how you could have acted otherwise."

Enid turned towards him with a great glad light in her eyes. She said nothing, for the simple reason that there was nothing to say. Hatherly Bell caught her in his strong arms, and she swayed to reach his lips. In that delicious moment the world was all forgot.

But not for long. There was a sudden rush and a tumble of feet on the stairs, there was a strange voice speaking hurriedly, then the drawing-room door opened and Margaret Henson came in. She was looking wild and excited and talked incoherently. An obviously professional man followed her.

"My dear madam," he was saying, "I have done all I can. In the last few days I have not been able to disguise from myself that there was small hope for the patient. The exhaustion, the shock to the system, the congestion, all point to an early collapse."

"Is my sister so much worse, Dr. Walker?" Enid asked, quietly.

"She could not be any worse and be alive," the doctor said. "Unless I am greatly mistaken the gentleman behind you is Mr. Hatherly Bell. I presume he has been called in to meet me? If so, I am sincerely glad, because I shall be pleased to have a second opinion. A bad case of"—here followed a long technical name—"one of the worst cases I have ever seen."

"You can command me, Enid," Bell said. "If I can."

"No, no," Enid cried. "What am I saying? Please to go upstairs with Martin."

Bell departed, wonderingly. Enid flew to the door and out into the night. She could hear Henson cursing and shouting, could hear the snarling clamor of the dogs. At the foot of the drive she paused and called Steel softly by name. To her intense relief he came from the shadow.

"I am here," he cried "Do you want me?"

"Yes, yes," Enid panted. "Never more were you services needed. My sister is dying; my sister must—die. And Hatherly Bell is with her, and—you understand?"

"Yes," said David. A vivid flash of understanding had come to him. "Bell shall do as I tell him. Come along."

"Hold him up, dear doggies," Enid murmured. "Hold him up and I'll love both of you for ever."

CHAPTER XV.

A Medical Opinion.

David Steel followed his guide with the feelings of the man who has given himself over to circumstances. There was a savor of nightmare about the whole thing that appealed distinctly to his imagination. The darkness, the strange situation, the vivid streaks of the crimson blinds—the crimson blind that seemed an integral part of the mystery—all served to stimulate him. The tragic note was deepened by the whine and howling of the dogs.

"There is a man over there," David whispered.

"A man who is going to stay there," Enid said, with grim satisfaction. "It is virtually necessary that Mr. Reginald Henson should not be disturbed. The dogs have a foolish weakness for his society. So long as he shows no signs of boredom he is safe."

David smiled with a vague grasp of the situation. Apparently the cue was to be surprised at nothing that he saw about the House of the Silent Sorrow. The name of Reginald Henson was more or less familiar to him as that of a man who stood high in public estimation. But the bitter contempt in his companion's voice suggested that there was another side to the man's character.

"I hope you are not asking me to do anything wrong," David murmured.

"I am absolutely certain of it," the girl said. "It is a case of the end justifying the means; and if ever the end justified the means, it does in this case. Besides——"

Enid Henson hesitated. David's quick perception prompted him.

"Besides, it is my suggestion," he said. "When I had the pleasure of seeing you before——"

"Pardon me, you have never had the pleasure of seeing me before."

"Ah, you would make an excellent parliamentary fencer. I bow to your correction and admit that I have never seen you before. But your voice reminds me of a voice I heard very recently under remarkable circumstances. It was my good fortune to help a lady in distress a little time back. If she had told me more I might have aided her still further. As it is, her reticence has landed me into serious trouble."

Enid grasped the speaker's arm convulsively.

"I am deeply sorry to hear it," she whispered. "Perhaps the lady in question was reticent for your sake. Perhaps she had confided more thoroughly in good men before. And suppose those good men had disappeared?"

"In other words, that they had been murdered. Who by?"

There was a snarl from one of the hounds hard by, and a deep, angry curse from Henson. Enid pointed solemnly in his direction. No words of hers would have been so thrilling and eloquent. David strode along without further questions on that head.

"But there is one thing that you must tell me," he said, as they stood together in the porch. "Is the first part of my advice going to be carried out?"

"Yes. That is why you are here now. Stay here one moment whilst I get you pencil and paper. . . There! Now will you please write what I suggest? Dr. Bell is with my sister. At least, I suppose he is with her, as Dr. Walker desired to have his opinion. My sister is dying—dying, you understand?"

Enid's voice had sunk into a passionate whisper. The hand that she laid on David's shoulder was trembling strangely. At that moment he would have done anything for her. A shaft of light filtered from the hall into the porch, and lit up the paper that the girl thrust upon Steel.

"Now write," she commanded. "Ask no questions, but write what I ask, and trust me implicitly."

David nodded. After all, he reflected, he could not possibly get himself into a worse mess than he was in already. And he felt that he could trust the girl by his side. Her beauty, her earnestness, and her obvious sincerity touched him.

"Write," Enid whispered. "Say, 'See nothing and notice nothing, I implore you. Only agree with everything that Dr. Walker says, and leave the room as quickly as possible!' Now sign your name. We can go into the drawing-room and wait till Dr. Bell comes down. You are merely a friend of his. I will see that he has this paper at once."

Enid led the way into the drawing-room. She gave no reasons for the weird strangeness of the place, it was no time for explanations. As for Steel, he gazed around him in fascinated astonishment. A novelist ever on the look-out for new scenes and backgrounds, the aspect of the room fascinated him. He saw the dust rising in clouds, he saw the wilted flowers, he noted the overturned table, obviously untouched and neglected for years, and he wondered. Then he heard the babel of discordant voices overhead. What a sad house it was, and how dominant was the note of tragedy.

Meanwhile, with no suspicion of the path he was treading, Bell had gone upstairs. He came at length to the door of the room where the sick girl lay. There was a subdued light inside and the faint suggestion of illness that clings to the chamber of the sufferer. Bell caught a gimpse of a white figure lying motionless in bed. It was years now since he had acted thus in a professional capacity, but the old quietness and caution came back by instinct. As he would have entered Margaret Henson came out and closed the door.

"You are not going in there," she said. "No, no. Everything of mine you touch blight and wither. If the girl is to die, let her die in peace."

She would have raised her voice high, but a lightning glance from Bell quieted her. It was not exactly madness that he had to deal with, and he knew it. The woman required firm, quiet treatment. Dr. Walker stood alongside, anxious and nervous. The man with the quiet practice of the well-to-do doctor was not used to scenes of this kind.

"You have something to conceal," Bell said, sternly. "Open the door."

"Really, my dear sir," Walker said, fussily. "Really, I fancy that under the circumstances——"

"You don't understand this kind of case," Bell interrupted. "I do."

Walker dropped aside with a muttered apology. Bell approached the figure in the doorway and whispered a few words rapidly in her ear. The effect was electrical. The figure seemed to wilt and shrivel up, all the power and resistance had gone. She stepped aside, moaning and wringing her hands. She babbled of strange things; the old, far-away look came into her eyes again.

Without a word of comment or sign of triumph Bell entered the sick room. Then he raised his head and sniffed the heavy atmosphere as an eager hound might have done. A quick, sharp question rose to his lips, only to be instantly suppressed as he noted the vacant glance of his colleagues.

The white figure on the bed lay perfectly motionless. It was the figure of a young and exceedingly beautiful girl, a beauty heightened and accentuated by the dead-white pallor of her features. Still the face looked resolute and the exquisitely chiseled lips were firm.

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Eight Yards From Ground, the Wright Brothers Fly 1,000 Feet in Test.

Manteo, N. C., May 9. — Wright Brothers, aeronauts, now at Kill Devil Hill, near here, made a first flight in their war aeroplane yesterday. Although only a test flight, it was successful in every respect, the machine, under the perfect control of its two makers, traveling for a distance of 1,000 feet. Apparently it could have been flown a thousand times as far as easily as not. It was made to alight with ease and in perfect safety.

The flight was for the purpose of testing a new idea in steering gear, the adaptability of which was unknown. The idea was found satisfactory, but it was found that its adjustment was not altogether right. But that did not prevent a continuation of the flight. The flight was also made in a light northeast wind of fourteen miles an hour. There was a light rain. The elevation of the machine did not reach more than twenty feet above the ground.

After several preliminary tests, made in the next two or three days, an endurance test of the machine will be made, and on this test an effort will probably be made to fly the machine seventy-five miles and return.

Before the tests have been completed aeronautical experts representing the United States and foreign Governments are expected to witness them.

The machine was started easily from a railway about 300 feet long. It glided rapidly along this, and when it had reached a velocity of about twenty-five miles an hour, it left the track, bearing both Wilbur and Orville Wright.

The body of the machine is forty feet long and eight feet wide, giving it a total buoying surface of 640 square feet. It is said to be capable of carrying the weight of four ordinary men.

JAIL ENGLISHMAN FOR TAKING LOAN

Bankrupt Loses Honor and Rank By Buying Race Horses On Credit.

London, May 9—English law is always very strict with regard to bankrupts, who, having failed to secure a discharge of their bankruptcy from the courts, secure credit for more than $100.

This Everard William Wylde has just found to his cost. For he has been sentenced to three months' imprisonment for an offense of this kind and will in all probability entail the forfeiture of his cross of the Order of St. Michael and St. George, which he received for his services as delegate of the British Government to the International Slave Trade Congress at Brussels in 1889.

Wylde is a man of 60 years of age, who has spent a number of years in the foreign office, from which he was obliged after thirty years of service to retire on account of financial difficulties.

He has on several occasions been employed as secretary of legation and bears a name honored in the annals of the foreign office, where his father and grandfather served with distinction before him, and also at court, with which his people were likewise connected.

But he seems to have completely lost his head, having while an undischarged bankrupt, not only purchased race horses on credit, but even having them trained by the well known trainer, Charles Waugh, without having a penny to pay either the latter or the vendors of the hourses.

CISSY LOFTUS ILL

Falls Unconscious During An Imitation.

Baltimore, May 9.—Cecelia Loftus, the headliner at the Maryland Theater this week, collapsed on the stage this afternoon while giving an imitation of Hattie Williams. She recently underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Miss Loftus had just about finished her imitation of Vesta Victoria, when she stopped singing, looked blankly at the audience and then whispered: "I have forgotten my lines."

As she said this, she staggered to the wings, but pulled herself together and attempted to walk to a small table upon which she seats herself when imitating Hattie Williams. She started her song, but suddenly fell prone to the floor.

The stage hands carried her to the wings and the curtain was rung down.

Miss Loftus was taken to the Stafford Hotel, where she remained unconscious for some time.

MAY NOT GET CANNON

Hard Fight for Extradition Ahead of the Columbus Authorities.

Hamilton, May 9.—Monday has been fixed for the commencement of the extradition proceedings of Nelson Cannon, who was arrested in this city yesterday on a charge of bribing the city engineer of Columbus, Ohio, in connection with asphalt paving, resulting in a loss to that city of over half a million dollars. Cannon appeared before Judge Snider yesterday and was remanded until Monday. The prosecuting attorney and city solicitor of Columbus is expected today, and with them will come the necessary extradition papers signed by the President of the United States. The authorities are evidently up against a hard proposition, for even if after a hard-fought case, the order for extradition is granted, the defense has still the right to appeal within fifteen days. Furthermore, the Columbus detectives have a fear that if they succeed in getting Cannon across the line, their prisoner may be detained in either the State of New York or Pennsylvania, making further proceedings necessary.

Cannon says that he skipped his bail because his friends wanted him to. He claims that they refused to allow him to go to England, and insisted on him coming to Canada. He has been staying at Grimsby for the last year.

FORCED TO WEAR MASKS

Shameful Treatment of British Subjects in Belgium Prison.

Antwerp, May 9.—The English colony in Belgium is very indignant because of the continued detention in prison at Antwerp of the young electrical engineers, Messrs. Burton, Cowan, Hogarth and Robinson. The case is a peculiarly grievous one, and the plight of the prisoners is pitiable in the extreme. Although merely awaiting examination on the trivial charge of stealing pencils, paper, and india rubber erasers from the Bell Telephone Company, they are treated like convicted criminals.

All of them are forced to wear hideous cotton hoods, which completely envelop their faces so that only their eyes can be seen. They are given the scanty prison diet, and undergo the same harsh regime as burglars, murderers and other felons.

No one who listened to their story could have denied that the charges against them are frivolous and vexatious in the extreme. There is not the slightest foundation for their imprisonment.

Sir Cecil Hertsel, the British Consul-General, has been unremitting in his efforts to secure their release, but this is still impossible, as only £200 of the £800 bail demanded for all four can be found. The securities must be residents of Belgium and property-owners.

WOMAN'S POWER

The healthy woman; strong mentally and physically, whose ambition and magnetic influence urge men to deeds of grandeur and heroism; such women are all-powerful.

Weak, sick and ailing women have little ambition; their own troubles occupy all their thoughts. They dwell upon their pains, suffer from nervousness and headaches; often are extremely melancholy, and avoid society. For thirty years LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND has been saving women from this awful condition.

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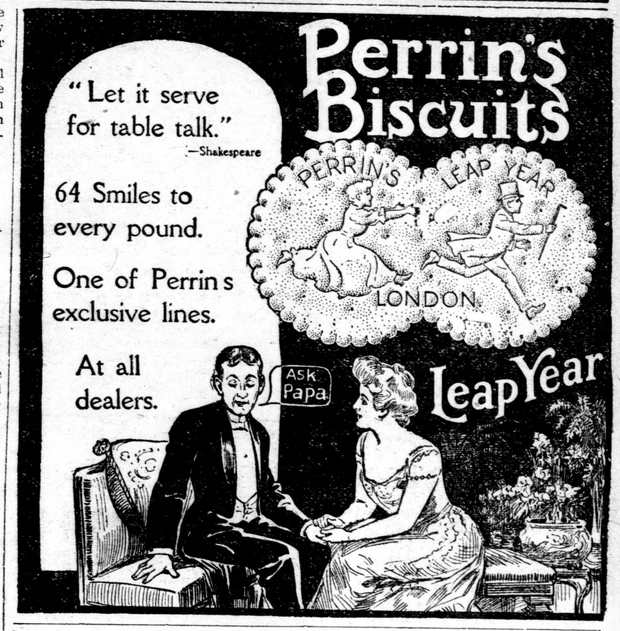

BLACK PAPER—WHITE INK

New Scheme Proposed for Saving the Pulpwood Forests.

New York, May 9.—A dispatch to The World from Appleton, Wis., says: Wisconsin manufacturers of print paper today put forth a proposition which, if adopted, will, it is said, revolutionize the print paper industry of the country and the newspaper industry as well. They propose that newspapers in the future be printed in white on black paper instead of in black on white paper, thus bringing about a saving of millions of dollars annually on pulpwood, assisting in the preservation of forests and reducing the price of newspaper to about one-half the present price.

Black paper can be made of old newspapers and almost any fibrous stock, while white paper requires spruce and hemlock wood. Wisconsin paper manufacturers will try to interest eastern manufacturers, and, if possible, bring about concerted action with the publishers of the country.

SILVER BY THE TON

Ontario is Now a Producer of Metal in Bars.

Belleville, May 9.—The Deloro Mining and Reduction Company's works at Deloro, which have been running to capacity on silver ores from Cobalt, made a shipment of fifty-one ingots a few days ago—over three thousand pounds of silver. There are now about one hundred and fifty men employed, and extensive additions are being made to the plant. Weekly shipments are made.

The stamp mill at Deloro has been making tests of ore from the Pearce gold mine in Marmora, development work on which has been in progress for some time under the direction of Mr. Lawson, M. E. The property is a mispicked one. It is understood that the tests showed highly satisfactory results.

The first list of Crimea and mutiny survivors who have been provided for by Lord Roberts' veterans' fund has just been published. It gives the names of 53 men, each the wearer of one or more war medals. The veterans come from all parts of the British isles. Sixteen of them have been taken from the workhouse.

For every spoiled child fate has a spare rod in pickle.

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A SCHOOL SECTION TO BE DIVIDED

Petitioners' Request Granted—A New Street—Doings of Township Council.

London Township council met May 4. Present George Kimball, reeve; James H. Hodgins, first deputy reeve; S. Frank Glass, second deputy reeve; John Gillson, third deputy reeve, and B. C. Brooks, councilor. The following communications were read:

Communications.

From J. M. Courtney, honorary treasurer National Battlefields' Commission, re contributions to the N. B. funds. Filed.

From Major Cronyn, re water which flows from the Proof Line road into and across the Hunt Club grounds. The clerk was instructed to forward the communication to the county commissioner.

From John Earl, pathmaster, stating that the fences on the west side of Egerton street, in front of the property of Messrs. Bayly and Crouse, are on the street appropriation. The clerk will notify the owners to have the fences referred to removed to the proper line.

Petitions.

The following petitions were read: From John Earl, pathmaster, and some fourteen other ratepayers, asking the council to purchase a strip of land, about 24 feet frontage on the southwest corner of Elgin and Muir streets, for the purpose of widening the road and giving access to building lots. Referred to the reeve and Commissioner Glass to report at the next meeting.

From John Earl and some nine other ratepayers asking that the approach to Vauxhall bridge be improved. Laid over.

From John L. White, jun., and some 89 other ratepayers, asking the council to take steps to prohibit bicyclists from riding on the sidewalks in London Junction. The clerk will notify Mr. White et al, that a bylaw covering their request already exists and simply requires enforcement.

From six or seven ratepayers asking the township to pay 40 per cent of the cost of a cement walk in front of their property. Referred to Mr. S. F. Glass to be amended.

A letter from Mr. R. A. Bayly asking the council to accept a street of less than 66 feet width, was read. Moved by S. F. Glass, seconded by B. C. Brooks that this council consents to the opening up of a street not less than 55 feet in width, running westerly at right angles to Egerton street, on Mr. R. A. Bayly's property known as "Vauxhall Addition," being part of lot 11, concession B, in London Township, according to the plan thereof made by F. A. Farncomb, Esq., O. L. S. Carried.

Mr. R. S. Gough asked permission to place poles and string wires of a telephone to connect his two farms, lots 10 and 12, concession 6, along the highway. Permission granted, provided the work on the road be done to the approval of the ward commissioner.

A letter from Messrs. Meredith, Judd & Meredith, inclosing one from J. M. McEvoy, solicitor for Irwin T. Harris, re damages to horse, was read. Messrs. Harris and Ardiel addressed the council on the subject, stating that Mr. Harris was prepared to accept $50 in full for said damages. On motion of B. C. Brooks, seconded by S. F. Glass, it was voted to pay Mr. Irwin T. Harris the sum asked for in consequence of the road being in bad condition.

