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WILL COST CITY \$7,000.

Cement Merger an Expensive Thing For Hamilton.

Another Effort to Establish Firemen's Benefit Fund.

Deputy Minister Colquhoun Opens Normal School.

The first advance in cement prices following the recent Canadian merger was announced to-day. The price has increased about 30 cents a barrel. The city officials figure that the merger will cost Hamilton about \$7,000 next year. This is based on an estimate of 20,000 barrels to be used next year, principally in connection with road and street railway reconstruction work, as very little cement will be required for cement walks next year. The city is now paying \$1.23 1/2 a barrel for cement at the mill. The freight charge is about 35 cents a barrel. It is believed the cost per barrel will increase about 27 cents over this year's price.

Chief Ten Eyck will make another effort this year to get a firemen's benefit fund established. He hopes to get the Fire and Water Committee to recommend a scheme to next year's council. There is about \$300 on hand now, grants from firms, who have taken this means of showing their appreciation of the work of the brigade. The chief will suggest that a grant of \$5,000 be made and the men given a three per cent. increase next year to be applied to the benefit fund. If the scheme is established he thinks the department might hold a demonstration each year to swell the fund.

The waterworks officials are rejoicing to-day over the fact that the filtering basins have been cleaned out at last. City Engineer Macallum went down to inspect the work to-day and to arrange for the removal of the sanducker from the basins.

The local contractors appear to be so busy that they have no time to bother with the new pump house at the Beach. The time for receiving tenders expires on Wednesday, and the City Engineer fears he will have to try and get outside firms to tender on the work.

Deputy Minister Colquhoun, of the Ontario Department of Education, formally opened the new Normal School at 3 o'clock this afternoon. There was very little ceremony about it. Mr. Colquhoun merely addressing the pupils. The Technical Committee will meet him at 4.30 to discuss matters in connection with the Technical School.

Busember Bros. were granted a permit to-day for a brick addition to 21 Walnut street for Harris Siderick, to cost \$1,000.

W. J. Moffitt, assistant principal of the Oakville high school, has resigned to take a position on the staff of the Hamilton Collegiate at a salary of \$1,200. His place at Oakville will be filled temporarily by Leonard Wheaton, of Hamilton, who proposes going to Queen's College next year to take a specialist course in mathematics.

The Royce Company, of Ancaster, Eng., will install an electric crane in the Dundas station for the Hydro-Electric Commission.

The Board of Hospital Governors this morning decided to get tenders on a new box to replace the old one at present in use, and which it is agreed is anything but what it ought to be for such an institution.

BROUGHT 600

On the Stanley Mills' Excursion From Burlington.

The Stanley Mills & Company's Burlington excursion brought in a crowd of about 600 people this morning to attend their 17th semi-annual Managers' sale. On account of the short distance between Burlington and Hamilton, making it possible for the people to come in any day, there was not such a large number of excursionists as from points farther away. On Monday an excursion will be run from Beamsville and the managers are confident that there will be a record-breaking crowd and have prepared to meet all requirements. From Monday until Friday of next week the company will run an excursion each day, and will include Dundas, Oakville, Grimsby and Ancaster.

LA LORRAINE.

French Steamer Disabled But in No Danger.

Have, Oct. 1.—A wireless despatch received here says that the breakdown in the machinery of the French line steamer La Lorraine affects her propeller, but the nature of the accident was not otherwise specified. The safety of the vessel is in no way jeopardized. The captain reports that his steamer is proceeding at reduced speed, and should reach Havre at 2 o'clock to-morrow morning. La Lorraine left New York on Sept. 23 and was scheduled to arrive here to-day.

PUT IN JAIL.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) St. Catharines, Oct. 1.—Charles Howard, the Smithville man who was committed for trial on an indictable offence, committed against his niece, was brought to the County Jail here to-day.

SUBSTANTIAL BUT NOT BOOM ORDER.

Population of City 67,268—An Increase of \$1,330,000 In Assessment.

FACTS IN BRIEF.

Hamilton's population ... 67,268 Increase ... 301 Total assessment ... \$41,166,778 Increase ... 1,330,493 Increased revenue to the city, about ... \$28,000

Hamilton's total assessment and population as shown by the department's official returns to-day may prove disappointing at first glance, but a careful analysis of the figures will convince one of the city's substantial growth.

With the Greater Hamilton Association clamoring for a population of 100,000 by 1912, the increase of 301 this year, the smallest in fifteen years, is apt to prove somewhat of a shock. The assessment department, however, is quite satisfied with it. "I did not expect a larger increase," said Assessment Commissioner Macleod. "In fact, I think we did well to hold our own, and that is the opinion of many prominent business men."

The small increase is accounted for chiefly by the outpouring of foreigners from the city during the period of depression last year. Boarding houses where as many as forty or sixty foreigners were accommodated in one place were found vacant when the assessors called this year. A large number of people have moved out to the suburbs, too. The annexation of the district east of Sherman avenue will boost the population to 68,566. The population of the proposed new annex as shown by the sworn returns is 1,298.

The assessors do not think there is room for fault finding with the assessment increase, in view of the fact that there was a general advance of ten per cent. last year. Although the increase last year amounted to \$2,828,368, the Court of Revision used the pruning knife ruthlessly. The assessors are quite confident that the court will do little cutting this year, as properties on which they made reductions there were not advanced this year. This largely accounts for decreases of \$29,450 in Ward 8; \$7,570 in Ward 4 and \$4,280 in Ward 7 in land values, and a decrease of \$26,790 in building values in Ward 2. Decreases of \$11,100 in Ward 2 and \$6,000 in Ward 7 in income assessment are accounted for by the fact that in the last mentioned ward many of the rolling mill men have been out of work, while in Ward 4 people have moved to other wards.

COMPARISONS.

The annual increase in total assessment for the last five years has been as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Year, Assessment. 1908... \$1,754,395; 1907... 2,136,708; 1906... 2,642,604; 1905... 2,828,368; 1904... 1,330,493

In total increased assessment Ward 7 leads, with an increase of \$287,769. Ward 8 is next with an increase of \$249,440, and Ward 1 third, with an increase of \$157,354.

Last year Ward 3 led, with an increase of \$665,100. Ward 7 last year showed an increase of \$649,973, and Ward 2 \$493,520.

A glance over the assessment in-

REPORT IS ALL READY.

City Improvement Society Had Meeting Last Night.

A largely attended meeting of the executive of the City Improvement Society was held in the Board of Trade rooms last evening to receive reports from the judges of the various districts where the prize competition has been carried on this summer.

Decisions have been arrived at, and a presentation of prizes will take place at an early date, of which due notice will be given. On account of the earnest work done by competitors, and the prize list being a limited one, it is likely that honor cards will be given in addition to the cash prizes. In many cases the competition was so keen that the judges found it very hard work to reach decisions, and every one of them expressed the great pleasure it gave them being brought into contact with those up-to-date city improvers. Everywhere they received most courteously, and there is a strong desire that these competitions shall continue from year to year. The City Improvement Society takes an interest in matters other than the cultivating of flowers. One of the great eye-sores in the city to-day is the lanes. In very few places are they kept in a tidy or even sanitary condition. United action on the part of the householders and a very small expenditure can make them more attractive than city streets.

The following resolution was moved and carried unanimously: "That the society note with a great deal of satisfaction the purchase of property at a time to come, and think it decidedly a step in the right direction. They would also respectfully ask the Park Board to keep in view the acquiring of some property in the northeast end of the city, especially where some water front might be available."

CAUGHT BURGLAR.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Guelph, Ont., Oct. 1st.—Caught in the act of burglary and with an open knife in his hand which he seemed willing and determined to use, William Hendricks, an American, who gives his address as Detroit, was arrested this morning about half past one by Constable Greenway at the residence of J. W. Lyon, while he was just coming out of the window, having been alarmed when the constable rang the bell. When the constable sprang to the verandah, knife in hand, he told the constable to stand back but the latter, grappled with him catching the knife and the weapon made a slight cut on his hand.

Bain & Adam's List.

Grape fruit, new table raisins, new table figs, Parde dates, the cooking raisins, pineapples, California grapes, young ducks, chickens, squabs, mushrooms, Neufchatel cheese, Oka, Swiss, English Stilton, Roquefort, Camembert, prime old cheese, oysters, B. & A. coffee, bacon, hams, sausage, some good kind that we have always kept.—Bain & Adams.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES.

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

NO WATCH.

Sailor on Van Straubenzie Thus Accounts For Accident.

Thomas Garner, of Toronto, one of the crew of the Van Straubenzie, which was sunk in Lake Erie on Monday, when Capt. Corson of this city, a sailor and the cook were drowned, reached home yesterday. He declares that the schooner had her lights lit. In an interview he said: "I'll tell you what I think about it. They had no watch out on the big steamer. It was a very bright night, and you could see a boat for half a mile away. We had sails up, too, and were a very conspicuous object on the water. If there had been a watch at all they must have seen us a long way off, even if we had not had lights. Our boat was going up lake, and theirs was coming down. We were coming straight at them when our captain saw the City of Erie. He shouted, 'Hard up!' and we turned away. If we had gone twenty-five more feet we'd have been safe. She struck us just before the mizenmast. We did our best once we saw them, but we were a much slower moving vessel than the Erie, and they were on us before we could get away. They never even let up speed or turned from their course an inch, clearly showing that no one was on watch."

"That was the worst wreck I was ever in, although once I was on a boat that ran aground near Niagara and afterwards broke up in a storm."

MOVE 212.

G. T. R. Change of Terminals In Effect To-day.

The Grand Trunk Railway issued an order yesterday to the passenger engineers and firemen concerned in the recent removal of shops from Little York and Mimico that their headquarters would be changed to-day. There are 212 engine-men involved. It is fixed that five go to Niagara Falls, eight to Sarnia, five to London, eight to Hamilton, four to Stratford, and eighty to Belleville.

The freight men will not be required to move at present. Mr. E. H. Fitzhugh, third vice-president, and Mr. W. D. Robb, superintendent of motive power, wired the Toronto civic officials that they would be in the city for a conference yesterday, but none was held, as no one appeared to represent the city.

ONE CASE.

Dr. Alway Keeping Very Close Watch Upon Crown Point.

A new case of scarlet fever has been found at Crown Point. Last night Dr. Alway, Medical Health Officer, announced that Mrs. Harmon Goodale had contracted the disease, and the home is now under quarantine. The doctor is keeping a very watchful eye on the people of the district, as he says that new cases are likely to crop up at any time until the disease is entirely wiped out. For this reason he expects to be kept busy for some time yet in going over the affected district regularly, in order that he may detect new cases as soon as they appear. He reports that all other cases are progressing very favorably.

The Art

Of catsup making made easy by the use of Parke's catsup flavor. It flavors and preserves a bushel of tomatoes, leaving the natural red color of the tomato in the finished catsup. Catsup made with Parke's catsup flavor never ferments nor sours. 25c per bottle.—Parke & Parke, druggists.

The Man in Overalls

Street railway extensions would push out Hamilton's boundaries. We are getting too cramped. Do you notice the boom in the customs' receipts. Something doing you can bet.

I thought Mr. Jelfs would have a satisfactory explanation. He plays no favorites.

The next move will be to electrify the steam engines.

Here's hoping C. B. Linton will renew his health and his youth while he is laying off. Good man.

These Stanley Mills' excursions are growing as popular as Cook's excursions.

"Pump-fed" is a term that has earned a place in the dictionary. It has come to stay.

When are my Liberal friends to get into the fighting line? We can't afford to lose another fight. In fact, I won't stand for it.

There's the Day Nursery, now. And I am always forgetting about it. Wouldn't it like a tag day, or a lottery or a rummage sale or something of that kind?

Can't we have a few controller candidates who base their claims to the job their fitness for the coveted position? Imagine electing a bank manager because of his views on temperance or the liquor question.

There was something leary about that evidence in the Stratton case yesterday.

It is a safe bet that Murderer Blythe will not hang. His doom has hung fire too long.

Premier Whitney is 66 to-day. He looks like sixty.

So the Tories hired spies to spy upon Mr. Stratton. Nothing too low for them to try.

Buy your Christmas presents and have them laid aside for you.

Most of the jay towns in this Province are running to cigarettes and moving picture shows.

A man who wanted to go to London, England, but only got as far as London, Ontario, told me the other day that the street railway facilities that Hamilton has, and he wanted to know who was to blame for that state of affairs. The company thinks the aldermen are to blame and they think the company is at fault. You can have your choice.

I understand that the Fearman avenue residents would prefer a session that electric light placed at the south end of the avenue. Is it too late to have it moved?

Some of the mountain people think that the city water being supplied to them is of an inferior grade. They say it tastes too much of the Coal Oil line to be palatable. They'll get used to it.

Those persons who moaned and whined and sobbed in the early summer that the drought would destroy the crops and that there would be no fruit this year should go into executive sessions and themselves and ponder over their want of faith in seed time and harvest.

The young fellows who know what is good for them will please chase themselves off the streets into evening school. There are a lot of things to be learned that they don't know.

I don't meet many people who are in favor of the Beach Park proposition. They say, as the Government controls the sand strip, let it develop it.

TO WINNIPEG.

Geo. Mitchell, T. H. & B., Presented With Gold Watch.

