

NOMINATIONS FOR  
SOUTH OXFORDThe Liberals Choose Messrs.  
Schell and MacKay.

## PROSPERITY UNDER ROSS GOVT.

Stirring Addresses Delivered by Leader  
Graham and the Two  
Candidates.

Tillsonburg, May 28.—Every part of the riding of South Oxford was well represented at the convention held in the opera house this afternoon to nominate candidates in the Liberal interests for the House of Commons and the Provincial Legislature. The first order of business was the reception of delegates' credentials. President Havens then called for nominations for the House of Commons, and Mr. M. S. Schell, M. P., was the only one nominated, his sponsors being Messrs. M. T. Buchanan and J. E. Fergusson.

Dr. A. MacKay, the former representative of the riding, was nominated by J. McKee, seconded by Wm. Colver, for the Legislature. This was followed by the nomination of Messrs. M. T. Buchanan, W. A. Dowler, Alex. Rose, C. W. Carroll, Val. Ficht, A. Kneal, J. C. Shaw, T. R. Mayberry and R. W. Hawkins.

A telegram from Sir Richard Cartwright, acting premier, was read, expressing his thanks for an invitation to be present, and regretting that he would be unable to attend. Mr. L. E. Edwards, secretary of the Woodstock Young Liberal Club, wrote on behalf of the club, conveying most cordial greetings.

Hon. G. P. Graham, leader of the Opposition, Messrs. F. G. Inwood, Liberal organizer; H. B. Donly, Col. Atkinson, and the nominees were invited to take seats on the platform, and they responded. On motion of W. J. Elliott and J. E. Fergusson, each candidate who desired to go on the platform was allowed ten minutes to speak, and it was decided that the speakers be called in the reverse order of their nomination.

## Dr. MacKay's Address.

Dr. A. MacKay felt inspired and glad to see such a large and representative gathering of intelligent reformers present. In speaking of Hon. George P. Graham, leader of the Opposition, he paid a high tribute to his sterling character as a man and a statesman. He had been greatly encouraged by the advice of friends throughout this riding that whatever little local jealousies had existed in the past had been fairly well overcome, and prospects were now exceedingly bright for redeeming this riding. The present Government had failed in many respects to meet the expectations of those who had placed them in power, and their administration had not been in the interests of (Continued on Page Nine.)

WARNINGS OF  
MORE FROSTSContinued Cold Weather Predicted  
for Lower Lakes and  
the East.

Washington, May 28.—Remarkably unseasonable weather, with a cold wave extending through the region west of the Rocky mountains, and thermometers in some sections registering the lowest temperatures for the season in many years, is reported by the weather bureau. Last night the bureau issued the following special forecast:

"Frost warnings have been issued for the middle Atlantic States and the eastern lower lake region, Western Colorado, Eastern Wyoming, Utah and Northern Arizona, and warnings of freezing temperature for Western Wyoming."

Weather bureau officials say that there is no immediate prospect of any summer weather anywhere. The present cold wave, they add, has prevailed most of the present month. Heavy frosts are reported to the weather bureau from Michigan and other states of the lake region. The cold wave is particularly severe in the southwest, and is due, according to the weather experts, to the heavy rains in that part of the country.

Forecaster Harry Frankfeldt, of the weather bureau, last night said: "The reason for the cold weather we have had during the past two or three months is that the high areas of pressure have moved eastward from the northern portions of the country, almost continuously, and these have caused cold north winds. That is the only reason I can give for the cold weather areas. As to what makes these high areas keep up all this season is more than I can tell."

## METHUEN FOR SOUTH AFRICA

Surprising Appointment of Commander  
at Magerfontein.

London, May 28.—Among a number of new military appointments announced last night is one of unusual interest, that of Gen. Methuen to command the British forces in South Africa. Gen. Methuen's part in the South African campaign did not reflect much credit upon him. He was severely beaten at Magerfontein in December, 1899, and was recalled from Kimberley after his unsuccessful operations before Warrenton in March, 1900.

Ignored the Semaphore  
Caused a Fatal CrashRARE BOOKS VANISH  
FROM ITALIAN CHURCHPriceless Art Treasure Believed To Be In  
Possession of American.

Perugia, Italy, May 28.—The loss of another art treasure has aroused considerable local indignation, and there is an intimation that the missing property has passed into the hands of an American.

The Church of San Pietro, of this city, had in its possession 22 large illuminated volumes dating from the fifteenth and sixteenth centuries. They were the work of the best masters of the art, and the most beautiful of them was the product of one Giacomo Caporali. Two years ago a local physician who was attending the abbot of San Pietro asked permission to copy the Caporali volume for a rich American. He was allowed to take the volume home, but never returned it. The abbot is now dead and the physician lies ill at Florence.

FOUR-YEAR-OLD  
BADLY INJUREDTorpedo Inflicts Ugly Wound in  
Cheek Which Will Disfigure  
Him for Life.

The four-year-old son of Mr. Ernest Eden, of 558 William street, met with a very painful and serious accident recently, when a torpedo exploded and inflicted a nasty wound in his cheek. On the evening before the accident, a young man, who was boarding at the Eden home, had been throwing torpedoes on the doorstep for the purpose of exploding them. One of them had evidently missed fire, and the next morning, as the child was playing on the steps beside his father, the torpedo exploded, striking him in the right cheek. Several bad cuts were inflicted, while a part of the explosive went through the cheek into the mouth, burning the throat and tongue badly.

Dr. Cowan was called and put several stitches in the wound. No serious results are expected, although the child will be disfigured for life.

ROOSEVELT'S PERIL AT  
MRS. MCKINLEY'S BURIALA Brother of Assassin Czolgosz Reported  
To Be In Canton.

Canton, Ohio, May 28.—During the night and this morning up to the hour of the funeral, people from various parts of the country continued to arrive here to attend the funeral of Mrs. McKinley.

A rumor, apparently originating in Cleveland, that Michael Czolgosz, the brother of the assassin of President McKinley, was in Canton, was discredited by the local police. Yesterday Inspector Sullivan, of the Federal Secret Service, held a conference with Chief of Police Smith, relative to preserving order in the crowds in President Roosevelt's vicinity, and to guard the President from possible injury. While placing no credence in the Czolgosz story, the police are on the alert, and will take no chances in safeguarding the President. Inspector Sutton today again went over the route from the McKinley home to the cemetery and pronounced himself satisfied with the arrangements.

## BISHOP OF LONDON COMING

Will Be Guest of Earl Grey—To Pay  
Visit to Toronto.

Ottawa, May 28.—Right Rev. Dr. Ingram, Lord Bishop of London, will visit Ottawa on September 1. As this will mark the first occasion on which a Lord Bishop of London has visited Canada, the occasion will be fittingly observed. It was announced that he will be the guest of Earl Grey if his excellency is in Ottawa, and if not, of the Bishop of Ottawa. The Bishop of London will also visit Toronto and Hamilton and other points.

## HAMMERED THE DUKE

Parisian Lady Assaults the Uncle of King  
Alfonso.

Paris, May 28.—A woman named Mme. Guggenheime was fined \$20 in a civil court yesterday for having committed an assault on the Duke of Galliera, husband of the Infanta Eulalia, aunt of the present King of Spain. Mme. Guggenheime recently awaited the duke outside of a store in the Rue de La Paix, and when he came out she belabored him with her parasol, much to the edification of the passersby. She claimed in court that she left her husband for love of the duke, and that he had subsequently neglected her.

## BREAD PRICES SOAR.

Paris, May 28.—In consequence of the increase in the price of wheat, involving an increase of \$1.50 per hundred kilos in the price of flour, the bakers threaten to raise the price of bread from 4 to 5 cents per pound.

Charge of Manslaughter Over  
the Diamond Crossing  
Accident.

[Special to The Advertiser.]  
St. Thomas, May 28.—County Constable John Hopkins yesterday went to Bridgeburg and arrested Murray Stephens on a charge of manslaughter. Murray Stephens was engineer of the Wabash special which crashed into the C. P. R. passenger train at the diamond crossing east of the city, on Friday, August 24, 1906, killing Engineer John McKay, Toronto Junction, and causing the death of Alex. Wilby, C. P. R. baggage man.

Following the inquest Stephens left the city. A warrant was issued for his arrest in October, but until yesterday Stephens was not located, he having been working in Grand Rapids. It was learned that he had been in the city last week and had left for Bridgeburg. The prisoner was brought to St. Thomas this morning, and brought before County Magistrate Hunt, who remanded him until Tuesday next for preliminary hearing. The evidence given by Stephens at the coroner's inquest showed that the train was running at about 35 or 40 miles an hour. He did not look to see if the diamond signal was against him as he was trying to stop the train when the distance signal was put up against him. It was his duty, under the rules, to stop the train before crossing the diamond, but he did not do so that morning. He said he never knew of a train coming to a full stop at the diamond. All trains ran right through.

The verdict of the coroner's jury on Monday, September 17, in part was: "We also find the death of the said John McKay was caused by employees of the Wabash in not observing the rules of the company, in not bringing the train to a stop at the distance semaphore."

Two of the jurors refused to sign the verdict, insisting that the employees to blame should be specified.

ENTERTAINING OF  
LIEUT. GOVERNORCouncil Committee Completes  
Arrangements for the Reception  
and Drive.

Mayor Judd and the members of No. 1 committee, with Ald. Gillen, chairman of No. 3, met at noon today and practically completed arrangements for the reception and entertainment of Hon. Mortimore Clark, Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario.

If his honor, it is expected, will be accompanied by his daughters, the Misses Clarke, and will arrive about 11 o'clock. He will be met at the station by Mayor Judd and several of the aldermen, and will be driven to whatever place it is decided shall entertain him. Then he will go to the armories for luncheon at 1 o'clock, and at 2 o'clock he will be taken around the city for a drive.

**Volunteer Autos.**  
A number of gentlemen, including Mr. Fred Kerrigan, Mr. A. M. Smart, Mr. A. H. Brener, Mr. H. E. Gates, and others, have kindly consented to furnish their automobiles for the drive. Among the places which will be visited will be the Western University, the Asylum for the Insane, Victoria Hospital, St. Joseph's Hospital, the Normal School, and the Collegiate Institute. If there is time it is probable there will be a drive to Springfield.

The following route was drawn up today by City Clerk Baker and City Engineer Graydon, and approved by the meeting:

**The Route.**  
Armories to King street, on Waterloo. King to Richmond. Richmond to York. York to Wortley road. Wortley road to Elmwood avenue. Elmwood avenue to Normal School. Elmwood avenue to Grand avenue. Grand avenue to High street. High street to Ottawa avenue. Ottawa avenue to Victoria Hospital.

Ottawa avenue to Waterloo street. Waterloo street to Collegiate Institute. Collegiate Institute to Queen's avenue. Queen's avenue to Adelaide street. Adelaide street to Dundas street. Dundas street to asylum grounds. Dundas street to Ontario street. Ontario street to King street. Wellington street to Victoria Park.

Around the park. Central avenue to Waterloo street. Waterloo street to St. James. St. James street to Wellington street. Wellington street to St. Joseph's Hospital. Thence to Western University.

**No Moving Vans.**  
A local paper stated last night that the committee was finding it difficult to secure automobiles to carry the party around the city, but Mayor Judd informed The Advertiser today that there are autos to spare.

Mayor Judd spoke strongly in regard to the suggestion also made in the same article that moving vans be resorted to to carry the governor's party around the city.

His worship claims that this was an insult to the Lieutenant-Governor.

BOLD OUTLAWS  
LOOT AND SHOOTGet Away With \$40,000 in Gems,  
Wound Two Citizens and  
Escape.

[Special to The Advertiser.]  
Belleville, May 28.—An exciting chase for burglars is reported from Bancroft. There was burglary in Alexandria on May 15, when \$40,000 worth of watches and jewelry were stolen by three men. On Monday, two men entered the store kept by Mr. Lavigne, and tried to trade a watch for a pair of boots. One of the men was trying on shoes, when Constable Steinberg walked up to the man and said, "Arrest you."

"Shoot!" was the quick reply, and the burglar's companion pulled a six-shooter and emptied it at the constable and others in the store. Two men were wounded. But in the confusion the robbers escaped. At night the men camped in a bush a few miles from the village, and 25 men armed with rifles from the Forty-ninth Regiment started in pursuit. They surrounded the outlaws, and called upon them to surrender. The latter declined, and after an exchange of shots the burglars again escaped.

LONDON HAS SEVEN  
SUB-POSTOFFICESTwo More Opened in the North End  
of the City—Their Location.

The desire of the Ottawa postoffice authorities to increase the postal facilities in London is shown by the opening of two more substations, making a total of seven.

The latest branch offices to be opened are at the store of Mr. A. Clark, corner of Piccadilly and Richmond streets, and at the store of Mr. Wm. D. Knapp, corner of Adelaide and Grosvenor streets.

The first named station will be known as sub-postoffice No. 3. It was opened today.

The office at Adelaide and Grosvenor streets will be known as sub-postoffice No. 1. It was opened yesterday.

The offices will prove a great convenience to the residents of the north end, and also to the residents of the district immediately north of London.

LACKAWANNA MAY  
GET MARQUETTEWhich Would Complete the Road From  
St. Thomas to Niagara Frontier.

Detroit, Mich., May 28.—The fate of the Pere Marquette Railway will soon be decided. The last steps are being taken to separate the road from its consolidation with the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Railway. The P. M. is now being operated by Receiver Harmon entirely separate from the C. H. and D. It is believed it will go to the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, which is recognized as a neutral road, instead of to the Erie, to which it was believed until recently that the Pere Marquette would fall. The Pere Marquette now has running rights over the Michigan central from St. Thomas, to the Niagara frontier, but if the Lackawanna buys the road it will be built from St. Thomas to Niagara and Buffalo, giving the Lackawanna a through line from New York to Chicago.

## MUCH HONOR FOR FUSHIMI

Royal Salutes and Numerous Guards of  
Honor for the Japanese Prince.