A petition, signed by John England Joshua Garrett and 22 others, asking that Laura street be graded, graveled and the ditches put in proper condition, was referred to S. F. Glass.

Samuel Berryhill addressed the council re water in Broughdale. Referred to the county engineer.

It was voted that all accounts against the city of London be handed to our solicitor for collection forthwith.

G. H. Poad presented a petition signed by himself and 46 other ratepayers, asking that a new school section be formed in the southeastern part of the township. Messrs. Ditch and Atrill appeared for the petition, and Messrs. Allen, Jean, Flinn and Ingamills addressed the council, stating that they wished to remain in School Section No. 22. It was moved by S. F. Glass, seconded by John Gillson, that in the matter of the petition of the ratepayers for a division of School Section 22, that their prayer be granted; but of the property proposed to be included in the new section the following be exempted: Those parts of lots 6, 7, and 8, south of the Hamilton road and part of lot 6, north of Hamliton road, belonging to J. B. Ingamills, and part of lot 8, north of the Hamilton road; also that the clerk be instructed to prepare a bylaw to bring this into effect. Carried.

David Long presented a petition signed by himself and 43 other ratepayers asking that the sideroad between lots 28 and 29, concession 5 and 6, now only about 10 feet wide, be widened to 18 feet. Referred to B. C. Brooks.

Bylaw No. 526, to divide the township into 17 polling sub-divisions, and Bylaw No. 527, to appoint pathmasters, etc, passed.

The assessment rolls for 1908 were accepted, and the assessors will be paid their salaries.

Accounts Passed.

The following accounts were passed: London Advertiser Company, printing auditors' reports, $51 06; Victoria Press, printing, $10 75; J. G. Anderson, premium on treasurer's bond, order No. 210 canceled, $39 85; R. Courtney, half cost fencing gravel pit, $7 67; Thomas Keyes, half cost shoveling snow, $2 62; Thomas Shipley, $2 50; John McIlhargey, $6 50; Dugald Westman, half cost tile, $25; Fenton Paisley, plank and repairing bridge, $3.

The following dates and places were fixed for the delivering of the road-masters' lists: Thursday, May 21, at 9 o'clock, a.m., at Ballymote Hall, at 2 o'clock p.m., at Bryanston; Friday, May 22, at 10 o'clock, a.m., at the Barnes House, London Junction; Wednesday, May 27, at 9 o'clock, a.m., at Shain's Hotel, Hyde Park, Thursday, May 28 at 9 o'clock, a.m., at the King Edward Hotel, Ilderton. Council adjourned to meet Friday, May 29, at 10 o'clock a.m., in the town hall, Arva, when the first court of revision of the assessment roll will be held.

MARY GRANT, Clerk.

THE DEATH WARRANT DELIVERED.

No defense can be offered when you apply Putnam's to a sore corn—the offender has to die. Nothing so certain to quickly cure corns as Putnam's Corn and Wart Extractor. Try Putnam's; it's free from acids and painless.

THE PRESIDENT SUPREME

Mr. Roosevelt Says He Is Supreme Head of the Army and Navy.

Washington, May 9—Three members of the United States Senate have received letters from President Roosevelt within the last few days, declaring his supremacy, as commander-in-chief, in all matters referring to the control of the army and navy. The letters have created intense feeling in the Senate, and it is not unlikely that they will precipitate a conference of Republican members.

The letters in every case are in defense of his course in discharging without honor the negro soldiers he believed to be guilty of shooting up the town of Brownsville, Texas, and his action in banishing Col. William F. Stewart to an abandoned military post in a desert section of Arizona.

$40,000 CAT CHLOROFORMED

Was One of the Heirs of Man Who Left Fortune for Care of Two Pets.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., May 9—After enjoying for several years a fortune of $40,000, Blackie, one of the two pet cats of the late Benjamin Dilley, was chloroformed today, and is now dead, aged 16. The act of mercy was performed after physicians had pronounced Blackie's illness hopeless, and with the consent of the executors of the will.

Dilley, who died in 1905, had made Blackie and his sister, Pinkie, pets since their birth in 1892. In his will he left the income of a $40,000 property to provide for them, and appointed Miss Addie Ruch at $75 a month to care for them, giving her this through life.

The cats had the daintiest of food, and the house where they lived was arranged for their convenience. They grew big and fat and lazy, never being allowed to run at large or associate with other cats.

Pinkie died two years ago. Miss Ruch was taken seriously ill three weeks ago, and is in the hospital. Her departure affected Blackie, and some days ago he, too, became seriously sick.

When the estate is divided most of it will go to charitable institutions, and $5,000 toward providing "a fountain for human beings, birds and animals," as the will expressed it.

A PRAYER PINNED TO BABY

"May God Forgive Me for Deserting Him on Such a Night."

New York, May 9.—"May God forgive me for deserting baby on such a night," was the note Henry Randall found pinned to a basket that he stumbled upon inside the door of the apartment house where he lives, at 300 East One Hundred and Nineteenth street, last night. It wasn't the note that first attracted Randall's attention. It was baby.

Baby yelled when Randall's foot pushed against the basket in the dark. Randall lit a match and found a week-old boy, well dressed, even to pink ribbons about its wrists and white knit socks, that kicked upward into his peering face. The basket was wet, but baby was very dry. That's why he yelled so lustily.

Randall had never found anything on his steps but the milk and the paper before, so he shifted responsibility, and summoned a policeman. Baby went to the East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street station, and there Mrs. Cleary, the matron, found a package of prepared baby food on the shelf where she keeps her birdseed. After that baby was content to go to Bellevue, like any other citizen in difficulties.

EAST ELGIN CONS SELECT MR. BROWER

In Convention at Aylmer, Name Him for the Legislature.

Aylmer, May 9.—Mr. C. A. Brower, M. P. P., was unanimously chosen to represent the Conservative party of East Elgin in the forthcoming election in the convention here today.

The hall was filled with enthusiastic electors, who cheered the nomination of Mr. Brower, and listened with great attention to the Hon. Mr. Hanna.

Mr. J. L. Thayer, president of the association, in a brief introductory speech expressed his pleasure at seeing the large attendance. He then called for nominations for the Legislature, the name of C. A. Brower, M. P. P., being immediately moved by Dr. Marlatt, Aylmer, and W. Scott, Bingham.

Mr. Brower was pronounced the choice of the convention amid a great show of enthusiasm.

Upon arising to speak Mr. Brower was greeted with a storm of applause. He expressed his delight at once more standing before the electors of East Elgin and especially on hearing that the electors approved of his actions while representing the riding. He had been the candidate many times, but never had he faced an election when there was such a united spirit within the party.

The use of tanbark has fallen off 15 per cent since 1900, although its value has increased.

EULENBURG TORN FROM SICK BED

Kaiser's Friend, Accused By Harden, Arrested on Perjury Charge.

Berlin, May 9. — Prince Philip zu Eulenburg was today placed under actual arrest. The crown prosecutors took this step as a result of the testimony given by two men at the prince's bedside Thursday that Zu Eulenburg had been guilty of wrongful actions with them 25 years ago.

Prince zu Eulenburg was involved in the court scandal in Berlin that grew out of the charges brought by Maximilian Harden, editor of Die Zukunft, last summer. At the second Harden trial the court declared that all the charges made by Harden were absolutely without foundation. After the Harden case closed the public prosecutor started proceedings against Zu Eulenburg.

The prince was taken into custody at his castle in Liebenberg, and brought in an ambulance automobile 40 miles to the Charity Hospital, where he is detained pending further investigation of the charge of perjury made against him. The prince's arrest is taken to mean the irretrievable ruin of this man, once a confidential friend of Emperor William.

The prince might have been chancellor of the empire had he not refused the responsibility. He voluntarily gave up the position of German ambassador in Vienna in 1902, a group of his enemies, it was said, having threatened him with exposure.

A crowd of weeping villagers gathered in the village of Liebenberg, where the prince is greatly beloved, to bid him farewell. The automobile made slow progress during the 40 miles owing to the prisoner's condition. He was suffering greatly from pain, and several times during the journey it was necessary to administer opiates. The prince was carried from the automobile into the hospital. The legal representative of Prince zu Eulenburg moved the release of his client in $125,000 bail, but the court refused to acquiesce.

PADEREWSKI'S FINGERS.

Some Comments on Mechanical Piano-Playing.

Mechanical piano-playing is like mechanical reading, dull and uninteresting. Yet there are musicians who play mechanically, because they have not succeeded in conquering the amazing difficulties which lurk in piano technique. They have a clear appreciation of the composer's thought, but their fingers fail to express their intention and their emotion. It may seem paradoxical, but because of their inability to conquer the mere mechanics of piano playing, their playing is mechanical. If they were technical virtuosi, then they would be great musicians, for they have temperament and poetic insight. For such persons the ordinary pneumatic piano player is of no advantage, because it does not permit of much expression. But the Angelus is not an ordinary piano-player. Its marvelous patented inventions make it possible for the person playing to clearly bring out the melody of any composition and subdue the accompaniment to accent the bass or the treble sections separately or to accelerate or retard the music at will. The Angelus has everything that Paderewski has in his fingers, all it lacks is a musical brain and a poetic temperament, and those can be supplied by the operator of this amazing device, for every music roll gives a clear indication of correct interpretation. Canadians can secure their Angelus as an interior part of the finest piano made in this country, the Gourlay. Messrs. Gourlay, Winter & Leeming, Toronto, have done a great deal for the progress of musical art in this country by providing such a magnificent combination instrument as the Gourlay-Angelus. Catalogue and price list may be obtained by sending a postcard today to Gourlay, Winter & Leeming, 195 Dundas street, London.

LITERARY NOTES

The Quebec number of Onward, an illustrated weekly published by William Briggs, Toronto, is a very timely issue, and handsomely printed. It contains five articles on the founding, five sieges, and conquest of Quebec, with 24 engravings. This number gives a popular account of a subject of interest to all Canadians. Send for free sample.

The reported sale of the Atlantic monthly has evoked much adverse comment in literary America. Concerning the probable changes, the Digest says: "The report is published that Houghton, Mifflin & Co. have parted with a considerable interest in the property to a syndicate of younger men, the chief of whom asserts that the changes are merely of a business character."

In the Woman's Home Companion for May, Dr. Edward Everett Hale gives some good advice to young married folk, and Christine Terhune Herrick approaches the problem of the child in the family from an actually new point of view. "Europe on Five Dollars a Day" is the first of a series of articles on the best way to travel abroad. Mrs. Sangster talks to the American woman of her duties in entertaining her friends. The summer fashions, the dressmaking lesson, the making of lingerie waists, are found in Grace Margaret Gould's fashion department. This issue is also rich in fiction.

CURES THE LITTLE CHILDREN.

When they cry, seem feverish and sick, that's the time to give ten drops of Nerviline in sweetened water. It's harmless, and used by thousands of mothers every day. All dealers sell 25-cent bottles of Polson's Nerviline. Try it.

USES IT EVERY SPRING.

Mr. H. Langley, Hamilton, Ont., writes: "I have used Burdock Blood Bitters as a spring tonic, and I find it the best thing I can take. It builds me right up, and I use it every spring. It is excellent for the blood."

PURIFIES THE BLOOD.

Mrs. George Mason, Apohaqui, N. B., writes: "I have used Burdock Blood Bitters, and it is a splendid spring medicine. It purifies the blood and is the greatest remedy in the world for pimples and boils."

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Try as you may, it is next to impossible to escape so-called "Spring Fever."

You get that Weary, Tired, Listless, Worn-Out, Don't-Care-to-Work Feeling. What is needed is to clean out the system and make the blood pure. The cleansing, blood-purifying action of

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whereby it eliminates all the pent-up poison from the system, starts the sluggish liver working, acts on the kidneys and the bowels, and renders it without exception

THAT TIRED FEELING.

Mr. F. H. Leard, Saskatoon, Sask., writes: "I have used Burdock Blood Bitters as a blood builder and think it an excellent remedy. Everyone should take it in the spring to cure that tired feeling that comes to so many at this time of the year."

THE BEST SPRING MEDICINE

INDIGESTION IN SPRING.

Miss B. Bradley, Hamilton, Ont., writes: "Last spring I used three bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters, as I had indigestion and very thin blood. I tried everything before taking B. B. B., which I think is an excellent spring tonic."

SOME KIND WORDS FOR COLORED RACE

Philadelphia's Mayor Says the Negro Problem Is Solving Itself.

Philadelphia, May 9.—Mayor Reyburn received a great ovation at the opening session of the twenty-third quadrennial conference of the African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church, and in a characteristic address stirred to unrestrained enthusiasm an audience that packed the Wesley A. M. E. Church, an audience that was composed of delegates from all parts of the United States and dependencies, and from Canada, Africa and the Bahamas.

Declaring that the race problem is easily solving itself, the mayor paid a fine tribute to the work accomplished in this direction by the church, which, he said, is teaching its people to believe in God and in their country.

"We hear and read nowadays so much about the race problem," said the mayor, "and I am glad to be able to say that despite this hue and cry it is a problem which you colored people are solving for yourselves.

"There is no reason why a man whose skin is black should not go into the world and make as much of himself as he can. This country offers the opportunity for individual development. If a colored man cannot be protected in this country, then the country is a failure.

"Speaking for our own city, I can say that you are protected, and I can also say that you are doing your part as citizens of it. You are working out the problem to the good of this city, to the good of the country and to the good of the entire world.

"This is an era where there is an arraying of one class against another. I despise it, and while I do not for a moment mean that there should be license to do wrong, I feel that your race should be borne with, encouraged and treated as men, as citizens of a common country.

"I am glad to be here, not because I may be talking to partisans, but to see the people's needs, to come in closer contact with a race that represents a very considerable part of our population. Greater than any political organization, in my opinion, is the good of the whole community, and in addressing you as your mayor I feel I am talking to men and women who have a common country and who believe in it.

"The Government of a city enters into our lives more intimately than any other form of government. This church has done a great work for the country, for the state, and greater than both of these, for the city, for those of us immediately around it. Its influence has been felt here. Colored men have committed crimes here, but so have white men. Your population here is peace-abiding and does not need the blackjack of a policeman constantly hovering over it."

The mayor's address was punctuated with outbursts of applause, and twice he was given the Chautauqua salute, every brown hand in the building waving franctically a white handkerchief.

Professor S. G. Atkins, of North Carolina, responded to the mayor's address of welcome, commenting favorably on the various points made, assuring the mayor that his words would be an inspiration to the colored people, not only of Philadelphia, but in all parts of the country.

GREEN TICKETS MEAN 'RUSH'

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Mr. W. H. Bennett, the member for East Simcoe, was the principal speaker. His address was along the usual Bennett lines, and consisted largely of an attack on Hon. A. G. MacKay.

ST. THOMAS HORSEMAN CRUSHED TO DEATH

Peculiar Fatality To Fred Robison in the Pere Marquette Yards.

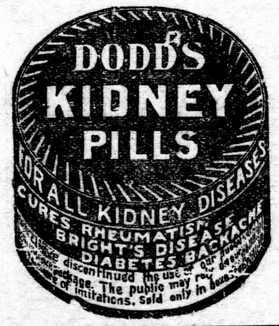
St. Thomas, May 9.—Fred Robison, a horse trainer who has been employed until recently by Dr. C. K. Geary, was instantly killed in the P. M. yards here, shortly before 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Robison intended going to Chatham and he had got into a boxcar, which contained some heavy bridge steel. When the train was being shunted the steel moved and Robison was caught between it and the end of the car with such force as to crush his head so badly that he died a few minutes later. His head and face was badly mutilated by the steel.

Robison was about 35 or 40 years of age and had worked at different times for Arthur Leaky at the Park Hotel, Dr. Geary and Dr. Guest. The whereabouts of his home is not known. He has no relatives here.

Dr. Guest, coroner, was called, but after viewing the body, decided an inquest unnecessary.

In reply to a question in the House of Commons, Mr. E. Robertson stated that the annual cost of a first-class British battleship in full commission was £231,500. A torpedo-boat destroyer cost £17,500, and a first-class torpedo-boat, £6,000.



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THE LONDONS GRAB OFF TWO ONE CLOSE THE OTHER A ROMP

In Fast Seven-Inning Exhibition Game McClary's Lose to Pros Three to Two, While Guelph International Team Is Completely Swamped.

London, 3; McClary, 2.
London, 19, Guelph, 4.

The opening exhibition games of the season at Tecumseh Park were productive of every kind of baseball on the map. There was fair ball, passable ball, and the punkest kind of ball, and despite the fact that the Londons proved victors in both games, the host of fans present left with a bad taste in their mouths.

In fairness to Manager Wreath, however, it can be stated that he was in nowise responsible for that state of affairs. As much cannot be said for Manager Murray, of Guelph, for if there is a pickup team in a local corner lot that cannot trim the aggregation of alleged balltossers that he inflicted on the local public it ought to get off the earth and stay there. It was stated after the game that the Guelph team was a City League aggregation, that was being tried out in response to a demand from the Guelph fans that "home talent" be given a chance. If that be true, then all that can be said is that Guelph and not London was the place to try out dubs at forty cents a throw.

London Has Good Material.

As for the Londons, they showed in both games that with but few changes they have the making of a team several shades faster than the best that the London City League can put up.

Errors almost lost them the game to the McClarys, but clean hitting, coupled with a stolen base and a base on a pitched ball, enabled the wearers of the gray and brown to nose out the prides of the tin factory by one run.

Gianelli Is Good.

To one Gianelli, slab artist par excellence, however, must go the bulk of the credit for the victory, and had he received mid-season support there would have been nothing to it but a goose egg for the tinsmiths. Without desiring to take away any of the credit for their fine showing, it must be said that the McClarys did not earn either of their two runs. Errors on the part of Nobes, "Nig" Jeffries and Dauber were wholly responsible for the tallies, the former being particularly off color. Possibly it was nervousness, perhaps it was because he felt Manager Wreath's eagle lamps upon him, possibly it was these things and more, but the fact remains that Nobes apparently couldn't have stopped a barrel had it been rolled down the first base line Saturday. It looks like Rochester and the City League for his.

"Isshy" Went Up.

For the Smiths "Isshy" Clarke did things up in nice style, but the pros got to him in the sixth and it was all off. Clarke held the coingrabbers down safely until that time, however, and it was bunching of hits which broke up the combination.