An event which showed the high esteem in which Mr. George Mitchell, of the T. H. & B. Railway, is held by the staff in the Hunter Street Station, with whom he has been associated for the past twelve years, was very clearly evidenced yesterday afternoon, when they met in Mr. F. F. Backus' office and presented him with a gold watch and chain. Mr. Mitchell, with his family, will leave on Tuesday evening for Winnipeg and his departure will be regretted by many friends. Mr. Backus, general freight and passenger agent, paid tribute to Mr. Mitchell for his faithfulness to duty, honesty of purpose and ability shown in his long record. Mr. Mitchell suitably replied, thanking those present for their kind remembrance and genuine good will. Mr. Mitchell began railway life in the Grand Trunk freight office, in this city, years ago. It is altogether likely he will go into the Grand Trunk Pacific at Winnipeg. He leaves Hamilton with the best wishes for success of many citizens.

TWO GOOD SALES.

Mr. Richard MacKay, the well-known real estate man, has just closed two good house deals. The fine substantial old home of the late Mr. John Patterson, Hesse and King streets, he has sold to Mr. W. C. Brockbridge at a good figure. The other is the sale to Mr. R. R. McGregor of the house on Queen street south, No. 93, owned by Mr. Thompson.

LATE MR. BISBY'S GIFT.

Mr. W. D. Long and Mrs. Bisby, of this city, are to-day in West Winfield, N. Y., turning over to the town authorities the hall, which was erected by the late Mr. G. H. Bisby, shortly before his death, with the intention of dedicating it to the town of his birth. The building is a handsome one and was constructed at a cost of about \$25,000. A big demonstration is on in West Winfield to-day.

TECHNICAL EDUCATION.

Art Work Included and John S. Gordon Appointed Principal.

Classes Will be Begun on Monday, October 11.

Hours and Fees Decided Upon by the Committee.

The Technical School committee last night decided to fit up the top floor of the new institution as an arts department at a cost of about \$5,000. John S. Gordon was engaged as principal at a salary of \$1,200 a year. The school will be opened October 11. The committee's decision means the adoption of Chairman Howell's suggestion that all the work done at the old Hamilton Art School be continued with the exception of the life classes.

At the entire equipment of the Art School has been transferred to the Technical School. It is anticipated that there will be almost no break in the continuity of the work of the former students of Art School.

Classes will be formed in the following subjects:

Painting in oil and water colors from nature and still life; designing for artistic and industrial purposes, viz. in textiles, wall papers, stained glass, floor cloths and carpets, printed fabrics, metal; china painting, stenciling, arts and crafts, clay modelling, illustration and etching, lettering for engraving, sign painting and sign writing.

The following fees were fixed: Full Normal Art courses, enabling the student to attend all day and evening classes, \$3 per month; for morning or afternoon or evening classes, five days a week, \$2.00 per month; for three mornings, afternoons or evenings a week, \$1.50 per month; for the Saturday morning class, 50 cents per month. All fees payable in advance.

There is no restriction regarding age or previous experience in art work, but continued attendance at the school is conditioned on diligent application, regular attendance, and a measure of progress satisfactory to the instructors in charge. All intending pupils are urged to send in their names or preferably, possible, to apply to the school, to the principal of the Technical School.

The Saturday morning class has been in session since Sept. 11th. While this class is primarily intended for the public school pupils, it is open to all, from 9.30 to 12 o'clock. The other classes will begin work on October 11, 2 to 4 hours will be from 9 to 12 and 2 to 4, daily, and 7.30 to 9.30 three evenings per week. The design classes will find every facility for the execution of their designs in the technical department under the supervision of competent instructors in woodworking and metal work.

W. M. S.

Appropriations Made at This Morning's Session.

At the afternoon session of the Ladies' Missionary Society Board the discussion of the work of the mission fields was continued.

An interesting part of the session was the short addresses by the candidates for the mission field who will shortly enter the preparatory training school. They told of how they had been brought to see the vastness of the foreign field for missions and of the opportunities of advancing the Christian cause by showing the heathen the way of salvation. The candidates were: Misses A. Swan, Florence Robinson, Anna McLeod, Ethel McPherson, Jennie Robinson, and Fannie Grey.

Short addresses were also given by Miss Cartmell, formerly of Japan, Misses Craig and DeWolf, Japan; Miss Brooks, China; Miss Poll and Miss Clark from the Crosey Girls' Home, Port Simpson, B. C.

At the close of the afternoon session the sacrament was administered by Dr. J. V. Smith.

The evening session lasted but a short time, some few business matters of a general nature being discussed.

The report of the Literature department showed the receipts from leaflets and books dealing with missionary topics to amount to \$5,587. Nearly fifteen thousand parcels of literature were distributed within the year.

At the morning session the following appropriations were made: Japan, \$30,700; China, \$17,500; Chinese and Japanese work in British Columbia, \$4,970; new building, \$7,850; French work, \$8,440; Indian work, \$12,000; Galatian work, \$3,715; All People's Mission, Winnipeg, \$1,200; Italian work, \$1,000; services of decessants at Toronto and Montreal, \$400.

JAIL REPORT.

Governor Ogilvie Handled 870 Prisoners During the Year.

The yearly report of the jail was handed to Sheriff Middleton by Governor Ogilvie to-day. It showed the number of prisoners committed to have been 870, of which 791 were males. Four of the prisoners were under 16 years of age. Twelve were committed as of unsound mind. Of the number sentenced 559 were for periods of from 30 days to 4 months. The number of prisoners committed whose maintenance was defrayed by the municipalities was 722. Of the total number 900 were Canadians. The largest number confined in the jail at one time was 65. The number of vagrants committed was 100. First offenders numbered 434.

The expenditure for the year was as follows:

Food, clothing and other maintenance, \$2,642.47; officers' salaries, \$3,900.38; repairs, \$162.96, making a total of \$6,705.81.

The report compares very favorably with those of previous years.

RETAINS HIS SEAT.

Further Inquiry into King's Case—Petition Dropped.

Charlottetown, Oct. 1.—Judges this afternoon confirmed A. L. Fraser, Conservative member for Kings, in his seat. He said, however, he would report to the Speaker that there should be further inquiry. Many corrupt practices were shown, but agency was not established, the judges said, but had the petitioners carried the case further there might have been. The counter petition against J. J. Hughes, Fraser's opponent, was withdrawn, also the case of violation of the Independence of Parliament Act against Hughes. It is understood that the petition against Prowse, Liberal, of Queen's, will be dropped.

DEFEAT OF SPANIARDS.

Alfonso's Forces Were Ambushed by a Force of Moors.

General Diaz Vicario and Fourteen Men Killed.

Trying to Hide the Bad News From the Spanish People.

Melilla, Morocco, Oct. 1.—A Spanish force from Zouan reconnoitering yesterday in the direction of Sokeljemis encountered the Moors and met with a serious reverse. Gen. Diaz Vicario, three other officers and fourteen men were killed, and 182 men were wounded. KEEPING IT DARK. Madrid, Oct. 1.—The latest Spanish defeat in Morocco, in which General Diaz Vicario lost his life, is not yet known to the people of Madrid, and the authorities are carefully suppressing the details of the activities of yesterday and Wednesday, which indicated that the Moors were resuming the offensive. It is now known, however, that the Spaniards retired from the summit of Mt. Guruga because of the sudden appearance of 4,000 Moors, whose attack was expected momentarily. The enthusiasm that followed the announcement of the occupation of Mount Guruga is dampened to-day by the reports already made public and the people will be further dismayed when they hear of the reverse of yesterday.

The reverse to the Spanish arms in Morocco of yesterday shows that the Moors are now in a position to occupy Mt. Guruga as the end of the war was not completely justified. The authorities at Madrid were desirous of giving this color to the occupation of the Moorish stronghold effected Sept. 29th, for the purpose of calming public feeling and quieting local criticism of the campaign, but it would appear to-day that their course was premature. The Spaniards occupied Mount Guruga without resistance, but the day following their successful advance the Moors appeared in large numbers, and the Spaniards began retreating, it being announced that their positions were under strategic importance. The encounter in which Gen. Vicario lost his life followed this gathering of the Moors, who showed their warlike activity in other minor engagements with the Spaniards.

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FOUR MONTHS FOR SUGAR

If Conviction Is Recorded Against Him This Time.

A Fine Point to be Decided by Attorney-General.

A New York "Lady" In Police Court To-day.

It seems that as the days shorten so the Police Court sittings do likewise, for lately they have been getting shorter and shorter. The magnetic attractiveness of the gee gees at the races is not on the wane, as evidenced by the sparsely occupied back benches.

Joseph Sugar, 7 Rosedale avenue, a native of Buda Pest, was arraigned this morning for a breach of the Liquor Act, in selling liquor without a license. Sugar engaged an eminent counsel to defend him, Mr. George Kerr, and pleaded not guilty.

"To which charge?" the Magistrate asked.

"I did not know there were two charges," he replied. The Magistrate reminded him that on the 30th of April, 1907, he said Sugar did unlawfully sell intoxicating liquor, and was found guilty and fined \$50. If found guilty on the present charge the only alternative was four months in jail.

Mr. and Mrs. Winterwich, witnesses for the Crown, said liquor was purchased there and the male witness said he paid 50 cents for a bottle of lager which he bought from Sugar. Sugar conducted the selling on the night of the raid, last Saturday, said Mrs. Winterwich, who is of Anglo Saxon birth.

"You don't seem to like Mr. Sugar," said the Crown Attorney.

"Indeed I don't, after the things she said about my man," retorted the lady. Sergeant Pinch told of finding two dozen pint bottles of lager and five bottles of gin in the house.

Sugar said it was the property of the boarders, but some of it was found under his wife's bed, which seemed to explode the story of the boarders owning the house, and caused the

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HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—SECOND COOK. WAGES \$3.00 per month. Apply The Hamilton Club, Cor. Main and Front streets. WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED PASTRY COOK. Apply City Hospital. WANTED—GIRLS AT REID'S PAPER Box Factory, King and Walnut streets. WANTED—AT ONCE, A NEAT-LOOKING young saleslady to work for home firm in Hamilton and travel; \$3.00 per day to good talkers. Call between 9 and 11 o'clock. Room 1, 211 James street south. WANTED—EXPERIENCED DINING room girl. Apply City Hospital. WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT, SMALL family. Apply Mrs. W. F. McElviren, 12 Augusta street. ASSISTANT STENOGRAPHER WANTED. Apply to Superintendent, Hospital for Insane. GENERAL SERVANT WANTED. APPLY to Superintendent's residence, Hospital for Insane. WANTED—GIRLS AT REID'S PAPER Box Factory, King and Walnut streets. MATERNITY NURSE OPEN TO ENGAGEMENTS. HUGHSON. KNITTERS—EXPERIENCED GIRLS. Wanted. Perry Knitting Co., 89 Park north. DRESSMAKER WANTED. APPLY 79 ERIE avenue. WANTED—A GENERAL SERVANT. Apply, Aussem's, 84 James north. WANTED—TEN GIRLS ACCUSTOMED to ironing. Apply, A. Parker & Sons, 184 King street east. WANTED—A COOK, ALSO A HOUSEmaid; references required. Apply Mrs. Gordon J. Henderson, Idlewild, End of Duke street. WANTED—GOOD EXPERIENCED housemaid; references required; good wages. Apply, 312 Bay south.

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

A service, who has recently undergone an operation, desires light occupation until he recovers his full strength. References to Clifton Wade and to St. George's Society. WANTED TO BUY SECOND HAND POOL table; must be in good condition and cheap. Address Box 14, Times. WANTED—SMALL SAFE, IN GOOD CONDITION. Y. W. C. A., Main street west. WANTED TO RENT, FIFTY ACRE FARM. Apply Box 13, Times. WANTED—SUBSCRIBERS TO THE SEMI-Weekly Times at \$1.00 per annum in Canada or Great Britain. Remember your friends and keep them posted on Hamilton happenings. WANTED—SUBSCRIBERS TO KNOW that the Semi-Weekly Times in Canada or Great Britain for \$1.00 per annum.

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"I am not aware of the precise origin or significance of the custom," banteringly replied Denby, "all I know is that it is meant for good luck."

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REAL ROMANCE IN THE OFFICE

(Chicago Daily News.) "Oh, anything will do," said the girl with the drum-major hat, as she tore off her gloves and greeted her friend across the table. "Club sandwich and coffee—that's an order which comes without thinking, and it's not luncheon that matters now. I want to talk. I must."

"Talk by all means," said her friend. "I was too late," said the girl with the drum-major hat. "The silver purse was monogrammed and sent an hour ago. And it cost us \$30. So the whole thing has turned out—"

"What in the world is the matter?" broke in her friend.

"Oh, it's a long tale. I hardly know where to start. Only Clara is really the cause of all this. Clara was the telephone girl at our office, you know. She left us suddenly last June. All the girls in the office loved the child, and we missed her very much. And the next day—"

"You know, we are a sort of big family at the office. We talk over every conversation we have and give each other advice and all that. Well, Clara would talk to me about her own affairs, and she didn't seem to have a bit of company."