Ottawa, May 28.—Military programme for the reception of His Imperial Highness General Prince Fushimi has been issued. The prince will arrive a guard of honor will be supplied. Guards of honor will also receive his highness at Levels, on the 8th, Montreal on the 8th, and another when he departs on the 10th, and when he departs on the 10th, Winnipeg when he arrives on the 15th, and when he departs on the 15th, and Vancouver on the 19th and 20th. Royal salutes will also be fired from Quebec on the arrival of the prince, and at Vancouver on his departure.

## THE WEATHER.

## TOMORROW—WARMER.

FORECASTS.  
Toronto, May 28-8 a.m.

Today and Thursday—Light to moderate variable wind; fair and warmer.

| Stations.   | 8 a.m. | Min. | Max. | Weather. |
|-------------|--------|------|------|----------|
| Calgary     | 42     | 36   | 48   | Fair     |
| Winnipeg    | 42     | 36   | 48   | Cloudy   |
| Parry Sound | 42     | 36   | 48   | Clear    |
| Toronto     | 42     | 36   | 48   | Fair     |
| Ottawa      | 42     | 36   | 48   | Fair     |
| Quebec      | 42     | 36   | 48   | Fair     |
| Montreal    | 42     | 36   | 48   | Cloudy   |
| St. John's  | 42     | 36   | 48   | Fair     |
| Halifax     | 42     | 36   | 48   | Fair     |

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

**LOCAL TEMPERATURES.**  
The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the local observatory for the 24 hours ended at 8 p.m. Tuesday were: Highest, 50°; lowest, 31.5° above.

**WEATHER NOTES.**  
Rain has fallen heavily in Eastern Quebec and the Maritime Provinces. Showers have been general in Alberta and Saskatchewan, and a few scattered showers have occurred in Manitoba and Ontario. Higher temperature conditions are generally indicated.

SUICIDE OF DR. JAMES GRAY;  
ENDS LIFE IN ROCHESTER HOTELFormerly Practiced in Delaware  
and Had Been Inmate of  
Insane Asylum.

Dr. James Gray, who was at one time well known as a practitioner throughout the western part of Middlesex, committed suicide at the Jackson Temperance Hotel, Rochester, N. Y., last night.

As far as can be learned, Dr. Gray belonged to Delaware Township, leaving twelve or thirteen years since for New York State, where he followed his profession. It was while practicing across the border that he became a victim of the morbid habit, his condition as a result of the drug finally becoming such that he was committed to the State Hospital for the Insane. He was eventually cured of the drug habit, and was discharged. Since his release from the asylum, Dr. Gray had been a very strong critic of asylum methods, both in the United States and Canada. He was in this city not long since, and also spent some time with relatives in Lobo Township.

A dispatch from Rochester says: "Dr. James Gray, of London, Ont., was found dead in his bed at the Jackson Temperance Hotel tonight. Death was due to suicide."

"A new composition of sleeping powders was found on the table in his room."

"Dr. Gray went to the hotel Saturday night. He ate one meal and he was seen after until a chambermaid discovered him dead in bed."

"Gray was in Rochester in 1904, when he was committed to the Rochester State Hospital for the Insane. He remained there a short time, and was discharged as cured. He recently wrote a book entitled 'The Unseen.' This book tells of his alleged bad treatment at the state hospital, and accuses Superintendent Howard and his methods."

"Letters were found in his possession from Gov. Hughes' secretary and from Senator John R. Kane, indicating that he had complained of Dr. Howard to the state officials."

"Little is known of the man in the city, although it is known that he practiced medicine here. He was a man 45 years old, and had some money on hand. His clothing indicated that he was prosperous. Coroner Killip will further investigate."

Another dispatch says: "Dr. James Gray, 45 years old, was found dead in bed last night at the hotel where he boarded. The coroner found drugs, the nature of which are not yet known, which led him to suspect that the man committed suicide. Dr. Gray was committed to the Rochester State Hospital for the Insane in 1904, and after a time released. He afterwards practiced his profession at London, Ont. He was the author of a book, 'The Great Unseen,' which was alleged to deal with his treatment at the hospital, in which he criticized the management. The coroner found among his possessions letters showing that he had written to Gov. Hughes and other officials, complaining of the treatment he received while at the hospital."

Dr. Gray graduated from the Western Medical College about eighteen years ago. He never passed the medical council, and consequently could not practice in Ontario. It was understood that he was a son-in-law of Mr. Jarvis, who at one time kept a hotel at Delaware, and later near London.

## DEATH OF WM. JOHNSTON

Old-Time Typo of This City Passes  
Away at Chicago.

The old-time typos of London and many other friends in this city will hear with regret of the death at Chicago of Mr. William Johnston. Mr. Johnston was a son of the late Mr. William Johnston, and in his boyhood days resided on Burwell street and William street south. He entered the employ of The Advertiser when a young man, and after an apprenticeship of five years, he graduated as one of the most competent typos in the city. Later he went to Brantford, where he was employed on the Express, and from there he moved to Detroit, remaining there for a year before going to Chicago. In the Windy City he worked on several of the leading dailies, and eventually started in business for himself.

Mr. Johnston became one of the most successful employing printers in Chicago, and was widely known throughout the state. He was very prominent in the Masonic fraternity, being a 33rd degree member of the order. The funeral will be under Masonic auspices from the residence of Mrs. Dudley.

He is survived by three brothers and three sisters. The brothers are John, of the local postal parcel office, and Robert, of Chicago. The sisters are Mrs. Joseph Dudley, of Grand avenue, South London; Mrs. John Holt, of this city, and Miss Elsie, who resided with the deceased at Chicago.

The remains will be brought to London for interment on Saturday.

## WELL! WELL!

London, May 28.—Dr. C. Lindahl, the Copenhagen correspondent of the Lancet, has examined the bactericidal powers of tears. He found them very pronounced as to staphylococci and streptococci, but not so as a rule to pneumococci.

The bactericidal effect is not due to the inorganic components of the fluid, but partly to the leucocytes, and it would seem, partly also to certain substances of an enzyme nature that are present in tears. These facts have a certain bearing on the fact that a certain temperature and afterwards cooled again to the normal fails to prevent the growth of bacteria to the same degree as when it has not undergone any previous heating.

LETTER WAS VERY  
ENDEARING EPISTLEWas Written by Philip Fox to  
Mrs. Mabel Brown, But It  
Got Into Wrong Hands.

Mrs. Philip Fox, daughter of a well-known citizen of the east end, pleaded guilty before Magistrate Love this morning to a charge of obtaining, by false pretenses, a letter written by her husband to Mrs. Mabel Brown, and opening and reading the epistle. Ball was accepted for one month, when Mrs. Fox will appear for sentence.

The following is a copy of the letter which led to Mrs. Fox's appearance in court:

London, Ont., May 21, 1907.

Mrs. Brown:

My Dear Friend—I am writing you these few lines in haste. I hope you and Evelyn are well, as I am feeling somewhat better myself. Letter came from St. Thomas and destroyed. I am very homesick since then. I wish I could see you on Wednesday evening about 8 or 9:30 by the bridge, on the other side. I think of you in the same way and always will. I always will do anything I can for you. If you are afraid to write, get the letter registered and send it to me at 172 King street. Nobody but me will get it, as that is the strict rule in Canada. I am writing you from the store. My father just went to dinner and the bookkeeper has just come back, so you see I am in haste. I will write you a good, big letter tonight and register it, so nobody will get it but you. Always carry a letter with your name on it, so then the officials will know you are the party. Try and meet me on Wednesday night.

Your most affectionate and always loving friend,

Address your name in full when you write:

Philip Fox, 172 King street, London, P. S.—Don't forget to register it well. Costs 5 cents extra stamps—7 cents all together. In haste, PHILIP.

RETURN OF GOODS  
WILL SATISFY LAWJames Brandon Must Hand Back  
Money and Watch Obtained  
From Miss Hunter.

James Brandon was arraigned at the police court this morning on a charge of stealing a watch and \$30 from Miss Josephine Hunter, but an agreement was made with the crown by which the case will be dropped if Brandon returns the stolen property and cash.

It appears that Brandon, who was married last April, had been keeping company with two persons—Miss Hunter and the woman to whom he was recently married—and that a few days before his marriage he borrowed \$30 from Miss Hunter, and the money, which he was going to Detroit to look for a job, instead of going away, he got married. When borrowing the money, he also exchanged his cheap watch for Miss Hunter's more valuable timepiece.

Miss Hunter became anxious about her property and, as she had seen nothing of Brandon for some time, she investigated, and found that he had been married and had settled down in East London.

The police were notified and arrested Brandon, denying any intention of stealing the watch and money.

When the case was aired in court, Brandon denied any intention of stealing the watch and money.

During Brandon's imprisonment, Detective Nickle investigated a report that the prisoner had already been married twice, and that both wives are living.

According to the detective's information, Brandon was first married to Miss Emma Marks, in Wellington County, about eleven years ago, but after living with her five years they separated. It is alleged that the wife is living in the United States, where she married again, after securing a divorce from Brandon.

About a year ago Brandon is said to have been again married, this time at Berlin, to a woman who, it is alleged, was already married. It is said that this woman has since gone back to her first husband, with whom she is living in some part of the New England States.

The crown came to the conclusion that there was no room for a prosecution on a charge of bigamy.

## STRIKE ON THE L. AND N.

Trouble With Machinists May Tie Up  
the Entire System.

Louisville, Ky., May 28.—Vice-President Buckalew, of the International Association of Machinists, this morning ordered a strike of machinists on the entire Louisville and Nashville system.

There are between six and seven hundred machinists employed on the road, 245 of them working in the South Louisville shops. It is asserted that 80 per cent of the men would go out upon receipt of the order, and that they would be followed, if it became necessary, by the blacksmiths, boiler-makers, and other skilled mechanics in the different shops. The machinists ask recognition of the union and a uniform scale of wages in each shop.

## RADICAL EXTENSION.

Toronto, May 28.—The Toronto and York Radial Railway Company has filed with the railway and municipal board the plans of the completed extension of the road from Newmarket to Jackson's Point. The road is now permitted, and the company asks the permission of the board to use it for passenger traffic.

## HON. MR. EMERSON'S CASE

Understood That the Defense Will Put in  
a Plea of Justification.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Frederick, N. B., May 29.—The preliminary hearing of the case against James H. Crockett, managing director of the Frederick Gleason, charged with defamatory libel of the Hon. H. R. Emerson, was to have opened at police court this morning, but by request of counsel for the prosecution was delayed until this afternoon to await the arrival of Mr. Emerson and his leading counsel who are coming from Montreal. It is understood the defence will plead justification, and call many witnesses to support the contention.



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## "WHEREAS I WAS BLIND NOW I SEE"

Evangelist Wharton Tells the  
Reasons for the Hope of  
a Christian.

With the exception of the meetings held on Sunday evenings, last night's gathering in Jubilee Rink, to hear Rev. Dr. Wharton was the largest of all, and it looks as if, with favorable weather, the seating capacity of the big building will be fully tested. The choir, too, turned out in force, the music was excellent, and the spirit that seemed to pervade the great assemblage was one of intense interest, and earnestness.

### Power of Christian Testimony.

After the brief but stirring service of song, conducted by Dr. George Lau, Rev. Dr. Wharton began the regular meeting with narrating his experience in a western section of the United States. In this place religious services were being held in a large tent, near the home of a well-to-do farmer named Thomas. At a meeting the Christians present had been asked to give their testimony as to the satisfaction and joy they had felt in serving the Master. After the meeting Mr. Thomas went to Mr. Wharton's room and told him he had heard what the people said about the difference that religion had made in their lives, and it was correct, for he knew those who had spoken and knew their circumstances. But when an old paralyzed woman, who was poverty-stricken, a cripple, and whom he had frequently helped—when she stood up and thanked the Lord for the peace and joy and comfort she had found in the Master's service, that astonished him. "I believe in a religion like that," said Mr. Thomas, "and I will give my three farms to possess the joy and satisfaction of which this poor woman tells. I come to ask what I'll do to get that peace and joy." The preacher explained the simple plan of salvation, and at the next meeting the man came and confessed that he had surrendered himself to Christ, but he knew he would have a hard struggle with his old nature, and wanted to know how soon he could join the church, so as to surround himself with the influence of Christian men. "Thus," said Dr. Wharton, "this rich and influential man was brought to the feet of Jesus by the testimony of a poor cripple who depended on charity for a living."

Dr. Wharton here started to sing "Tis the Old-Time Religion," in which the audience heartily joined.

Christian Experience.  
Here the preacher called on Christians in the audience to give their testimony for the benefit of those who had not yet accepted Christ, and the call met with a ready response, men and women speaking, several at a time.

Then, instead of reading a chapter from the Bible, he asked his audience to repeat passages of Scripture with which they were familiar. The result was the recitation of Bible verses by many individuals in all parts of the rink.

Rev. James Livingstone here offered up a prayer, and Dr. George Lau sang an appropriate selection in an impressive manner.

Dr. Wharton said he was glad to see that so many had been "thawed out" and got to the meetings. He suggested the importance of a liberal collection, and called on Mr. H. St. George for a cornet solo. While the offering was being taken, Mr. St. George played "Nearer, My God, to Thee" with fine effect, the audience singing alternate verses of the familiar hymn.

Before beginning his address, Rev. Dr. Wharton announced an "after-meeting," which he wished just as many as possible would attend. He then announced the subject of his address as being:

"The Christian's Hope."  
Dr. Wharton took as his text I Peter, iii, 15: "Be ready always to give an answer to every man that asketh you a reason of the hope that is in you with meekness and fear."

"Some men seem to look upon religion," he said, "as merely a preventive for something serious that may come along, just as a man puts up a lightning rod on his house. The Christian has good reasons for the hope that is in him, and the unreasonable thing a man can do is to live and die without that hope."

"What would we do without hope?" he asked. "I doubt if any human heart ever entirely loses hope. Hope springs eternal in the human breast. But of all the hopes that cluster around our hearts and in our minds, the only one that has a sure foundation is the Christian's hope. Who can tell the height, the depth, or the value of the Christian's hope? God has not given to poor man the power to describe it."