There was nothing stirring on either side until the fourth when the Smiths copped off their only points. Nobes at first made two rank fumbles in that round, while "Nig" Jeffries played greasy fingers with one which landed square in his mitts out in left garden. "Tootie" purloined two bags, and Dauber helped things along by heaving heavenward while trying to cop a runner at first.

Bird Steals Second.

The pros were never dangerous until the sixth. Bird took one of Clarke's port siders in the region of the bread box, and stole second. "Nig" fanned. Shortman took a ride, and Bird scored on Dauber's hit. Gates bumped the pill on the nozzle, and in a throwing fest which followed, Shortman and Douber went in Perch flew out and Gianelli was out from short to first.

The Londons went down in three and four fashion up until that time, while the City Leaguers managed to get as far as third in the third on a wild throw.

Neither side got further than third after the sixth, and the game was called in the eighth in order to get through with the second affair in time for Guelph to catch a train.

The score:

McClarrys.	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Gateclifte, r. f.	3	0	0	1	1	0
Jackson, 2 b.	4	0	1	1	1	0
O'Rourke, 3 b.	4	0	0	2	0	0
B. Jeffries, c.	4	1	0	5	1	1
Clark, p.	3	0	0	0	1	0
Eccleston, l. f.	3	0	0	2	0	0
Dewan, c. f.	3	1	0	4	0	0
Wanless, 1 b.	3	0	0	5	0	0
Ball, s. s.	3	0	0	1	1	1
Totals.	30	2	1	21	5	2

Beavers.	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Keenan, 3 b.	4	0	2	0	1	2
Klincke, 2 b.	3	0	1	3	0	0
Bird, s. s.	3	1	1	1	5	0
C. Jeffries, l. f.	4	0	0	1	0	1
Shortman, r. f.	2	1	0	0	0	0
Forsch, c. f.	2	0	1	1	0	0
Dauber, c.	3	1	1	8	3	1
Nobes, 1 b.	1	0	0	4	0	2
Gates, 1 b.	2	0	1	5	0	0
Gianelli, p.	3	0	0	1	1	1
Totals.	37	3	7	24	10	7

McClarys . . . . . 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0— 2
Beavers . . . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 *— 3

Stolen bases—B. Jeffries 2, Wanless, Bird.
Two-base hit—Keenan.
Struck out—By Gianelli 9: O'Rourke 2, B. Jeffries 2, Clark 2, Eccleston, Wanless, Ball. By Clark 5: C. Jeffries 2, Dauber, Nobes, Gates.
Bases on balls—Off Gianelli: Gateclifte. Off Clark 2: Klincke, Forsch.
Hit by pitched ball—By Clark: Bird.
Left on bases—McClarys 5, Beavers 7.
Time—1:30.
Umpire—Culligan.

THE SECOND GAME.

The second contest on the card was a nightmare, and before it was half over a large share of the spectators had departed for home. Prior to the beginnning Umpire Culligan anounced that but seven innings would be played. Seven was plenty—in fact, seven more like them would just about give the International League a black eye from which it might never recover.

This affair brought together two local slabsters in Walter Gibson, for the Londons and Loudy Kerr for Guelph.

Kerr "Ballooned."

Gibson worked nicely, but Kerr became entangled in the meshes of a passing gas bag and soared upward before two men had been retired. But even at that Turner, who took his place in the first inning, was raw, and Kerr could not have possibly done worse had he been allowed to remain.

The game—if such it can be termed—was in the nature of a workout for the Londons, and Gibson, Payne and "Cy" Parkins took turns flinging them up.

To attempt to accurately describe the contest would be almost impossible for bingles, passed balls, wild pitches and every other old thing came so fast at the outset that it required two scorers to look after them.

Here's the Sad Tale.

Loudy got off to a bad start by giving Keenan a ride. The second ball pitched went behind the veteran's back. This started the kids in the bleachers. Then everybody took a whack at the pellet, or walked down to Dauber, with the exception of Bird who flew out. Manager Murray glanced at the scoreboard, saw five runs marked down on the London side of the ledger, and signaled for the erratic one to depart for other quarters. Four more runs were gathered off Turner before the side was retired. In all twelve men came to bat in that session.

The second spasm was practically a repetition of the first, with the exception that the Londons didn't work to hard and scored but three runs. In the fourth four hits, a passed ball, errors and stolen bases gave them four more, while three runs were added to the list in the sixth, on two passed balls, a wild pitch, an error and four hits.

Two singles, a two-bagger and a sacrifice brought the visitors a brace of points in the fifth and they managed to scrape up two more in the last two innings.

Bird's Nice Catch.

Bird pulled off a good running one-hand catch of a liner off McGunnigle's bat in the third, and received a hand for his effort. Keenan also got away with a little stunt in the last by pulling down a hot one from McGunnigle and doubling Murray at second.

Jack McHugh, the local City League player, made his debut in professional baseball by playing first base for the Guelph outfit. Jack showed up in better form than the rest of the bunch, and should make good, with a little more experience. The score:

Runs by innings:
Guelph . . . . . 0 0 0 0 2 1 1— 4
Beavers . . . . . 9 3 0 5 0 2 *—19

HAMILTON AND FALLS BREAK EVEN

Hamilton, April 11.—Hamilton and Niagara Falls of the International League broke even on their Saturday and Sunday games, Hamilton winning Saturday, 2 to 1, and the Falls on Sunday, 2 to 1. Both games were fast, and were witnessed by large crowds. The score:

Saturday's Game.

Hamilton . . . . . 0000001001— 2 5 2
Niagara Falls . . . . 1000000000— 1 4 3

Batteries—Gleason and Derohn; Doremus and McCabe.

Sunday's Game.

Hamilton . . . . . 0000010000— 1 3 1
Niagara Falls . . . . 0010000001— 2 7 1

Batteries—Bridgford, Fenske, Murr and Howard; Doremus and McCabe.

SULLIVAN LOSES TO KETCHELL

San Francisco, Cal., May 9.—Stanley Ketchell, of Montana, knocked out Jack (Twin) Sullivan, of Boston, in the twentieth round at Colma today. The fight was scheduled to go 35 rounds.

The fight up to the ninth round was even. Then for two rounds Ketchell battered Sullivan about the ring, severely punishing him about the body and face. Sullivan rallied to some extent in the eleventh round, but again weakened, and in the thirteenth and the fifteenth rounds he was knocked down for a count of nine. In the twentieth round, after a few moments of ineffective sparring, Ketchell sent Sullivan to the floor with a terrific left-hand blow to the stomach. Sullivan rose at the count of nine, weak but game, only to be sent down again, this time to stay.

Another attempt has failed to wrest from the sands of the Mexican shore line the treasure supposed to be lying with the bones of the steamer Golden Gate, which was burned off Manzanillo in 1862.

The man who is fond of his own company insists upon choosing.

OPENING GAMES DOWN THE RIVER

St. Johns Wallop the Blues and the Iveys Defeat the Greys Saturday

The first game of the Springbank League season at the park Saturday was of the corner-lot or garden variety.

St. John's Athletic Club team walloped the Blues through the first half of the game, scoring 12 runs without allowing their opponents to land one.

The game was a walk away for St. John's until the last half, when the Blues were on their mettle. In the four inning they held the Athletics down to one run while they piled up three.

They played with greater care, made no wiid pitches and held on to the ball.

A. George, of the St. John's, was long on stolen bases. He gathered them in thrice.

Johnston, McLeod, Nichols, Lackie, Moore, McCall and Collins also indulged in some thievery.

Brodison threw from first to Mockler at third, making a neat double play.

Collins struck out seven, Nichols three. Collins let three away on balls.

Six Blues and three Saints were left on bases.

Scorer Hislop kept accurate tab on the game, which lasted an hour and one half.

Score by innings:
Blues . . . . . 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 1 1— 4
St. John's . . . . 1 6 4 1 0 0 1 0 *—13

The following is the official score:

Blues.	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Johnston, l. f.	5	1	1	0	0	1
McLeod, c.	3	0	1	4	3	0
F. George, 3b., 2b.	4	0	0	4	5	0
Pinch, 2b., r.f., 1b.	4	0	0	11	1	1
Thompson, r.f., 3b.	4	0	0	0	0	1
Nicholls, p.	4	3	2	0	7	0
Calhoun, s. s.	4	0	2	0	3	2
Lackie, 1b., r.f., 3b.	4	0	0	5	1	2
Davidson, c. f.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.	34	4	6	24	20	9

St. Johns.	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Healey, l. f.	5	1	2	1	0	0
Moon, c. f.	5	2	1	0	0	0
Brodison, 1 b.	5	1	2	12	1	0
Marr, r. f.	5	0	0	0	1	0
McCall, 2 b.	4	3	1	2	2	1
George, s. s.	4	3	2	1	1	0
Mockler, 3 b.	4	1	1	3	0	1
Collins, p.	4	0	0	0	6	0
Russell, c.	1	1	0	2	1	0
Gillies, c.	3	0	1	6	0	0
Totals.	40	13	10	27	13	2

The Second Game.

The Ivys defeated the Grays in the second game—a very fast one.

There were very few spectators, as a strong, cold wind was blowing from the northwest, making very few care to "stick it out."

It being the first day of the Springbank League season, the players were not quite up to their standard.

Hawthorne, the first man up for the Grays, was put out at third base. Stanton went out on a foul. Steele got away all right, but was left on third, when Clark was put out at first base.

Ivys Start Well.

Things opened nicely for the Ivys. Macfie got away on balls. Munro was put out at first. Tucker was nabbed at second, after getting a start on balls. Perrie reached first safely and worked up to second. Moon got started off with four balls. Perrie moved to third and Moon to second, when Clark filled up first base. John struck out, leaving three men on bases. Macfie scored the first run of the game.

Densmore and Hardy, the first two men up, brought home one run each. Moise was put out on a fly. Hawthorne was evidently asleep, for he allowed the catcher to touch him out at the third strike without moving away from the plate. Stanton was caught at first. Two runs were chalked up to the Grays.

Jeffreys and Durham, of the Ivys, both scored. Macfie was put out at first. Munro struck out. Tucker took four balls. Moon ceased to shine at first, leaving Tucker and Perrie on bases.

The Grays went out in one, two, three fashion. Steele's fly was gathered in. Clark was put out at second, and Densmore followed the example of Steele.

Durham was nailed at second base. Macfie got to first, but was caught in the only double play of the game. Munroe knocked a fly, Macfie went on to second, and was put out before he had time to return to first.

Grays—Hardy knocked a fly and was put out. Moise reached second base. Daniels struck out. Stevens was captured at first, leaving Moise on third.

Ivys—Tucker out at first. Perrie attempted to steal second, but was boxed between the bases and put out. Moon was given four balls. Clark was left on second, when John was put out at first. Moon was left on third.

Grays—Hawthorne was put out at second base. Stanton was touched at the home plate. Clark went down at first base, leaving Steele on third.

Ivys—Jeffreys was touched at first base. Durham got to first. Macfie made first, moving Durham up. Tucker's hit brought both men home. Perrie got a start on balls. Moon struck out, leaving Perrie on the second bag.

Grays—Hawthorne's fly was gathered in. Stanton reached first. Steele struck out. Clark knocked a foul. Three out, with Stanton on base.

Ivys—Clark opened by being put out at first base. John and Jeffreys went off on balls. Durham was the second man out. Macfie was touched at first.

Grays—Densmore was started on four balls. Hardy and Moise reached second and first base, respectively. They remained there, when Daniels and Stevens were struck out.

Ivys—Munro started off nicely, followed by Tucker. Perrie was given four balls. Munro scored. Moon was put out at first. Clark struck out. John got away on balls, but never passed first base, as Jeffreys knocked a foul which put him out.

Grays—Hawthorne was put out on a fly. Stanton, Steele and Clark started off. Densmore went out on a fly. Hardy made a hit that brought Stanton home. Moise ended the game by striking out.

Steele, Macfie, Munro and Tucker stole one bag each. Durham stole two. Stanton made the only two-base hit of the game. Munro had a sacrifice hit. There was one double play by Daniels to Hawthorne. Perrie came out strong, striking out seven men. Densmore was next in line with three strike-outs, and Clark next with two.

Perrie and Densmore let three each away on balls. Clark started two off.

The Grays had thirteen men left on bases, the Ivys fourteen.

Umpire McColl was fair and impartial. He did his work well.

Scorer W. Hislop was accurate. He proved his knowledge of the game.

The game lasted 1 hour and 35 minutes.

Score by innings:
Grays . . . . . 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 1— 3
Ivys . . . . . 1 2 0 0 0 2 0 1 *— 6

The following are Scorer Hislop's figures:

Grays.	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Hawthorne, 1 b.	5	0	0	12	8	1
Stanton, s. s.	5	1	2	0	0	1
Steele, l. f.	5	0	2	0	0	0
Clark, r. f., p.	5	0	1	0	2	1
Densmore, p., r.f.	4	1	0	1	4	0
Hardey, 3 b.	5	1	0	1	2	2
Moisse, c.	5	0	0	5	3	0
Daniels, c. f.	3	0	0	1	1	1
Stevens, 2 b.	3	0	0	4	5	0
Totals.	40	3	5	24	20	6

Ivys.	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Macfie, c.	4	2	3	9	2	0
Monroe, 3 b.	4	1	0	3	1	2
Tucker, 1 b.	3	0	2	5	0	1
Perrie, p.	3	0	1	2	5	1
Moon, l. f.	3	0	0	1	0	1
Clark, s. s.	5	0	1	1	2	4
John, 2 b.	4	0	2	3	3	1
Jeffries, r. f.	4	1	1	1	0	2
Durham, c. f.	4	2	1	2	0	0
Totals.	34	6	11	27	9	11

Baseball Brevities

Chicago Record-Herald: In inning No. 7 Wagner and Tinker threw the crowd into laughter. The Dutchman drove a liner at Tinker's wheel side, turning him around, knocking him down, and causing him to muff the ball. Tinker blamed it on the mud.

Merritt, of Jersey City, and Whitney, of Buffalo, are the only first basemen in the Eastern League with perfect fielding records. The Skeeter has accepted 129 chances in ten games and the Bison 137 in eleven games.

Artie Hofman, though with the club, is unable to play. He injured his hand the day he played second against St. Louis, bruising the cut he got in Cincinnati. His hand is now badly swollen, and it will be a week or ten days before he can get in the game again.

New York Sun: Joe Kelley, manager of the Bostonians, does not intend to go short of players. He has the whole oven of Beans here, including several athletes who have been tried out on the field of battle this spring. Besides the headliners there is the usual scenery and properties such as substitutes, business managers, trainers, owners, scribes, and others. A large force of trunks accompanies the Doves, as they are just beginning a long western trip. They go west from here with the Giants next Sunday.

Hans Wagner is hitting less than .200 and the Pirate fans are worrying. They fear the great Dutchman has gone back and will not be the Honus of yore. But the sage of Carnegie is not worrying. He's confident he will be in the midst of his annual swatfest before long, and then look out for a soaring batting average. "I'm hitting the ball as hard as ever," said Hans, "but there are a lot of fresh guys out there in the field waiting for me, and they do more acrobatic stunts than I ever saw pulled off before."

Detroit News: The Tigers started out in their last year's stride at the plate, but the pitchers could not prevent the other side from hitting just a little bit harder. When the pitchers got going the hitting slumped. The fielding has been erratic because of lack of spring training. Overconfidence hurt at first and now overanxiety is hurting far more. And, above all this, there is the big fact, granted by the most impartial of critics—the Tigers have been bumping into hard luck from the start. They have fought hard to win, but a steady string of hard luck has pursued them.

Manager Clark Griffith of the New York Highlanders received notice from President Johnson of the American League of his indefinite suspension for trouble with Umpire Connolly in the game at Washington last Monday. Griffith expects the suspension to be lifted in three days. When Connolly ordered Griffith off the grounds after disputing a decision too violently, "Grift" refused to go, but took a seat in the pavilion back of third base. Player Moriarity joined him and nearly got into a fight with a spectator. Umpire Connolly considered the offense serious enough to report to President Johnson, and that official's action followed promptly.

BOURASSA BOBS UP

Will Contest Some Constituency in Quebec as Independent.

Montreal, May 9.—Henri Bourassa was in the city last evening, and gave out a statement that he would at once enter the provincial arena, starting his campaign this evening. Just what his plans are Mr. Bourassa would not say further than that he intended to run in some constituency and resume the campaign which he began in Bellechasse along independent Liberal lines. Although Mr. Bourassa has not yet decided in which constituency he will run, it is expected that he will contest Ste. Hyacinthe.

RAMBLERS AND THE SATELLITES

Big Crowd Witnesses Two Fast Games of Ball in East End League.

Old Sol behaved himself comparatively well under the circumstances Saturday, and as a result two games of ball were played in the East End League. The Ramblers won from the Oriens, in the opening contest, and the Stars won from Somervilles 12 to 9. There was a very large crowd in attendance, fully 2,000 people being in the park.

The first game was not what would be called a good game, although the score was close all the way, and there was considerable excitement. The batteries did most of the work, and kept the hits widely scattered. And they were handicapped, as they had to pitch against a heavy head wind all day. The fielders did not have much to do, although a couple of swell catches were pulled off by Brooks and Delaney.

Heathfield Good.

The Ramblers won because of the good work of Heathfield, the little southpaw. He pitched one of the best games seen in the east end for some days, and was practically unhittable.

Only three hits were gathered off his offerings, Brennan getting one and Delaney a pair. He had a snuff-out record to be proud of, striking out eight men.

Also Chapman.

And Chapman did not pitch such a bad game, either. Outside the fourth inning he did great work, and breezed out any number of batters. His strikeout record for seven innings is hard to beat. In the second he was hit some, and his support wavered a trifle. But he pitched beautiful ball all the way.

Brennan, the diminutive catcher of the Ramblers had a busy day, and caught a smashing good game.

There were very few features outside of the work of the batteries. The day was cold and real snappy ball was out of the question.

The box score tells the tale.