"One time we got up a party for her. We did it because of her new tail-made. It was a beauty and she had no place to wear it. Sadie was going to have Tom take her. Tom is always so good to new girls. But Clara refused. She turned out, and she stayed the two months after she got it only because she insisted on paying for it herself. Not but that had money—she made a splendid match—but her pride was like her silence—absolute. So she sent him off to his mines till the suit was paid for; then she resigned and went to join him. Mother said it was an admirable thing."

"Then Mercedes came. She was Clara's opposite in type. Because of that we liked her from the start—a sort of rebound, you know. She was dark and delicate and dainty, and her clothes, while few in number, were perfect in cut and quality."

"Mercedes heard all about Clara at once. She thought the way Clara had deceived us was perfectly dreadful. She was just like the rest of us and wanted to share her love about that. Indeed, she was awfully sweet about that. She had only one love affair, and was so hopeless about it all. She had refused the young man time and again because she wouldn't leave her mother and she would not burden him with that extra care. Her devotion to her mother was a beautiful thing, and she was so young to be so burdened. She cared for him, but we heard her refuse him time and again by telephone, and he seemed so patient about it."

"He had a wealthy uncle who was trying him out. If he made a success by his own efforts all his uncle's money would be his, with a Virginia estate. So she just wouldn't hamper him. Sometimes she would cry about him and not say a word for days, and we felt so sorry for both of them. It was a real romance."

"But at last she came to work with her diamond ring. How we crowded 'round at noon and listened!"

"He had written his uncle in desperation and had won the old man over, so he was going to make them happy. She would never have to leave her mother, for Percy loved Mercedes' mother dearly and the old family servants on the Virginia estate would care for her so devotedly."

"She brought us his picture. My, he was handsome! Then the flowers came. "So we began our subscription list for the wedding present. We went to the members of the firm, and they were lovely about it. We raised \$150. When she heard of it she wouldn't have it—she said her sacrifice for her mother was too great!"

"But I protested and protested, and finally she said it was perfectly angelic for she could get so little for herself because of her mother's illness. So at last I made her say what sort of present she wanted. She chose black lynx furs—or a silver chain purse."

"We took her with us to get them. We told her about our spread in her honor to-morrow, and how the office manager had consented to turn the clock back half an hour. She was very much affected and asked permission to bring her mother."

"The girl with the drum-major hat paused to drink her neglected coffee. Her friend asked her eagerly:

"What happened? It's a lovely story."

"Lovely story!" sniffed the girl with the drum-major hat. "She left this morning in a theatrical troupe with which she had signed. She was just bridging time at the switchboard until the show season began. There was no man, no mother, no romance—"

"And the furs?"

"She wore them to meet her mother and her dear Percy last night and show them how sweet we girls were to her."

"And the purse?"

"She had telephoned for it, and they had sent it to her address."

"And the spread?"

"Don't dare say another word! But come to the caterer's and help counter-mine. For I want this thing off my mind. I am going to write to Clara to-night—I am long letter."

Consumption seems to be most prevalent among persons between 25 and 30 years of age.

Fifteen hundred nurses have volunteered for service during the approaching Hudson-Fulton celebration.

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Popular Weather Signs.

Men of science tell us in some cases what are characterized old women's stories are practically correct; for instance, counting numbers from the lightning flash to the sound of thunder locates in miles the seat of the distant storm; the approach of rain is signalled, so say the observant country folk, in many ways. The swifts and the swallows skim close to the ground; the cat washes his face, and the chaffinch has a sad and plaintive note; the farmyard goose runs about and shows general restlessness; the peacock utters frequent cries; the woodpecker moans or sighs; the parrot chatters; the guinea fowl perches; flowers have a stronger odor and many among them close up.

There are also other signs none the less sure for prognosticating fine weather. The birds twitter; the redthroat sings on the top of the highest trees; the swallow flies into the clouds; the lark rises from the ground and mounts into the air singing; the cricket makes his cry heard; the tree frog climbs the trees, and the flowers open. Finally there are a few varied observations which will complete these signs. An everlasting flower hung on a wall opens in fine weather and closes when it will be rain. When the spider leaves off working at its web it is a sign of rain. If it continues or recommences its weaving during the night it is a sign that the good weather will return. When rain begins to fall, if the hens do not hide themselves, but continue to look for their food, it means that the rain will not cease all day. If they take refuge at the first drop of rain it is a sign that it will not last. When only one magpie leaves its nest it is a sign of rain. If the father and mother quit it together it is a sign of good weather.—London Globe.

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Colonel Roosevelt's own account of his hunting trip in British East Africa will begin in the October number of Scribner's Magazine. It is entitled African Game Trails, and will run for a year, it is announced. It is prefaced by a photograph of the author in his hunting costume by Edmund Keller, which has been reproduced in tints and is followed by photographs taken by Kermit Roosevelt and other members of the expedition.

The writer has set down his impressions of the new region while they were still fresh. He speaks of the pioneers of the British colony and contrasts them with those he knew in his early days on the western prairies. He tells of his hunt and the wild animal life as he catches glimpse of it on his journey.

His ride up country on the cowcatcher of Gov. Jackson's special train is described in detail, and he speaks of the wonderful sights that were presented to his eyes. He thus describes it:

Next morning we were in the game country, and as we sat on the seat over the cowcatcher it was literally like passing through a vast zoological garden. Indeed, no such railway journey can be taken on any other line in any other land.

At one time we passed a herd of a dozen or so of great giraffes, cows and calves, entering along through the open woods a couple of hundred yards to the right of the train. Again, still closer, four water-buck cows, their big ears thrown forward, started at us without moving until we had passed.

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"By Jove, May! I've stolen the bridegroom's overcoat!"

EXPERT TESTIMONY.

The Socialist orator was working up to his peroration when he said:

"I was once a horny-handed son of toil like you," he shouted. "I worked with my hands, and I am not ashamed of it." Great enthusiasm. The audience was much impressed. Several cheers were raised on the outskirts of the crowd.

"Yes, fellow-laborers, although I am

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FRIDAY, OCT. 1, 1909.

THE ASSESSMENT.

The completion of the assessment of the city of Hamilton shows that we have been making steady growth and progress. The total assessed value for municipal purposes this year is \$41,166,778. This is an increase of \$1,330,403, slightly more than 3 1/3 per cent. It is not a very startling increase, but it is a real one. There has been no general inflation of values; here and there, there has been equalization of individual properties, but for the most part the increase consists of newly created values. A cause for congratulation is the decrease in the amount of realty exempt from taxation. The exemptions now total \$6,054,910. It is to be remarked also that these exemptions include the Government buildings, post-office, customs house, etc., all the public schools and municipal property, and the churches of the city. It will be plain, therefore, that the exemptions represent principally a matter of book-keeping. Deducting them, the rateable assessment for the year is \$35,111,868.

The population, according to the assessors, is 67,268. This is an increase of 301 over last year's figures. There was a falling off of 365 in Ward 2, and 284 in Ward 5. This is accounted for by the movement of the industrial population into other districts. Our increase in population is very small, and, to many, it will be a disappointment. It must be borne in mind, however, that populous suburbs without the city limits are being built up. The district in the southeast, now proposed to be annexed, contains, according to the statement presented by the petitioner, a population of 1,298. That would bring the figure up to 68,566.

It is satisfactory to know that our progress in the last year has been healthy, if not rapid. We are going ahead. Our building record of the year has been satisfactory. We have had no commercial or industrial disasters. Our manufacturing capacity has been considerably increased. We have recovered from the depression which so largely affected Canada in common with other nations. And the future looks bright for our industries. With a people loyal to Hamilton, and true to her industries and interests, the next year should be productive of greater results than the last.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Do it now. Equalize those water rates.

Massachusetts Democrats advocate in their platform a reciprocity treaty with Canada, and announce the recent tariff revision as humbug. Canada goes on sawing wood.

Perhaps Whitney might be induced to pass an act confiscating the local electric company's property and condemning all those in it to penal servitude for life. That might gratify the Hamilton Herald.

Readjust those water rates. When gross inequity is so freely admitted it would be immoral on the part of the aldermen to continue the wrong. No excuse of shortness of funds can justify taking more from one man than is right to let another off with paying less.

We observe that the Ottawa Citizen does not contend that opposition to extending the franchise of a private electric company there was due to any other cause than the fear on the part of the ownershipers that it would reduce prices below the city plant's figures.

A London cable brings the rumor that Sir Charles Rivers Wilson, President of the G. T. R., will probably soon resign his office. Such rumors should be taken with a liberal quantity of salt. Sir Charles' recent visit and inspection of the line do not go to lend credibility to the story.

The United States Coke Combine, which was to unite \$65,000,000 worth of independent coke plants in Western Pennsylvania, is dead, and it is thought that the combine of independent steel interests involving \$800,000,000 will also fall through. That will not be sad news to the people.

Britain has just launched her eleventh battleship of the Dreadnought type, the Neptune. She is of 20,250 tons displacement, carries a battery of 12-inch guns and is expected to develop a speed of 23 knots an hour. She will represent when completed an expenditure of about \$10,000,000. That's where British taxes go.

Michael Lawlor, of St. Louis, was stabbed in a fight on Aug. 27, and hospital surgeons performed an heroic operation in a not too hopeful operation to save his life. Several ribs were resected and an opening made through which a wound in his heart was closed with twelve stitches. The victim rallied well and has now almost completely recovered. He says the injury to the heart caused him but little pain.

Referring to the frequent disclosures of prevalent municipal maladministration which the constant enlargement of the municipal sphere makes harder and harder to detect and punish, the Contract Record suggests that it should be made illegal for a municipal council to award a contract otherwise than as the result of public tender. It is to be doubted if such a change in the law would be of much effect. Municipal life is too rotten to be purified by such a

remedy. The first thing to be done is to largely reduce the abused powers of the municipalities; that is a measure called for in protection of the ratepayers.

Word has been received from Tokio that W. T. R. Preston has been successful in his suit for \$2,000 damages for libel brought against the Japan Chronicle. The Chronicle incautiously republished from a Canadian Tory organ the statement that Preston was conspiring to bring Japanese laborers to Canada in contravention of our agreement with Japan. Mr. Preston also obtained damages in a previous suit against a Tokio paper that had been loaded up by Canadian Tories.

According to Collier's there is much complaint about the extortionate rates charged on the T. & N. O. Railway by the Provincial management. Manager Lloyd, of the Imperial Bank at Cochran, is quoted as having paid \$8 on an express parcel from Toronto. A farmer who brought up a cow is said to have been charged \$40 freight. These are given as samples, and they are certainly eloquent of a railway robbery that would not be endured from a road privately managed. How would the public like to have the general railway rates raised to that level?

What's the use of growling about high taxes, Mr. Ratepayer, while you vote for every alderman and every scheme adding to the municipality's expenditure? If the taxes are high, you probably voted that they be so. And it is not at all certain that you would not vote for the next big municipal scheme to involve you in further debt and obligation. The time to object is when you are asked to assume the obligations. If you vote for the expenditure or are too indifferent to come out and vote against it, as in the Hydro-Electric matter, you should not object to sweating to pay it.

It appears that the West Peterboro Tories had been prepared with a great mass of perjured testimony to swear Mr. Stratton out of his seat. Each day of the trial brings new illustrations of Tory unscrupulousness. Several of the petitioner's witnesses swore they got money from Robert H. Leary, at the Liberal Committee rooms, on the afternoon of election. Evidence was given to show that Leary was out in Mounaghan township at the time he was alleged to be doing this bribing in the Liberal Committee rooms. There would seem to be some able-bodied liars in West Peterboro.

Readjustment and reduction of water rates is of a hundred times more importance to the householders than the Hydro power, even were it to be a cheaper power, which it is not; and yet the Hydro organ protests against the Council readjusting the water rates so as to relieve the householders, on the plea that the Council needs money. The Councils of this and former years have wasted thousands of dollars of the ratepayers' money jockeying to load the people with an unnecessary and costly Hydro contract, but the abandoned organ never blamed them. If it can but serve its retainers it cares not for the wronged ratepayer and water-user.

Mr. Albert Plant, head of the jobbing and importing drug house of Lehn & Fink, New York, speaking of his recent four-months' trip abroad, ridicules the idea that the same business men of England wish a return to protection. He says he found abundant prosperity. His observations do not support the idea that England is decadent.

The people are rich and happy. Their manufacturing enterprises are showing a fair ratio of profit and the taxes levied for the support of the Government are by no means exorbitant. The English people are not seeing red, as some of their own important citizens seem to think. So far as I was able to judge, they are going about their business in the usual way and are piling up capital, which must needs seek investment abroad.

According to the judgment of the Ontario Railway Board which permits the H. & N. O. Railway to carry its line along the water front of the town of Haileybury, the town authorities, in opposing the road's application, mentioned among the "horrible examples of the evils that follow from permitting railways to reach waterfronts," the city of Hamilton. Where did they get their authority for holding Hamilton up as suffering injury of that sort? The Board was not impressed with the "horror." It very sagely remarked that "in all probability if these railways had not been permitted to reach the waterfronts when they did these cities and towns would have their waterfronts, but nothing else."

Mr. Walter Beardmore, of Toronto, has filed a claim in court attacking the validity of Whitney's act denying to the citizens access to the courts to sue the Hydro-Electric Commission. He alleges that such an act is ultra vires and contrary to the British North America Act. He also asked for an injunction to restrain the city of Toronto from levying taxes to carry out the alleged illegal contract with the Hydro-Electric Commission; which contract, it is claimed, does not conform to the by-law submitted to the ratepayers. If the case goes to trial, some interesting constitutional questions may be raised. It is not improbable, however, that Whitney, having committed the original outrage of closing the courts, will be equal to the work of stifling legal inquiry into the validity of his course.