"My hope is that I am saved by Jesus Christ, and that when life is done here, I shall find a home in heaven. But that is not half of it. No language can fully describe the Christian's hope. Words are too poor to portray the ardor of the soul."

### A Reasonable Hope.

Dr. Wharton then went on to give the reasons for the Christian's hope. "It is a reasonable hope," he said, "because in this world God has provided everything for the body, but nothing for the soul. Neither the wealth, fame or pleasures of earth can satisfy the soul. Let a man reach the highest position in society or in his country's gift, that will not satisfy him—he is as far off heaven as ever. Isn't it fair to presume, under these circumstances, that somewhere God has provided a place where man can be satisfied and happy? Is it not most reasonable to believe that there is another and a better life? Look through the telescope of the Bible and you will discover where there is peace, joy, sinlessness and eternal life."

"A strong reason for the Christian's hope is the Bible, God's written word. We may not fully understand it, but there is something to believe here and to trust, and by and by we shall understand it fully. A man may not understand the Bible, but it fully describes himself and his condition, and one of its indisputable statements is that 'The way of the transgressor is hard.' Everybody knows how true that statement is."

Another reason for the Christian's hope is founded on personal experience. "If I have been hungry and have eaten and been refreshed," said Dr. Wharton, "can you convince me that the change is only imagination? If after being in the turmoil of sin I find peace and rest, is that only imagination? If my surrender to Jesus Christ has made me a better, happier, more useful man, I know it. It is then not a question of faith, but of knowledge. When you have the witness in your heart there can be no contradiction of the fact. After all, when every other reason has been given, we come back to our own indisputable experience, and, like the man to whom Jesus gave sight, we say: 'This one thing I know, that whereas I was blind, now I see.'"

The first meeting was closed with prayer by Rev. D. S. Hamilton, and the singing of the hymn, "Shall We Gather at the River."

Fully half of the large congregation stayed to the after-meeting, at which there was ample evidence that many hearts had been deeply stirred.

KNOW THEY ARE  
LOSING GROUND

Czar's Ministers Are Resigned to  
the Wearing Down of Their  
System.

St. Petersburg, May 23.—The Czar's ministers are slowly reconciling themselves to seeing the wearing down of their system rather in the light of continuous combustion of the candle than from dynamic and unexpected explosions.

Premier Stolypin summed up his view of the situation philosophically this week during a discussion with friends on the resolution of the Duma reproving the terrorists' designs on the Czar. The resolution, which was accepted, had been previously shown to M. Stolypin. It was a Constitutional Democrats' resolution and confined itself to the question of the Czar's sacred person.

All the monarchist parties had combined on a more sweeping resolution denouncing the entire revolutionary agitation which aims at the overthrow of the existing regime. Premier Stolypin remarked resignedly: "What more measures can we take? We have tried everything, and martial law continues to represent the Russian internal administration. There is nothing left to us but to continue to depend on our police."

Simple One Approved.  
The Prime Minister then decided that the more simple resolution of the Constitutional Democrats was preferable, and approved the action of President Golovin in putting it first to the Duma.

In a subsequent interpolation on the search of the Social Democrats' committee-rooms, Prime Minister Stolypin declared: "I defend the action of the police, and I am the chief of all the Russian police."

This pronouncement from the tribune of the Duma is the key to all the recent mystery of the plots and stratagems. The political police, in fact, have recently become very restive under their excessive work, coupled with the violent attacks upon them by the revolutionary parties in the Duma, and the financial difficulty of finding an increased budgetary appropriation for the espionage system. Their nerves have been wrought to distraction since the opening of Baltic navigation enabled terrorists and explosives to be imported all along the Finnish coast, which did not need watching during the ice-bound months of the Russian winter.

Young Terrorists in Jail.  
They have had for months in jail a mass of young terrorists, who were as proud to kill the Czar, the Grand Duke Nicholas or Prime Minister Stolypin as youngsters throughout the world would be to gain the first, second or third prize in any competitive struggle.

That is the extent of the plot, and these are its participants. They are led by the physical force movement in Russia. They are young, have some education, but no means, and no occupation, save a revolutionary terrorism. Their seizures of Government money unquestionably go into the revolutionary treasury to buy weapons and maintain recruits, but all the time they are the educated, proletarian, and idealists that they are ostensibly trusted officials or persons of any social position that would enable them to suspect to get near their victims is quite erroneous.

Stolypin Expects Death.  
Soon after the Duma met the prefect of St. Petersburg told Premier Stolypin that from information of the political police he learned that the terrorists had decided to abandon assassination in the capital while the Duma continued. M. Stolypin nodded grimly, and said: "Thanks, but I know they will kill me wherever they find me."

Terrorism is not a sustained conspiracy. It is the ingrained fanaticism of a great, growing mass of the youth of Russia. The middle class stands passively aside, and the numerically insignificant class of civilians who support the bureaucracy counsel the Czar to work his repressive machinery harder.

M. Stolypin knows that this counsel is in vain, and so, according to his lights, does his imperial master. So far the army is scarcely affected. Its instincts are both anti-socialist and

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Funeral on Friday, May 31; service at the house at 1 p.m. Interment at Birt.

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LONDON, WEDNESDAY, MAY 29,

THE DIFFICULTIES OF FILTRA-  
TION.The advocates of filtered river water  
should not ignore the difficulties and  
risks of the filtration process.The efficiency of filtration depends  
upon a large number of conditions. One  
of the most eminent sanitary engineers  
in the United States, Allen Hazen, says  
that the results of filtration plants  
in that country have been disappoint-  
ing. In his standard work on this sub-  
ject, the result of prolonged investiga-  
tion in Europe and America, he has  
accumulated a mass of evidence and  
information.

The action of a filter throughout is

mainly that of an exceedingly fine  
strainer, and like a strainer is mainly  
confined to the suspended or insoluble  
matters in the raw water.The construction of a sand filter, of  
the type recommended by Engineer  
Maurer for this city, is by no means the  
only thing to be considered. Its man-  
agement would be a delicate and com-  
plicated process, upon which the  
health of the community would de-  
pend.When the filter has become so far  
clogged that it will no longer pass a  
satisfactory quantity of water, it must  
be cleaned by scraping off and remov-  
ing the upper layer of dirty sand. This  
is done by workmen with wide, sharp  
shovels, and the sand removed must  
be taken to a sand-washing apparatus  
to be washed and used again. When  
the dirty top sand has been removed,  
the surface of the remaining sand must  
be carefully smoothed and raked. The  
replacing of the washed sand is usual-  
ly delayed until the filter has been  
scraped thin—commonly for a year.With suitable conditions the period  
between scrapings should never be less  
than one week. The average period in  
German works is 25 days. The German  
authority, Pfeiffer, suggests that the  
first effluent (the water after filtration)  
should be rejected to the extent of two  
million gallons after ordinary scrap-  
ings, and for six days after replacing  
all the sand, the latter operation occur-  
ring once a year. The rules of the  
Imperial Board of Health of Germany  
require that every German filter shall  
be so constructed that when an in-  
ferior effluent results it can be discon-  
nected from the pure water pipes and  
the effluent allowed to be wasted. Experi-  
ments have always shown much larger  
numbers of bacteria on the first day  
after scraping. "If the raw water is  
so bad," says Mr. Hazen, "that a good  
effluent cannot be obtained by careful  
manipulation even just after scraping  
the course of the Berlin authorities in  
losing the Stralau works and seeking  
a less polluted supply would seem to  
be the only really safe procedure." The  
sand-washing apparatus is an impor-  
tant part of most European filtering  
plants, and the work must be carefully  
done.The effect of the rate at which the  
water is filtered upon the quality of the  
water is an important consideration.  
It is believed that every water has its  
own special rate of filtration, which  
must be determined by local experi-  
ments. It is regarded as essential by  
most German engineers that each filter  
shall be provided with devices for  
measuring accurately and at any time  
both the rate of filtration and the loss  
of head, the latter being the frictional  
resistance of the sand layer.The theory that practically all the  
bacteria are intercepted by filters re-  
ceived a hard knock in the mild epi-  
demics of typhoid fever at Altona and  
Berlin, Germany, following unusually  
high numbers of bacteria in the efflu-  
ents. Both of these cases came dur-  
ing severe winter weather with open  
filters. As a result of these epidemics  
a series of experiments were made at  
Stralau. Bacteria of special kinds not  
existing in the raw water were applied,  
and the presence of a very small frac-  
tion of them in the effluents demon-  
strated beyond a doubt that they had  
passed through the filters under the or-  
dinary condition of filtration.

The claim that water purifies itself in

running a certain distance, says Mr.

Hazen, has no adequate foundation, so  
far as bacteria are concerned. Some  
purification takes place with the time  
involved in the passage, but its extent  
has been greatly over-estimated. "The  
main point," he adds, "is that disease  
germs shall not be present in our  
drinking water. If they can be kept out  
in the first place at reasonable expense  
that is the thing to do. Innocence is  
better than repentance."

The cost of filtration depends upon

the character of the raw water, upon  
the nature of the plant employed, and  
the skill and economy of manipulation."These conditions," says Mr. Hazen,  
"affect the cost to such an extent as  
to make any general estimate quite  
impossible." In London, Eng., the  
cost has averaged \$1.24 per million  
gallons; in Poughkeepsie, N. Y., \$3;  
in Lawrence, Mass., \$5.80; in Mt. Ver-  
non, N. Y., \$2.There can be no doubt that care-  
fully constructed and carefully man-  
aged filters have a high bacterial ef-  
ficiency, but there is no guarantee  
that any filter is bacteria-proof or  
that even if ideally constructed it  
would be perfectly operated and cared  
for.The people of London, we believe,  
will decide to stick to spring water for  
drinking purposes, instead of taking  
the risks of an uncertain process of  
filtering river water, and drawing on  
a supply from which disease germs  
cannot be excluded in the first place.

## WOMEN IN WORK.

Scarcely less interesting than the fig-  
ures given in a recent issue of The  
Advertiser as to women's part as  
wage-earners in Canada are statistics  
of a similar character recently issued  
by the United States census office.This report shows that in the year of  
the taking of the census, 1930, of the  
23,485,559 women of over 15 years of  
age in the republic, 4,332,530 were  
bread-winners; that the number had  
doubled in twenty years, and that of  
all the gainful occupations women were  
employed in all but these: Soldiers, sail-  
ors or marines, members of fire depart-  
ments, street car drivers, telegraph and  
telephone linemen, apprentices or help-  
ers to steam boiler makers, or to brass  
workers. Of course, there is a large  
group of occupations such as black-  
smithing and hack-driving, in which  
women are rare exceptions, but there  
are 125 occupations employing over 1-  
000 women each, 62 employing over 5,000  
each, and six—domestic service, farm  
labor, dressmaking, laundering, teach-  
ing and farming—in each of which  
300,000 are employed. One striking fact  
brought out is the increase in the per-  
centage of working women over the  
percentage of men, and another is the  
large percentage of young women be-  
tween the ages of 15 and 20, as com-  
pared with the percentage of young men  
of the same ages. In fact, practi-  
cally one-half the working-women in  
the country are girls. Of single women  
45.9 per cent were at work in 1930; of  
widows, 31.5; of divorced women, 55.3;  
and of married women, 5.6 per cent;  
but in the last ten years there had  
been a striking increase in the em-  
ployment of married women—one in  
eighteen in 1920, as against one in  
twenty-two in 1930. The report says  
that "in the census enumeration no  
woman living with her husband would  
be designated as the head of the fam-  
ily, however strong her claim to that  
distinction might be," yet no less than  
15,712 married women—16.1 per cent of  
the total—were given that title. An-  
other and larger, by some 8,000, group  
of married women is reported as board-  
ing or living with fathers or mothers.The lamentable conclusion of the  
officials is that to a considerable ex-  
tent the employment of married women  
represents wife desertion, through  
which the wife is compelled to rely  
upon her own exertions for a living.  
Notwithstanding this large number of  
women thus left completely on their  
own resources, the typical woman  
wage-earner lives at home, and is not  
the sole support of a family. The re-  
port takes the schedules for the prin-  
cipal cities, in which there were 1-  
232,268 working women. Not counting  
servants, most of whom necessarily  
live with their employers, and wait-  
resses, who are classed with them and  
cannot be separated, there were 904-  
695. Of these, 731,665, or 80.9 per cent,  
lived at home; 632,894 in homes where  
they were not the only wage-earners,  
and 226,300 in homes where there were  
as many as four wage-earners, includ-  
ing the women so classified. The prob-  
able interpretation of these figures is  
that, in the majority of cases the wo-  
man bread-winner's earnings are only  
supplementary to those of other mem-  
bers of her family and do not neces-  
sarily suffice for her own support. The  
census officials fail to account for the  
great increase in the number of wo-  
men in industries, but it is no doubt  
practically explained by the vast num-  
ber of women engaged in clerical and  
stenographic work, which shows the  
greatest increase of any single em-  
ployment open to the sex.The Liberals of Toronto intend to  
make a fight in all the ridings. This is  
another case of hope triumphing over  
experience.The boorish behavior of some of the  
colonial premiers makes Canadians all  
the more grateful they were represent-  
ed in the mother country by a gentle-  
man.One professor of a theological college  
in Montreal is suing a colleague for  
libel over the higher criticism. Is  
there any warrant for this in the Scrip-  
tures?The return of Dr. McKay, of Inger-  
soll, to the political arena will be wel-  
comed by Liberals throughout the  
Province. His defeat was an accident,  
which South Oxford will not permit  
again.

The Brantford Expositor is urging a

"Greater Brantford." A "Greater Lon-  
don," which would take in several  
thriving suburbs, would represent a  
population of over 50,000, but this is a  
matter of the future. This city had its  
clothes out large in the first place and  
it is now filling them up.Alberta and Saskatchewan have wise-  
ly assimilated their public school text-  
books. The movement to make public  
school books uniform throughout the  
Dominion is eminently sensible. The  
plan would aid in fostering a national  
outlook, and would be a saving to par-  
ents who move from one province to  
another.