Oriens.	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Brennan, c.	3	1	1	13	3	0
Delaney, l. f.	3	1	2	1	0	0
Gregory, s. s.	3	0	0	0	1	1
Perkins, 2 b.	3	0	0	3	0	1
A. Males, 1 b.	3	0	0	3	0	1
Tozer, c. f.	3	0	0	1	1	0
W. Jeffries, 3 b.	3	0	0	0	1	0
Seltzer, r. f.	3	1	0	0	0	0
Chapman, p.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.	24	3	3	21	6	3

Ramblers.	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Campbell, l. f.	4	0	0	1	0	1
Smith, s. s.	3	1	1	1	2	0
Cochrane, 1 b.	4	2	2	7	1	0
Sharratt, 3 b.	4	2	2	0	1	0
Quick, r. f.	3	0	1	0	0	1
Shannon, 2 b.	3	0	1	1	2	0
Brooks, c. f.	3	0	0	3	0	0
McConnell, c.	3	0	0	9	1	0
Heathfield, p.	3	1	0	1	1	0
Totals.	29	5	8	21	8	2

Ramblers . . . . . 0 1 0 3 1 0 0— 5
Oriens . . . . . 1 0 0 1 1 0 0— 3

Earned runs—Oriens 1, Ramblers 1.
Two-base hit—Cochrane.
Three-base hit—Brennan.
Stolen bases—Delaney, Smith, Cochrane, Sharratt 2, Brooks, Heathfield.
Bases on balls—Off Chapman: Smith, McConnell. Off Heathfield: Seltzer.
Struck out—By Chapman: Campbell 2, Smith, Cochrane 2, Sharratt, Quick, Shannon 2, Brooks, McConnell 2, Heathfield. By Heathfield: Brennan 2, Gregory, Perkins 2, Males, Jeffries, Seltzer.
Left on bases—Oriens 1, Ramblers 4.
Double play—Tozer to Males.
First base on errors—Oriens 1, Ramblers 1.
Umpire—Pierce.
Scorer—Woonton.

Stars and Somervilles.

The Stars won from the Somerville team in a game that was full of excitement. It was a hard-hitting game, and almost anything was liable to happen any time.

The Somervilles started off at a merry clip, hammering out ten runs off Eddie Jackson and Hart. Jackson was not up to his usual form and quit. Hart got away beautifully after the third inning, and had the Somervilles sewed up. They could not get going on him.

In the third and fourth innings the Stars hit Peacock heavily, and with a few errors and one or two bad decisions got seven runs across. They were held runless until the eighth inning, when two runs were garnered. In the ninth the Stars went in for keeps, and by dint of some good stickwork got a good start and won the game.

Ambrose Fitzmaurice and Myers had a great day with the gad, getting four hits apiece. Murray also hit four times. Billy Bell came back to earth, playing second base for the gum men. He played it right, too, making the star catch of the afternoon.

The score:

Somervilles.	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
R. Myers, l. f.	5	3	4	2	0	0
A. Fitzmaurice, s.s.	5	1	4	2	1	2
W. Bell, 2 b.	4	1	1	3	2	1
McCausland, 1 b.	5	1	1	10	0	1
Peacock, p.	5	0	0	0	3	0
Donohue, c. f.	3	1	1	1	1	1
J. Fitzmaurice, r.f.	4	0	1	0	0	0
Gillies, c.	4	1	1	9	1	1
C. Gibson, 3 b.	2	2	1	0	5	0
Totals.	38	10	14	27	13	6

Stars.	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Jackson, p., 3 b.	2	3	0	6	2	0
Hosie, 2 b.	5	2	2	0	4	2
Phillips, c. f.	6	1	1	0	0	0
Murray, r. f.	5	1	4	0	0	1
Eccleston, l. f.	5	0	0	3	0	1
Ball, s. s.	5	0	1	0	4	0
Allport, 1 b.	5	2	3	6	1	0
Pook, c.	5	3	2	11	2	0
Hughes, 3 b.	0	0	0	1	0	0
Hart, p.	4	1	1	0	5	0
Totals.	42	13	12	27	18	4

Somervilles . . . . . 4 2 4 0 0 0 0 0 0—10
Stars . . . . . 0 0 5 2 0 0 0 2 4—13

Earned runs—Stars 3, Somervilles 2.
Two-base hits—McCausland, A. Fitzmaurice, Murray, Pook 2, Hart. Bases on Balls—Off Jackson: Gibson. Off Hart: Gibson, Donohue 2. Off Peacock: Jackson 2.
Innings pitched—Jackson 2, Hart 7.
Hits—Off Jackson 6, off Hart 8.
Stolen bases—Hosie, Eccleston, Allport.
Struck out—By Jackson: McCausland, Peacock, Donohue. By Hart: McCausland 2, Gillies 2, Peacock 2, Donohue, Gibson. By Peacock: Jackson, Hosie, Phillips 3, Ball, Hart.
Sacrifice hit—Jackson.
Left on bases—Somervilles 5, Stars 7.
Passed balls—Gillies 2.
Hit by pitcher—Jackson, Hosie.
First base on errors—Somervilles 1, Stars 4.
Umpire—Pierce.
Scorer—Woonton.

Fast Soccer at the Heights Y. M. C. A. Now Leads League

In the Soccer League the Y. M. C. A. defeated the North End team in a fast game on Carling's Heights.

The games were excellent and attracted very large crowds.

The Y. M. C. A. and North End teams were formerly tied for first place. The "Y." now has the lead, having defeated the North Enders 5 to 0.

The Second Game.

The second game was very fast also. The McClarys and Chelsea Green teams played to a draw.

Neither team made a goal.

Dunlevy wants the W. F. A. team to turn out tonight for practice.

The games are arousing great interest, there being over 300 spectators at the heights Saturday.

TWO NEAT WINS FOR THE TIGERS

Wild Bill and Big Ed. Killian Shatter the Hopes of the Browns.

American League Standing.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	12	7	.632
Cleveland	11	8	.579
Philadelphia	12	9	.571
St. Louis	11	11	.500
Chicago	10	10	.500
Detroit	8	11	.421
Washington	8	11	.421
Boston	8	13	.381

Games Today.

Philadelphia at Washington.
New York at Boston.

Yesterday's Results.

Detroit 6—11, St. Louis, 2—4.
Chicago, 1—2; Cleveland, 3—0.

St. Louis, May 10.—Hughey Jennings' Detroit Tigers put an awful crimp in the pennant aspirations of the browns today. The two teams battled in two games and each game was captured by the members from the City of the Straits.

"Wild Bill" Donovan, the king of the 1907 twirlers, made his debut in the opening game for the Tigers and was an easy winner, 6 to 2. It was an easy game the big right hander had In No. 2 Eddie Killian simply had a walkover, 11 to 4. Never before have the Browns put up two such bogus games. It was like a case of a derby horse bucking a selling plater.

St. Louis . . . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1— 2
Detroit . . . . . 0 0 1 0 0 4 0 1 0— 6

Batteries — Waddell, Pelty and Schweitzer; Donovan and Payne. Umpire, Egan.

St. Louis . . . . . 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 1 0— 4
Detroit . . . . . 2 4 0 3 0 1 0 1 0—11

Batteries—Dinnen and Schweitzer; Killian and Payne. Umpire Egan.

National League Standing.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chicago	13	5	.722
Pittsburg	10	6	.625
New York	11	7	.611
Philadelphia	10	9	.526
Boston	10	9	.526
Cincinnati	6	10	.375
Brooklyn	7	13	.350
St. Louis	6	13	.316

Games Today.

Philadelphia at Chicago.
New York at Pittsburg.
Brooklyn at St. Louis.
Boston at Cincinnati.

Yesterday's Results.

Chicago, 6—0; Pittsburg, 2—1.
St. Louis, 0—8; Cincinnati, 1—7.

Even Break at Chicago.

Chicago, May 10.—Cleveland broke even with Chicago here today, winning the first game, 3 to 1, with a batting rally in the ninth inning, and suffering a shut-out in the other, 2 to 0. Scores:

Chicago . . . . . 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0— 1
Cleveland . . . . . 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2— 3

Second Game.

Chicago . . . . . 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 *— 2
Cleveland . . . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0— 0

Cubs and Pirates Split.

Chicago, May 10.—Leifield's three passes and two singles gave the locals two runs in the sixth inning of the first game. Four more were added in the seventh on an error, an out, and a nice bunching of two doubles and a single.

Pittsburg won the second game, 1 to 0, on Wagner's steal and Abbaticchio's hit to center. The locals were unable to hit Willis safely, getting but two singles, although Clarke robbed them of three doubles by sensational catches in the left field crowd. Scores:

First Game.

Chicago . . . . 0 0 0 0 0 2 4 0 *—6 7 0
Pittsburg . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—2 5 1

Second Game.

Chicago . . . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 2 0
Pittsburg . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—1 5 0

Each Take One.

St. Louis, May 10.—Cincinnati and St. Louis broke even today, Cincinnati taking the first game, 2 to 0, while the home team won the second, 8 to 7. The final game was long drawn-out and poorly played. Scores:

First Game.

St. Louis . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 4 2
Cincinnati . . 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0—3 6 2

Bateries—Karger and Marshall and Bliss; Ewing and Schlei.

Second Game.

St. Louis . . 1 0 0 5 1 0 0 0 1—8 13 2
Cincinnati . . . 1 0 4 0 2 0 0 0 0—7 13 2

Batteries—Lush, Higginbotham and Ludwig; McCarthy, Tozer, Spade and Schlei.

American Association.

Milwaukee 6, Indianapolis 0.
Minneapolis 3, Columbus 2.
St. Paul 1, Toledo 14.
Kansas City 2, Louisville 3.

SATURDAY'S GAMES.
National League.

Chicago 1, Pittsburg 0.
St. Louis 3, Cincinnati 1.
Philadelphia 1, Brooklyn 0.
New York 7, Boston 3.

SATURDAY'S GAMES.
American League.

St. Louis 2, Chicago 1, (first game.)
Chicago 6, St. Louis 3, (Second game).

First Game.

Cleveland 4, Detroit 3.
Detroit 5, Cleveland 2 (six innings).
Washington 6, Philadelphia 2.
New York 2, Boston 1.

At Jersey City—
Jersey City . . 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—2 6 2
Buffalo . . . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 2 3

Kissinger and Ryan; Mason and Fitzgerald. Umpires—Moran and Sullivan.

At Baltimore—
Baltimore . . 1 0 1 0 5 0 1 1 0— 9 15 4
Rochester . . 0 0 1 0 2 0 0 7 1—11 15 2

Hardy, Pearson, McCloskey, Dessau and Byers; Henley, Finlayson and Erwin. Umpire—Kelly.

Sunday Games.

At Newark—
Newark 8, Baltimore 3.
At Providence—
Providence 3, Montreal 3.
At Jersey City—
Toronto 4, Jersey City 3.

NOT A PARTISAN ISSUE

Hughes Appeals to Republicans and Democrats to Abolish the Evil.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., May 9.—One of the most remarkable campaigns in the history of the state ended with a meeting here tonight at which Governor Charles E. Hughes made his final appeal to the voters of the Forty-seventh senate district to elect William C. Wallace, the Republican candidate, to the vacancy caused by the death of Senator Francot. The election will take place next Tuesday, Mr. Wallace has pledged himself to vote to sustain the recommendation made by Governor Hughes for the abolition of race track gambling. The Agnew-Hart bills embodying this recommendation were defeated in the senate by a tie vote, 25 to 25, at the regular session of the Legislature. The special election in this district has attracted more than ordinary attention because the governor has called on extraordinary session of the Legislature to convene next Monday night, and the successful candidate of this special election may cast a vote which will decide the fate of the measures which there is no doubt Governor Hughes will again recommend.

Throughout the two counties it is generally considered that the result of the special election will be close. Although the district is normally Republican, the Democratic leaders maintain there are several elements which make the result doubtful.

In his speeches Governor Hughes has directed his appeals to Republicans and Democratic alike, declaring that the issue is not a partisan issue. His fervent appeals in behalf of his recommendation, and his bitter denouncement of "gambling, special interests and political machines defying the will of the people" were received with apparent enthusiasm.

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Riotous Youths Attack Man of House Found Way Into Court as a Result

Case Adjourned for a Week—Other Police Court Business.

G. Friedmann, a young Swede, and Sydney Hart, two young men who have been boarding at the house of James Reid, on William street south, were arrested on Saturday evening for assaulting Mr. Reid.

Both young men are said to have come home late in a drunken condition, and when Mr. Reid asked them to get out they jumped on him and bit his hands and punched him.

The police were called and the young men were taken to the station.

The case was adjourned for a week and Friedmann and Hart were each bailed in the sum of $200.

A Vagrant.

James Lamont, a colored man, who says he came from Chicago, was arrested early yesterday morning in the Grand Trunk yards and charged with vagrancy. It is likely that a charge of stealing an overcoat from a Pullman car will be laid against Lamont. He was remanded for a week.

Charles Christie, who went down last week and tried to tear down a house on Horton street, was again remanded as no reports regarding his sanity have been received from the jail physician yet.

Again Adjourned.

The case against J. B. Smallman and E. Martyn, of breaking the law in regard to the protection of employes working in buildings, was again adjourned.

D. Snell, a young man who has been in court before, was fined $2 for being drunk.

Englishmen's Picnic on 7th of July

The executive committee of the English picnic for 1908 having been granted permission to hold meetings in the city hall, held its first meeting on Saturday night, ex-Ald. Neil Cooper in the chair.

A vote of thanks was passed, and the secretary was requested to communicate the same to the council for placing the city hall at the disposal of the Englishmen of the city.

The sports committee reported that it had elected Mr. R. Flawn, of the Sons of England, and Mr. Ronald R. A. Emery, of St. George's Society, chairman and secretary, respectively.

The meeting was well attended, and reports showed that not only here in London, but from St. Thomas and other places, keen interest was being taken in this, the second annual English picnic.

The question of a musical entertainment was gone into, and a band committee, consisting of Messrs. R. R. A. Emery, John Nutkins, P. Widdicombe and R. Flawn, was appointed.

The ways and means committee is now prepared to receive prizes for sports; also any contribution the citizens of London may wish to make.

The railway committee has not yet concluded its inquiries, but if satisfactory railway service is offered and the conditions are favorable the picnic will be held at Port Stanley on July 7. St. George's Society and the Sons of England have joined hands, and with the assistance of the other Englishmen in the city, it is anticipated that a real good time will be assured to everyone attending the second annual picnic.

A New Prize for the Rifle Shooters

Ottawa, Ont., May 11.—With a view to the greater encouragement of rifle-shooting among members of the Canadian Rifle Association, the militia council will offer an individual prize to be known as "The Dominion of Canada Salver," to each gazetted and efficient association, for competition during the season of 1908. The prize is a nickel-silver ornamented salver, bearing the Canadian coat-of-arms. Competitors must be members of the association they represent prior to June 1, and a salver for each association will be awarded the competitor who makes the highest aggregate score for a regular season's shooting at all ranges, fixed by rules governing the competition.

The Tuberculosis Exhibit Is Open

The tuberculosis exhibit opens in the city hall tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Dr. Jones and Dr. Wanless, of the Government staff will be in the city tomorrow morning and will remain part of the week.

Dr. Hodgetts, provincial health inspector, and Dr. Bell, assistant inspector, of Toronto, will also be in the city tomorrow and will take charge of the exhibit.

Bishop Williams will preside at the meeting tomorrow night.

This exhibit is one of the finest things in Canada, Ald. Stewart declares, and the public will miss a great educational treat if they do not attend this series.

The public is invited to attend.

Big Crowd at Depot to See Moir

Nearly 300 people were waiting at the Grand Trunk depot this morning when train No. 65 from Guelph pulled in. The rumor had spread that Moir was coming in on the train, and the crowd waited anxiously for a sight of the famous fugitive. They were all disappointed, however, as Moir will not arrive until 11 o'clock tonight on the C. P. R. express from Toronto. He will be lodged in the police station over night, and will appear before Magistrat Love probably tomorrow morning.

Large crowds of people anxious to see Moir, the murderer, are thronging the station platform at the Grand Trunk on Rectory street. Every passenger train attracts the crowds.

At a special meeting of the city council tonight a bylaw will be passed granting $2,000 to the Western Fair board, to be used for repairs and improvements at Queen's Park.

Liberals, See Your Name Is on List

All young Liberals whose names are not on the voters' lists should register.

The registration will commence very shortly, and it is imperative that every voter should get his name on the list.

Call on the secretary of the Liberal Association at Hyman Hall and see if your name is on the list. There will be competent secretaries in charge who will give you every possible bit of information.

Get your name on the list.

Look after your friends.

The Firemen May Be Crowded Out

Engine No. 959, on Train No. 1, passed through this city this morning with a new automatic shoveler.

It is being tried out this week, and is the only one on the Grand Trunk system.

By the new shoveler the engineer controls everything, making a fireman unnecessary. It is working very satisfactorily and will be installed on the whole system.

When the automatic shoveler is installed thousands of firemen will be thrown out of their positions.

No. 959 passed through this morning without a fireman, the engineer controlling the shoveler.

It will cost a great deal to install the automatic shoveler, but the expenses will be greatly decreased. It may be a very serious thing for Londoners, as several hundred firemen reside here.

East End Rowdies Will Be Prosecuted

The police have been notified and are now working on a case of a cowardly insult to a lady in the east end.

About 2 o'clock today a very respectable lady residing on Stedwell street was insulted by two young ruffians on Rectory street south.

Not long ago the same young fellows insulted the same lady, who was crossing a bridge with her daughter.

She took no action then, but the matter has gone to such a pitch now that a prominent east ender will push the prosecution of the rowdies.

The Late William Wear.

Mr. William Wear, an oldtime employe of the Grand Trunk Railway Company, and well known to the older residents of London, passed away on Friday evening in his late home in Windsor as a result of paralysis. Deceased was born in Devonshire, England, 76 years ago, and came to this country about 1855. He settled first in this city, and lived here until 1868, when he went to Windsor. He was a Grand Trunk employe for 33 years. As a citizen he was universally respected, and he was one of the oldest members of the Central Methodist Church in Windsor. He is survived by his wife, seven sons and one daughter, the sons being, George, of Michigan City, Ind.; William, of the D. B. I. and W. Ferry Company; John T., Toronto; Fred, of St. Louis, Mo.; T. J., of Windsor; Frank, of Pittsfield, N. H., and Charles, of Boston; Mrs. J. H. Jackson, wife of the city engineer of Niagara Falls, is his daughter.

Moir's Trial.

"Moir will come up before P. M. Love for examination in a day or two," said Crown Attorney McKillop to The Advertiser. "He will then be committed for trial. His trial will not take place until the fall assizes, probably in September."

MOIR FEARS MOB IN LONDON

(Continued From Page One.)

Sympathy for Murderer.