It is somewhat amusing to note in the remarks of many United States papers that their greatest regret over the Cook-Pearcy controversy is that it should be between "two Americans." The Baltimore more American says: "The country is

Mfrs' Sale Still Rolls On



THE BIG STORE JAMES SOUTH

Values Grow Greater Daily, Stocks are Continually Being Replenished. Crowds are Getting Bigger All the Time

The Manufacturers' policy of a Semi-Annual clearance never before brought better or bigger results. This of all years has been the hardest on the manufacturer. Retailers and jobbers were skeptical as to the extent to which business would be restored. They bought sparingly, and left heavy surplus stocks in addition to accumulations of odd lots for the manufacturer to dispose of, and his only method was a cost sacrifice clearance. Anticipating this sacrifice we bided our time for purchasing and by taking the "Surplus Stocks" of several big makers, got unusually big price concessions. Saturday's list comprises merchandise of the choicest and most desirable sort at prices that scarcely represent the cost to manufacturers. Be early.

Great Millinery Display

We are ready for the big rush Saturday. Our workroom is busy turning out Hats for this great sale. Copies of the latest models. Extremely smart Hats, in good quality of French felt; has nice, rich finish, in stylish turban shape, trimmed with handsome hand made wings and has soft folds of taffeta silk encircling crown, with pretty bows and buckle at side \$3.25

Charming Hats, combined in remarkable degree style and good taste, finest French felt; has wide rolling brim and large dome crown, trimmed with soft, graceful folds of satin, large wired bows at side; has attractive mount and fancy ornaments \$5.00

Particularly chic and jaunty Hat of silk panne velvet, in large mushroom, with wide rolling brim at side, with wide velvet ribbon shirred around, stylish bowl crown, ending in large rosettes at side and two handsome Paris wings with fancy buckle \$8.00

Last of Mfrs' Big Purchase Hats 69c

Hundreds for Saturday's selling, of every style and design for fall wear; fine French felt, stylish and napped velvet beavers, in chic turbans, fops, sailors and mushroom; from the small, neat walking hat to the large, dressy mushroom; in navy, lizard, tan, brown, wistaria, myrtle and black; regularly \$1.50 to \$2.75; values, Saturday 69c

8.30 to 10.30

Sale of \$8 to \$15 Richly Tailored Coats \$5.95

You can't afford to miss this early morning bargain.

6 only Stylish Fall Coats, worth up to \$15, choice \$5.95. Only from 8.30 to 11.30; thoroughly man tailored; in Kersey, Cheviot and Beaver; semi and fitted designs; the latest style trimmings, popular 3/4 length; navy, brown, green, grey and black. First choice always best, so be early. Worth up to \$15. Choice \$5.95

Fine Tailored Coats \$10

Genuine Man Tailored Coats, the latest up-to-date semi and fitted styles, in rich Kerseys, Cheviots and Beavers; trimmed with silk Soutache braids and buttons; many have velvet collars; in brown, green, blue, tan and black; actual values \$15 to \$18, Saturday \$10

Grand Value in Girl's Hats \$4.75

Special lot of an importer's models of high-class Misses' Coats, beautifully made and trimmed with silk insertion, velvet and large covered of metal buttons; double or single breasted; in Cheviots, Beavers and Kerseys; in every popular shade; up to 14 years; worth regular \$6.50 to \$8, Saturday \$4.75

\$5, \$6 Lace and Silk Blouses \$3.75

Good chance to secure a fine dressy Waist. The lot comprises fine and coarse Nets, with pretty lace insertion, high fancy collar and long trimmed sleeves, also Chiffon Taffetas, in fancy or tailored effect; cream, ecru and black; \$5 and \$6 values, Saturday \$3.75

Tailored Separate Skirts \$2.95

225 choice Fall Skirts, well tailored, in the latest fall styles, in the favorite Panamas, Shadow Stripes and Taffetas, with strappings of self and ornamented with satin and bone buttons; in brown, navy, green, grey and black; regular worth \$4.50 to \$6, Saturday \$2.95

Elastic Belts for 25c

2 gross for early selling Saturday morning of handsome Shirred Elastic Belts, finished with handsome buckle; regular 50c Belts; on sale Saturday 25c

1 gross boxes, each containing 6 handsome Neck Frills, worth 10c and 12c each, a special bargain for Saturday 25c

10 new patterns in Cushion and Kimona Handkerchiefs to select from on Saturday at our special price, 2 for 25c

Handsome Spot Net for waists, in ecru, white and colors; 2 1/4 yards makes a waist; a bargain at 40c yd.

New Bowmaker 15c

On display at Jewelry counter. Ask to see it. 'Tis going to be a big seller; on sale, in any color, Saturday 15c

Crackerjack Sale of Shoes

No wonder with leather away up, and selling Shoes at these prices. Another of the big store wide awake moves. We were the first buyers, did not ask for terms. What can you do for cash in case lots? Thousands of dollars we have plunked down in hard cash. Wholesale Ban krupst Shoe Stock Saturday.

\$3 Boots for \$1.98

240 pairs of Women's Vici Kid Lace Boots, double soles, with extension edge, Blucher style, dull kid, plain tops; regular \$3; all sizes; sale price Saturday \$1.98

\$2 Boots for \$1.25

120 pairs Women's Dongola Lace Boots, good heavy extension soles, Blucher cut, broad fitting last; all sizes; worth \$2, on sale Saturday at only \$1.25

\$2.50 Boots for \$1.89

120 pairs Men's Box Calf Lace Boots, standard screw soles, solid leather all through, Blucher cut; sizes 6 to 10; regular \$2.50; sale price Saturday only \$1.89

\$2.50 Boots for \$1.50

150 pairs Women's Dongola Blucher Cut Boots, dull kid tops, medium heels; all sizes in the lot; made to sell at \$2.50; sale price Saturday \$1.50

\$1.50 Boots for \$1

100 pairs Girls' Dongola Blucher Cut Boots, heavy soles, spring heels; sizes 8 to 10 1/2; regular \$1.25 and \$1.50; sale price Saturday \$1.00

\$2.25 Boots for \$1.50

150 pairs Boys' Box and Velour Calf Skin Boots, heavy extension soles, Blucher style; made to stand the hardest kind of wear; sizes 1 to 5; regular \$2.25, sale price Saturday \$1.50

SATURDAY MORNING SPECIAL

60 pairs only, Boys' Lace Boots, odds and ends of our \$1 and \$1.25 lines. On sale 8.30 Saturday morning at \$1.00

Manufacturer's Stock of Loom Ends of Embroidery 3c and 5c yard

5,000 yards specially reserved for Saturday's selling, including Edgings, Insertions, Beadings, etc.; worth 10 to 15c yard; sale at 8.30 sharp 3c and 5c yard

Corset Cover Emb.

All the gaps made by the tremendous selling of the past two days filled for Saturday; 1,000 yards on sale 8.30 sharp as follows. All good designs:

15c yard, regular 23c values. 19c yard, regular 30c values.

Mfrs' Lace Strips 25c

Sample and mill end strips of beautiful Laces, Bandings and Insertions, in rich Plauen Net and Guipure makes; worth up to 65 and 75c yard, on sale at only 25c

Soutache Braid 25c

The best Silk Soutache in black and 40 different colorings, for binding; on sale Saturday 25c dozen yards

The G. W. Robinson Co., Limited 18 to 24 James St. South

Our Exchanges

WASH YOUR FACE. (Brantford Courier.) It pays a community to keep clean just as much as an individual.

ALL PAY. (Toronto Star.) Nobody who occupies a house or a room in a house can escape taxation.

WORTH THE MONEY. (London Free Press.) The Thaw case has cost the taxpayers of New York \$200,000. But then look at the entertainment they have had...

IS THAT SO? (Brantford Courier.) If it had been a Hamilton assessment they would have counted the figures on the Brant monument to help boost.

A LOSING GAME. (Buffalo Express.) A bookkeeper in a New Haven Bank who went the pace has been sentenced to five years in a federal prison. The game doesn't pay.

LOOK OUT. (Rochester Herald.) "Boy hunter kills companion." "Man shot while arising from stump." The hunting season seems to have opened auspiciously.

THE NEWS VIEWPOINT. (Louisville Courier-Journal.) "Why don't you print the news?" "We try to," explained the editor. "We have daily bulletins from both Cook and Peary and special correspondents in all the world's capitals. What news have we overlooked?" "A neighbor of ours had her husband

arrested yesterday, and your paper hasn't a word about the affair."

DESERVED WHAT THEY GOT.

(Montreal Star.) If the Conservative workers really entered into a conspiracy to keep a spy in the Liberal camp, they deserve all they seem to have got.

CUT OFF.

(Windsor Record.) A man in Texas named Isaac Brock died at the age of 121. He was a hard drinker and dissipation is blamed for his early death, although he fought longer than his namesake, Sir Isaac.

TO PREVENT HUNCHING.

(Chicago News.) There ought to be an international starter for the next race to the South Pole to see that all get away evenly and that no one steals a march after announcing in a casual way that he is going berry picking in Michigan.

EVER NOTICE IT?

(Kansas City Journal.) When a man of national prominence becomes ill enough to have a consultation of physicians, and bulletins are issued from his bedside, he is going to die. It never fails.

VINDICATED.

(Brookville Times.) The Hamilton police recently ran down a man who had appropriated an umbrella, and the culprit received a month in jail. At last the reproach has been removed from the Hamilton police!

SOMETHING NEW.

(Straits Beacon.) There does seem to be something new under the sun. In Hamilton a man was sent to jail for stealing an umbrella. If that is not absolutely new it must be a revival of the old, for it is a long, long time since such a thing was heard of before.

GETTING NEXT.

(Cleveland Leader.) "Is your husband thoroughly domesticated by this time?" "Oh, yes. He never has any loose change in his pocket and is careful not to leave any of his private letters lying around the house. We have little to quarrel about, now."

OUTLIVED IT.

(Kingston Whig.) It is proposed that Toronto shall honor Goldwin Smith, and keep his virtues before the people, by erecting a statue of him. There was a time, for his plain speaking, when some people in Toronto wanted to burn him in effigy.

AFTER THE FAKIRS.

(Brantford Expositor.) New York State officials have this year assumed to forbid pitching rings to get games and throwing balls to get cigars at country fairs, under penalty of forfeiture of State aid. Of course there is a row over the decision on the part of fair officials and the fakir fraternity, but the decision will be generally endorsed as being in the interests of the general public.

THE AUTUMN GRIND.

(Boston Herald.) Don't you hear the stiddy grindin' 'Tis the luscious cider mill! Don't you see the ol' horse windin' In the early mornin' still! Can't you taste the juicy drippin' As they gurgle from the spout? Can't you smell the golden pippin' As they spatter in the cheese? Git your straws an' git your bonnets, Come on, Nell, an' come on, John! How kin poets grind out sonnets When the cider mill is on?

He—"I would go to the end of the world for you."

She—"If I didn't know that the world was round, I would believe you."—Flegende Blactter.

A Misspelled Tail.

A little buoy said: "Mother dear, May eye go out to play? The son is bright, the hair is clear; 'Owe mother don't say neigh."

"Go forth my sun," the mother said; His ant said: "Take ever sail. Ever gneiss new sled awk played red. But dew not lose your weigh."

"Oh, know!" he cried, and set the street With hart sew full of glee. The weather changed and snow and sleet And reign fell fierce and free.

Threw snow drifts grate, threw watery pool. He flue with mite and mane. Said he: "Though eye wood walk byo rule Eye may not ride, 'tis kindly."

"I'de like to meet some kindly soul. For here knu dangers weigh. And yonder stairs a treacherous whole; Two shoe has bin my gate.

"A peace of bred, a gneiss hot stake; Eye'd chews if ye were home. This crewel fair my hart will brake; I love knot thus to Rome.

"I'm week and pail; I've mist my rode." But here a cart came passed. He and his sled were safely tood Back to his home at last. —Houston Post.

Suspicious of His Mother.

"Ma!" "Yes, precious." "I'm a good boy these days, ain't I?" "Yes, pet—you've been a very good boy since mother talked to you so seriously."

"And you trust me now, don't you, ma?" "Yes, darling—implicitly."

"Then what do you keep the jam cupboard locked for nowadays?"—Cleveland Leader.

NEW POST OFFICE IN EAST HAMILTON.

Chief Superintendent Ross Formally Opened This Important Branch Yesterday.

Fine Speeches by Postmaster Brown and the Superintendent—Great Growth of Work.

An event that was one of the most striking evidences of the growth of East Hamilton, took place yesterday afternoon when Mr. George Ross, I. S. O., chief post office superintendent of the Dominion, opened a branch post office on Barton street east, corner of Kinrade avenue.

Nothing ostentatious marked the event, yet it was an epoch in the history of the city.