## REMINISCENCE.

[Bohemian.]  
You kissed me good-by, Felice,  
And smiled (but your eyes were wet).  
Creature of charms and caprice,  
You kissed me good-by, Felice,  
In the hour of old Love's release—  
The stage for a new scene was set.  
You kissed me good-by, Felice,  
And smiled (but your eyes were wet).

## POSITIVE EVIDENCE.

[Megendorfer Blatter.]  
Traveler (at a station restaurant)—You  
say there is a piece of cheese on that  
plate? I can't see anything but flies.  
Waiter—Well, there must be some cheese  
underneath, else the flies wouldn't settle  
there.

## AN OVERSIGHT.

[Fliegende Blatter.]  
Barrister—Well, madam, it was, of course,  
disgraceful of your husband to call you  
bad names because you lay in bed till mid-  
day, but it is hardly sufficient ground for  
a divorce. Now, if he had taken a big stick  
and beaten you well, it would have been  
much better. Then the matter would be as  
good as done.

## CONSOLATION.

[Megendorfer Blatter.]  
Sophie—No, mother, I don't like that  
young doctor at all. He has red hair.  
Mother (consoling)—Oh, but his hair  
will be gray long before he will be able  
to marry you, my dear.

## TOO MUCH.

[Megendorfer Blatter.]  
"And why didn't you keep your house-  
maid, Frau Roth?"  
"Well, she arrived with a sewing ma-  
chine, a typewriter, a camera, portable  
dark-room, motor bicycle, gramophone,  
bath and health exerciser, to say nothing  
of her trunk. That was too much for our  
small house."

## TO REPAY HIS LABOR.

[Everybody's Magazine.]  
A passerby was amazed at seeing an  
Irishman poking a dollar bill through a  
crack in a board wall.  
"What under the sun are you doing that  
for?" he asked.  
"Why, you see, sir," replied the Irishman,  
"without looking up from his work, 'a  
minute ago I dropped a nickel through  
this crack, and now I'm putting a dollar  
through so's to make it worth me while  
to pull up the wall and get the nickel.'"LET ME INTO THE DARKNESS  
AGAIN.[Lippincott's Magazine.]  
It has come at last—  
Our meeting!  
This I dream through all the past—  
The lonely, unshared years,  
The yearning tears,  
And now—our greeting!  
How have I pictured it—my hour supreme—  
Poor, pitiful dream!  
And now—I would forget  
Our meeting.  
This cold, strange far-off—this meeting,  
I would have back the dream,  
The lonely, unshared years,  
The yearning tears,  
O God! I would forget  
That we have met!

## A MAN STORY.

[Puck.]  
The Big Fish (boastfully)—Yes, sir, he  
was at least ten feet long and must have  
weighed 500 pounds; he was a real out-  
rage, but the line broke and I got away from  
him.

## A DIPLOMATIC KNOCK.

[Kansas City Star.]  
An editor up in Nebraska said of a cer-  
tain local politician: "We will not call him  
an ass; we will print his speech."

## A PRACTICAL STORY.

[London Opinion.]  
Ho—What you do call a real typical mod-  
ern girl?  
She—One who prefers an heir in the  
castle to a castle in the air.

## THE PASSING OF THE FOREST

[The Century.]  
As long as the forest shall live  
The stream shall flow onward, still sing-  
ing  
Sweet songs of the woodland, and bring-  
ing  
The bright living waters that give  
New life to all mortals who thirst,  
But the races of men shall be cursed.Yes, the hour of destruction shall come  
To the children of men in that day  
When the forest shall pass away  
And the low woodland voices are dumb;  
And death's devastation and death  
Shall be spread o'er the face of the earth.Averting the death of the wood,  
The turbulent streams shall outpour  
Their vials of wrath, and no more  
Shall the banks hold back the high flood.  
Which shall rush o'er the harvests of  
men;  
As swiftly rushing again.Lo! after the flood shall be death,  
And the rain no longer shall fall  
On the parching field; and a pall  
As of ashes, shall cover the earth;  
And dust-clouds shall darken the sky;  
And the deep water wells shall be dry.And the rivers shall sink in the ground,  
And every man e'er his mouth  
From the thickening dust, in that drouth:  
Fierce famine shall come; and no sound  
Shall be borne of the desolate air;  
But a murmur of death and despair.

## A DISGUISED BLESSING.

[Kincardine Review.]  
You cannot tell from where you stand  
whether what happens to you is a blessing  
or a curse. Take the western farmer, for  
instance. They have been cursing all win-  
ter at the railroads for failure to remove  
their grain. Since then wheat has gone  
up in price—dollar wheat in sight—and the  
farmers have their grain in hand instead  
of having sold it at 40 cents.

## THE END SEAT HOG.

[Toronto Mail and Empire.]  
It, as the railway and municipal board  
suggested, every street railway passenger on  
summer days is required to sit as far in as  
he can, the "end seat hog" will becomeABSOLUTE  
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courteous, politely waiting for everybody  
to precede him in boarding the car.  
Alphonse and Gaston will miss many a  
car as they stand bowing and mutually  
insulting "apres vous."

## SUSPICION OF JAPAN.

[Detroit News.]  
Japan is now slowly digesting her last  
meal of conquest, but she is training day  
and night for the next occasion, when she  
will have to make war to bring about con-  
ditions which peace can be maintained.  
She smiles sweetly at everybody and ex-  
tends the glad hand in all directions, and  
feels of her biceps between handshakes to  
see how it grows. When she is again  
ready she will find conditions somewhat  
incompatible with the maintenance of  
peace, when she will strike again as sud-  
denly as she did at Chemulpo. She knows  
that all the European and American talk  
about peace is humbug, and if it helps  
along her game, she, too, will herself talk  
of peace conferences, arbitration, etc., but  
she will not relax training for the fight  
which is coming.

## WOMAN'S CROWN OF BEAUTY

[Hamilton Times.]  
There were over six hundred accidents in  
the various factories in Ontario during the  
year 1936. In her report Miss Carlyle, one  
of the women inspectors, says: "Young  
girls prefer to run the risk of being scalp-  
ed," rather than put up their hair in such  
a way as to keep it clear of machinery.  
The majority of the accidents are due to  
carelessness, and it is the style of col-  
ling the hair to be the cause of it. It is un-  
derstood that in some instances girls have threat-  
ened to strike rather than be dictated to as  
they should dress their hair while at work.THE MONTENEGRINS  
ARE BOTHEREDOdd Effects of Constitutional  
Government on the Fighting  
Mountaineers.Cettinje, May 28. The new order of  
things in Montenegro which began  
when the mountaineer warriors stop-  
ped cutting off Turkish heads, and ob-  
tained a constitution from Prince  
Nicholas has brought in its train un-  
expected results.Ministry after ministry has been de-  
posed, every week sees some delegation  
at the capital with a grievance, and  
clans around Lake Scutari are threat-  
ening to march upon Cettinje, and re-  
cently the governor of Podgoritz, the  
metropolitan, and his chief of police, and  
chief of police, were assassinated. This  
is evidently not the people who inspired  
Tennyson's sonnets and Gladstone's  
eulogies of a quarter of a century ago.  
The circumstances that have brought  
about changes in this stronghold of  
unaltered traditions are interesting.The constitutional government, with  
which the prince, to the surprise of the  
world, presented his people two years  
ago, has not, the most generous critics  
will acknowledge, been an illuminating  
success. The prince is quite as much  
of an autocrat as before, and with his  
new dignity as the father of the Queen  
of Italy, and a more intimate acquaint-  
ance with the royalty of Europe, has  
become even harder than ever upon the  
improvised treasury of his poor land.Fighters Are Out of a Job.  
But, besides, when he granted a con-  
stitution in the hope of curing his  
country's ills he did not take suffi-  
ciently into consideration the fact his  
was a nation of fighters out of a job.  
Father doesn't work in Montenegro. It  
is beneath his dignity, and his clothes  
were not made to work in.The women, who in the past have  
done most of the work, have taken to  
education, formed clubs, become ac-  
counted with what the sex is doing in  
Europe, and refused to be beasts of  
burden, while their lords and masters  
strut around in fine clothes, with belts  
full of pistols and yataghans, smoking  
cigarettes.If the women had only continued to  
work we might not be in the present  
straits, said one old warrior. "The  
grandmother of the prince was not  
above doing her share of the labor up-  
on her noble husband's estate. She  
often trudge back and forth to the  
coast carrying great burdens; she dug  
in the garden and tended the goats."  
The present change came when the  
Empress of Russia established the Jen-  
ski Crnogorski, a school for the  
daughters of the best families. The  
very fact of taking the girl away from  
young from the fields unfettered her  
heavy work—and then she got other  
notions in her head."Women Now Retain Beauty.  
One of the results, that the old  
man did not overlook was that  
women retain longer their beauty.  
The Montenegrins, as a race, are hand-  
some, but from their burden-bearingJ. H. CHAPMAN & CO  
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flowers and ribbons; semi-tailored and dress  
styles. Were \$5.75 to \$8.00. Choice tomorrow..... \$4.85

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VS. PATIENT'S INTERESTSA REMARKABLE CASE WHERE A  
PATIENT'S INTERESTS, WEL-  
FARE AND LIFE ARE BEING  
SACRIFICED.Toronto has a somewhat prominent  
man (there may be many others in the  
same condition) who is dying of what  
his attendant physicians call consump-  
tion. His friends will probably be call-  
ed on to attend his funeral in the very  
near future. His family have had a  
constitutional tendency to lung trouble.  
A brother and a sister died of lung  
trouble. A brother and another sister  
were in the grip of the same trouble.  
They used Psychine and are  
strong and hearty today. They say  
Psychine cured them and others whom  
they know, and strongly advise their  
brother, whom the doctors have pro-  
nounced as beyond hope, to use it, but  
his physician, with a high regard for  
"professional etiquette," prefers to see  
his patient lie there and die, rather than  
be guilty of countenancing a propie-  
tary medicine—one that has cured  
more people of consumption and all its  
antecedent ills, such as stubborn colds,  
coughs, bronchitis, catarrh, is gripple,  
pleurisy, pneumonia, chills, night  
sweats, stomach troubles, wasting dis-  
eases, and rundown conditions than a  
whole host of physicians combined.The question arises with everyone  
who now has, or in the future may  
have, friends traveling rapidly toward  
"the dark valley," whom the doctor  
cannot save. Are they going to allow  
"professional etiquette" to stand be-  
tween their friends and reasonably cer-  
tain, or at any rate very possible re-  
covery. How different the course  
of this Toronto doctor, who, it  
may be said, is among the  
somewhat obscure and inexperience  
class, to that of one of the  
greatest throat and lung specialists on  
this continent, who, when consulted in  
a recent severe case of lung trouble,  
advised the continued use of Psy-  
chine, as the best medicine that could  
be given, with the result: a most bril-  
liant recovery. It can be obtained at  
all druggists at 50c and \$1 per bottle,  
or Dr. T. A. Slocum, Limited, 175 King  
street west, Toronto."I herewith send my photo and testi-  
monial for Psychine. I was given up  
sixteen years ago as an incurable con-  
sumptive by Prof. Lyman, Rush Medi-  
cal College, Chicago. I suffered sev-  
eral years with lung trouble, until I  
heard of Psychine, and through it I  
was restored to perfect health, which  
I have enjoyed for the past ten years.  
My sickness began first with catarrh  
of the head. I readily advise catarrh,  
bronchitis and lung sufferers to take  
Psychine.""MRS. A. WELLS  
"Lyndall, Man.Eleanor, Duchess of Northumberland,  
who is now 86, belongs to the Old  
World type of aristocrat and was a  
great social power in England in the  
middle of Queen Victoria's reign. Lord  
Prudhomme, as he then was—the title be-  
came extinct at his death—succeeded  
as fourth Duke of Northumberland in  
1947, five years after his marriage to  
Lady Eleanor Grosvenor, eldest of the  
nine sisters of the late Duke of West-  
minster. Six of this remarkable group  
of sisters are still living, the next in  
order to the duchess being Lady Mac-  
clesfield.

## THE ROAD TO HEALTH

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Williams' Pink Pills make new rich  
blood. Purging pills gallop through  
the bowels—tearing the tissues, irritat-  
ing the organs and weakening the  
whole system. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills  
do not purge at all. They're tonic pills,  
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Pills actually make new blood. That  
is why they are the only scientific  
cure for all blood diseases. That is  
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pills act only on the symptoms of  
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Williams' Pink Pills the best medicine  
in the world. I had an attack of pneu-  
monia which was followed by extreme  
nervousness and rheumatism. I tried  
some of our best doctors but got nothing  
to help me until I began taking  
Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. After taking  
the pills some weeks I could actually  
feel the new blood they were making  
 coursing through my veins, and in the  
course of a few weeks more I was  
completely restored to health." Re-  
member that it is only Dr. Williams' Pink  
Pills that can make this new, rich,  
health-giving blood. Initiations  
the so-called "just as good" medi-  
cines never cured anyone. Insist on  
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all medicine dealers or by mail at 50  
cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50, by  
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Our four-footed friends will get busy this afternoon at Queen's Park, and there promises to be some great sport. There will be no Class A this season at the matinees. The battle between the green ones should be very interesting.

It begins to look—in fact, it does look—as though the tribe of Waterworth will draw a huge lemon out of the series with the champs. One hundred and eighty-four pins are not so many, but then a lead of that number, with only two games to play, is an awful handicap to overcome, and unless there is an awful slump in Champlaine form it's the chute for the challengers. Au revoir, Benny.

Fakir, or no fakir, Tommy Burns still has his nerve with him. In a letter to Toronto friends the ex-lacrosse player, says: "After I beat Squires I shall visit my Canadian friends once more."

In the event of the Australian raking in the glad-ricks, it is presumed that Sir Thomas will take an extended trip to parts unknown.

A well-known local horseman picks Perfection to win out in Class B at the park today. The results in the other classes, he says, are too deep for him to try and dope out. There are others who are guessing.