The whole town of Arthur is behind Moir.

For some reason or other the people deply sympathize with the murderer, his boylike, innocent appearance having appealed to them strongly.

Some fear is expressed here that an attempt will be made to free the prisoner.

If such a thing occurred, it would be a comparatively easy thing to get at the man and take him from the jail.

The little police station is easy of access, and the murderer is allowed to remain in an unlocked cell, with only one man to guard the door.

Subscription for Him.

To give an idea of the feeling toward the murderer here, it is only necessary to point out that Rev. Mr. Richardson, a well-known clergyman, of this place, has started a subscription to defend the soldier, and many people are subscribing.

Lawyer M. W. Wilkens, of this place, has been retained to defend him by two townspeople here, and Mr. Ed Meredith, K. C., of London, has been secured by Mr. Wilkens to act in London for the murderer.

Well Connected.

Moir, it turns out, is well connected. He was born in Haywick, Scotland, something over 30 years ago. His father is dead, but his mother resides with a brother and sister in Haywick.

Moir's grandfather is a very wealthy man, and it appears that the soldier now in trouble has been something of a spoiled child.

Lawyer Wilkens today cabled the grandfather the particulars of the case, and is awaiting instructions.

The Clue.

It turns out that a man named W. A. Draper, who drove a stage between Fergus and Elora, was the first man to tip the police as to Moir's whereabouts. This was nearly two weeks ago, but for some reason or other Constable Farrell did not act on the clue until Saturday night.

Constable Farrell and Constable Coughlin have put in a claim for the reward.

There are about 1,000 people in Arthur.

CAR OVER CROSSING TANGLED TWO RIGS

Latter Became Entangled in Endeavoring to Squeeze by.

The Egerton street crossing of the Grand Trunk was the scene of another accident Saturday night, which luckily did not result seriously.

A freight car had been shunted out, and left standing half-way over the crossing.

Two light farmers' rigs happened along at the same time from opposite directions, and collided in trying to cross on the narrow road.

The horses became unmanageable, and both rigs were slightly damaged before they were disentangled.

SUTHERLAND BROS. WIN

Out-Bowl Fleming and Houden Team on the Ideal Alley.

Sutherland brothers and Fleming and Houden rolled a match on Martell's Ideal alleys Saturday, the former team coming out ahead.

Fleming	132	117	139— 388
Brady	99	125	116— 340
Homes	91	121	132— 344
Picken	86	121	104— 311
Houghtby	128	124	144— 396
Totals	536	608	635—1,779
Maker	112	109	143— 364
Ed. Sutherland . .	87	82	137— 306
Hodgins	87	94	105— 286
A. Sutherland .. .	81	76	137— 294
H. Sutherland . . .	107	98	126— 331
Totals	474	459	648—1,581

TENDERS CALLED FOR EAST END STAND

Offers To Be Opened Thursday, and Structures May Be Ready Saturday.

Tenders have been called for the erection of a grandstand at Queen's Park baseball diamond.

The tenders will be opened Thursday night at the meeting of the board of works, and work will probably be commenced Friday morning.

"It is quite possible to have the stand, or some of it ready for Saturday afternoon," Ald. Rose told The Advertiser this morning.

A meeting of the East End League executive is to be called to consider the proposition of Mr. Sanders to put on a Scotch concert to raise additional funds for the stand.

A SENSATIONAL CASE

St. Thomas Gentleman Accuses Another of Sending Indecent Misives.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

St. Thomas, Ont., May 11.—A sensational case was heard in the police court here today, in which M. Hutchinson, a prominent retired merchant, charged J. S. Wilson, another retired gentleman, with having been sending for eight years through the mails letters and postal cards of an anonymous, indecent, immoral and scurrilous character. Handwriting experts positively identified the missives as being the writing of one person, and that the defendant was the person. This evidence was held not sufficient to commit for trial, lacking proof that the defendant actually posted the matter complained of by his own hand. The magistrate took the matter under consideration and will give his decision on Saturday.

The Insurance Rate.

Mayor Stevely has received no word from the Underwriters' Association relative to the change of rates if the water scheme is carried. "I have received no word as yet," his worship told The Advertiser. "I expect word will come before the council meeting tonight."

No Spoiled Bakings

By using Strong's Baking Powder you insure success with every batch of rolls, biscuits, cakes, etc., that you make. This powder contains the best and most wholesome ingredients that can be used for leavening. There's economy in its use, not only from lack of failures, but because it costs less than any other pure baking powder on the market. 25c a pound.

W. T. Strong

184 DUNDAS STREET.

Whatever your doctor writes for you will be found here.

Local Items

—Mr. A. Bolger, of Stratford, sang at St. Mary's Church last evening.

—A number of the members of the Ingersoll Gun Club will in all probability attend the shoot of the Springwood Gun Club here on Thursday.

—Moosejaw News, May 7: Miss Pauline Sifton, of London, Ont., arrived in the city last evening, and is stopping with her sister, Mrs. C. A. Wheatley.

—The funeal of Mrs. Martha Grieves was held this morning from the family residence in Westminster to Pond Mills Cemetery. Rev. Dr. McCrae conducted the services.

—The funeral of C. N. Cascadden was held from the family residence, 882 Dufferin avenue, this afternoon, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery and was largely attended. The services were conducted by Rev. E. B. Lanceley.

Hospital Trust.

A regular meeting of the hospital trust will be held at the city hall in the mayor's office on Wednesday at 3 p.m. sharp.

Council Meeting.

A special meeting of the council will be held this evening to consider the water bylaw. There will be other business for transaction.

Irish Benevolent Society Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Irish Benevolent Society will be held on Tuesday, May 12, 8 p.m., at board of trade rooms, Richmond street. Election of officers and general business.

Photo by Frank Cooper.

The cut of Mr. John Gillson, Liberal candidate in East Middlesex, was made from a photo by Frank Cooper, the popular photographer, of Dundas street.

Hartwick Taken Away.

Inspector Sinson, of Toronto, arrived in the city this morning and removed James Hartwick to the asylum at Hamilton, for the criminal insane. Hartwick has been in jail here nearly three months.

Wins Again.

Chateau Bel, Col. A. M. Smith's beautiful hunter, continues to win big honors at the Montreal Horse Show. On Saturday she won the championship for middleweight hunters. There was a very large entry list in that class, and the win was a splendid one.

Rev. Mr. Livingstone to Lecture.

The Rev. James Livingstone, of the Wellington Street Methodist Church, will deliver his lecture on "The Human Voice," at the First Congregational Church tomorrow (Tuesday) evening. Mr. Livingstone's well-known talent as a platform speaker and lecturer will doubtless attract a large audience.

Veteran Firemen Will Participate.

A meeting of the veteran firemen of London was held in the city hall on Saturday night, with between 40 and 50 members present. President Walter Fairbairn occupied the chair. Secretary McCann, of the Old Boys, was present, and invited the firemen to take part in the reunion in August. The invitation was accepted, and a meeting will be held on May 21 to complete the arrangements.

Men's Banquet.

The annual men's banquet of the Memorial Church was held on Friday evening, the attendance being large, the object of the banquet being to inspire and bring together the men of the congregation. Rev. Arthur Carlyle was present, and made an address, which was much appreciated by all present. Rev. G. A. Andrew, assistant to the rector, also spoke. During the evening solos were sung by Mr. John Dougherty and Messrs. Bugler and Ward.

New Methodist Hymnal.

Acting on a request of the Methodist Sunday School Association of Montreal, the Methodist book committee, now in session here, have appointed a special committee, consisting of Mr. J. W. Knox, Montreal, convener; Rev. R. N. Burns, D.D., Brampton; Rev. A. C. Crews, D.D., and Rev. W. B. Creighton, Toronto, and Mr. J. H. Carson, Montreal, to look into the matter of publishing a new hymnal and report to the executive next November.

Southern Congregational Church.

Anniversary services were held at the Southern Congregational Church Sunday, Rev. J. Spence, the powerful young preacher from Embro, preaching at both services. In the morning his subject, "Saul, the Son of Kish," was a strong exhortation to keep God in view at all times. In the evening his subject was "Life or Death Through the Eyes," being a vigorous warning against the sins of the eye. At the morning service Mrs. J. Spence sang "Thy Will Be Done," by Bohr, and at the evening service Miss Fowler sang, "I Am a Pilgrim," and Mrs. Spence rendered "The Lord Is Love." The choir of the church rendered special music at both services. Large congregations attended.

MUST SERVE TERM BEFORE DEPORTATION

Crown Attorney McKillop has been in communication with the Dominion Government authorities in regard to the deportation of immigrants who are convicted in local courts. Mr. McKillop has received instructions that all criminals found guilty are to serve their sentences here before being sent back to England. James Roberts, who was this morning sentenced to three years by Magistrate Love for burglary, will be sent back to Eng and as soon as he has completed his term in Kingston Penitentiary.

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

An her wholesaler finds himself overloaded with dress stuffs, all very best shades and newest fabrics, but too many of them, and again the store with the cash and the output came to the rescue. Monday we place on sale FRENCH VOILES and FRENCH PANAMAS and TWEEDS, three of the season's most popular cloths, at wholesale cost and less.

French Voiles
50c Quality for 39c

Three colors in All-Wool Voiles — BLACK, NAVY, BROWN, 40 inches wide, and a beautifully fine, crisp cloth. On sale Monday morning, at, per yard ..... **39¢**

French Panamas
50c Quality for 39c

Two colors in All-Wool Panamas — NAVY and BROWN, 40 inches wide, French dyed, and a fine, round thread Panama. On sale Monday morning, at per yard .... **39¢**

Imported Tweeds
50c Quality for 25c

Three pieces Imported Tweeds, in new shades of gray, 40 inches wide. Just half-price for these. Regular 50c qualities, for, per yard .... **25¢**

NEW NECKWEAR, BELTS, etc., arriving for the holiday business. Only two weeks before Victoria Day. Best selection right now.

Tourist Frillings

Six yards in box, at, special, per box .... **25¢**

NET and CHIFFON FRILLING, 4 frills in box, at, special, per box.. **15¢**

Five frills in box, at, special, per box .... **25¢**

Embroidered Wash Collars

NET and SILK BOWS, MULL and SILK TIES, and EMBROIDERED LINEN COLLARS.

Everything new in Neckwear from New York now in stock.

Leather Belts, Silk Belts, Wash Belts

The newest Belts they are wearing in New York can be procured here on Monday, and whether the price is **25¢** or **$1.50**, we have the most stylish lines shown.

Black Peau de Soie (French), Regular 85c; Sale Price 69c

One piece (100 yards), rich, black Peau de Soie, all silk, Bonnet's manufacture. Cannot be equaled at less than 85c. Our special price, for 100 yards, per yard ..... **69¢**

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

DOCKET FOR THE NON-JURY SITTING

Eleven Cases To Be Heard at the Session Which Opens This Afternoon.

The London non-jury sittings commenced this afternoon before Mr. Justice Magee. Eleven cases are on the docket. The first case, Faulds vs. Trott, to recover wages, has been settled, and was not heard.

The case of Manning & Allen vs. Willcox, an action for damages for the non-delivery of a linotype machine, was being heard at the time of going to press.

The cases on the docket are as follows:

Faulds vs. Trott—J. F. Faulds for plaintiff; Sutherland, Kenning & Cleary for defendants.

Manning & Allen vs. Willcox—McPherson & Perrin for plaintiffs; Buchner & Gunn for defendant.

McVicar vs. McKay—Paterson & Paterson for plaintiffs, and J. M. McEvoy for defense.

Acres vs. Rooks—P. H. Bartlett for plaintiff, and J. D. O'Neil for defendants.

Tane vs. Trusts and Guarantee—Meredith, Fisher & McDonald for the plaintiff, and E. A. Wesmer for the defense.

Johnston vs. Watson—J. F. Faulds for plaintiffs, and McKillop & Murphy for defense.

Somerville vs. Aetna—Gibbons, Harper & Gibbons for plaintiffs, and McDonald for defense.

Payne vs. Lyman—W. G. R. Bartram for plaintiff, and D. C. Ross for defense.

Leitch vs. Leitch—J. M. McEvoy for plaintiffs, and Meredith, Judd & Meredith for defense.

McMechan vs. Pritchard—J. M. McEvoy for plaintiff.

McBride vs. London—J. M. McEvoy for plaintiff, and T. G. Meredith for defense.

CHINESE REBELS ON MARCH

Revolutionary Outbreak in Province of Run Yai Becomes Serious.

Pekin, May 11.—News was received here today of the progress of the revolutionary outbreak in Run Yan Province. Three thousand rebels in two columns were marching on Meng-Tsze, a treaty port at the head of navigation of the Songkoi River. A body of provincial troops met and repulsed one of the columns at Han-Hao, on the Red River, Saturday last; the other column, which is following the railroad line, has not been stopped and is now within thirty miles of Meng-Tsze. Viceroy Hsi-Liang, at the head of another body of provincial troops, has left Yun-Nansi-Fu for Ami, forty miles northwest of Meng-Tsze.

G. T. R. OFFICALS ON AN INSPECTION TOUR

Visit the Car Shops and Leave on a Special for Sarnia.

A party of Grand Trunk officials, consisting of Third Vice-President Fitzhugh, General Superintendent Brownlee and Superintendent Gillen, came through on a special train this afternoon. The party inspected the car shops and other buildings in the east end, and found everything satisfactory.

To The Advertiser this afternoon Mr. Fitzhugh stated that there was nothing particular doing in this vicinity, and that the party are merely making an official visit. They left for Sarnia this afternoon.

LATEST STOCK MARKET REPORTS

NEW YORK.

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

New York, May 11.

	Open	High	Low	2 p.m.
Amal. Copper	62½	63¼	62⅜	63⅜
American Sugar Co.	128½	129⅛	128½	128½
American Locomotive	51	51¼	50⅝	50⅝
American Foundry	36¼	38	36¼	37⅛
American Refining Co.	78½	78¾	73⅜	74⅜
American Cotton Oil	29¼	...	...	...
Atchison com	81⅞	82¼	81⅞	82¼
Baltimore & Ohio	89	89⅞	89	89⅞
Brooklyn Transit	48⅜	48½	47⅞	48⅜
C. P. R.	158⅜	160¼	158¼	159
Ches. & Ohio	44	46⅛	43	45⅝
Colorado Fuel & Iron	28	28¼	27⅜	27⅜
Chicago & North.	154¾	...	...	...
Distillers	33⅞	33⅞	32⅝	33⅞
Erie	20¾	20⅝	20¼	20⅜
Erie, pref.	36	...	...	...
Great Northern Pref.	130¼	130¾	130	130
Illinois Central	136¼	...	...	...
Inter Met	10¼	...	...	...
Kansas & Texas Com.	28¾	28¾	28⅝	28⅝
Kansas & Texas, pfd.	59¾	...	...	...
Louisville & Nashville	110¼	110	109	109¼
Missouri Pacific	49¾	49¾	48⅝	49⅝
New York Central	105⅜	106⅝	105⅜	106½
Northern Pacific	135½	135¾	134	134⅜
Norfolk & Western	71	71	70⅞	71
Nat. Lead	63⅝	...	...	...
Ontario & Western	40½	43⅝	40¼	43¼
Pacific Mail	37	...	...	...
Pennsylvania	120	120	119⅞	120
Peoples Gas	103¼	...	...	...
Pressed Steel	29¾	...	...	...
Reading	115⅞	116⅞	114¾	114¾
Republic Iron & Steel	18⅝	18⅝	18½	18½
Rock Island	17½	17¾	17½	17¾
Southern Railway	16	16⅛	16	16⅛
Southern Railway, Pref.	41¾	42⅛	41¾	42⅛
Southern Pacific	88⅛	88⅝	86	86⅞
S. P., pref.	115⅜	...	...	...
St. Paul	134⅜	134¾	133⅝	133⅝
Texas	23¾	23¾	22⅝	22½
Union Pacific	141⅝	141⅝	140¾	141
U. S. Rubber	23⅜	23⅝	28	28
U. S. Steel	36¾	37⅜	36¾	37⅜
U. S. Steel, pref.	102	102⅛	102	102⅛
Wabash, com	14⅞	...	...	...
West Union Tel	51¾	52	51¼	52

CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

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

Chicago, May 11.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	$1 05⅛	$1 05¾	$1 03⅞	$1 01
July	92⅜	92½	90⅝	90⅝
September	87⅜	88	86⅛	86¾
Corn—				
May	73	73	71⅞	71⅞
July	64⅜	64½	63⅝	63⅝
September	62⅝	63¼	62⅜	62⅝
Oats—				
May	55⅝	55⅝	55	55
July	47⅜	47⅜	47	47
September	37½	37½	37⅛	37⅛
Pork—				
July	13 85	13 87	13 82	13 82
September	13 62	13 62	13 60	13 62
Lard—				
July	8 52	....	....	....
September	8 17	....	....	....
Short Ribs—				
July	7 35	7 37	7 35	7 37
September	7 60	7 60	7 57	7 57

MONTREAL.

Montreal, May 11—Noon.