At 3 o'clock Mr. Ross, Mr. Adam Brown and a number of officials and letter carriers from the head post office, assembled and a pleasant little ceremony was enacted. First Mr. Brown introduced Mr. Ross in a few well chosen words, touching upon the importance of the event in the growing industrial centre and saying it was the precedent for other branches that would be opened in the city as occasion demanded. He then called attention to the fact that two men were present who had carried the first letters east of Wentworth street. They were Frank Hild and Samuel Slupe, and it was exactly eighteen years ago to-day that they started. The first of October, 1891, was the inauguration of these two men carrying the mail in that part of the city, now it takes from 12 to 14 carriers to cover the district which they traversed, east of James street as far as the population extends. Mr. Ross in a short address said:

Mr. Postmaster and gentlemen: "I assure you it accords me a very great deal of pleasure to visit your fair and thriving city to-day as a humble representative of the Postmaster General for the purpose of officially opening Postal Station 'B', the first of its kind erected to meet the needs of the people of Hamilton.

Speaking as an old Hamilton boy and former resident of this progressive, prosperous and ambitious city, one whose boyhood was spent in the immediate vicinity of the spot on which we are now standing, I may perhaps be pardoned for 'turning back the pages' relative to this part of the city, for a moment, to my early days when this particular section of old No. 7 Ward was somewhat sparsely settled. I will remember the farm of the late Col. Robert Land and Col. John Land, staunch old United Empire Loyalists who did yeoman service during the war of 1812, was within a gun shot of this place, and I can recall with much pleasure the days spent on the farm of the latter during my summer holidays.

In those days the only large buildings in this particular neighborhood were Gunns' locomotive works and the pork packing and curing establishment of F. W. Fearman. Gunns' locomotive works turned out many of the engines comprising the motive power of the old Great Western Railway, and while engines of more modern make and improvements are now to be found everywhere, I doubt whether any of them are more substantial or are more capable of giving better service than those manufactured by that pioneer establishment. All of the machinists employed in the manufacture of those engines were brought out from Scotland and they were experts at their trade. If my memory serves me correctly the buildings occupied by Gunns were subsequently utilized by Isaac Atkinson, who was Mr. Fearman's competitor at that time in the business of pork curing and packing. The product of both of these concerns gained an enviable reputation and I might here say that Fearman's hams and bacon were and are at the present time justly celebrated throughout the Dominion.

Yonder on Wentworth street I observe the old Presbyterian Church which I attended, when a child, with my parents. Rev. Mr. Mason was pastor. That building was utilized for church purposes on Sundays and school purposes on week days. When Gunns' shops were closed down permanently the congregation, for the most part, removed to Knox Church, of which Rev. Dr. Irvine was the pastor.

The steady development and expansion of trade up this particular section of the city, and the location of many extensive manufacturing industries, as well as of the homes of a large portion of its citizens. Recognizing the growing importance of Hamilton, with its population estimated at approximately 75,000, and with its many factories numbering upwards of 350, on account of which it is claimed, not without reason, to be the industrial centre of the Dominion, the Manchester of Canada, the Postmaster-General decided that more adequate postal accommodation should be obtained to meet the needs of the residents of this particular section in which many of the large industries are established. Accordingly these somewhat unpretentious premises were secured and fitted up with facilities for the transmission of postal business of all kinds. Mails will be received and despatched to the West by regular several times per day. It is felt that Postal Station 'B', which is now complete and ready for your accommodation, will meet the requirements of this particular section for some time to come, and it may safely be assumed that should the postal business warrant it, a more substantial building will replace it before many years.

It may be permitted to say that the Postmaster-General, Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, is at all times desirous of providing adequate postal accommodation, not only in the larger cities throughout Canada—Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Hamilton—in fact, in all of the principal manufacturing and industrial centres, but also in the towns, villages and rural districts generally in all parts of the Dominion. On his behalf I have a great deal of pleasure and satisfaction in declaring Postal Station 'B' officially opened.

Mr. Brown in his able way, thanked Mr. Ross for his kind words, and said he was very proud of Hamilton post office, and he had reason to be, for some men in the most prominent positions in the country were its graduates. He mentioned Mr. W. Smith, present secretary of the Postoffice Department at Ottawa; Captain W. B. Eccleston, who was appointed by the Government to take charge of the postoffice business for Canada during the South African war, and who was made captain by

Lord Roberts in recognition of his splendid services, and last but not least, Mr. Ross, who was honored by the King recently, and had the Imperial Service Order conferred on him.

Three rousing cheers were given for Mr. Ross, and Harry Elgiano sang "God Save the King," and the East Hamilton branch postoffice was opened to the public.

Mr. Ross was the first to do business there. He at once bought a money order. Very soon the outside public began to drop in for stamps, etc., and then came along the first mail in a brand new mail van, and the first bundle of newspapers to be sorted and delivered.

As a fitting climax to the event all the officials and letter carriers present had their picture taken in front of the building by Cunningham.

The office is a fine spacious building, well fitted up, and what a boon it will be to people in that district will soon be realized. The same business that is done at the old office can be done there in every particular, such as money order, banking, etc.

The hours are from 8 a. m. to 7 p. m. Mr. Brown also commented on the efforts of the Postmaster-General, Hon. Rudolph Lemieux, to bring the postoffice system up to a high state of efficiency and give satisfaction to the public.

Following are the staff at the new office: W. R. Eccleston, clerk in charge; R. W. Moore, R. Hammond, L. Watcher, R. Lee and R. Blamey.

ABUSE OF POWER.

Montreal Council Earns Public Condemnation.

(Montreal Witness.)

One of the most miserable and monumental failures of the present City Council has been its attempts to settle the street lighting question. As a result, it is on the highway to leave a legacy of lawsuits to the new authority next year. In December last a sum of \$111,000 was voted to pay the cost of lighting the electric lamps for the ensuing twelve months, and orders were given to the Montreal Light, Heat & Power Company to continue its service without contract, as far as the above appropriation would meet the expenses. The company has charged working costs for lighting operations, and claims the \$111,000 for some seven months' service. The city disputes the claim, but never makes any serious effort to adjust the difficulty. When the recurring reminder is given that the lamps may not be lighted after a given date, a monthly instalment of \$15,000 is reluctantly voted, "on a basis of \$60 per lamp per annum," the company being left to prove title to more in the law courts. What prospects do the aldermen consider the city has to win in such actions when they offer to pay on a general order, which would give in any month, only that sum it gave under a ten years' contract? The whole business reflects a stupidity on the administration which can be matched only by the recent action of one department laying down a sewer and leaving it without an assurance that the water supply which alone could make the sewer effective would be laid on. In this case the proprietors have at last secured a protest against the negligence. It is time a general protest was made against the aldermen's disregard of the public interests and safety in relation to street lighting.

MARCONI STATIONS.

All on British Coast Taken Over by Government.

London, Sept. 30.—The Government, after prolonged negotiations, has completed arrangements to take over all the coast stations of the Marconi Wireless System, excepting the long-distance stations at Poldhu and Clifton, which the company retains for its projected trans-Atlantic service. The Government pays \$75,000 for these stations and gets also the right to use all existing patents and all improvements made during the next fourteen years. Under the control of the British Post Office Department the Marconi stations will be operated for communication equally with all ships, irrespective of their wireless system. Up to the present time the Marconi company have endeavored to persuade all ships to install its system. The Post Office is taking over also all the Lloyd's wireless stations.

ACT ULTRA VIRES.

Claim Filed to Set Aside City's Contract With Power Commission.

Toronto, Oct. 1.—That the act of the Legislative Assembly of Ontario authorizing the city of Toronto to enter into agreement with the Power Commission is ultra vires and void because contrary to the British North America Act is claimed by Mr. Walter Beardmore, who filed a statement of claim with the Non-Jury Assize Court yesterday morning to set aside the contract made by the city under by-law No. 4,834 with the Hydro-Electric Commission for power at a rate of not more than \$18.10 per horse-power.

GOLDEN RULE.

Annual Meeting and Banquet at Charlton Ave. Church.

Last evening the first annual election of officers and banquet of the Golden Rule Bible Class of Charlton Avenue Methodist Church was held. All the officers were re-elected with the exception of president, Mr. W. D. Platt, president, wishing to retire, was elected honorary president, and Mr. Elmer, first vice-president, was elected to the presidency. During the evening there was a musical programme, Mr. Morton singing a solo, and the Messrs. Carey brothers also singing. Dr. Morrow sang "O! Canada," all the men present joining in the chorus. The accompaniments were played by Miss Beaulieu, who also very kindly played while the supper was in progress. A cordial vote of thanks was tendered to all taking part, and also to the members of the ladies' committee who prepared the banquet. The tables were beautifully decorated, and delicately arranged, showing that the hands of ladies had been at work.

The feature of the evening was an address by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Smith, on his recent trip to Seattle. His description of the journey up the cog-railway on Pike's Peak, the sensation after arriving on the snow-crowned summit, the occasion of falling overboard, and the beauty and grandeur of the scene was very realistic. Also his description of the Cave of the Winds and the Garden of the Gods was very instructive and interesting. Mr. Smith has the faculty of vividly reproducing a trip of that description, that one for the time being is lost and almost fancies he is going over the same ground and viewing the same scenery. A hearty vote of thanks was tendered to the pastor for his interesting talk of his journey.

HARVEST HOME

Interesting Service Held In St. Stephen's Church Last Night.

Eloquent Sermon Preached by Rev. Ten Eyck, of St. Peter's.

Last evening the annual harvest home festival was held in St. Stephen's Church, Mount Hamilton. The neat little church was handsomely decorated with grains, fruits and flowers, and was well filled with worshippers. Rev. Mr. Wilson, the rector, was assisted in the services by Rev. Mr. Ten Eyck, of St. Peter's Church, who preached an eloquent sermon from the text John xii. 24: "Verily, verily, I say unto you, except a corn of wheat fall into the ground and die it abideth alone; but if it die it bringeth forth much fruit." He referred to the farmer sowing the seed and reaping the harvest, saying that if the seed had not passed into dissolution there could have been no increase. What the Lord would have them to understand was that as the seed must die so must they die in order to reap the fruits of righteousness. If Jesus had not died there would be no rejoicing of heaven over the sinner that repents. If Jesus had not died there would have been no hope for the world. The text had its application also to their lives and to his. They must die if they are to bear fruit. They must die unto sin, also unto self. They must live not unto themselves, but "unto Him who died for us." Self must be crucified. They cannot gratify self and serve God at the same time. Self-denial brings more real satisfaction than selfishness. They did not have to wait until they got to heaven for leading unselfish lives. They got their reward here and now. They become nobler, more magnanimous and better. Every act of self-denial caused an increase of the spiritual man. The selfish man became smaller and meaner. The Lord was a beautiful provider, the harvest had been bountiful and they had much cause for thankfulness.

Made a Great Record.

That Treble's two stores grow better as they grow older has been proven time and time again, but never as conclusively as in this great hat sale, which closes to-morrow.

OWED TO HAMILTON.

A reader has sent us the following lines with the explanation that he "owes Hamilton something, and, while not being vindictive, he would like to pay it." What Hamilton did to him—how he happened to quarrel with that city—we do not know. But his revenge is a terrible one. He must have suffered deeply, and now that he has squared accounts, perhaps Hamilton will be more careful in future.

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Toronto, Sept. 27. Dashing heading from a window near the top of the 21-storey North American Building in Philadelphia, down an area-way filled with fire escapes and other projections, Robert Bradbury, plunged to destruction, resulting in a mangled body was impaled and horribly mangled on the sharp points of an iron fence surrounding the enclosure.

STANLEY MILLS & CO., LIMITED

FRIDAY, OCT. 1st, 1909



"THE STORE THAT MAKES GOOD"

Managers' Sale



This wonderful bargain event has now reached the third day of its existence—and the business has been tremendous. People have been flocking here since the opening, filling the store from early morning until closing time. No department has been spared in this, the greatest of price reducing sales, and greater bargains are being offered at this Managers' Sale than ever before. The stock throughout the store has to go, in fact, everything in sight is before you at values that must astonish and amaze.

BE ON HAND AT 8.30 SHARP TO-MORROW MORNING AND SHARE IN THE MANY GOOD THINGS AT PRICES WHICH ARE SHORN OF PROFITS.

Music Specials

New Music at reduced prices for to-morrow.

- Moon, Mad Moon 10c
- Carrie Merry Harry 10c
- Cubana Glide 10c
- You Never Miss The Water Till The Well Runs Dry 10c
- How Do You Do, Miss Josephine 10c
- My Wife's Gone to the Country 15c
- Down in Jungle Town 15c

Hamilton Day

To-morrow, Saturday, October 2nd, is devoted to the needs and requirements of our many city patrons. The freedom of this store is extended to every one of our customers to pay us a visit to-morrow, and at the same time look over the wonderful bargains that are offered for your approval. Let's make "Hamilton Day" one long to be remembered in the annals of local store history.

Empress Shoes

Sample Shoes and good ones.

AT 8.30 SHARP—500 pairs of Empress Sample Shoes, in fine Yvel kid, patent calf and velour calf boots, Blucher cut, with extension Goodyear welt and McKay sewed soles, military and Cuban heels, new fall goods, regularly \$3.00 to \$4.00, for \$2.65.

Men's Doggola Kid and Velour Calf Lace Boots, sewed soles, with extension edge and back strap, regularly \$3.00, in sizes 6 to 10 special for \$2.25.



Wonderful Values in Ready-to-Wear

To-morrow promises to be a great day in this busy department.