One of the most interesting events on the programme for the C. A. A. U. games at Toronto on Thursday is the 3-mile match race between Longboat and Neblich, the Buffalo runner. The contest is heralded as being for the championship of the world, and is arousing great interest in both Canadian and American sporting circles.

And now they are talking of running a relay race from Hamilton to Toronto on June 15. That, at all events, would be better than a race from Toronto to Hamilton.

The question of a proper diet for athletes in training has ever been a perplexing one—in college centers. In certain other places, London, for example, athletes apparently eat what they feel like eating—and can get—and thrive on the menu. Prof. Fisher, of Yale, recently ground out a series of articles on the benefits of a vegetarian diet for athletes. The paper told of numerous tests made by meat-abstaining athletes, and the results had always gone to substantiate the theory put forth. So far so good. Everybody in New York and New Haven was talking vegetarianism. The price of meat began to slowly go down, and the price of green foods went up. Then, just when it began to look as though the Beef Trust was to be wiped off the map, there blew into old New York one Alfred Shrubbs, from the land of Johnny Bull, who proceeded to upset all of the professor's pet theories, and to place the Beef Trust on its feet again—all in one fell swoop. Shrubbs eats meat for breakfast, meat for lunch, and meat for dinner—that's Shrubbs's daily menu. And no one has ever accused him of lack of endurance, at that. In fact, sporting critics everywhere are inclined to think that in the matter of speed and endurance he has the world by the ears.

As an example of the way New York scribbles look upon the speedy Englishman, cite the following item from the pen of Bob Edgren, the New York World's clever writer and cartoonist: "This little runner has been the marvel of the athletic world. There seems to be no limit to his endurance. In fact, he is the finest example of endurance in the world. There's Longboat, of course, but it is doubtful if Longboat could keep up to Shrubbs's pace. And this man Shrubbs has covered ten miles in about the time it takes a subway train to run from the Battery to Kingsbridge. Just imagine yourself starting out with a subway train at the Battery and racing with it to Kingsbridge. That would seem to be a pretty severe test of endurance. What is endurance? It seems to me it spells S-h-r-u-b-b-s."

However, you can't hold Prof. Fisher down for long; nor, for that matter, any other college professor with a hobby. When he realized that his pet fancy—good as it may be—was in danger of getting a pass to the down-and-out circles, he bobbed forth with a remark to this effect:

"Shrubbs is an elegant runner, and he has lots of endurance, but think of how fast he might become and of how much more endurance he might possess if he abstained from eating meat!" SOUTHPAW.

## FINISHED FIRST, BUT DISQUALIFIED

St. Valentine Crowded Other Horses Against Rail—Montgomery's Good Race.

New York, May 23.—Coming from fourth place in the last furlong of the Baychester stakes at Belmont Park today, Montgomery, which won the Crescent City Derby, took the race by a head from Paumonok. Montgomery was a hot favorite, with the runner-up second choice.

St. Valentine, at 12 to 1, finished first in the fifth, but was disqualified for crowding Mansanella, Robador and Chief Hayes on the rail, forcing their riders to ease up. The judges placed the three horses in the order named above. Mansanella was bid up \$1,700 above his entered selling price, but was retained by his stable. Summary:

First race, selling, 6½ furlongs—Golden West, 92 (G. Burns), 6 to 1; Marster, 114 (Shilling), 30 to 1; 2, Punky, 107 (Koerner), 9 to 1; 3, Time, 121 (Kilmer), Rosemount and Killcare also ran.

Second race, 4½ furlongs—Bon Fleet, 108 (Notter), 13 to 1; Masquer, 108 (Miller), 8 to 1; 2, King James, 108 (Radake), 2 to 1; 3, Time, 135 (Banyah), Le Jeunesse, Fordell, Crack Shot, King Sol, Golconda, Obert, Herbie, Angelus, Mrs. O'Farrell, Priceless Jewel, Queen Marguerite and Sun Glean ran.

Third race, Baychester stakes, 1 mile—Montgomery, 150 (Radake), 8 to 1; Paumonok, 107 (Koerner), 7 to 1; 2, Cauchon, 107 (Miller), 7 to 1; 3, Time, 140 (They're Off, Don Enrique, Don Creole, Ampede and Dan Buhr ran. George S. Davis left at post.

Fourth race, 7 furlongs—Crackshot, 104 (Preston), 16 to 1; Lad of Langdon, 101 (Brussell), 7 to 1; 2, Incoche, 104 (Koerner), 20 to 1; 3, Time, 126 (4-5), Hilgert, Ambush, Bright Boy, Hector Town, Jobstown, Bert T. Puritan Girl, Kestrel, Pins and Needles, and Vestabell ran.

Fifth race, selling, 1 mile—Mansanella, 102 (Brussell), 8 to 1; 1, Robador, 105 (Miller), 4 to 1; 2, Chief Hayes, 93 (E. Dugan), 2 to 1; 3, Time, 130 (Mandator, Filmap and Shenandoah ran. St. Valentine finished first, but was disqualified.

Sixth race, 6 furlongs—Brookdale Nymph, 118 (Koerner), 13 to 1; Red River, 112 (Lowe), 8 to 1; 2, Zlenap, 100 (Shilling), 8 to 1; 3, Time, 114 (Oraculum, Mifflings and Jennie Walls ran.

Big words often fit nicely into small talk.

## RANGERS FAILED TO SCORE A GOAL

The Berlin Senior Kickers Blanked in League Game by Fast Hurons.

Seaford, May 23.—A fair crowd witnessed the senior W. F. A. game today on the recreation grounds here between the Rangers of Berlin and the Hurons, in which the latter won out by 3 goals to 0.

The Rangers started off with a rush, but soon found that they were not in it with the home team, and for the rest of the game played on the defensive. A weak forward line and lack of combination was accountable for their defeat. Their defense played a good game, however.

The work of the Hurons was, on the contrary, one of good combination and effective rushes, due to having older and more experienced players, and for them the victory was an easy one.

Cherry, the center forward for the Hurons, was by far the best man on the field. His work was the best even seen on a Seaford team, and he is a tower of strength to the organization. The grounds were too wet for many brilliant plays.

The line-up was as follows: Berlin Rangers—Brown, goal; Krueger, Totsky, backs; Mitchell, Rickman, Hyman, half backs; Boettger, Emery, Johnston, Bittzer, Pegunat, forwards.

Hurons—Roberts, goal; Sills, Hancock, backs; C. Sills, Stewart, Robinson, half backs; Chetle, Darnell, Morrow, Cameron, Brooks, forwards.

Timekeepers—Bowden and Colling. Referee—Brown Jackson.

LACROSSE.

WATFORD'S FIRST LACROSSE CLUB.

Watford, May 23.—The Watford lacrosse club has been organized in town with the following officers:

Hon. vice-president, Dr. Gibson.

Hon. vice-president, Col. Kennard.

President, T. A. Adams.

Secretary-treasurer, T. H. Withough.

Manager, John Jack.

Executive committee is composed of president, secretary-treasurer, manager and captain.

This is Watford's first attempt at lacrosse, but the promoters of the club are confident the game will become popular with patrons of outdoor sports.

## NIGHTY LORNES HAVE NET DEFEAT

East End School Nine Were No Match for St. George's—League Standing.

The games in the Public School League series, yesterday brought forth a huge surprise. The hitherto invincible Lornes were not only defeated but were snowed under a mass of whitewash by the St. George's nine, and all is said in the Lorne camp today.

Walter Beech, of the St. George's team, made the longest hit of the day and was awarded a baseball of high quality by Umpire Graham.

The total results were:

St. George's..... 13  
Lornes..... 0  
Batteries: St. George's—Soatcherd and Logan. Lornes—Anderson and Fotheringham. Umpire, C. M. R. Graham.

Aberdeen..... 3  
Victoria..... 15  
Aberdeens—Ross and Wyatt. Victoria—Chandler and Scandrett. Umpire, J. T. Parkinson.

Colborne..... 5  
West London..... 2  
Colborne—Morrison and Wright. West London—Murray and Stanton. Umpire, Dr. Bryant.

Princess..... 9  
Talbot..... 8  
Princess—Forsythe and Cruickshanks. Jones and Cooper. Talbot—Thorne and Laskey. Umpire, M. W. Althous.

Rectory vs. Simcoe.—The score stood 6 to 3 in favor of Rectory at the end of the sixth inning, but owing to a dispute the game was given to Rectory by 9 to 0.

Umpires, Messrs. Wallace and Campbell.

Rectory—Mitchell and McLeod. Simcoe—Tanner and Chas. Leach.

The standing of the school league is as follows:

| Team              | Won | Lost | P.C. |
|-------------------|-----|------|------|
| Lornes.....       | 8   | 1    | .889 |
| St. George's..... | 8   | 1    | .889 |
| Colborne.....     | 6   | 3    | .667 |
| Rectory.....      | 6   | 3    | .667 |
| West London.....  | 4   | 4    | .500 |
| Aberdeen.....     | 3   | 6    | .333 |
| Victoria.....     | 3   | 6    | .333 |
| Princess.....     | 3   | 6    | .333 |
| Simcoe.....       | 2   | 7    | .222 |
| Talbot.....       | 1   | 8    | .111 |

GIANTS LOSE ONE WHILE CUBS WIN

Chicago Now Leading in the National League Race—Toronto's Margin.

IN THE EASTERN.

At Buffalo..... 9  
Rochester..... 10  
Buffalo..... 6  
At Jersey City..... 9  
Jersey City..... 10  
Baltimore..... 2  
At Newark..... 7  
Newark..... 7  
Providence..... 6  
At Montreal—Toronto-Montreal game postponed; rain.

EASTERN STANDING.

| Team             | Won | Lost | P.O. |
|------------------|-----|------|------|
| Toronto.....     | 13  | 11   | .542 |
| Rochester.....   | 13  | 11   | .542 |
| Jersey City..... | 12  | 12   | .500 |
| Buffalo.....     | 12  | 11   | .520 |
| Baltimore.....   | 13  | 12   | .520 |
| Montreal.....    | 11  | 11   | .500 |
| Newark.....      | 11  | 11   | .500 |
| Providence.....  | 6   | 13   | .309 |

IN THE AMERICAN.

At Philadelphia..... R. H. E.  
Boston..... 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 4 0  
Philadelphia..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 7 3  
Batteries—Winter and Origer; Plank and Schreckengost. Umpire, Evans.

At Cleveland..... R. H. E.  
Cleveland..... 0 2 3 0 1 0 0 0 0 6 12 4  
St. Louis..... 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 7 3  
Batteries—Tielemann and Clark; Powell, Morgan and O'Connor and Spencer. Umpire, O'Loughlin and Stafford.

At Washington..... R. H. E.  
Washington..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 8 8  
New York..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 12 2  
Batteries—Graham and Warner; Doyle and Kleinow. Umpire, Connolly.

AMERICAN STANDING.

| Team              | Won | Lost | P.O. |
|-------------------|-----|------|------|
| Chicago.....      | 23  | 10   | .697 |
| Cleveland.....    | 23  | 12   | .657 |
| Detroit.....      | 18  | 12   | .600 |
| New York.....     | 16  | 15   | .516 |
| Philadelphia..... | 15  | 17   | .469 |
| St. Louis.....    | 14  | 21   | .400 |
| Boston.....       | 11  | 22   | .333 |
| Washington.....   | 9   | 23   | .280 |

IN THE NATIONAL.

At Boston (first game)..... R. H. E.  
Brooklyn..... 1 2 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 7 13 0  
Boston..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 7 3  
Batteries—Patterson and Ritter; Lindaman and Brown.

At Boston (second game)..... R. H. E.  
Boston..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 10 12 2  
Brooklyn..... 0 4 2 1 0 0 0 0 0 10 12 2  
Batteries—Pfeffer, Flaherty and Needham; Scanlon, McIntyre, Stricklett and Butler. Umpire, Johnson.

At St. Louis..... R. H. E.  
St. Louis..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 8 4  
Pittsburg..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 8 4  
Batteries—Fronne and Marshall; Leaver and Gibson. Umpires, Klein and Emlie.

At New York..... R. H. E.  
Philadelphia..... 2 3 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 13 13 1  
New York..... 2 0 1 1 0 0 2 3 0 9 13 1  
Batteries—Corrigan, Pittsinger and Jackson; Ames, Taylor, McInnity and Bowlerman. Umpires, Carpenter and O'Day.

At Cincinnati..... R. H. E.  
Cincinnati..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 9 9 5  
Chicago..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 9 9 5  
Batteries—Eisick and Schiel; Brown and Kling. Umpire, Rigler.

NATIONAL STANDING.

| Team              | Won | Lost | P.C. |
|-------------------|-----|------|------|
| Chicago.....      | 27  | 8    | .771 |
| New York.....     | 27  | 8    | .771 |
| Philadelphia..... | 20  | 12   | .625 |
| Pittsburg.....    | 18  | 13   | .581 |
| Boston.....       | 14  | 19   | .424 |
| Cincinnati.....   | 12  | 22   | .353 |
| St. Louis.....    | 12  | 22   | .353 |
| Brooklyn.....     | 7   | 26   | .212 |

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Considerable interest was manifested among the players in the nature of the trouble, but no one seemed to know. It is generally believed to have started from some trivial matter which grew as the argument progressed.

Wouldn't Like To Be Dropped.

Sammy Strang of the New Yorks is about the only professional ball player up to date who is known to be interested in the flying machine sport. Sammy, who is a college man, and the son of wealthy parents down in sunny Tennessee, where the Giants' outfielder hangs from, and whose name is not Strang, by the way, he having assumed this fictitious appellation when he first started to play in the Southern League.

Anyways, Sammy is a great amateur, if not in practice, at least in theory, and he never tires talking about his favorite subject.

The other day he and Dahlen, the shortstop, were discussing flying machine subjects, and Sammy made some remark relative to the joining of an aero club, when Dahlen said: "It would be all right if they met in a hall like other clubs, but as you say, Sammy, they hold their meetings up in the air," he added.