	Asked.	Bid.
Bell Telephone	135	130½
Canadian Pacific Railway	159½	159¼
Canadian Pacific, new	..	155
Detroit Electric Railway	38	37⅝
Dominion Coal, com.	51¼	51
Dominion Coal, pfd.	64¾	63¾
Halifax Electric Railway	98	97
Illinois Traction, pfd.	87½	87
Lake of the Woods, com.	86¾	86
Lake of the Woods, pfd.	114	113½
Mackay, com.	64	63⅞
Mackay, pfd.	65	60¾
Mexican Light & Power	47⅛	47
Minneapolis & St. Paul	111⅜	111⅝
Montreal Power	94	93⅜
Montreal Street Railway	184	182
Montreal Steel	77	69
N. S. Steel & Coal, com.	51¾	51½
Ogilvie Milling, com.	125	105
R. & O. Navigation	76½	76
Rio de Janeiro L. & P.	34⅝	34¼
Toledo Railway	14	13⅝
Toronto Railway	99¼	98⅞
Twin City Railway	87⅝	87⅜
Shawinigan Power	..	63⅞
Bank of B. N. A.	..	..
Bank of Commerce	159½	..
Merchants' Bank	..	156
Bank of Montreal	235	234⅜
Quebec Bank	124½	122½
Royal Bank	222	..
Union Bank	..	129
Dominion Textile, pfd.	84½	83¾
Dominion Cotton, bonds	96	95
Dominion Steel, com.	77	76
Havana Electric, bonds	86	..
Mexican Electric, bonds	76	75¼
Mexican Power, bonds	82	..
N. S. Steel & Coal, bonds	..	106
Nova Scotia, bonds	..	100
Rio de Janeiro, bonds	81	80¼
Textile bonds, A	..	83
Textile bonds, B	..	85
Textile bonds, C	82	81

Morning Sales: C. P. R., 75 at 158¾, 25 at 158⅝, 50 at 159⅛, 20 at 159⅜, 50 at 158⅝, 25 at 158½, 200 at 159, 25 at 159¼, 25 at 159½, 6 at 159⅜; Montreal Railway, 15 at 183; Twin City, 15 at 86¾; Textile, preferred, 25 at 86; Halifax Railway, bonds, 2,000 at 98; Mackay, preferred, 22 at 65; Mexican, 250 at 47½; Toronto Railway, 22 at 98¾, 50 at 99; Power, 50 at 94¼, 150 and 50 at 94, 19 at 93¾; Mackay, common, 75 at 63¾, 5 at 63, 25 at 64; Toledo Railway, 150 at 14; Woods, common, 25 at 86, 15 at 86¼, 50 and 25 at 86, 25 and 75 at 86¼, 2 at 85⅞, Detroit Railway, 25 at 37⅞, 25 at 37⅝, 25 at 37⅜, 25 at 37½, 50 at 37⅝, 10 at 38; Illinois, 3 at 87¾, 7 at 87½; Winnipeg, bonds, 2,000 at 101; Eastern Townships Bank, 292 at 150; Textile bonds, C, 5,000 at 82; Iron, common, 50 at 17⅞, 100 and 5 at 18, 10 and 50 at 17⅞, 50 at 17½; Halifax Railway, 5 at 98; Woods, preferred, 25 at 113½; Scotia, common, 117 at 52; Soo, common, 10 at 115⅞; Coal, bonds, 2,000 at 90; Nova Scotia, bonds, 4,000 at 101¾; Molsons Bank, 8 at 197; Ogilvie, bonds, 3,000 at 113; Dominion Cotton, bonds, 3,000 at 96; Rio, bonds, 6,000 at 80¾; Iron, bonds, 1,000 at 77.

TORONTO.

Toronto, May 11—Noon.

	Asked.	Bid.
Canadian General Electric	90	85
City Dairy, com.	25	..
City Dairy, pfd.	..	82
Consumers' Gas	196	..
Dominion Coal, com.	51½	50
Dominion Steel, com.	..	17
Dominion Telegraph	..	104
Duluth, com.	15¾	14¾
Duluth, pfd.	25	23¾
Lake of the Woods, com.	..	86¾
Laurentide Paper, com.	107	105
Laurentide Paper, pfd.	111	108
Mackay, com.	64	63¾
Mackay, pfd.	..	64½
Mexican Light & Power	47¼	46¾
Minneapolis & St. Paul	111½	110½
Niagara Navigation	..	118
Niagara, St. C. & T.	..	75
Nipissing Mines	7⅛	6⅞
Northern Navigation	99	..
N. S. Steel & Coal, com.	..	51½
Prairie Lands	180	170
Rio de Janeiro L. & P.	35	34¼
Sao Paulo Tram	128	127½
Toronto Electric Light	..	114½
Toronto Railway	..	98½
Twin City Railway	87½	87
Winnipeg Railway	155	154
Bank of Commerce	160	..
Dominion Bank	227	..
Bank of Hamilton	187½	187
Imperial Bank	..	211¾
Merchants' Bank	..	155¾
Molsons Bank	200	197
Bank of Montreal	237	234½
Bank of Ottawa	218	..
Standard Bank	..	216
Traders' Bank	..	125½
Agricultural Loan	..	119
Canada Landed	..	121
Canada Permanent	126	124½
Central Canada	..	160
Colonial Investment	60	..
Dominion Savings	..	70
Hamilton Provident	120	..
Huron & Erie, 20% paid	..	165
London & Canada	..	106
National Trust	150	..
Ontario Loan	..	130
Ontario Loan, 20% paid	..	120½
Real Estate	..	85
Toronto General Trust	..	143
Toronto Mortgage	..	108
Electrical Development, bds.	..	76¼
Mexican Power, bonds	80	..
Rio, 1st mortgage, 5%, 1935	..	80¾
Sao Paulo, bonds	..	96¾

Morning Sales: Sao Paulo, 2 at 127¾, 25 and 25 at 127⅝; do, bonds, 1,000 at 96½; Soo, 25 and 25 at 111½, 100 at 111⅝; Lake of the Woods, 10 at 86⅛, 5 at 86⅜, 5, 10, 25 and 25 at 86⅝; Rio, 100 at 34½; do, bonds, 1,000 at 80¼, 500 at 80; C. P. R., 10 and 25 at 160, 10 at 159¾; Mackay, common, 5 and 25 at 63¾, 10 at 64; do, preferred, 5, 7, 25, 5, 5 and 15 at 65; Twin City, xd., 25 and 25 at 87, 6 at 86¾, 50 at 87¼, 5 at 87⅜; Consumers' Gas, 7, 5, 25 and 12 at 196; Nipissing, 20 at 7⅛; General Electric, 2 at 87, 5 at 86¼; Imperial Bank, 2 at 211½, 4, 2 and 2 at 212; Bank of Commerce, 10 at 160; Canada Permanent, 35 at 125¼, 100 at 125; Winnipeg, 10 at 155 N. S. Steel, 10 at 53, 10 at 52½; Mexican L. & P., 50 at 47.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, May 11.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,400 head; active and 10c to 15c higher; prime steers, $6 75 to $7 25; shipping, $6 40 to $6 85; butchers, $5 50 to $6 75; heifers, $4 75 to $6 50; cows, $3 75 to $5 75; bulls, $3 75 to $5 50; stockers and feeders, $4 to $5 25; stock heifers, $3 50 to $4 25; fresh cows and springers active and $2 higher, $25 to $60. Veals—Receipts, 3,200 head; active and 50c lower, $5 to $7.

Hogs—Receipts, 17,000 head; fairly active; pigs steady, others 5c to 10c lower; heavy and mixed, $5 85 to $5 90; Yorkers, $5 75 to $5 85; pigs, $4 50 to $5 65; roughs, $4 75 to $4 90; stags, $3 75 to $4 25; dairies, $5 50 to $5 80.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 12,600 head; active; mixed sheep steady, others 25c to 40c higher; lambs, $5 to $7 50; yearlings, $6 25 to $6 75; wethers, $6 to $6 25; ewes, $5 to $5 50; sheep, mixed, $2 to $5 50.

The Dominion Art, Frame and Molding Company, 296 Dundas street, 'phone 1775, wholesale and retail dealers in works of art, high-class frames and moldings. T. G. Hogan, proprietor. zxv

PRICE OF HAY LIKELY TO DROP

LOCAL MARKET.

London, Monday, May 11.

Hay sold slow at the market today, as there were 36 loads offered, and the buyers are under the impression that prices will go lower, and especially if the weather becomes warmer, which will enable the farmers to place their stock on the grass, and they will have a larger quantity of hay to dispose of. Prices ranged from $10 and $10 50 for inferior, to $12 and $12 50 per ton for the choice loads.

A couple of loads of wheat sold at 92c per bushel. No other kind of grain offered.

Mr. McIntyre purchased a carload of live hogs at $6 per cwt. for selects and $5 75 for fat sows.

Straw was dull at $7 to $7 50 per ton.

COBALT!
STOCK BOUGHT AND SOLD.
Correspondence Solicited.
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419 RECTORY STREET.
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DAIRY MARKETS.

LONDON.

London, Ont., May 9.—The following offerings were boarded on the London Dairymen's Exchange on Saturday: Belmont and Westminster, 110; Yarmouth Center, 90; Mapleton, 70; North Branch, 25; West Nissouri, 55; total, 361 boxes. No sales; bidding, 11c to 11¼c.

WINCHESTER.

Winchester, May 9.—At the meeting of the cheese board tonight, 73 colored and 110 white were registered and sold on the board at 11⅞c for colored and 11⅞c for white; three buyers present.

BROCKVILLE.

Brockville, May 9.—At the weekly meeting of the cheese board today there were 988 colored and 303 white offered; 125 boxes colored sold at 11½c; 11⅞c offered for white, but none sold.

BELLEVILLE.

Belleville, May 9.—Offerings, 731 white and 75 colored; white sold for 11 13-16c; colored for 11 5-16c.

PICTON.

Picton, May 6.—At the cheese board today ten factories boarded 533 boxes, all colored; all sold at 11 5-16c; buyers, Thomson, Benson and Miller.

CORNWALL.

Cornwall, May 9.—At the cheese board today 411 boxes were sold—178 white at 11c and 11 1-16c, and 233 colored at 11¼c.

WATERTOWN.

Watertown, N.Y., May 9.—Cheese—Sales: Twenty-seven at 10½c to 10¾c; bulk of offerings were export cheese.

CANTON.

Canton, N. Y., May 9.—Twelve hundred tubs of butter sold at 24c; 1,500 boxes of cheese; export, 10¾c; twins, 10¼c.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, May 9.—Butter—Weak; creameries, 18c to 24c; dairies, 18c to 23c.

Cheese—Easy, 10½c to 11c.

NEW YORK.

New York, May 9.—Butter—Weak; receipts, 5,200 packages; creamery specials, 25c at 25½c; extras, 24½c; thirds to firsts, 17c to 24c; held, common to special, 17c to 23c; state dairy, common to choice, 17c to 24c; process, common to special, 15c to 22½c; western factory, firsts, 18½c to 19c.

Cheese—Steady and unchanged.

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PRODUCE MARKET.

TORONTO.

Toronto, May 11.—The local grain markets opened up very firm again today, with prices for western and Ontario grain still at Saturday's high level. Feedstuffs were dull. Prices are:

Wheat—Manitoba No. 1 northern, $1 23½; No. 2, $1 20; No. 3, $1 15; feed, none offering; No. 2 feed, 61c, at Georgian Bay ports; Ontario No. 2 white, 97c outside; No. 2 red, 96c to 97c outside; No. 2 mixed, 96c; goose, 91c.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, 75c to 76c, Toronto freights; No. 3 mixed, 1c less.

Flour—Manitoba patents, special brand, $6; seconds, $5 40; strong bakers, $5 30; winter wheat patents, $3 55.

Barley—No. 2, 55c; holders ask 60c.

Peas—No. 2, 92c outside.

Rye—No. 2, scarce and wanted, at 88c.

Buckwheat—No. 2, 64½c to 65c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 49c to 49½c outside; No. 2 mixed, 47c.

Bran—$24 50 to $25 here.

Shorts—$25 at the mills.

SUGAR MARKET.

NEW YORK.

New York, May 9.—Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 3.86c; centrifugal, 96° test, 4.36c; molasses sugar, 3.61c; refined steady. Molasses—Quiet.

TORONTO.

Toronto, May 9.—Sugar—Firm; Montreal granulated, per cwt, in barrels, $5; yellow, $4 60; in bags, 5c less; Acadia, in barrels or bags, $4 90.

LONDON.

London, May 9.—Raw sugar—Centrifugal, 12s 9d; Muscovado, 11s 7½d; beet sugar, May, 11s 8¼d.

OIL MARKETS.

OIL CITY.

Oil City, Pa., May 9.—Credit balances, $1 78.

LONDON.

London, May 9.—Petroleum, American refined, 6 9-16d; spirits, 7¼d.

ANTWERP.

Antwerp, Belgium, May 9.—Petroleum, 22 francs.

PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg, Pa., May 11.—Oil opened and closed at $1 78.

HIDES, TALLOW, WOOL.

TORONTO.

Toronto, May 9.—Hides—Ruling prices here are: Inspected steers and cows, No. 1, 6½c; No. 2, 5½c; No. 3, 4½c; do, country hides, present take-off, 5c; city calfskins, 10c; country calfskins, 9c; dekins, 65c; sheepskins, 70c to 80c; horsehides, No. 1, $2 50.

Horsehair—23c.

Tallow—Rendered, 4½c to 5½c.

HAY MARKET.

TORONTO.

Toronto, May 9.—Baled Straw—Dull, $8 to $9 per ton.

Baled Hay—Very dull; timothy is quoted at $15 to $15 50 per ton in car lots on track here.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

London, May 9.—Canadian cattle are steady, at 13c to 13½c per lb, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10½c to 10½c per lb.

Liverpool, May 9.—John Rogers & Co. quote: United States steers, 13c to 13½c; Canadians, 12¾c to 12¼c; cows, 12c to 12¼c; bulls, 11c to 11¼c, with trade firm.

TORONTO.

Toronto, May 13.—The prices at this morning's market at the Union stockyards, West Toronto, ran as follows:

Exporters, $5 50 to $5 80; good butchers' cattle, $5 50 to $5 70; medium butchers, $5 25 to $5 50; good cows, $4 to $4 50; medium cows, $3 75 to $4; bulls, $4 to $4 75.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, May 11.—Cattle—Receipts, 21,000; strong to 10c higher; beeves, $4 80 to $7 30; Texans, $4 70 to $5 60; westerns, $4 65 to $6; stockers and feeders, $3 70 to $5 70; cows and heifers, $2 50 to $6 70; calves, $4 75 to $6 25.

Hogs—Receipts, 46,000; steady to 5c lower; light, $5 30 to $5 65; mixed, $5 30 to $5 67½; heavy, $5 45 to $5 65; rough, $5 25 to $5 40; good to choice heavy, $5 45 to $5 65; pigs, $4 50 to $5 25; bulk of sales at $5 55 to $5 65.

Sheep—Receipts, 20,000; strong; natives, $4 to $6 10; westerns, $4 to $6 10; yearlings, $6 15 to $6 80; lambs, $5 50 to $7 65; westerns, $5 50 to $7 70.

COTTON MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

New York, May 11.—Cotton—Futures opened barely steady; July, 9.03c; August, 8.95c; October, 8.78c; November, 8.79c bid; December, 8.81c; January, 8.80c; February, 8.83c bid; March, 8.87c bid.

Futures closed steadq. Closing bids: May, 9.02; June, 9.05c; July, 9.08c; August, 8.98c; September, 8.84c; October, 8.86c; November, 8.86c; December, 8.89c; January, 8.90c; February, 8.93c; March, 8.97c.

Spot closed steady, 10 points higher; middling uplands, 10.65c; middling gulf, 10.90c; sales, 242 bales.

ENGLISH MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, May 11.—Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red western winter, nominally 7s 6d; No. 1 California, 7s 8½d. Futures barely steady; May, 7s 7½d; July, 7s 8⅜d; September, 7s 3¼d.

Corn—Spot firm; new American, kiln-dried, $5 10¼; old American mixed, 5s 11d. Futures quiet; May, 5s 10½d.

Peas—Canadian steady, 7s 7½d.

Flour—Winter patents steady, 29s 6d.

Hops (at London)—Pacific coast steady, £1 13s to £2 8s.

Cottonseed Oil (Hull refined)—Spot dull, 24s.

Beef—Extra India mess firm, 102s 6d.

Pork—Prime mess western firm, 72s 6d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 43s 6d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, quiet, 41s; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, quiet, 40s 6d; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, quiet, 41s 6d; do, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, steady, 40s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 39s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, quiet, 40s 6d; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, dull, 28s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, steady, 42s 6d; American refined, in pails, firm, 44s.

Butter—Good United States dull, 80s to 85s.

Cheese—American finest white, steady, 60s; do, colored, steady, 61s 6d; Canadian finest white, steady, 61s 6d; do, colored, steady, 62s 6d.

Tallow—Prime city dull, 25s 9d; Australian (in London) firm, 30s 1½d.

Turpentine Spirits—Easy, 33s 9d.

Linseed Oil—Steady, 23s.

Petroleum—Quiet, 6¾d.

Rosin—Common steady, 8s 9d.

TIE-UP COMPLETE ON C. P. R. DOCKS

Men Brought From Toronto By the Company Quickly Induced To Strike.

Owen Sound, May 10. — The strike situation of the Canadian Pacific through freight-handlers has resulted in a complete tie-up of all the shipping facilities over the railway's docks. Today has been one of comparative quiet. As a rule the company makes Sunday one of its busiest days here in unloading the cargo which arrives down on the Sunday morning steamship from Fort William. Today not a truck wheel is turning. The up-train on Friday night had attached to it two cars filled with an additional hundred men employed in Toronto. The cars were dropped off at one of the stations out of town and shunted in early yesterday morning. The strikers had not the slightest difficulty in securing the men to come over to their side, and, like those of the previous contingent, they bundled baggage and all through the windows, dropping to the ground amid the cheers of the strikers. They followed the men up to the town hall, where they were given a scanty meal, and during the day they roamed about the streets, many seeking more substantial fare at the home of the citizens. The hopelessness of the situation struck about eighty of the men in the afternoon, for they walked down at 2:30, and boarding the cars of the 3:10 express, refused to leave, and they were hauled to Toronto.

LETTERS MAY TELL TALE OF MURDER

Laporte Prysecutor Says He Has Strong Evidence Against Hired Man Lamphere.

Laporte, Ind., May 11.—Picking up the shreds of the evidence tending to connect Ray Lamphere with the deaths of Mrs. Guinness, and her three children, and perhaps also of Andrew Helgelein, is the main purpose of the authorities here today. Whether search for more bodies will be prosecuted has not been finally determined, Sheriff Smutzer indicating yesterday that further excavating may be postponed until tomorrow. The sheriff has found difficulty in carrying on this work because of the morbidly curious persons who have flocked to the place where ten corpses were discovered last week. Friday the excavating in the barnyard was hindered, and Saturday it was halted by the crowds. It is expected, however, that the number of visitors will be lessened today, some 15,000 persons having inspected the grounds yesterday and presumably satisfied their curiosity.

Looks Dark for Lamphere.

The grand jury was to have met today to consider Lamphere's case, but this procedure has been postponed for a week. Experts were called into the affair by Sheriff Smutzer advised this course, although Prosecuting Attorney Smith had announced that he was ready to go into court with the evidence at hand. Since then the case has been strengthened by the discovery of Lamphere's trunk containing several letters which are said to establish his participation in the murder of Helgelein, and by the information extracted from a number of persons who were intimate enough with the prisoner to learn from him much concerning his relations with Mrs. Guinness.