Dressy Coats of broadcloth in navy, green, cadet, taupe and Burgundy, made full length, in half fitting effects, single breasted, stand-up collar, patch pockets, trimmed with corded silk and jet buttons, half lined, very stylish, and the price for Managers' Sale \$18.00

Stylish One-piece Dresses, of navy, green and brown Panama, made with panel effect front and back, trimmed with satin stripes and buttons, girde pockets, Messaline silk, high collar, small sleeves. The price for Managers' sale is \$15

25 only New Tailored Suits, in navy, green, taupe and rose; Coat made 42 inches long, with half fitted back, single breasted front, coat collar, finished in pockets and collar with black silk moire, marked for Managers' Sale \$14.75

Children's Coats in navy, green and brown beaver cloth, double-breasted front, loose box back, high storm collar, full sleeve with cuff, braid trimmed. The price during Managers' Sale \$5.00 and \$5.50

Swagger Suits in shades of black, navy, taupe, grey and wistaria, in broadcloths, worsted and Venetian coats, 43 to 45 inches long, semifitting, with tailored collar, manish sleeve trimmed with moire silk and jet buttons, latest style skirt to match, price \$27.50

Misses' or Small Women's Coats, in shades of navy, cadet and scarlet coating serge, made in a nobby military style, with high storm collar, finished with black military braid, waist and sleeve lined, sizes 14, 16 and 18, price \$11.00

Our Glove Dept.

AT 8.30 SHARP—Gilt Collar Studs, ball pointed and 'ever top, 9 on a card, per card 5c

Victoria Collar Supports, in white whalebone with pearl brilliants, turquoise and black settings, per pair 15c

Children's Patent Leather Belts, in black with steel buckles, regularly 25c, for 7c

Women's Strap Purses, in seal and walrus grain leather, regularly 75c, for 40c

Leather Goods

A department with the season's latest goods.

AT 8.30 SHARP—Women's Flannel Back Cashmere Gloves, fleeced cuffs, two dome fasteners, per pair 25c

Women's Gloves, of superior quality ringwood, of soft wool yarns, in navy, grey, brown, black or white, neat fitting cuffs, special for Managers' Sale, per pair 25c

"Sico," for cleaning kid gloves, given free with every pair of kid gloves sold on Saturday.

Something New in Tailored Waists

New York's latest in stylish waists of new fall waists, in a number of dainty half line stripe patterns, strictly tailor made style, finished with tucks, front and back; shirt sleeve with cuff, collar and small tie to match. All sizes, for Managers' sale \$1.50

The latest and daintiest in Tailor-made Waists, in a number of good styles in a variety of assorted colors, also white vesting, laundered collars, plain shirt sleeves, with cuffs, some with small pocket, good range of sizes; rush price \$1.00

Hints for the Home

Some Bargains worth talking about.

AT 8.30 SHARP, Window Shades in the size to fit the ordinary window, 37 inches wide and 6 feet long, in colors of dark green and cream, regularly \$5.00, for Managers' Sale 25c

Nottingham Lace Curtains, for bedroom or kitchen, 3 yards and medium width, new designs to choose from, regularly \$5c, for 60c

Floor Oilcloth, heavy quality, new designs, from 1 to 2 1/2 yards wide, in black, tile and floral patterns, regularly 30c per yard, for 25c

Comforters, full double bed size, filling of cotton down and covered with assorted colored silkline, well cross-stitched to prevent bunching, to-morrow \$1.39

Ready-to-Wear MILLINERY

The latest that New York or Paris or any other fashion centre has to offer in the way of Millinery for this Fall and Winter is to be found in our showrooms. Dainty chic styles, the wondrous Picture Hat, the Turban and many other shapes too numerous to mention can be seen on exhibition. "See your hat before you buy" is a satisfactory conclusion to bring to this vexed question.

Five Specials

A stylish Felt Hat, in navy, green and brown, with fancy otoman silk-draped crown, with smart wings, ornaments and touches of velvet. Price for the sale \$5.00

Girls' Stylish Hats, in all the latest shades, drooping rim, large bow at back. Sale price \$4.75

Children's Hats, all shades, drooping rim, bow at side, at \$2.00

Here is a dainty Hat, of large grey velvet, with light blue velvet draping crown, with bows and wings. Price \$5.00

Something stylish in a mushroom shape, in all the leading shades, with stylish bow and drape. This Hat is especially suitable for young girls. Price \$4.50



The Latest in Dress Goods

This department carries a complete and comprehensive stock of lines of Dress Goods of excellent quality and value. We have bought extensively for this sale and we are more than ready to serve your needs.

AT 50c YARD—42-inch Venetian Suits, in plain and stripe effects, in shades of Burgundy, grey, green, taupe, for costumes or misses' dresses, regularly 50c.

AT 75c YARD—46-inch Wool Panama Suits, in shades of brown, green, navy and black, excellent for tailored costumes, suits or skirts. The regulation price is \$1.00 yard.

POLO COAT LINING, 23 inches wide, surah finish and excellent wearing 55c yard

AT \$1.50 YARD—56-inch Heavy Wool Tweed Effects, splendid for tailored costumes or separate skirts, in shades of brown, moss green, fawn, navy, etc., celebrated Boyd-Caldwell weave and guaranteed pure wool.

AT 40c YARD—42-inch Worsteds, in navy, taupe, grey, amethyst, green and black, for dresses or separate skirts, worth regularly 50c yard, on sale to-morrow at 8.30 sharp only 40c yard

10 yds. Flannelette for \$1.00

Good live bargains characterize this busy section of our great store. Look these few items over.

AT 8.30 SHARP—36-inch Stripe Flannelette, heavy weave and full width, in stripes of blue, grey, pink and fawn, for quilt linings, underwear, etc., regular 12 1/2c, Managers' Sale 10 yards for \$1.00

66 x 82 Table Cloths, pure linen, in floral and dot effects, with neat border, regular \$1.50 each, Managers' Sale \$1.20

42-inch Circular Pillow Cotton, even weave and perfectly free from dressing. Another snap, regular worth 22c yard, will sell during the Managers' Sale, per yard at 18c

AT 8.30 SHARP—27-inch Canton Flannel, good heavy fleece, unbleached, fine quality, regular 12 1/2c, for Managers' Sale, per yard 10c

40-inch Apron Gingham, full width, with or without border, regularly 15c yard, for Managers' Sale, per yard 12c

Bleached English Sheet, 2 1/2 yards wide, of a good heavy weave and fine quality. This is a real bargain for Saturday. The material is regularly worth 40c per yard, but for the Managers' Sale the price, per yard, will be 34c

Ribbons and Laces

These two departments are full of live specials.

AT 8.30 SHARP, Tourist Trilling, white, 2 1/2 yards in box, regularly 15c box, on Saturday 5c

Embroidered Linen Collars, dainty patterns, regularly 25c, for Managers' Sale, 2 for 25c

Black Silk Pleated Belts, finished with buckle, sizes 24 to 36, regularly 35c, for 10c

Fancy Shell Barrettes, regularly 15 to 35c, for 5c

Children's Handkerchiefs, with colored border, 3 for 25c

White Valenciennes Laces, regularly 7 to 10c yard, price 5c

Flannelette Embroideries, in many shades, 5c yard 5c

The "Grocery" Dept.

A busy department with a host of good things for everybody.

10 lbs. Reupath's Sugar 50c

3 lbs. Ingersoll Sausage 25c

3 lbs. Assorted Biscuits 25c

25 lbs. Gold Metal Flour 75c

5 lbs. Washing Soda 5c

Electric Stove Paste, special 5c

New Figs have arrived at 15c lb.

Golden Net Salmon 2 cans 25c

Black Pepper, regular 40c lb, for 25c

Black Tea, per lb, special 10c

Jersey Sweet Potatoes, 7 lbs. 25c

Special Blend Coffee, per lb. 33c

Sunlight Soap 6 bars 25c

Late Valencia Oranges at 20c dozen

Saucepans at 15c

50 dozen Stransky blue and white Lipped Saucepans, one quart size, will be sacrificed to-morrow morning at 15c each. These saucepans are in the useful size required for the kitchen. This is THE WARE THAT WITNESSES. Regular 40c each; on sale Saturday morning at 8.30 sharp, price 15c

Not more than two to one customer.

Ideal Skirt or Trouser Hangers, with wire hook, regular 10c, special 3 for 25c

Galvanized Wash Tubs, special 59c

Perforated Chair Seats 10 and 12c

Iron Holders 10c

Daisy Tea Kettles, special 12c

Scrubbing Brushes 10 and 15c

Dref Egg Beaters 15c

Granite Jelly Moulds 10c

Steam Egg Poachers 40c

Silk Blouses \$2.98, \$3.50 and \$4.95

Black Silk Waists, nicely trimmed.

Net Blouses \$3.75 and \$4.95

Ladies' Lace and Net Waists, in white and ecru.

Golf Jackets \$1.75 to \$2.50

Ladies' Golf Jackets, in white, cardinal, navy and tan.

Golf Jackets \$4 to \$8

Ladies' Long Golf Coats, in grey and white.

Underskirt 95c

Black Sateen and Moreen, regular \$1.50 value.

Silk Underskirt \$3.98 to \$7.50

Ladies' Silk Underskirts, in black and colors.

Heatherbloom Skirts \$1.95

Ladies' Regal Taffeta and Heatherbloom Skirts, all colors and black, \$2.50 value.

Ladies' Underwear

A full line of Penman's, Watson's and Peerless makes. 25, 30, 75c and \$1

Nightgowns 75c

Flannelette, in white and pink, grand \$1.25 value.

Nightgowns \$1.00

Flannelette, nicely trimmed; in all sizes, pink and white, regularly \$1.75 value.

Sateen 18c

In cream, red, green, etc., regularly 25c value.

Sateen 12 1/2c

In all wanted colors, regularly 15c value.

Aprons 29c

White Aprons, with flounces and embroidered bibs, regularly 39c value.

Apron Lawn 20c to 50c

Apron Lawn, full 36 inches wide, nicely tucked.

Cotton Cashmere 12 1/2c

In red, blue, brown, etc., 1 yard wide, regularly 18c value.

Ribbon 14 1/2c

Taffeta Silk, from 4 to 4 1/2 inches wide, regularly 25c value.

The Styles that we are showing, will solve that vexing question, for any woman, maid or child that wants to dress well in correct style at moderate cost. The designer of Shea's Suits, Jackets and Dresses studied the Fashion of New York, Paris, Berlin and other Fashion Centres, and the correct Style and Ideas adopted. They are especially cut to fit with ease, and they are more than ease on the purse. Notice, Saturday selling List—Below :

Ladies' Mantles \$11.95

Semi fitted backs, 3/4 length, trimmed with jet buttons, several styles of collars, black and colors, regular \$15 value, Saturday \$11.95

Ladies' Mantles \$10.00

The newest cuts, long lengths, in black, navy green, brown and wine, strapped and nicely trimmed. These Coats are worth \$14, Saturday \$10.00

Ladies' Mantles \$6.75

Full length, trimmed with buttons and braid, all sizes, from 32 to 42, regular \$10, Saturday \$6.75

Ladies' Mantles \$18.95

Call and see these swell new Grey Mantles, in plain and fancy cloths, nicely trimmed with jet buttons, regular \$25, Saturday \$18.95

Maids' Coats \$6.95, \$10.95 and \$12.50

All the latest designs and styles in grey, mole, wine, black and navy, all sizes, Saturday \$6.95, \$10.95 and \$12.50

Children's Coats \$2.50, \$2.95 and \$3.95

In all colors, nicely trimmed, very smart looking, all sizes, for Saturday \$2.50, \$2.95 and \$3.95

Infants' Coats \$2.50 and \$3.95

In white, braided, trimmed with fur, too special for Saturday, regular \$4.75, for \$2.50. Regular \$5.95, for \$3.95

Corset Sale

On Saturday you get your choice of over 1,000 pair at these reductions.

75c Corset for 39c

\$1.00 Corset for 49c

\$1.25 Corset for 69c

\$2.00 Corset for 99c

Long back Corset to fit every figure from 75c to \$4.00

SHEA'S SATURDAY, OCT. 2, STORE OPEN TILL 10 O'CLOCK TELEPHONE 1501

Ladies' Suits \$15.00

In fancy and plain cloths, silk lined and satin lined, trimmed with jet buttons, silk collar on coat, latest style skirts, in all sizes from 32 to 44; worth \$20 and \$25, on sale \$15.00

Ladies' Suits, \$18 and \$22.50

Beautiful made garments, strictly man-tailored, jet buttons, silk lined and the correct effect; special \$18.00 and \$22.50

Misses' and Children's Dress Department is now overflowing with stock and bargains that it will make you wonder how they are made for double the price.

Girls' Sailor Dresses, in navy and brown serge and panama, well made, nicely trimmed with braid; from 6 to 14 years, for \$1.85 to \$3.95

Girls' Galatea Dresses and Jumpers, in light and dark colors, heavy, proper school dress, all sizes to 16 years, from 65c to \$2.50

Girls' Dresses, in navy and red; nicely trimmed; 8 to 10 years; regular 85c for 69c

Gloves

Kid Gloves, all shades, from 90c to \$1.50

Suede cashmere lined, all the newest colors for 40c and 50c

Mufflers 39c

Bradley Mufflers in all colors, reg. 50c value.