"They sure do," replied Strang, "but say, wouldn't it be awful if they'd drop a man for non-payment of dues?"

How Dummy Taylor Lost His Speech. Billy Gilbert, the once peerless little baseman of the New York Giants, though a silent man on the field, is a companionable and talkative chap when at leisure. He has a seemingly inexhaustible fund of anecdotes to draw on, while his memory is a marvelous thing.

Before the present season opened Gilbert and Billy Murray, the manager of the Phillies this year, were having a famous beer in Green's Hotel, in the Quaker city, and the two old baseball veterans were regaling one another with yarns they had come across during the years that they had been identified with the national game.

"Ever hear," asked Gilbert, "about that time that Luther Taylor, the pitcher, lost his speech and couldn't talk at all?"

"What are you trying to give me?" shot back Murray. "Why, Dummy Taylor has been a mute since birth."

"Yes," replied Gilbert, as he flicked the ashes from his cigar, "but I refer to the time that we were playing the Boston and Fred Toney caught one of Luther's fast ones on the end of his bat and it shot down to Taylor so fast that he could not side step it, so to save himself he put out both hands to keep it away from his body, and it struck him with so much force, on the tips of his fingers, that he was speechless for over a week."

Lave Cross As Duck Hunter.

Outside of baseball the only sport that appeals to Lave Cross is duck hunting, and for this purpose Lave bought himself a farm down on the Delaware bay which has a clear sweep of the water, and in the off season it takes the talk of Lave shows all the other natives how to bag the biggest number of the web-footed fowls.

Lave is also a jokester, whose wit is in some manner always flavored with ducking stories. He said to Charley Jones the other day in the club dressing room: "Are you good at riddles, Charley?"

"Haven't any medals," laconically replied the silent outfielder, "for guessing."

"Well, I want to ask you one," cried Lave, "what is the difference between a successful duck hunter and a thief who steals an oil painting?"

"Give it up," replied Jones.

"Why, that's an easy one," replied Lave, "One brings the canvassack and the other doesn't."

The Kind You Hear About.

When Broadway Alex Smith, the once famous New York catcher, and one of the fashion plates of the diamond, was in Washington during the last Bunting meet he and Jack Dunn were sitting together in the lobby of a downtown hotel, and the talk turned on lucky winners at the racing game, a business that Smith is now following for a livelihood, and Dunn, who, by

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## CASE HAD ORIGIN THIRTY YEARS AGO

Matter Is Now Being Brought  
Into High Court of Justice  
for Settlement.

Among the cases entered for the weekly sitting of the high court for London Saturday next before Chief Justice Mulock, is one, the origin of which dates back to 1877, and has to do with a rich merchant residing at present in Greenock, Scotland, a Toronto lady, and a family of squatters, the last of whom passed away about a year ago.

The case is entered on the records as Isabella McDonald and the trustee relief act.

In the year 1877 Mr. Donald MacDonald of Greenock, Scotland, learned that a family by the name of Sinclair had settled on a valuable piece of land near London, and had been living there for several years.

However, upon the advice of Crony & Betts, Mr. MacDonald took no action to attempt the removal from the property, but instead made an agreement with Duncan Sinclair, the head of the family, whereby he and his wife released all claim to the property providing Mr. Sinclair paid over the sum of \$500 to a niece, who should become heir to whatever other property the old couple possessed.

The wife of Mr. Sinclair passed away several years ago, and last year Sinclair also died, leaving the property in the hands of the original owner, who, through his attorneys, proceeded to dispose of it.

In the meantime the favored niece of Mr. Sinclair asked to be given the \$500 mentioned in the indenture of 1877, but did not receive it, owing to the fact that another niece had also claimed equal relationship and rights.

While the matter was still being argued, the purchaser of the property stepped in and asked that a speedy settlement of the difficulty be made in order that there might not be the semblance of a doubt as to the clearness of his title.

Under the trustee relief act, a trustee is empowered to turn moneys in dispute into court, where the matters are straightened out. Therefore, the attorneys for Mr. MacDonald turned the \$500 into the court, and then made a motion to have it paid over to Mary Riley, of Toronto, who is heir to the amount under the will of late Mr. Sinclair.

Mr. Judd and Meredith are acting for the official guardian.

Another case on the list is one in which John Turnbull, a Lobo township farmer, asks that his aunt, Isabella Turnbull, a spinster of 82 years, be declared insane, that he be appointed guardian of her estate, and that the costs of the court be taken from the said estate. The old lady is owner of a one-third interest in a farm of 100 acres, valued at \$4,000, and which rents for \$250, and has a small account in the bank.

Buchner and Gurn for motion.

CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

—Read the first installment of Conan Doyle's great story, "The Hound of the Baskervilles," in Saturday's Advertiser.

—City Engineer Graydon today gave a building permit to Mr. Caffarelli for a two-story brick residence on Queen's avenue.

—Mrs. John A. Cooper, of Toronto, returned home last evening after an extended visit to her brother, Mr. F. J. Fortner, of 20 Regina street. She was accompanied by her friend, Miss Ethel Parker, of 234 Central avenue.

—At the church service for the Highlanders, held by Rev. J. G. Stuart, at Queen's Park, on Sunday, a collection of \$22 was taken up. This amount has been kindly donated to the ladies of the Children's Aid Society in South London, to be used toward furnishing the building.

—The residents of the north end will have an opportunity of hearing Rev. J. J. Ross deliver his popular lecture "Through Vesuvius," tomorrow (Thursday) night, in Colborne Street.

—This lecture is illustrated with splendid time-light views. In addition to the lecture several choruses will be rendered by the young men of the church, under the direction of Mr. E. Westman.

—The deputation from Guelph which visited London some time ago appears to have been somewhat impressed with the asphalt block pavement in this city, and the Royal City is now seeking further information in regard to the roadway from City Engineer Graydon. Mr. Graydon feels that asphalt blocks make the best pavement, but vitrified brick, on account of its cleanness, comes more within this city's reach.

—Until yesterday, Contractor Dill has had a comparatively easy time with the Ottawa avenue sewer today, however, he found it necessary to resort to both sand pumps to keep the trench clear of water. He is now working east of the Pere Marquette Railway, and the jarring of the street and steam cars, which cross each other at right angles a few feet from the spot where the men are working, is giving the latter much trouble. They

claim, however, they will be well advanced on the work by Saturday night.

NURSES' PLEAS

Dr. John D. Wilson is treating the staffs of Victoria and St. Joseph's Hospitals to a picnic at Dorchester this afternoon. About seventy nurses, house surgeons and other employees of the two hospitals accepted the invitation and left for Dorchester this afternoon at 2:45 on the G. T. R. in a special car.

PRESENTATION TO DR. ENGLISH.

The members of Court Stella, No. 7947, A. F. E. last night presented Dr. W. H. English, who is leaving for Hamilton shortly, with a past chief ranger's jewel and a beautiful pocket watch, suitably engraved. An address was read by Bro. R. Moule, and President Thomas Shaw made the presentation.

WEDDED AT VANCOUVER.

The marriage is announced at Vancouver, B. C., of Mr. Walter S. Young, real estate broker, of that place, and Miss Emma Livesley, Rev. C. C. Owen, a former rector of the Memorial Church, London, officiated. The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. Robt. Livesley, of Winnipeg, who several years ago was engaged in business with his father in East London, and she has many friends in this city who will join in extending congratulations.

The groom is a son of the late Capt. C. Young, of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, Yokohama, Japan. Mrs. J. M. Shaw, of 62 Craig street, South London, is a sister of the bride.

PRESS CLUB'S WEEK.

Visitors to Toronto this week will have the opportunity of witnessing the Toronto Press Club's annual theatrical performance at the Princess Theatre. This year "The Importance of Being Earnest" is being produced, preceded by "Gringore, the Ballad-Monger." The former is an intensely satirical comedy, based on the foibles of English society life, while the curtain-raiser is a skit on events connected with the life of Louis XI. of France.

Douglas A. Patterson, who had a long experience on the American stage with Henry Miller, is directing the production, and the chief parts are taken by Robert Stuart Pigott, also an actor of international repute. The leading female part has been assigned to Miss Berenice Parker, and the other roles are equally well filled. The productions of the past two years have given the Press Club a high standing in theater-going circles, and Toronto society now turns out in full force for the show. The dates are May 30 and 31 and June 1.

WANT THEIR SHARE

South Londoners Are After Band Concerts This Year.

It is understood that a move is on foot to ask the city council to hold several band concerts on the lawn of the Normal School, in South London, this summer, provided the school authorities are agreeable.

It is pointed out that band concerts are held in East London, and that the people of West London are quite close to Victoria Park, but that as yet there has not been a single concert south of the river.

This year there is plenty of money for band concerts, and the South Londoners feel they are entitled to a share of the amusement.

DEATH OF MRS. MILNE

Wife of Well-Known Citizen Succumbs to Pneumonia.

Much sympathy will be extended to Mr. John Milne on the death of his wife, which occurred at a late hour last night. Mrs. Milne was a daughter of the late David Wismer, one of the earliest settlers of the township of Markham, in the county of York. He came to Markham from near Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and settled in Markham, where he had a family of fourteen children. The deceased, Barbara, was born in the year 1842, and married Mr. John Milne in November, 1860. They lived in Markham about twenty years, when Mr. Milne was attacked by the oil fields of Pennsylvania, and for several years was engaged in the oil business at Erie, Pa. Over 30 years ago Mr. Milne commenced business at Essex, and at the time of the erection of the Canada Southern, was one of the contractors for building that road. He remained at Essex and established very extensive factories there, and during his residence of over twenty years Mr. and Mrs. Milne made many friends, who will sincerely regret her death.

About ten years ago Mr. Milne became managing director of the Northern Life Assurance Company, and removed to London with Mrs. Milne, where they were joined by Mrs. Leute, their daughter, and her children. Mrs. Leute died a little over a year ago.

Mrs. Milne had not enjoyed her usual health for some months past, and in the hope of benefiting her health, she spent some time last winter with Mr. Milne in Florida, and for a time appeared to derive benefit, but lately she contracted pneumonia, and died suddenly last night. She leaves, besides her husband, two sons, Arthur and John, at Mundare, Alberta, and one daughter, Mrs. O. C. Barrie, of Chicago, the children of her deceased daughter, Mrs. Leute. She has still living five sisters and two brothers.

Mrs. Milne was a life-long member of the Methodist Church. Kind and true in every relationship of life, she will be much missed. The funeral will take place tomorrow at Essex, her old home.

ENGINEER SENT TO TRIAL

Charge Against C. P. R. Employee Over Fatal Wreck at Myrtle.

Whitby, May 28.—Conductor Kyle, Train Dispatcher Wilkinson, and Engineer Cook of the C. P. R., were given a preliminary hearing today in connection with the fatal freight wreck at Myrtle, Ont. All three were charged with being implicated in the accident which caused the death of two trainmen. As a result of today's investigation Kyle and Wilkinson were released, and Cook sent to the fall assizes, meantime being held for \$500.

## PARRY SOUND MURDER TRIAL

Two Italians Are Charged With  
the Slaying of William  
Dow.

Parry Sound, May 28.—The spring assizes opened here yesterday afternoon with Mr. Justice Teetzel presiding. The docket contained charges of murder against two Italians for killing a man named William Dow on the Burpee road in this district on Christmas evening; also charges against the same Italians, Capello and Eugene Marano, for attempting to kill Michael McCormack, and one against each of the accused of attempting to assault Mrs. McCormack, all growing out of an attempt of these Italians to assault the woman. Dow was stabbed to death and four others more or less seriously stabbed in their efforts to protect the woman and prevent the perpetration of the attempted murder. One other charge of attempted murder is to be tried where a man named Vanlooven and his brother had a dispute over some property, and one brother shot the other in the breast, but fortunately the wound was not a serious one. Another case which is being tried is a charge of criminal assault against a boy named Vancouver. This case is now proceeding.

In the charge against the men Capello and Marano, the grand jury has found true bills on the capital offense and in two of the minor charges, and the trial for murder will proceed as soon as the Vancouver charge has been tried. There are a number of civil cases for hearing and the assizes will probably last all week.

Mr. G. Tait Blackstock, of Toronto, is crown prosecutor, and Mr. Frank Keefe, of Port Arthur, is defending the Italians.

HOTEL HAND LO.T WATCH

Alleged It Was Taken by Tramp Who Disappeared in a Hurry.

Two rather suspicious-looking hoboes arrived in town a day or two ago, and as is often the case with weary wanderers who chance to tarry in the Forest City, they got mixed up with the police.

One of the pair, Edward Tilley, small and hard-looking, appeared before the police magistrate this morning. He had been drunk.

As for Tilley's pal, he has made a rather hurried departure, and it is alleged that he has taken with him a valuable silver watch, the property of Mr. Harry Donnelly, an employee of Barrell's hotel, on Dundas street west. It is said that the departed tramp, who is a Frenchman, about 5 feet 3 inches in height, and 19 years of age, stole the watch from Donnelly while the latter was sleeping.

Tilley, who admits that he drifted into town along with the Frenchman, cannot give a very good account of himself, and he has been remanded to jail for one week, during which time his past will, if possible, be investigated.

MAN'S BODY STALLS TRAIN

New York Elevated Derailed by Running Over Track-Walker.

New York, May 28.—A Sixth avenue elevated train loaded with passengers struck and killed Thomas Gallagher, a track walker near the Blacker street curve today, derailling the front trucks of the first car and tying up the line for an hour or more. The train which was bound south, bringing a large number of men and women to the downtown offices, was rounding the curve when Gallagher, who was at work on the middle track, became confused, and stepped in front of it. The motorman applied the emergency brake, but not in time to save the man's life. His body passing under the wheels threw the first truck off the rails. The wheels were dragged over the ties for a short distance, and striking against the third rail, prevented from going over the edge of the elevated structure into the street. Gallagher's body was badly crushed, and trains were stalled as far back as sixty-sixth street, while the car was lifted to the rails again. Most of the passengers left the stalled train and walked to near-by stations. The motorman, Edward Clark, was arrested.