If the sifting and sluicing of the ashes in the cellar of the home result in the discovery of more evidence, it is likely that the case will be pushed toward a conclusion rapidly. Prosecutor Smith is anxious to bring Lamphere before a jury during the term court, which opens today, and will endeavor to clear the docket of several minor cases already scheduled.

The attitude of the defense has not been revealed. The prisoner has received stringent orders from his attorneys not to discuss the charges against him, and the attorneys have not committed themselves to any particular line of action. They have been free in announcing theories to account for Lamphere's actions before and following his arrest, and have also given out alleged evidence, which they say establishes the fact that Mrs. Guinness and not Lamphere set fire to the house.

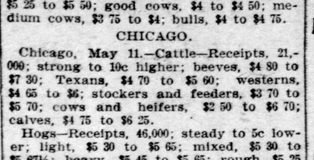
The Headless Corpse.

The adult headless corpse found with the blackened bodies of the children was, they assert, that of another victim of the Guinness woman, the theory being that the head was severed by Mrs. Guinness in order that it might be thought that the body was hers. Thus far, however, efforts to substantiate the announcements by the defense have failed, several persons having repudiated interviews accredited to them by Lamphere's attorneys, while the facts found by the four physicians who performed post-mortem examinations on the corpses do not bear out the contentions of the defense. It is thought, however, that Lamphere's attorneys have concealed carefully the chief points upon which they will rely, endeavoring meanwhile to swing public opinion in favor of the prisoner.

Soldier, street cleaner, cowboy and worker on odd jobs has been the career of Gerrile Cave-Browne-Cave, recently In youth he quarreled with his father and ran away to America. He says he will continue to live in this country after his English affairs are settled.

Printed in 1786, a copy of the Kilmarnock edition of Burns, out of the proceeds of which the poet intended paying his passage to Jamaica, was sold at Sotheby's for £210.

Many people are as apologetic as if they were thrust into the center of things without due notification.



Londoners were afforded a delightful treat on Saturday night when Mr. E. H. Sothern appeared in "Our American Cousin," a play written and made famous by his late father, who was, as the son is today, one of the foremost actors in the world.

It is a long time since such excellent, wholesome comedy has been given to Londoners. It was not hard to understand why the play ran for thirty years in the old days, beginning with 1858. Like most other plays, it has its weaknesses, but to do it justice, it must be said that its age does not hurt it in comparison with more recent productions.

In the character of Lord Dundreary, which is, of course, a libel on English nobility, but a good natured one, Mr. Sothern, as did his father before him, found ample scope for those wonderful talents which have made it famous in the world of dramatic art. It is an exacting role, which might easily become unbearable in incompetent hands, but as portrayed by Mr. Sothern it was simply delightful, uproariously funny, and extravagantly droll.

Mr. Adolphe Lestina, in the role of Asa Trenchard, gave Mr. Sothern brilliant support, as did also Miss Virginia Hammond, Miss Gladys Hanson, Miss Helena Head, and Mr. Malcolm Bradley, as the clerk. The latter's work was very fine. The settings were elaborate.

"Strongheart."

Ralph Stuart, as the college-bred Indian hero "Strongheart," in the comedy drama by William C. De Mille, is the attractive offering announced for the Grand on Wednesday evening.

Mr. De Mille has laid the scenes of "Strongheart" at Columbia University and furnishes a vivid and highly amusing picture of college life Strongheart is an Indian, a son of a chief, who, through his prowess on the football field has become a hero to his classmates at Columbia. His love for the sister of his chum forms a motive of this play which, although serious in its problem, is related amid scenes of such bright, breezy comedy, that vividly photograph college life, that "Strongheart" deserves the term, comedy-drama. Mr. Stuart has revealed himself as a character actor of note, and has widely increased the popularity won by him in former productions. "Strongheart" scored the dramatic hit of last season in both Boston and New York, where it played a long and prosperous engagement.

A MODEL BUDGET SPEECH

Financial News Admires Mr. Fielding's Financial Statement.

London, May 10. — The Financial News exhaustively analyzes Mr. Fielding's budget speech, saying that the speech is a model of what such addresses should be. It is concise, to the point, without a superfluous sentence, and entirely free from ambiguous phraseology.

The Financial News says Mr. Fielding's proposed bill amending the bank act is a clear indication of the expansion of the country's business, with which the natural increase of bank capital is apparently unable to cope.

Are Painting the Fair Buildings

The fair board will open the tenders for the painting of every building on the Queen's Park grounds this afternoon, and the contract will be awarded.

Over $6,300 will be expended in improvements at the park, about $2,000 of which will be for painting.

A new open stand is to be erected where the old one now stands at the south of the main covered stand. It will extend around nearly to the gate leading in the ring.

An addition will be made to the horse stable from the east to the north.

The fireworks building is to be moved to the center of the ring.

The dining halls beneath the grandstand is to be refloored.

Alterations will also be made to the dog show building.

The boilerhouse is to be repaired and a new foundation put in.

A great deal of fencing will also be done.

A very great improvement will be made to all the buildings. They will all be painted pure white, with suitable trimmings.

CHARACTER DEVELOPMENT

Sermon To Young People by the Rev. James Rollins.

The pastor of King Street Presbyterian Church, Rev. James Rollins, last night began a series of sermons to young people on "Character Development."

Mr. Rollins' first sermon was on the text, "Thinking and Its Effect Upon the Character." He said in part:

"Men have the power to control their own thoughts. They are what they think and their thinking governs their life. The only method of saving a man who cares for nothing good is by showing him that he is not living for the higher things."

Rev. Mr. Rollins said that people had never been born without love of music, but had molded themselves that way by considering it below their dignity when young. It is impossible for a man to think evil and do good. His thoughts govern his actions. Change of life begins when a man begins to think right, hence it is necessary to think right before it is possible to live right.

Mr. Rollins preached in the morning on "Not Slaw, But Long Suffering," Second Peter, iii., 9. "People often believe," he said, "that God is slow in helping them, whereas he is long-suffering. He is merely waiting for the proper time to make it known. He is helping and assisting at all times."

Mr. Rollins will continue his series next Sunday. The text will be, "The Place of Ideals in Character Development."

WATER ALL AROUND

Springbank's Aqua Pura Turned Into the Fountains.

At last action has been taken to have the water turned on in the drinking fountains on the streets of the east end and in Queen's Park.

A plumber has been notified to repair the water pipes and to turn on the water.

The posts used to protect the fountains should be replaced, as they are very badly battered up.

AT ST. MARY'S

Rev. Father McKeon on "Devotion to The Virgin Mary."

Rev. Father McKeon celebrated high mass at St. Mary's Church yesterday morning.

Father Tobin occupied the pulpit preaching on the patronage of St. Joseph, yesterday being the Feast of St. Joseph, the patron of the universal church.

Rev. Father McKeon preached at the evening vespers on "Devotion To the Blessed Virgin Mary," as May is especially dedicated to devotion to the blessed virgin.

A BRIDE FOR CHRIST

Sermon by Rev. Mr. Bowen at Egerton Baptist Church.

At Egerton Street Baptist Church yesterday Rev. Mr. Bowen, the pastor, occupied the pulpit. Mr. Bowen preached on "Seeking a Bride for Christ." His text was: "But thou shalt go into my country and my kindred and take a wife unto my son, Isaac," Genesis xxiv., 4.

The speaker drew a lesson from Abraham's servants being sent to choose a wife for Isaac. The bride must be a believer and friend of God. She must be spotless, pure, clean, willing to leave everything for Christ's sake. Christ, the groom, is possessed of unlimited wealth and power. He is all powerful.

The evening service was especially for women, and there were many women present. The pastor chose as his text the story of Mary and the Alabaster Box of Ointment.

The speaker said that the real test of a nation is the home life and godliness of home life. The home problem—the great question of the nation—is entirely in the hands of the mothers and wives of the nation. The home life of the East End will be revolutionized when wives and mothers devote more time to Christ and be near to God. The mothers and wives have the power to win others to the right path and should exercise that power. There is nothing too good, and therefore wives and mothers should devote everything to Christ.

MUST HAVE BEEN BLIND DRUNK

(Continued From Page One.)

"I could scarcely believe it, and was terrified.

"I saw that I was in for it, and determined to flee. I had only one object and that was to make my escape. I was a complete stranger in Stratford and the Stratford district.

No One Recognized Him.

"I walked down the street and not a soul recognized me. I was surprised at this, as my picture and that of Lloyd appeared in the paper I had read. I struck blindly through the woods, avoiding meeting people the best I could. In fact I did not come face to face with man, woman or child from the time I left Stratford until I reached Elora nor did I come across a railroad.

"Never once did I hear that the police were on my track. I knew they would be, but I had no tidings of them. At Elora there was a horse show going on."

Went to Horse Show.

"I was hungry, tired and dejected, and I went to the horse show and mingled freely with the crowd. For two hours I walked about the fair grounds and there I rubbed8 clothes with Constable Merriweather, of Guelph.

"I did not know who he was at the time, but when I was arrested in Rob's barn and Constable Merriweahter came up in company with the Chief of Police of Guelph, I instantly recognized the constable as the man I had seen at the horse show.

Got a Job.

"While at the horse show, I heard that Mr. Robb who lived four miles from Elora was looking for a hired man. I found this out because I had asked several people where I could get work. I went out to Mr. Robb's place and engaged to work for him.

"He gave no sign that he nor any suspicion who I was."

Used His Own Name.

"I went under my own name of William Moir, but it created no talk as far as I knew."

"I did my work, as best I could and kept to myself. The Robbs treated me fine. While at Robbs' place the cold I had suffered on my tramp came back at me, and I contracted a violent toothache. The pain was awful, and I had to go to a dentist at Alam to have the tooth filled.

"When I left his office I did not think the man had recognized me. Frequently in the Robb home, also, with the dentist and several other people I discussed the tragedy at London, and heard different opinions expressed, but never once did I get an inkling that anybody knew who I was.

The Revolver.

"At the Robb place I carried my revolver because I had no place to hide it where it might not be found. I did not want to leave it in the house, because the people might hurt themselves with it. I have no ill-will against the constable who arrested me. They certainly took me by surprise, as I had no idea what their game was.

"The story of the fight in the barn on Saturday night is spread pretty thick. I did not have a chance to do anything, because two men were on my back before I knew what had happened. I was in the act of sliding the harness off the back of one of the horses, when the two constables, both powerful men, jumped on me. They are both strong men, but I gave them a run for their money for a minute. The fight did not last over that long.

No Spite.

"I have no spite nor had I any spite against any person in the barracks, either against the officers of the men, and Lloyd is the last man in the world I would have harmed. Any statement to the contrary is a lie.

"I am not sorry that the chase is ended, because I was continually haunted by the fear that somebody would recognize me."

Not a Cordite Eater.

"That story about me eating cordite is all bosh," Moir said to The Advertiser, in conclusion. "There's nothing in it. It was whisky brought me to this—whisky and nothing else. I can tell you I feel my position keenly, and I wish to God I could remedy what has been done."

NEW RAILS ON MAIN LINE G. T. R. GANGS BUSY

Tracking Between Here and Sarnia To Be Renewed.

The Grand Trunk have several hundred men at work in the East End relaying new steel rails along the main line, which is to be renewed between here and Sarnia.

The gang is composed of expert steel layers from Toronto, Hamilton and other places in the district.

There are enough men working to lay seven miles of track daily.

The fifteenth district, from Stratford to St. Marys, has recently been renewed.

EARLY CHRISTIANITY

Characteristics of Christian Effort in Apostolic Days.

At Adelaide Street Church yesterday morning, Rev. T. T. Shields took up again the subject of "Apostolic Cristianity," his text being Acts iii., 1—11, the story of the healing by Peter and John of the life-long cripple who laid daily at the temple gate and asked for alms. The preacher noted the fact that generally the world has little use for the church or the ministry; but when trouble comes they turn to the people of God for sympathy and help. The majority are "outside the gate of the temple," and it is the mission of the Christian to go where the spiritual cripple is found, and take him by the hand and lift him up. The pastor's evening discourse was (like last Sunday's) addressed especially to "Seeking Souls." Text: Luke ix., 61, 62, "No man having put his hand to the plow, and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of God."

Three persons were baptized.

A much-appreciated feature of the musical part of the services in the evening was the singing of "The Wayside Cross" by a male quartet, which included Messrs. Charles F. Maynard, Edward Gardener, Roy Freeland and Clifford Read. Another notable thing in connection with the choir was that the lady members left off their hats—an innovation that elicited favorable comment from many quarters.

THOSE AWFUL LIDS

Merry Widow Hats Make Trouble for the Church.

Those Merry Widow hats are causing trouble in the east end churches.

Several ladies, previously devoted church people, have absolutely refused to attend services in one church unless they are given front seats.

Their own pews are toward the rear of the church, and the barrier of Merry Widow lids makes it impossible to see the preacher.

A deputation of members of the church in question will shortly call on the pastor and demand that some action be taken to have an order passed that there shall be no more Merry Widows.

They strenuously object to any more gaiety, and insist that elevated gardens are not the proper thing for church.

The ladies find it impossible to keep their mind on religion when a choice Merry Widow hat is before them.

EAST END NOTES.

The trustees of All Saints' Church are having trouble with the water at their church. The eavestroughs were connected with side-drains to the main sewer, which has not been completed. Consequently the water overflows and runs into the church basement.

The east end firemen had the second run this month on Saturday at 5:20 o'clock, when they were called to guard the Central station.

Rev. Principal Waller, of Huron College, conducted the services at All Saints' Church yesterday morning. Mr. Slade conducted the evening service and occupied the pulpit.

The usual services were conducted in St. Matthew's Church yesterday by the rector, Rev. Mr. Lowe. Mr. Lowe preached at all services.

Rev. Mr. Black conducted all services at Elizabeth Street Christian Church yesterday. Mr. Black chose as his evening text, "Conversion of Saul."

Contractor Martin has secured the contract for a double red brick residence to be erected on King street, east of Adelaide, for Mr. John Dawson.

SHOT HIS FATHER

Had Seen Mother Abused by the Man Ever Since He Could Remember.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., May 10.—Norman White, a lad of 15 years, had seen his mother abused by his drunken father ever since he could remember. Yesterday he spent his savings for a revolver. When the elder White returned home this morning and began abusing his wife, Norman told his father he would kill him if he did not let his mother alone.

"Shoot me if you dare," the man challenged, as he threatened to strike his wife.

The lad emptied the five chambers of the revolver. Four went wide and the last penetrated the man's right lung. He will not live many hours. When the boy was arrested a few hours later he had his revolver reloaded, but gave it up readily and did not resist arrest.

Mrs. White told the police she had intended to shoot White the next time he attacked her if her son had not done so.

FITZPATRICK APPOINTED

Sir Charles Will Represent Canada and Newfoundland at The Hague.

Ottawa, May 10.—Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, chief justice of the supreme court of Canada, will be the joint representative of Canada and Newfoundland on The Hague tribunal to settle the Atlantic fisheries disputes with the United States. Newfoundland has concurred in the Dominion Government's proposal that Sir Charles represent both the Island colony and Canada at The Hague, and the British Government has just sanctioned his appointment to the tribunal. The United States member of the tribunal has not yet been announced.

Mr. R. N. Venning, assistant commissioner of the fisheries, will probably accompany Sir Charles to The Hague to assist in the presentation of the Canadian case.

OKLAHOMA TOWNS SWEPT BY TORNADO

Great Damage to Property and Loss of Life South of Woodward.

Woodward, Okla., May 11.—A succession of tornadoes swept over the district lying 25 miles southwest, south and southeast of Woodward, last night. Several small isolated towns, all away from the railroad, and without telegraphic communication, are reported destroyed. Many persons have been injured and several are reported to have been killed.

The Carlisle corporation and city magistrates have decided to present the mayor (Major Donald) with a silver cradle, in commemoration of the birth of his son during his year of office as chief magistrate of the city.

POLITICAL GOSSIP

The West Lambton Liberals will meet tomorrow afternoon at Sarnia to consider the question of nominating a candidate to oppose the Hon. W. J. Hanna. The Prohibitionists have already a candidate in the field, namely, Mr. John Cowan, K. C. If the Liberals also nominate a man, then the election of Mr. Hanna would be almost assured, for it would split the votes of all who are opposed to the Whitney Government favors to the liquor trade.

The West Elgin Liberals will meet at Dutton on Wednesday next to select their standard-bearer against Mr Finlay Macdiarmid, the present member. The Liberals in the riding are thoroughly united, and will put up a great fight, with good prospects of redeeming the constituency.

Opposes Three-Fifths Clause.

Guelph, May 9.—Mr. A. W. Tyson, the Liberal candidate for South Wellington, has come out plainly before the electors on the temperance question, taking a firm stand against the Whitney three-fifths clause. "Liberal fair play when the majority rules every time," is Mr. Tyson's motto on which he goes to the polls. There has been a big awakening in South Wellington, and it is a different fight to that of four years ago which is now in progress. Organizing work is on in earnest and a big rally is to be held on the 20th, when Hon. A. G. MacKay will be the principal speaker.

Kingston, May 9.—Frontenac Liberals met in the Whig Hall this afternoon, and after due consideration decided not to place a candidate in the field against J. S. Gallagher, M. P. P., but to support Dr. William Spankle, of Wolfe Island, who is running as an independent. Dr. Spankle, though a Conservative, and holding the position of county school inspector, says he will remain neutral if elected. The prospects are that he will defeat Mr. Gallagher, as he will have the bulk of the Liberal vote and a good share of the Conservative.

Mr. Tremblay Retires.

Windsor, May 10.—Mr. J. A. Tremblay of Tilbury, who was tendered the nomination for the Legislature by the Liberals of North Essex last Saturday, has decided that, owing to business and other reasons, it was impossible to make the race against Hon. Dr. Reaume. No candidate has yet been decided upon in Mr. Tremblay's place.

JAMES ARNOTT AGAIN IN COURT

Man Who Fought P. C. Garnett Is Once More in Trouble.

James Arnott was arrested yesterday on the complaint of Joseph Allen, who charged him with assault.

Arnott is alleged to have come home drunk and kicked in the front door of his house.

Mr. Allen saw him and came out.

When Arnott saw him he asked him who did that.

Allen said Arnott ought to know, because he had done it himself.

Arnott, it is said, became furious, and a brick was produced in court with which he hit Mr. Allen in the chest.

Mr. J. M. McEvoy, who represented Arnott, asked that the case be adjourned for a week, and that bail be allowed.