Men's Socks 25c

Plain black cashmere, all wool, also grey and fancy assorted colors mending card; reg. 35c value.

Ladies' Hose 39c

Old lines of plain black cashmere; reg. 60c and 75c values.

Ladies' Hose 25c

Women's Plain Cashmere Hose in 2-1 and 1-1 rib. Reg. 39c value.

Wool Blankets \$2.49

Good size, beautiful quality. Reg. \$3.00 and \$3.25 value.

Blankets \$1.49

Canton Blankets 12 1/4 size, white or grey; reg. \$1.65 value.

Sweater Coats 50c and 60c

In all popular colors and sizes. Sweaters, 40c, 50c, 55c and 60c; all colors and sizes.

Skirts, Skirts, Skirts

Hundreds of elegant Skirts will go on sale at prices that the maker could not duplicate if asked to do so to-day.

Misses' and women's in every wanted style and make. Black and all colors, Poplins, Venetians, Panamas, lustre, broadcloths, voiles, satin cloth.

\$5.00 Skirts... \$3.50

\$5.95 Skirts... \$3.95

\$6.50 Skirts... \$4.50

\$7.95 Skirts... \$5.95

Sale in Millinery Department

Dress Hats

Made silk moire, trimmed with mounts and ornaments, regular \$10.00, for \$8.95

Pattern Hats

Shapes covered with velvet and moire silk, trimmed with plumes, finished with ribbons, regular \$12.00. Saturday \$8.95

Special-Beaver Hats, regular \$12.00, Saturday for \$7.50; \$8.00 for \$4.50

Ready-to-wear Hats, special \$5.00

Children's Patent Leather Hats, special \$7.50

Shapes in all colors at special Saturday selling 75c to \$3.50

Plumes in all colors from \$1.25 to \$8.95

Dress Goods Sale

Navy and Black Serge Suiting; heavy quality; regular \$1.75 for \$1.00

Dress Goods 50c

Venetian Cloths, plain and stripe; all newest shades; reg. 75c value.

Dress Goods 59c

Serges, 54 inches wide, in navy brown and black; reg. 85c value.

Pure Linen Damask 75c

All pure linen, 72 inches wide, grass bleached, regular \$1.00 value.

Bleached Damask \$1.10

Double Damask, 72 inches wide, satin finish, beautiful patterns, regular \$1.50 value.

Cream Damask 29c

Large assortments of patterns, good quality, regular 40c value.

Cream Damask 59c

All linen easily bleached, nice patterns, regular 75c value.

Bleached Damask Ends 29c

From 1 to 3 yards ends, satin finish, regular 50 and 75c values.

Turkish Towelling 13 1/2c

Heavy quality dark colors, regular 20c value.

Flannelette 9 1/2c

White Saxony in ends from 1 to 10 yards, regular 15c value.

Roller Towelling 8 1/2c

All linen, heavy quality, in ends from 1 to 5 yards, regular 12 1/2c values.

Huck Towels 15c

Bleached, hemmed, 20x40 size, regular 20c value.

Table Napkins \$1.00

Hemmed, beautiful patterns, good size, regular \$1.50 value.

Rugs \$1.50

Couch rugs in beautiful stripes and plaids, regular \$2.00 values.

Comforters \$1.25

Double bed size, all good colors, filled with wool puts, regular \$2.00 value.

Mantle Cloths From 75c to \$1.50

Beavers, Coverts and Friezes, light and dark colors, regular \$1.35 for 75c, \$1.95, for \$1.00, \$2.50, for \$1.50.

PEARY IN THE NAVAL PARADE.

Steamer Roosevelt in the Hudson-Fulton Celebration.

Fleet Acting as Escort the Half Moon and Clermont.

Newburgh Had a Street Parade of Five Thousand Men.

New York, Oct. 1.—The whistles of a hundred craft were booming a continuous salute to the steamer Roosevelt as she plowed her way up to the harbor this morning at the very moment that Commander Robert E. Peary stepped from the train at Grand Central Station, returning to New York from his trip to the North Pole, to participate in the Hudson-Fulton parade up the Hudson River. He was accompanied by Mrs. Peary, and they had left Portland, Me., last evening, to participate in to-day's naval demonstration. The hour of their arrival was so early that few persons were at the station to greet them.

"I appreciate the honor of being in to-day's naval parade," said the Commander just before alighting from the train, "and it is an especial pleasure to be with my crew on board the Roosevelt on such an occasion. The trip up the Hudson to-day will be a much different event for them than the trip of the Roosevelt up Smith Sound, up the ice, to the winter quarters at Cape Sheridan.

"No, there is nothing to be said now about the Cook controversy. I do not want to talk about it now."

The nucleus of the "Lower Hudson" fleet that started this morning was a squadron of one small United States cruiser, 12 torpedo boats and four submarines. These with the Casino, the parent boat of the submarines squadron, and four other submarines which are acting as escort to the Half Moon, and the Clermont, made 22 warships, representing Uncle Sam in to-day's demonstration. The other members of the American war fleet and the visiting foreign men of war remained at their anchorages in the Hudson where they have rested since they assembled last Saturday.

The Half Moon and the Clermont spent the night at Ossining and had a comparatively short run this morning to reach Newburgh.

THE NATIONAL TRANSCONTINENTAL.

(Engineering Record.)

The history of the National Transcontinental Railway was told at the recent Winnipeg convention of the British Association by Mr. Duncan MacIver, assistant chief engineer of the Transcontinental Railway Commission of Canada. This work was undertaken in accordance with an act of the Dominion Parliament passed on October 24, 1903, for the construction of a line from the Atlantic to the Pacific wholly within the Canadian territory.

The commissioners and chief engineer were appointed August 20th, 1904, and met within a few days for organization. One of the first questions to determine was in regard to the survey work to be undertaken during the autumn and winter, on that portion of territory not covered by the Grand Trunk Pacific, in the direction of and nearly up to Lake Abitibi. It was decided to form the territory between Moncton and near longitude 84 deg. into four districts, A, B, C, D; A, from Moncton to the boundary between the Province of New Brunswick and Quebec supposed to be about 290 miles; B, from the boundary of Clear Lake, about 420 miles; C, to the provincial boundary between Quebec and Ontario, about 300 miles; D, to near longitude 84 deg., about 240 miles.

Soon after these four districts had been formed the commissioners arranged to take over from the Grand Trunk Pacific the survey parties east of Winnipeg, with their supplies, plans, profiles, etc., and organize two more districts, E and F, thus covering the whole distance between Moncton and Winnipeg. District E extends about 265 miles westerly from the west boundary of D to a point about 30 miles west of Lake Nipigon. District F extends from this point to Winnipeg, about 385 miles. The total distance from Moncton to Winnipeg was estimated to be about 1,900 miles, "on what was assumed to be the most direct feasible route. The problem to be solved was definitely locating this most direct and feasible route was not an easy one, when it is remembered that for more than half the distance the line of general directness ran through an unsettled, uncharted and practically unknown region, cut up in all directions by a network of lakes and rivers, many of them not shown on any existing maps, and when, so indicated, often found to be entirely misplaced. The engineers had, therefore, to make their own maps as the surveys proceeded, and in all cases to correct and complete existing maps.

field, and tracings, with reports, sent to headquarters monthly. These reports were carefully gone over by the chief and assistant chief engineer, necessary changes suggested, and instructions issued accordingly. Whenever the head of a party completed what he considered the best possible first location, the engineer-in-charge was changed, and another man given a chance to improve the line by making his best attempt at a revised location. The original head of the party, or a third man, was given a chance to still further revise for a further location. In this way it was found that a healthy rivalry was established, and good results obtained. Revision of location is, however, never considered as finished until construction work is well under way, as it is often found, after the line is cleared, that slight changes will effect a very considerable saving. An equation table giving definite values for savings in distance, curvature, rise and fall, etc., was furnished all parties in the field, so that having the estimated cost of construction of any two or more lines, the better one to adopt from all points of view could be at once determined without difficulty.

The maximum curve used is 6 degrees (radius, 955 ft.), and is only used sparingly where the topographical conditions prohibit an easier radius with reasonable cost. All curves of 1 degree and sharper are connected to their tangents with easy spirals.

The maximum grades decided upon are on tangents 0.4 per cent.—21.1 ft. per mile adverse to the major or east-bound traffic, and 0.6 per cent.—31.68 per mile against the comparatively minor westbound traffic. These maximum grades are used sparingly, and only for the purpose of avoiding heavy work. On curves the grades are reduced to 0.04 ft. per degree in the index of the curve.

The whole line between Moncton and Winnipeg, with the slight exception of short approaches to the Quebec bridge on 1 per cent. grades, was definitely located with the above-mentioned very easy maximum grades; but at one point in New Brunswick, at mileage 146 from Moncton, it was found that by the insertion of about 12 1/2 miles of 1.1 per cent. grade adverse to eastbound traffic a saving could be made of 17.2 miles in distance, nearly \$2,000,000 in construction, \$1,250,000 in capitalized operating value.

The surveys being well advanced for some distance east of Winnipeg and west of Quebec, tenders were called for, closing on March 12th, 1906, for 150 miles of line from the north side of the St. Lawrence, at Cape Rouge westward, and for a steel viaduct 3,000 ft. long, 150 ft. high, across the Cape Rouge Valley; also for 245 miles from near Winnipeg to Peninsula Crossing, near the proposed junction with the Fort William branch of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway. This branch line had been under construction for some time, and the portion of the main line between the junction and Winnipeg was completed, to start operating between Fort William, Winnipeg and west, thus giving another outlet to the Great Lakes from the western wheat fields.

The summer of 1906 was a busy one in railroad construction all over the continent of North America, the result being that wages rose to the abnormal rate of \$2.50 per day for unskilled labor, and even then good men were almost impossible to obtain, so that progress was not as fast as was anticipated on the two first main contracts let. The financial depression in 1907 proved in some ways a blessing in disguise to railway contractors; as only roads which were strong financially were able to do any new construction, men were more plentiful and at reduced wages. From time to time, as the final location was completed on different sections, new contracts were let until, on Oct. 29th, 1908, the last contracts were let on districts D and E. In the summer of 1908 an army of 21,000 men were working on the various contracts between Moncton and Winnipeg. The originally estimated distance of 1,900 miles between these points had been reduced gradually by repeated revisions of location at various points to a distance of 1,804.8 miles. This distance is 261 miles less than the shortest distance over any other combined railways between Moncton and Winnipeg. The distance between Winnipeg and Quebec City over the Transcontinental Railway will be 1,351 miles, which is 223 miles shorter than the Canadian Pacific Railway, and the grades are so much more favorable that engines of equal capacity should haul nearly twice the load on the former line than they could on the latter.

The engineering organization consists of a chief engineer and assistant chief engineer, bridge engineer, district engineers, each in charge of a district from 250 to 400 miles long; division engineers, in charge of from 40 to 50 miles; resident engineers, in charge of 10 to 15 miles. Owing to the comparative inaccessibility of parts of the line, about 30 miles of it are yet actively under construction, though roads are being made and supplies put in, so that by the end of the year the whole line, not already finished, will be covered with workmen, rock drills, steam shovels and all the necessities of modern railway construction.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. R. H. Tisdale Passed Away After Severe Illness.

After several months of very severe illness, Mrs. Tisdale, wife of Mr. R. T. Tisdale, passed away yesterday afternoon at the family residence, 68 Ontario avenue. Mrs. Tisdale had endured great suffering with a fortitude that was an inspiration to the household. The family came to this city several years ago and had the esteem of a large circle of friends. Deceased was 61 years of age. She is survived by her husband and one daughter, Mrs. Aimer Hodges, who, with her family, lived with her. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 from the above address.

The death occurred yesterday morning of Richard William Leslie, youngest son of Mrs. and the late Charles Leslie, at the City Hospital. He was 17 years old. The funeral will be from his mother's residence, 29 Emily street, at 4 p. m. on Sunday, to Hamilton cemetery. He leaves his mother, two brothers and four sisters.

FALL FAIR AT BURLINGTON.

Nelson Agricultural Society Made Success of It.

Attendance and Entries Larger Than Last Year.

Some Good Speeding Events—New Band Present.

Despite the threatening look of the weather the attendance at the Nelson and Burlington Agricultural Society fair which was held yesterday at Burlington, was very much larger than last year. The number of entries was also greater. The quality of most of the varieties of fruit was exceedingly good, especially apples and pears.

The feature events were the races of speed. The course over which the races were run was good and the time fairly fast. The results were:

- Free for all trot or pace, run in two heats:
Lady Baxter 1 1
Dominion Boy 3 2
Philadelphia Spring 2 3
Time—1:12.
2:40 class, trot or pace, run in two heats:
Dr. Brown 1 1
Billy H. 2 2
Little Boy 3 3
Billy Bayley, 4, did not run in second heat. Time 1:18 1/2.
Green trot or pace for horses that had never won public money, open only to Burlington and Nelson Township, Pansy Girl 1 1
Lady Wilks 2 2
Billy 3 3
Maud 4 4
Time—1:23.