SHUNTER HITS A WAGON

Driver and Horse Escape, But Vehicle Is Badly Hurt.

John Kincaid, a driver for Miller's bakery, had a close call for his life at the Simcoe street crossing of the Pere Marquette at 8:45 this morning. Kincaid was on his route delivering bread and had occasion to cross the P. M. tracks.

He claims that he saw the engine shunting cars, as he thought, a block away, and that he felt assured he had plenty of time to cross. He alleges, however, that the company's employees were making a running shunt, with the result that a car struck the wagon, demolishing it.

Kincaid jumped, and probably saved his life. The horse bolted also and got out of danger's way.

It is said that the men on the engine and the yardmen did not know that any damage had been done until a man ran nearly a block and told them that a rig had been struck. Then they stopped the train and found the wagon smashed and lying between the tracks.

JAPAN AND THE HAGUE.

Tokio, May 29.—Secrecy is maintained by the Japanese Government regarding the subjects it will present to The Hague peace conference, and it is impossible to make a forecast of its position. It is generally felt that the conference will have little practical result, and the Japanese press is not enthusiastic.

## The Toilet Domain

Our stock of foreign and domestic toilet articles can be matched in but few places the size of this one. Almost every toilet aid or convenience that has merited public favor will be found in our stock.

We try to keep what people want, and when necessary will make special orders for any unusual article desired.

Strong's Drug Store

181 DUNDAS STREET.

Strong's Baking Powder—once used, always in favor.

## SIGHT RESTORED AFTER MANY YEARS

Remarkable Operation Performed  
by a Surgeon of Saginaw,  
Michigan.

Saginaw, Mich., May 28.—Totally blind for 33 years, since she was three weeks old, Miss Carrie Leidein, daughter of Mrs. Dorothy Leidein, who lives on the Vassar road, near this city, has suddenly regained her sight. The operation which gave her sight was performed in the Women's Hospital by Dr. A. F. Rogers. The knife was used on one eye only, and in this eye almost perfect sight has been restored. The other organ will be treated within a short time by the same method.

When 4 years old Miss Leidein was taken to one of America's foremost specialists, who operated upon her unsuccessfully. Since that time she has tried many remedies, but oculists all pronounced her case hopeless. She was educated in the State School for Blind at Lansing, and had become reconciled, by offering to make an artificial pupil, by the removing of opacity in the lens capsule. He styles it a capsule cataract.

Miss Leidein's joy was so great that it made the doctors and nurses about her weep as she exclaimed with the first ray of vision, "Praised be God, I see!" She is being confined in a partially darkened room, and for a time will use glasses until her eyes become fully accustomed to the light.

The objective world is a complete mystery to her. She can, however, tell one color from another, though she does not yet know the names. When food was placed before her she did not know what it was, and only understood when the odor reached her. Only when she could put her hands on the objects about her in the room did she comprehend their real nature. Trees, houses, and animals all seemed much larger than she had believed. When shown a dog, she did not know what it was, but being allowed to touch it she instantly identified it.

Human beings are a source of infinite study and perplexity to her, she says. She does not look at all as she had pictured in her mind. She wants to see every thing explained to her and keeps up an incessant fire of questions as to the nature of things she sees. The simplest object excites her rapt attention. Every little while she utters a rapturous exclamation of joy and spends much of her time in singing out her happiness.

IN THE KING'S POCKET

Always Carries Gold Coins, Cigar-Cutter and Pencil in Waistcoat.

London, May 28.—Some curious hunter after strange trifles asserts that he is enabled to list the contents of King Edward's pockets—that is, the ordinary contents.

In his waistcoat pocket we are told the King carries a gold pencil case, a cigar-cutter, the key of a secret coffer, a watch kept regularly timed by Greenwich and a handful of gold pieces, among which there is sometimes silver. Edward VII. also carries about him a thin pocketbook to contain notes or observations he wishes to remember.

In the winter he carries his gloves in his overcoat pocket; in summer he always carries them in his hand, never dropping them into his pocket, as is the habit of some careless monarchs.

His majesty also usually carries about with him a small box of sacharine tablets, though usually those who entertain the monarch know very well his habit in this respect, so that nearly everywhere he goes he has his substitute for sugar, which, by his doctor's orders, he is not allowed to take.

LAND FOR THE PEOPLE.

Madrid, May 28.—The Government has elaborated and submitted to Parliament a scheme for the distribution of the uncultivated lands belonging to the state, to the communes, so as to allow each head of a family desiring to do so to take up a sufficient area to maintain his family. The land would be granted to the inhabitants of the district in which the land was situated on the payment of 25 per cent of its actual value, the whole amount of the purchase money to be repaid in 50 years. The plan involves the organization of co-operative societies to aid the colonists in securing and exploiting the land.

FRENCH GRAPE HARVEST.

Paris, May 28.—It is realized that when the grape harvest of this year comes to an end in the late autumn, the large number of men engaged in laboring in the vineyards will encounter greater difficulty than usual in finding other employment. As a result of this there is certain to be a period of great distress, and with the view of mitigating as much as possible the evils resulting from a glut of the labor market, the Chamber of Deputies yesterday passed a bill releasing the 1904 conscripts in July, instead of November of this year.

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BROWN, SKY, CHAMPAGNE, CARDINAL, MYRTLE, CREAM. These Taffetas will give satisfactory wear. All silk, filled with cotton warp. Have the desired rustle and crispness. Cannot replace them to sell at less than 40c. Buy them tomorrow at, per yard. 29c

Think of Black Peau de Soie Silk at 29c

That's another bargain for Thursday and Friday. Worth regularly 50c yard.

Yard-Wide Chiffon Taffeta, 97c, Instead of \$1.35

Thirty-eight cents saving on every yard you buy of this all pure silk, chiffon finish, full thirty-six inches. Will wear splendidly and cuts to splendid advantage for coats, petticoats or dresses.

Bonnett's Guaranteed Taffeta, 79c, for Dollar Quality

Black only, rich, high-finished taffeta, stamped selvedge. A beautiful dress silk. Last of this for less than a dollar.

Corded Wash Silks, Black, White, Sky, 25c Yard Tomorrow

Also full range of colorings in Japan Taffeta Silk, 20 inches wide. Same shades and same finish as the higher-priced Jap silks. Very superior to usual twenty-five cent qualities.

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MR. EMERSON'S LIBEL SUIT

Case Against the Frederickton Gleaner Opens Today.

Fredericton, N. B., May 28.—The criminal libel suit taken by Hon. Mr. Emmerson against the Gleaner will be commenced today. Magistrate John L. Marsh will preside. It is understood that Editor Crockett has brought down several St. Lawrence Hotel employees as witnesses. Needless to say, the case is causing great interest.

A MYSTERIOUS SUICIDE

Handsome Woman Who May Be Montrealeer Takes Her Life.

New York, May 28.—After destroying almost every clue to her identity, a handsome woman about 24 years old, turned on the gas in a room in East One Hundred and Fourteenth street, which she engaged yesterday. She was dead when occupants of the house, who had been attracted by the odor of gas, burst in the door today. It is believed that she was a resident either of Brooklyn or of Montreal. That she had been in comfortable circumstances seems apparent. Her clothing was of fine texture, and the condition of her hands indicated that they had been given much care and never had done heavy work.

Among the few things which may lead to the clearing up of her identity was a fine linen handkerchief, bearing the single initial "M." In the room were found the letters "M. D.," which are believed to have been taken from a sachet or grip carried by the young woman, the card of a Brooklyn physician, torn to shreds, a guide, a street directory of Montreal, and a New York Central main line time table. The woman's clothing bears the mark of Brooklyn merchants.

Among the personal effects of the girl were a purse, in which was found \$15.06, a gold breast pin and a gold watch, seemingly of Swiss manufacture, bearing the name Jacquelin, and the number 31,717.

THE BISLEY TEAM.

Toronto, May 28.—The members of the Bisley team in this city today received a letter informing them that the Canadian members must arrive in Montreal by noon on June 18, in order that the contingent may be inspected prior to embarkation for England. These instructions will be given on the afternoon of the 18th in the Montreal Armories.

JOCKEY MARTIN SUSPENDED.

New York, May 28.—The World says Jockey Jack Martin was suspended by the stewards at Belmont Park yesterday for the balance of the meeting because he persisted in disobeying Mr. Cassidy's orders while at the post in the second race. He had the mount on Golconda at the time. This suspension will cost Martin many dollars, as he had been engaged to ride some notable horses at Belmont Park. The chief of which was one of Mr. James R. Keene's great colts in the Belmont stakes next Thursday.

CHICAGO EXCHANGE.

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

Chicago, May 28.

Wheat—Open High Low Close  
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Corn—Open High Low Close  
May 87 1/2 87 1/2 87 1/2 87 1/2  
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Oats—Open High Low Close  
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Rye—Open High Low Close  
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Barley—Open High Low Close  
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Clover—Open High Low Close  
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Hemp—Open High Low Close  
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Flax—Open High Low Close  
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Soybeans—Open High Low Close  
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Cotton—Open High Low Close  
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Sugar—Open High Low Close  
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Coffee—Open High Low Close  
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Tea—Open High Low Close  
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Spices—Open High Low Close  
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Fruit—Open High Low Close  
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Vegetables—Open High Low Close  
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Livestock—Open High Low Close  
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Poultry—Open High Low Close  
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Hides—Open High Low Close  
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Wool—Open High Low Close  
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Rubber—Open High Low Close  
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Gold—Open High Low Close  
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Silver—Open High Low Close  
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Dollars—Open High Low Close  
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Pounds—Open High Low Close  
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Francs—Open High Low Close  
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Yen—Open High Low Close  
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Mexican—Open High Low Close  
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### LOCAL MARKET.

London, Wednesday, May 23. There was a demand for the 35 tons of hay that were offered today, and at the latter price of \$1.44 and \$1.45 per cwt.

### WEEKLY REVIEW.

The markets held here the past week were fairly well attended by farmers and buyers. While prices as a rule held firm, there was a substantial increase in the price of oats. Sales were brisk in every department.

Grain—Oats are considerably higher this week, prices having advanced 3c to 5c per cwt. There has not been a load of wheat offered on this market in three weeks.

Hay and Straw—There is a good demand for hay, as the supply is light; prices are firm, at \$1.44 to \$1.45 per ton, nearly all the sales are made at the higher figure; not a few farmers are at present holding their hay, but prices are high until the new crop is placed on the market. Straw is in fair demand at \$6 to \$6.50 per ton.

Butter and Eggs—Butter is a trifle easier, at 12c to 13c for crocks and 20c for pound rolls in wholesale; a prominent dealer says that butter will not be much lower in price this season, as there is a light stock held by the dealers, and the price of cheese is nearly 2c per lb. higher than it was last week. Eggs are in good demand at 16c to 17c per dozen, nearly all the sales being made at 16c.

Potatoes—Prices are a little easier, at \$1.19 to \$1.20 per bag wholesale, and \$1.25 retail.

Poultry—Not much doing in this line; spring chickens sold at 25c per lb. dressed, and 12c to 20c alive; but the price paid last Monday. The buyers say that they would not be surprised to see prices lower.

Small pigs sell at 10c to 12c per pair. Butchers' Meats—Beef is firm, at \$9 to \$9.50 per cwt; veal is a shade higher, at \$8.50 to \$9 per cwt; mutton, at \$10 to \$10.50 per cwt; lamb, at \$10 to \$10.50 per cwt; pork, at \$10 to \$10.50 per cwt.

Hides—Stripped, 5c to 6c per lb; unstripped, 4c to 5c per lb.

Wool—Unwashed, 13c to 15c per lb.

### BEAN MARKET.

Detroit, May 27.—Beans—Cash, \$1.73; June and July, \$1.75.

### PRODUCE MARKETS.

#### TORONTO.

Toronto, May 23.—Following foreign markets, quotations on the local exchange weakened, especially in Manitoba, as the late weather reports were all generally favorable. With prices a little easier, more business was done, there being some good buying on the recession.

Wheat—Ontario, 80c bid for No. 2 white, C. P. R. east; 80c bid for red and white; spring No. 2, 80c asked outside; Manitoba (lake ports), No. 1 hard, 79c; No. 2, 78c; No. 3, 77c; No. 4, 76c; No. 5, 75c; No. 6, 74c; No. 7, 73c; No. 8, 72c; No. 9, 71c; No. 10, 70c; No. 11, 69c; No. 12, 68c; No. 13, 67c; No. 14, 66c; No. 15, 65c; No. 16, 64c; No. 17, 63c; No. 18, 62c; No. 19, 61c; No. 20, 60c; No. 21, 59c; No. 22, 58c; No. 23, 57c; No. 24, 56c; No. 25, 55c; No. 26, 54c; No. 27, 53c; No. 28, 52c; No. 29, 51c; No. 30, 50c; No. 31, 49c; No. 32, 48c; No. 33, 47c; No. 34, 46c; No. 35, 45c; No. 36, 44c; No. 37, 43c; No. 38, 42c; No. 39, 41c; No. 40, 40c; No. 41, 39c; No. 42, 38c; No. 43, 37c; No. 44, 36c; No. 45, 35c; No. 46, 34c; No. 47, 33c; No. 48, 32c; No. 49, 31c; No. 50, 30c; No. 51, 29c; No. 52, 28c; No. 53, 27c; No. 54, 26c; No. 55, 25c; No. 56, 24c; No. 57, 23c; No. 58, 22c; No. 59, 21c; No. 60, 20c; No. 61, 19c; No. 62, 18c; No. 63, 17c; No. 64, 16c; No. 65, 15c; No. 66, 14c; No. 67, 13c; No. 68, 12c; No. 69, 11c; No. 70, 10c; No. 71, 9c; No. 72, 8c; No. 73, 7c; No. 74, 6c; No. 75, 5c; No. 76, 4c; No. 77, 3c; No. 78, 2c; No. 79, 1c; No. 80, 0c; No. 81, 0c; No. 82, 0c; No. 83, 0c; No. 84, 0c; No. 85, 0c; No. 86, 0c; No. 87, 0c; No. 88, 0c; No. 89, 0c; No. 90, 0c; No. 91, 0c; No. 92, 0c; No. 93, 0c; No. 94, 0c; No. 95, 0c; No. 96, 0c; No. 97, 0c; No. 98, 0c; No. 99, 0c; No. 100, 0c.