Crown Attorney McKillop opposed this strenuously on the ground that Arnott is too dangerous a man to be at large after he has been drinking.

Arnott, at his own request, was placed on the Indian list, and the case was enlarged for a week, bail being allowed in the sum of $1,000, $500 personal bail, $250 by Mrs. Arnott and $250 by James Walton.

Arnott was up in court last winter and fined heavily for attacking P. C. Ernest Garnett, who went down to arrest him when he was in a drunken fracas at his home.

It is alleged that Arnott has a police record in Toronto.

WHERE GAME ABOUNDS.

On Saturday while hunting on Camp run, a branch of Horse Creek, and about seven miles from town, Harry Dolby and James Van Ausdall scared up a half-grown fawn in the red brush. The animal was so handsome and graceful that the hunters, even had they not been deterred by the game laws, did not have the heart to offer it any harm. But they followed its trail for fully a mile in the hope of sighting it again. In that same location on Friday a full-grown bear was sighted, but up to a late hour Sunday there was no report of its having been killed or captured. Mrs. Albert Mohnkern, whose husband operates the gas compressor for the Oil Well Supply Company, was going to the school for her children, three miles from her home in the red brush, when she encountered the bear, which was full grown. She was too frightened to attempt to run and the bear made no attempt to molest her. As soon as she could reach the schoolhouse she gave the alarm, and the hunters turned out in large numbers. The trail of the animal was soon found, but the bear was a fast traveler and none of the nimrods was able to come within shooting distance of the beast.—Oil City Derrick.

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City and District

Damage Slight.

The firemen had a run to 30 Paul street, Saturday afternoon, where some boys, who had been smoking, had set fire to a shed. The damage was slight.

Miss Purdy's Condition.

Miss Annabel Purdy, of Grand avenue, who was recently so severely burned, is improving slowly at Victoria Hospital, and it is fully expected now that she will recover.

Will Reside in London.

A quiet wedding was solemnized on Saturday afternoon at the parsonage of Wellington Street Methodist Church, when Miss Blanche Bennett, of Chatham, was married to Mr. Geo. W. Huson, formerly of Chatham, but now of this city. Rev. W. L. Rutledge officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Huson will reside in London.

Piano Recital.

The following programme was rendered at the Conservatory of Music on Saturday by piano pupils of Mr. Barron:

Sonata op. 26 ..... Beethoven
Miss Jean Galbraith (St. Marys).
Love Dream ..... Liszt
Miss Irene Foster.
Sonata Pathetique ..... Beethoven
Miss Chute (St. Thomas).
Rustle of Spring ..... Sinding
Miss Hazel Gibson.
Valse Leute ..... Schutt
Miss Mildred Anthistle.
Sonata op. 2, No. 8 ..... Beethoven
Miss Alice Christopher.
Sonata Pathetique ..... Beethoven
Miss Hicks.
March, Tannhauser ..... Wagner-Liszt
Miss Vera Thorne.
Nocturne op. 37, No. 2 ..... Chopin
Miss Dobbyn.

FIRST METHODIST IS PROSPEROUS

Last of the Church Debt Will Soon Be Wiped Off.

The quarterly board meeting of the managers of the First Methodist Church met recently and considered a number of reports of the work done during the year.

The membership of the church showed a most satisfactory increase, and the finances are in such splendid shape that it is expected that the last installment of the church debt will be paid in a few weeks.

The elections resulted as follows, Recording Steward John H. Chapman, Stewards, Messrs. George Robinson, J. E. Boomer, Dr. Eccles, G. F. Brickenden and George E. Mann.

MR. BARRON IN BOSTON

Will Devote Some Time to Composition Teaching.

The Boston correspondent of Musical America says:

W. Caven Barron, pianist, composer, teacher and principal of the London Conservatory of Music, which he founded in 1891 in London, Ont., has returned to Boston, where a number of years ago he pursued his early studies in music in the New England Conservatory of Music, and has taken studios on Huntington avenue, where he will devote much of his time during the next two or three months to composition teaching.

Mr. Barron was born in St. Marys, Ont., and after studying some time at the conservatory in this city, went to Leipsic, where he continued his study of the piano with Martin Krause, and of composition with Jadassohn.

Returning to this country, he decided to open a conservatory of music in Canada, and his work there has been especially successful. The school has several hundred pupils and has graduated many who have become successful professionals. One of the pupils who was recently graduated is Gertrude Huntley, who is now studying with Moszkowski, in Paris.

Mr. Barron recently received an interesting letter from Moszkowski speaking of Miss Huntley's success in a recital which she gave in Paris.

Mr. Barron has devoted much of his time to composition and has produced a number of interesting piano pieces which have been published by the John Church Company. Among his latest compositions are three which comprise an Irish suite, entitled "The Colleen," "Lullalo," and "Forsaken." Of his Scotch pieces, "Departure," "Absence" and "Return" should be mentioned.

Mr. Barron has also written three Dutch pieces entitled "Agnes in Dreamland," "Willie in Sabot" and "By the Canal." Other compositions are "Scottish Love Song," "Evening Reverie" and "Morning Salutation." He has placed competent instructors in his school in London and will devote much of his attention while in Boston to composition and a limited amount of time to teaching. Mr. Barron has been especially engaged to do some teaching during the summer at a private school in Maine.

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DISTRESS AT LA GUIRA

Death List From Plague Grows and Entire City Is Affected.

Willemstad, May 11.—W. W. Russell, the American minister to Venezuela, sailed from here yesterday on the steamer Caracas for the United States, where he will spend his vacation of two months.

That there is a tension in the diplomatic relations between the United States and Venezuela was shown by the fact that none of the Venezuelan officers was on hand at Puerto Cabello yesterday to bid Mr. Russell goodbye.

Thomas P. Moffatt, United States consul at La Guira, is still in that city without the means of communication because of the plague, and it is feared without the necessities of life. It is thought the United States may send a gunboat there for the purpose of transferring the consul, for at present there are no American interests to care for. President Castro's decree quarantining La Guaira may be prolonged or until a full week passes without new cases of the plague making their appearance. There is great distress among the unemployed there, the death list is growing and the whole town seems to be infected.

Wedding orders given special attention. Hueston's Two Big Liveries.

Doubtless most children would be rather fond of their parents if most parents weren't so insufferably overbearing that no right-minded young Canadian can stand that.

LOCKED CHILDREN IN AND FIRED THE HOUSE

Negro Accused by Wife of Causing Death of Five Offsprings.

Montgomery, Ala., May 11.—Five children of James Kennedy, a well-known negro of this city, were burned to death last night, and two others so badly burned that they are not expected to live. Kennedy's wife alleges that her husband locked the children in the place, and then set it on fire. The man and woman have been living apart, and the question of the possession of the children was being fought out in the courts. Kennedy escaped.

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Church People vs. Theater-Going People

Rev. Rutledge Speaks On Both Classes

In an Interesting Sermon—Many Topics Touched Upon in London Churches.

The "Biography of a Quitter" was the subject on which Rev. W. L. Rutledge preached to a large congregation at the First Methodist Church last night. Mr. Rutledge chose his text from the second book of Timothy, iv., 10: "For Demas hath forsaken me, having loved this present world."

"Many people," said Rev. Mr. Rutledge, "are, like Demas, filled with great enthusiasm for a short time and then cool off. Demas is not the first instance in the New Testament of a quitter, and there have been quitters in the church ever since. It was worldliness pure and simple that led Demas to desert the disciples, and it is worldliness under one of its many heads that characterizes the quitter in the church. It is responsible for the failure of a great deal of church work. The theater has undoubtedly done much harm, but are there not people who go to the theater who are much better in many ways than those who go to the churches? Why is it more harm to roll balls about on a green table than to roll them on a green lawn? The open door of the theater is a danger, but are all the people who do not go to the theater on the way to heaven? Dancing has led many young people astray, but there can not be much harm in young people mingling together in such an exercise on a country green as they used to do many years ago. What is worldliness in one age is not in another. John, in speaking of worldliness, means whatever makes it difficult for us to love God. Got hates hyprocrisy, but will forgive a quitter if he makes an earnest effort to live right."

Rev. Walter Moffatt spoke last night at Chalmers Church on "An Interesting Young Man," taking as his subject the young ruler who, apparently an ideal youth, came to Christ seeking truth. When Christ revealed it to him he did not like it and went away without accepting it. Mr. Moffatt showed how it was possible for many people to be apparently ideal human beings, and yet to be wanting in the requisites of a truly perfect character.

During the evening, Miss Forrester sang most acceptably.

This morning, the committee, of which Mr. Moffatt is convener, consisting of Revs. J. G. Stuart, H. F. Jelly, W. Lindsay and A. Henderson, goes to Caradoc and Ivan to try and arrange those districts more satisfactorily. Tomorrow they will go to Payne's Mills, and the results of their investigations will be contained in a report to be given at the next meeting of the presbytery.

Special anniversary services were celebrated at the Southern Congregational Church yesterday, when the pulpit was occupied both morning and evening by Rev. William Spence, of Embro. Large congregations were present at both services, and the sermons were greatly appreciated. Mrs. Spence sang at both services.

Rev. W. H. Claris, pastor of the church, preached in Embro yesterday.

Rev. I. B. Wallwin, of Empress Avenue Methodist Church, and Rev. C. Osterhaut, of Kintore, exchanged pulpits yesterday, it being educational day at the Empress Avenue Church. The church was well filled both morning and evening, and Mr. Osterhaut's sermons were most practical and instructive. Rev. Mr. Wallwin preached at Kintore.

The Christian Workers' Church on King street was well filled last night, when Rev. Mr. Garrett preached on "Take Heed How Ye Hear."

"Multitudes," he said, "are always eager to hear, but are generally most unwilling to obey, and Christ chose his parables from the very simple things around him to show that the commonest things have voices and are speaking to us always. Now, as then, they generally fall on deaf ears. In the parable of the sower, the sower is not the Lord, but every man and woman. Those who speak false things may do more harm than they will ever know, and often to innocent people. We should be most careful what we do with human speech, for our words are a power for good or evil. The beaten track was not always hard, but has become so by long traffic. Every duty we omit obscures some truth we ought to have known. The three great things that harden men's hearts are unwillingness, inattention and indifference. Hard hearts, however, are not unalterable, and those who come under the influence of God's word will invariably be softened.

During the evening Mrs. Marshall and her son, who recently came from Scotland, delighted the congregation with their singing.

At St. Peter's Cathedral yesterday the feast of "The Patronage of St. Joseph," was observed. At the morning service mass was sung by Father White, after which a special sermon in regard to the feast was preached by Father Ford. In the evening Father White preached on the ninth and tenth commandments.

At Maitland Street Baptist Church yesterday special anniversary services were observed, and the pulpit was occupied both morning and evening by Rev. G. F. Boone, of Clinton Avenue Baptist Church, Detroit. Mr. Boone was pastor of Maitland Street Baptist Church about six years ago. The church was filled at both the morning and evening services.

A very earnest and inspiring discourse was delivered by the pastor, Rev. A. J. Vining, yesterday morning at the Talbot Street Baptist Church from Psalm 25: 21. The speaker dwelt principally upon the two outstanding characteristics of a strong character,—integrity and uprightness—without which no man can be really great. All Christians were urged to manifest these qualities in a consistent walk, and a singleness of purpose to glorify God in their everyday life, taking as their ideal the Lord Jesus Christ.

In the evening the pastor preached another most impressive discourse on the series concerning Israel's history, his subject being the "Fate of Jezebel" as described in Second Book of Kings ix., 35. The history of these people as recorded in the Scriptures certainly contains many important lessons for this generation, and the pastor of Talbot Street Church endeavors to give his hearers the benefit of each and every one that may be applicable.

Some of the leading facts emphasized in last evening's discourse were: The tenacity of sin; the infallibility of the law, that "Whatsoever a man soweth that shall he also reap"; the awful torture of conscience over lost opportunities.

The church is experiencing much blessing under the ministry of Mr. Vining, and numbers are steadily being added to the membership. The ordinance of baptism was administered last evening, and others are inquiring the way of salvation.

Next Sunday morning Rev. Mr. Bosworth, of Grande Ligne Mission, in Quebec Province, will speak on the work among the French.

An inspiring service of song was held at the First Congregational Church last evening, which reflected credit upon the organist, Mr. G. E. Goslin, and his efficient choir, as well as upon the pecial soloists of the evening. The anthems were "Praise Ye the Father," "Hark, the Glad Sound" and "Hark, Hark, My Soul," and were all rendered with fine effect. The various parts were well taken and Miss Nellie Moule's rich alto voice deserves special mention. Mr. Wilfred Blaikie and Mr. Ernest Moule each sang in splendid voice. Mr. Moule's solo being, "Fear Ye Not, O Israel," and Mr. Blaikie's "A Voice From Paradise." The pastor, Rev. D. S. Hamilton, gave a brief address on the subject of praise, and the hearty singing of the hymns by the congregation contributed to an uplifting season of worship.

A Confidential Agent of Bradstreets'

A Cleveland paper gives the following account of the death of Mr. Stephen Moule, brother of Mr. John Moule, of this city:

Stephen A. Moule, for 33 years connected with the Bradstreet mercantile agency as confidential agent, at Cleveland, died early yesterday morning at his home, No. 6406 Clinton avenue, N. W., after two weeks of severe suffering with neuralgia of the heart. He was stricken at Sandusky on April 24, while on the road in the discharge of his duties.

Mr. Moule was exceptionally well known throughout a territory reaching from Fort Wayne, Ind., to Erie, Pa., his work carrying him through this district regularly.

Born in Canada, 69 years ago, Mr. Moule came to Cleveland in 1865 and opened a grocery store at St. Clair and Muirson streets. After a few years there he became connected with Bradstreet's, and served that concern continuously until his death. He was a member of Bigelow Lodge, F. and A. M., and a charter member of the Cleveland Commercial Travelers' Association, and of the Pearl Street Lodge of the Royal Arcanum. He was also a member of the First Congregational Church. He was married in 1868 to Miss Emma Chapman, of Cleveland, who survives, with three children, Harry J. Moule and Stephen C. Moule, both of Cleveland, and Mrs. Charles E. Paddock, of Chicago.

The funeral services will be held at the home at 2 p.m. Monday and will be conducted by Rev. John Malcolm. Interment will be at Riverside Cemetery.

FREDERICK MAY DEAD.

Newark, N. J., May 11. — Frederick H. May, formerly vice-president and general manager of the American Rapid Telegraph Company, died yesterday at his home in this city. He had been prominent in railroad construction in the west and middle west in the seventies, and won fame during the civil war by keeping the Illinois Central north of Cairo open for troop and supply trains for Gen. Grant. Mr. May was born on the Isle of Man.

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S. Huron—W. Confit, Hills Green.
C. Huron—T. G. Johnson, Clinton.
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W. Kent—Sheriff Gemmell, Chatham.
E. Lambton—E. McGillicuddy, Watford.
W. Lambton—Sheriff Flintoff, Sarnia.
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N. Brant—R. Lawrason, St. George.
S. Brant—T. F. Wade, Brantford.
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N. Bruce—A. E. Belcher, Southampton.
S. Bruce—J. F. Tolton, Walkerton.
E. Elgin—J. H. Curwood, Sparta.
W. Elgin—R. McCully, St. Thomas.
N. Essex—Gordon J. Leggatt, Windsor.
S. Essex—J. W. King, Kingsville.
N. Grey—W. Rutherford, Owen Sound.
S. Grey—C. L. Grant, Durham.
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Monck—G. J. Galbraith, Dunnville.
N. Norfolk—A. Chrysler, Delhi.
S. Norfolk—F. H. Harding, Port Rowan.
N. Oxford—E. J. Cody, Embro.
S. Oxford—J. A. Williams, Ingersoll.
N. Perth—Sheriff Magwood.
S. Perth—Fred Sharp, St. Marys.
N. Waterloo—Peter Stumpf, Elmira.
S. Waterloo—John N. Sites, Blair.
S. Wellington—W. W. White, Guelph.
W. Wellington—E. Gainer, sen., Arthur.
S. Wentworth—R. Lewis, Hamilton

BRITISH

The expenditure on barracks during the past decade has been $46,204,495 in England.

The late Mr. Richard Bill Smale, Oswestry, Salop, retired chemist and druggist, left $151,385.

Straw hats, the first of the season, are now timidly making their appearance in London streets.

In Manchester the gramophone will be introduced in all the public parks and recreation grounds.

In the year ending with March, the profits of the municipal gas works at Darlington gave $22,500.

The houses of worship of London will accommodate nearly a million and a half people at one time.

The Salvation Army self denial week has realized $363,350, an increase of over $85 over last year.

In an old bowler hat, hung on a gooseberry bush at Shipdam, Norfolk, a pair of robins have made their nest.

Mr. Asquith is the eighteenth prime minister who can claim Oxford as his alma mater. Cambridge has supplied twelve.

Damage estimated at about $150,000 was caused by fire recently at the leather cloth works at Stratford, Essex.

The Hungarian Exhibition at Earl's Court will be opened by the Lord Mayor of London and sheriffs.

A commencement has been made with the construction of a large new graving dock in West Holborn, South Shields.

One of the best known hop growers in Kent is emigrating to New Zealand because he cannot make hop growing in England pay.

In the last three months gold to the value of over six and a half million sterling has been shipped to London from Cape Town.

For a vacancy on the Shoreditch board of guardians the Socialists are promoting the candidature of a tailoress named Louise Michel.

A tannery at Leeds, belonging to Messrs. Webster, late of Otley, was gutted by fire on April 11. The damage is estimated at about $50,000.

The late Mr. Thomas Fowell Buxton, formerly of Truman, Hanbury, Buxton & Co., Limited, brewers, left an estate of the gross vale of $1,650,000.

Mr. William Bolton, a retired farm steward, much respected in his home in the Bamborough district, died on Sunday morning, while helping to feed cattle.

There were recorded in South Shields last week 72 births and 26 deaths, the respective rates being 32.4 and 11.7, and the zymotic death rate 0.45.

Mr. Basil H. Thomson, governor of Wormwood Scrubs Prison, son of the late Archbishop of York, has been appointed secretary to the prison commission.

Lambeth guardians have realized $90 for the ratepayers' benefit by selling a quantity of unclaimed jewelry and other articles belonging to deceased paupers.

According to a return issued from the treasury 1,496,889 gallons of wine were imported in casks into the country in 1907. In addition 1,681,344 gallons was imported in bottles.