#### CHICAGO.

Chicago, May 23.—Cattle—Receipts, about 15,000 head; market for good to choice, 10c higher; beefs, \$4.45 to \$5.50; calves, \$4.50 to \$5.50; hogs, \$5.50 to \$6.50; pigs, \$5.50 to \$6.50; sheep, \$5.50 to \$6.50; lambs, \$5.50 to \$6.50; yearlings, \$5.50 to \$6.50; steers, \$5.50 to \$6.50; cows, \$5.50 to \$6.50; heifers, \$5.50 to \$6.50; bulls, \$5.50 to \$6.50; goats, \$5.50 to \$6.50; horses, \$5.50 to \$6.50; mules, \$5.50 to \$6.50; ponies, \$5.50 to \$6.50; dogs, \$5.50 to \$6.50; cats, \$5.50 to \$6.50; birds, \$5.50 to \$6.50; fish, \$5.50 to \$6.50; fruit, \$5.50 to \$6.50; vegetables, \$5.50 to \$6.50; flowers, \$5.50 to \$6.50; minerals, \$5.50 to \$6.50; metals, \$5.50 to \$6.50; stones, \$5.50 to \$6.50; shells, \$5.50 to \$6.50; bones, \$5.50 to \$6.50; hair, \$5.50 to \$6.50; teeth, \$5.50 to \$6.50; nails, \$5.50 to \$6.50; screws, \$5.50 to \$6.50; bolts, \$5.50 to \$6.50; nuts, \$5.50 to \$6.50; washers, \$5.50 to \$6.50; rivets, \$5.50 to \$6.50; pins, \$5.50 to \$6.50; 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Herbert Kelcey, Elsie Shannon and Ferdinand Gottschalk, with an all-star cast, will present George Bernard Shaw's satirical comedy, "Widowers' Houses," at the Grand Opera House on Friday night. When the play was produced at the Herald Square Theatre, New York, it was at once seen that Mr. Shaw had written a powerful and convincing play, with the usual topsey-turvy and Shaw surprises thrown in. The splendid work of the above-mentioned players and the finished way in which the play was staged by Mr. Gottschalk, won much praise from critics who, were impressed with this treatise on slum landlordism and tainted money. A fine production has been provided for the play, and there is an artistic treat in store for theater-goers.

On next Saturday (matinee and evening) at the Grand, Manager Bowers announces an elaborate revival of "East Lynne." This grand old play needs no introduction to the local theater-goers, for who has not read this beautiful story of the love and devotion of a mother for her children, her self-sacrifices and heartaches for the husband who she believes has become indifferent to her great love for him, and wants a separation from her, in order to marry another. Mr. Joseph King is presenting the most complete scenic and electrical production of this play ever seen here, and is playing all of the big cities in the country. A special matinee will be given for the ladies and children, and popular prices will be the rule.

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## LONDON AND DISTRICT

—Mrs. and Mrs. E. H. Esseltine, of Ingersoll, have taken up their residence in this city.

—Mr. James Kichham, of Detroit, is spending a short vacation at his home on King street east.

—Miss Mabel Hodgins, of Chatham, is spending a few days with Miss McMahon of Colborne street.

—Mr. Fred Dalton, who has been spending a holiday visit with relatives here, has returned to Toronto.

—The Misses Langford and Miss Irene Somerville, of this city, are spending their holidays with relatives in Granton.

—Mr. Frank Doe has returned to Windsor, after spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Doe, of Hyman street.

—Mrs. M. McCoy returned to Toronto Monday, after a holiday visit to friends and relatives in the city.

—Miss L. Connor, of Hamilton, is spending a few days with her sister at 434 Oxford street. Miss Connor is en route from California to her home.

—Mrs. William Roberts, and Miss Livermore, of Toronto, who have been spending their holidays with Mrs. George Stinson of 530 English street, city, have returned home.

—A pie social was held by the Anglican Young People's Association of All Saints' Church on Monday night and quite a neat sum was realized to be devoted to the building fund.

—"Uncle Josh Spruceby," a rural drama, with a rube band and plenty of get up and go about it, attracted a large audience at the Grand last evening. The cast was a capable one and the piece was well staged.

—The home of Mrs. (Rev.) C. C. Waller, was the scene of a very successful garden party yesterday afternoon. Ice cream, cakes and other light refreshments were served. The proceeds will be devoted to the aid of the Y. W. C. A.

—The funeral of the late Mrs. Sharrman took place yesterday afternoon from the undertaking parlors of Smith Son & Clark to Brick Street Church, where Rev. A. G. Harris, of Lambeth, conducted the services. Interment was at Woodland Cemetery. Nine children, the youngest of whom is five

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months, and the oldest thirteen years, survive Mrs. Sharrman.

—Mrs. Ester Kennedy, wife of the late John Kennedy of this city, died yesterday at her home 139 Wellington street. Deceased was seventy-five years of age, and her death was due to pneumonia. Mrs. Kennedy was the mother of the late Mr. James A. Kennedy, who was for many years carried on a wholesale drug business on Richmond street. She was a native of England, but had resided in this city for many years. The funeral will take place from her late residence on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

**RANAHAN—PYE.**  
In the Church of the Holy Rosary, Wyoming, Mr. Harry Ranahan, the well-known grocer of this city, yesterday, was married to Miss Marie Pye, a popular young lady of Wyoming. Rev. Father Gnam tied the happy knot. After a honeymoon trip, Mr. and Mrs. Ranahan will take up their residence on Albert street, city.

**WILL ATTEND DIVINE SERVICE.**

The veterans of 1866 held a meeting in the city hall last evening, at which the question of celebrating the 41st anniversary of the Fenian raid was considered. The vice-president of the association, Mr. S. McBride, was in the chair. It was decided to mark the occasion by attending divine service at the First Methodist Church on Sunday morning next. The veterans will assemble at the city hall at 10:15 a.m. and march to the church, where they will be addressed by the pastor, Rev. J. W. Graham.

**TO ASSIST THE CLERGY**

**Bishop of Huron Makes Appointments for the Summer Vacation.**

The Bishop of Huron has appointed the following candidates for holy orders to assist London clergy during the summer vacation:

Mr. A. L. Charles, with Very Rev. Dean Davis, St. James' Church.

Mr. A. L. G. Clarke, with Ven. Archdeacon Richardson, St. John's, London Township.

Mr. H. B. Ashby, with Rev. W. T. Hill, at the Church of St. John the Evangelist.

The extension of the church in South London and in the erection of St. Luke's, Brookdale, connected with St. John's, London Township, also the new church station to be formed on Adelaide street for the Church of St. John the Evangelist, make such assistance to these rectors necessary.

No doubt the ordained curates will follow before long.

Rev. Dyson Hague will have as his assistant at Memorial Church, Mr. J. Andrews, of Wycliffe College, Toronto.

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## THE SAD FATALITY IN BRUCE STREET

**Inquiry Into Cause of Francis Bickley's Death—Employer Is Exonerated.**

A coroner's inquest was held last night at the Carling street police station to inquire into the death of Francis Bickley, who was crushed in the Bruce street sewer on Tuesday, May 21. After hearing the evidence of eight witnesses the jury, which was presided over by Coroner Ferguson, brought in a verdict to the effect that in their opinion Francis Bickley's death was accidental, and exonerating his employers from all blame in the matter.

The first witnesses called were Dr. Hogg and Dr. Cowan, of South London, who conducted the post-mortem examination on the remains of the deceased. Both stated that from the results of their investigation they were sure that death had been due to suffocation, and that up to the time of entombment the unfortunate man had been in a good state of health.

The evidence of William Davis, a fellow-workman with the deceased, told of how the walls of the sewer excavation slid in on Bickley, and of the attempts made to rescue him.

William Clark, who was also employed in the trench at the time of the accident, gave an account of the affair, agreeing in all important features with the story told by Mr. Davis.

Mr. George Taylor, who happened to be in the vicinity of the excavation at the time of the accident, also testified as to how it occurred.

Sewer Inspector William Lewis was then called and told of the condition of the trench before the accident occurred. From his evidence it would appear that the accident occurred very unexpectedly, and that the usual precautions had been taken to guard against the falling in of the sides, which were apparently of solid clay and very firm.

Assistant Engineer Kirkpatrick gave evidence as to the nature of the soil through which the sewer was being constructed, and also told of the precautions taken to guard against such a mishap. From his testimony it was shown that the condition of the ground, which was very deceiving, had been responsible for the accident.

Mr. Christopher Leathorne, the contractor, was then called and gave evidence which went to strengthen the evidence of the previous witnesses, and to establish the fact that the uncertain condition of the ground on either side of the excavation had been responsible for the accident.

When bringing in their verdict, the jury stated that in their opinion the accident had been entirely due to the condition of the soil through which the sewer was being constructed.

**GARTHWAITE-MORRISON**

Well-Known Vocalist Weds Daughter of Sarnia Citizen.

The marriage took place in Windsor on Victoria Day, of Mr. Arthur Garthwaite, of Hamilton, formerly of London, and Miss Josephine Morrison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Morrison, of Sarnia. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Thos. Manning, pastor of the Methodist Church, Windsor.

The bride was assisted by her sister, Miss Norma Morrison, and Mr. Geo. M. Bogus, of New York, was best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Garthwaite, who have taken up their residence in Hamilton, have the good wishes of many London friends.

**BIG LOSS FOR LONDONER**

Warehouse of F. J. Cairns at Saskatoon Wiped Out by Fire.

A dispatch from Saskatoon, Sask., dated May 28, states that the large warehouse of Mr. F. J. Cairns, formerly manager of the Grand Opera House in this city, was completely wiped out by fire the day previous.

The value of the stock amounted to between \$40,000 and \$50,000, with insurance of from \$10,000 and \$15,000. A spark from a C. N. R. locomotive is blamed for the blaze.

Mr. Cairns has been in the west for some years, where he has conducted a general store and has been very successful. His many friends here will be sorry to hear of his present setback, but he may be relied upon to speedily overcome it. This is his second loss by fire since going west.

**WAR ON POOL ROOMS**

Local W. C. T. U. Decides To Wage It—Association's New Home.

At the monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U. held yesterday afternoon, it was decided to erect a modern three-story building for the union. There was nothing definite as to when the building will be commenced, but plans are to be prepared and estimates secured as soon as possible.

It was announced that Mrs. J. W. Jones will today hold a talent meeting at her home, 241 Queen's avenue, in aid of the Chinese famine sufferers.

"The liquor traffic in our midst," was dealt with by Mrs. D. A. McDermid, Mrs. Wm. Heaman, Mrs. Ashenden and Mrs. May R. Thorne. Incidentally, it was stated that the license-holders are keeping the law in a commendable manner at present.

Pool rooms were next dealt with, and it was resolved to wage war on them, as they are but traps, it was alleged, to catch the dollars of the boys and young men.

The work of the lumbermen's department was also discussed at length.

In Siam the lighting of a cigar indicates a betrothal. In that country a person wishing to become engaged to a girl of his choice offers her a flower, or takes a light from a cigar or cigarette if she happens to have one in her mouth; and thereupon, provided there is no impediment, steps are at once taken to arrange for the payment of the dowry.

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the London Mail says that ear drums made of thin leaves of silver are being used in the Russian military hospitals for dissection of the ear to replace defective organs.

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## "HAVEN'T LIBRARY IN YOUR POCKET?"

**Question Asked Carnegie by a Bellboy at the Hotel Astor.**

New York, May 28.—Frank Strap, a bellboy at the Hotel Astor, where the dove of peace had her tail feathers pulled at the recent peace conference, has achieved greatness in the eyes of his fellows. He has not only conversed with Andrew Carnegie, but has even asked him for a library—in a careless, offhand way, to be sure, as becomes the conversation of a bellboy to whom libraries are mere details. This is the episode as Frank tells it:

"Of course, I was on deck while all the peace talk was going on. Well, the night of the banquet and the big talk, about 10 o'clock a message comes for Mr. Carnegie. When I got up to the banquet room he was talking. I went up to him and gave him the note and he read it and put it in his pocket, and went on talking.

"I knew there had to be an answer, so I waited, and then I touched his arm and asked him about it. He stopped talking and gave me an answer, and then said, 'That's right, my boy, when you have a piece of work intrusted to you, carry it out. Don't put it off.'"

"Then he put his hand in his pocket and then in another, and then he looked at me and grinned, and said: 'I'll see you downstairs after the banquet.'"

"I go off at 12, and I knew he would not be down by then, and he stood there smiling at me, so I said: 'You don't happen to have a library to spare about your clothes, sir, do you?'"

"Then his eyes twinkled, and he began searching through all his pockets and slapping them, and then he says: 'Why, no, I don't believe I have one in this suit. But I'll tell you what I'll do. When I go home tonight I'll look in my other suit, and if I find one there I'll send it to you.' Well, I guess he must be all out of libraries, because I haven't got any yet."

**Temagami.**

The word "Temagami" is derived from the Indian word "Temagaming," meaning deep water, and is applied to a magnificent territory in New Ontario, that embraces all the attractions that are sought after by the canoeist, tourist, angler, and hunter.

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## A U. S.-JAP TREATY

Washington Seeks One Similar to That Made With France.

Paris, May 28.—The accord on the Franco-Japanese convention is complete. The Japanese minister, M. Kurino, and Foreign Minister Pichen will exchange signatures before the week end.

In order to prevent the possibility of a misunderstanding, France has formally communicated the terms of the agreement to Washington, with assurances that it is in no way directed against the United States. The American government, after an examination of the terms, replied that it had absolutely no objections to the convention.

The impression prevails in diplomatic circles here that despite the Munroe doctrine, the United States diplomats are negotiating a treaty with Japan along lines similar to those of the Franco-Japanese agreement.

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