The Burlington Band, which was recently organized, played a number of selections during the afternoon which were very much enjoyed. Although the members of the band have been working together making very rapid progress. The officers of the fair left nothing undone to make the event a success. They are:

- W. H. Easterbrook, President.
A. Healy, First Vice-President.
M. C. Smith, Second Vice-President.
Stanley Dynes, Secretary-Treasurer.
Directors—J. A. Pettit, J. B. Leonard, M. B. Cline, Jas. Blanchard, C. E. Wood, W. J. Brush, R. Gray, Sherwood Coulson, J. P. Griffin.
Honorary Directors—Dr. W. R. Watson, John Mitchell, Ed. Blanshard, L. Wilson, J. E. Campbell, A. E. Truman, J. T. Watson, F. Parsons, Byron Springer, E. A. Harris.
Auditors—A. D. Alton, W. J. McClenahan.
The prize list will be printed in a few days.

PREPARE FOR WINTER



BRITISH ELECTIONS.

King Edward Interesting Himself in the Lords' Action.

London, Oct. 1.—According to current talk in the lobbies of Parliament, the Government is determined to appeal to the country even if the House of Lords does pass the finance bill, of which, as stated in many quarters, there is a daily increasing probability. The Government's determination is based on the belief that there is a greater chance for its re-election now than a year hence. The Liberal newspapers make a special feature of the indecision of the Unionist party regarding the treatment of the finance bill and of the prospect of their eventually deciding not to neglect it.

It is even more than hinted that the King is using his influence to prevent the rejection of the measure, and much importance is ascribed to the visits prominent politicians are making him at Balmoral Castle.

OPENING RECEPTION.

The opening reception of the East Hamilton Y. M. C. A. will be held next Friday evening. Mr. Chas. Powis, the new physical director, will give an exhibition of the work that will be carried on this winter. There will also be a musical programme, after which refreshments will be served by members of the Ladies' Auxiliary. All members and friends are requested to attend.

The poorest way to make up your mind is to lock it up.

SAN JOSE SCALE.

Washington, Oct. 1.—The principal commercial apple orchards of the country are destined to become infested with the San Jose scale, according to a bulletin entitled "Fumigation of apples for the United States," Department of Agriculture. The scale is spreading rapidly over vast areas each year and it has made its presence in orchards which until recently were naturally free from the ravages of the scale.

Misunderstood.
Master—"John, go to my writing table and fetch me—"
John—"The small box of cigars, sir?"
Master—"Yes, but how did you find them?"
John—"Excellent, sir."—Fliengende Blaetter.

Amusements

Cosmopolitan, indeed, is the comedy "The Debtors," presented at the Grand Opera House last evening before a large and most appreciative audience.



WILLIE DUNLAY,

With Geo. M. Cohan's "The Honey-moaners" at the Grand.

presentation of the motives that actuate mankind under the stress of varying circumstances. Wm. Dorritt, dignified and imperious, despite his years of imprisonment for debt in the Marshalsea...

That vaudeville patrons thoroughly appreciate high-class, artistic entertainment is evident from the advance sale for Bennett's next week, when the Six Musical Nosses will be seen here...

"THE HONEYMOONERS." To-night and to-morrow matinee and evening at the Grand "The Honey-moaners" will be the attraction.

TWILIGHT RECITAL. The following programme will be played by W. H. Hewlett at the inaugural organ recital in Centenary Church to-morrow (Saturday) afternoon: Fugue

in D (Bach); Etude (Kalkbrenner); Variations on the Last Rose of Summer (Dudley Buck); Andante from fifth symphony (Beethoven); Grand Choeur Dialogue (Gigout); Souvenir di Printemps (Holbrook); Traumlied (Le-mare); and Allegretto in E minor (Guit-mare); Mrs. Mabel Manley Pickard, soprano, of Toronto, will sing Puccini's Gloria and the Bach-Gounod Ave Maria, with an additional accompaniment on the piano by Wilfrid V. Oaten.

SODALES.

Central Young Men Re-organize For the Winter.

The opening meeting of Central Presbyterian Church Young Men's Club was held last evening for the outlining of the year's programme and for the election of new officers. In every way the reports of the retiring officers were most encouraging and Mr. Sedgewick, the Honorary President, spoke in glowing terms of the progress of the club during the first year's existence.

Finch Bros. Harvest Sale.

Finch Bros. third annual harvest sale is now in full swing. The store, with its autumn and harvest decorations, look beautiful, and every one should visit it. But the chief attractions will be the goods and the big savings all over the store, and with these in your favor Saturday should be a record buying day.

RELIGIOUS WORK.

The Y. M. C. A. Religious Work Committee met last night for organization, when Mr. H. E. Stone was elected chairman of the committee for the coming season. Mr. J. Manship was appointed secretary.

Y. M. C. A. RECEPTION.

The regular weekly meeting of the Y. M. C. A. Reception committee was held last evening, when the resignation of Mr. E. Morgan as chairman was read and accepted.

McKay's the Place For You.

R. McKay & Co. announce in to-day's Times a grand array of Saturday bargains, and every woman who wants to save should visit this store to-morrow and take advantage of the many grand sale events in fall and winter goods of every description.

PILGRIMS ARRIVED.

Among the passengers on the Mauretania arriving yesterday at New York were eleven of the Pilgrims team of English football players.

Advertisement for DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS, featuring a circular logo with the text 'DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS' and 'CURES RHEUMATISM, BRUISES, DIABETES, GRAVEL, AND ALL AFFECTIONS OF THE URINARY SYSTEM.'

Third Annual Harvest Sale Continues To-morrow and All Next Week

This is one of the great annual sale events looked forward to by many a lady. A grand list of buying opportunities awaits every Saturday shopper and you will do well to visit this store to-morrow.

Fall Apparel--Topmost in Style, Lowest in Price

For to-morrow we mention but a few of the price savings on style apparel made possible only through this Harvest Sale.

What's Your Idea of Women's \$12.50 to \$8.85 \$18.50 Coats for

Great, isn't it? And the coats will please you even more than the half price savings. They are samples and floor stock of a manufacturer. 28 in all; smart 3/4 length; away up to the top in style.

\$18.50 and \$20 Tailor-Made Suits \$13.95

Every new style feature for Autumn delightfully brought out in rich materials and beautiful colorings. 45-inch coats, semi-fitted, with new knee yoke, pleated skirts, silk lined and jet trimmings.

Other Tailored Suits at \$15.00, \$18.50, \$25.00 to \$35.00.

FINCH BROTHERS

\$1.25 French Sedan Broadcloths 98c

These queenly Broadcloths with their superior draping and tailored qualities have won favor for fashionable tailored costumes everywhere. These are 48-inch widths, in all wool qualities, unspottable and thoroughly shrunken in a soft "glove" finish.

Fancy Suitings 98c

Fashionable Tailored Suitings, in 56 inch fancy Cloth Suitings, Diagonal Worsteds, Scotch Cheviots, in striped and broken checks, in rich autumn colors and black. Regular prices \$1.25 and \$1.50, Harvest Sale ... 98c

90c Satin Travers 69c

Stylish French Satin Travers Cloth, in new bayadere cord effects, in the rich autumn novelty shades; 46 inch; suitable for tailored suits and dresses; value at 90c yard, Harvest Sale ... 69c

Ten Days' Sale of Black Silks. Third Saving.

FINCH BROS.

Perrin's Cape Gloves, all sizes. On sale 98c.



Society

St. James' Cathedral Toronto, yesterday afternoon was beautifully decorated with white flowers and tall palms in the big chancel, while all down the centre on both sides were tied large clusters of white roses and long bows of pale gold colored ribbon at the ends of the pews.

NEWS IN BRIEF

The widow of General Boulanger died at Versailles on Thursday. Mr. N. A. Rhodes, Vice-President of Rhodes, Curry & Co., Amherst, N. S., is dead.

IRISH EVANGELISTS COMING.

Arrangements have been made for the coming of the McCombe brothers to Central Methodist Church to conduct a series of evangelistic services. They will commence their labors here on the 17th of October.

TOO SOBER.

Milwaukee Woman Sets Up New Ground for Divorce.

Confirmed sobriety is the ground on which a plea for divorce is made in a complaint in the Circuit Court.

Not only does the plaintiff, the wife, allege that her husband's sobriety has wrecked their marital happiness, but she avers that his abstinence from liquor is seriously threatening her peace of mind and mental balance.

After reciting the usual allegations as to the marriage and residence of the parties to the action, the complaint says, in part:

"Your plaintiff further says that for several years following her marriage with this said defendant they lived together in peace, happiness and unity. Their family life was unmarked by a single cloud. Her said husband had the comfort and welfare of his family at heart.

The plaintiff also shows to this Honorable Court that her said husband used to come home in an intoxicated condition and did misuse and maltreat his wife, this plaintiff, and their children.

"This plaintiff avers and alleges the fact to be that about two years ago the entire conduct and habits of said husband changed. He no longer gets intoxicated, but he has become a confirmed drunkard, and she alleges that her husband will not drink any liquor whatever in their home and keeps up the habit of sobriety throughout his daily life.

"This plaintiff alleges that, in addition to the destruction of her marital happiness, the defendant has, by his changed attitude on the question of drink, caused this plaintiff great mental worry and anxiety, which has sadly affected her health and happiness, and which, she is informed by her family physician, may in time cause her to become insane.

"Wherefore, this plaintiff prays for a decree of divorce from the said John H. Leopold, her said husband, and asks this Honorable Court to dissolve the bonds of matrimony which have heretofore existed between them."—Milwaukee Journal.

A Difference.

A long-winded, prosy lawyer was arguing a technical case recently before one of the judges of the superior court. He had drifted along in such a desultory way that it was hard to keep track of what he was trying to present, and the judge had just vented a very suggestive yawn.

"I sincerely trust that I am not unduly trespassing on the time of this court," said the lawyer, with a suspicion of sarcasm in his voice.

"There is some difference," the judge observed, "between trespassing on time and encroaching on eternity."

Geniuses Have Risen From Soul.

Ross Wnians, one of the great developing spirits of the early railroad era, began life as a farmer. There was need for a better plow. He invented it. That gave his life a new trend.

When the Romans wanted a dictator they found Cincinnatus in the field. When the call to arms aroused the colonists, Putnam left his plow in the furrow to go to the front.

Washington was a gentleman farmer. Lincoln was a son of the soil. Burns found his most soulful inspiration in the furrows and the fields.

James J. Hill, appreciative of the slow plodding of the ox team on his father's farm, found therein the call to greater service and to the betterment of transportation methods.

Joachim Miller is happiest when, hoe in hand, he views his little rural estate that overlooks the Golden Gate.

R. B. Hayes, to whom history will do high honor, was a country lad whose wholesome early training was largely instrumental in making him a benefactor of his race.

Speaking of Oliver Cromwell, Carlyle says: "The Huntingdon farmer became, by whatever name you might call him, the acknowledged strongest man in England."

It was his early life on the farm that gave Philip D. Armour his stability and perseverance and cultivated those qualities of industry that led him to success.

Speaking of the late Mr. J. P. Morgan, the groves and fields, whose demizens were his constant companions.

There is much the same contrast between the city-bred boy and the farmer lad that there is between the artificial rose and the natural blossom.

Height of Humanity.

Patrick F. Murphy, at an American Society banquet in Paris, recently told his famous "humility" story.

"I was an American," he said, "compare our country with foreign lands, and compare ourselves with the foreigners, we have no cause for humility. No cause to emulate the local preacher."

A poor local preacher was once invited to a luncheon given by his bishop to all the pastors of the diocese. These pastors were for the most part eloquent, learned and successful men.

"A few minutes after the beginning of the luncheon the bishop noticed, at the foot of the long table, a subdued commotion. Then a strange and horrible odor floated to him.

"Dear me," he exclaimed, wrinkling up his nose, "there's a very odd smell in the room. I think."

"Take the gentleman's egg away," he said. "It's a bad one." "Oh, no, bishop," said the local preacher, continuing to eat on. "Do not trouble, sir. It is quite good enough for me."—Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.

Where He Blundered.

Attorney John J. Sullivan tells a story about a Milesian welder of the pipe, who had been digging a trench for a gas-pipe leading to a private residence—a 1-inch pipe.

Contemplating the excavation and comparing its capacity with the loose dirt, he shook his head in doubt. "Be this and be that," said he, "I'm thinking I'll not have room in the ditch for all the dirt on the pile, bad cess."

"But," said a bystander, "why not 'Pat'?" "Sure," he made reply, "because I didn't dig it deep enough!"—Cleveland News.

The Right House

Stylish, Exclusive Cheviot Costumes

Something very special in Ladies' Costumes, made of Herringbone self-stripe Cheviots, in wistaria, navy, black or grey. Coats are 42 inches long, semi-fitting, satin lined, with regular coat collar, and are self and button trimmed.

Very Smart Venetian Cloth Costumes

This is one of the smartest Costumes of the season, made of Venetian Cloth, in blue, grey, smoke, green or black. Coats 40 inches long, Tuxedo collar, silk, braid and button trimmed; well lined. Smartly pleated skirts in latest styles. We are selling these very smart and stylish costumes at ... \$17.50 each

Our Two Leading Coat Specials

AT \$15.00—The best selection of Ladies' and Misses' Coats at this popular price ever shown in Hamilton. Long coats, tight and semi-fitting, self and braid trimmed; with stole, coat and Tuxedo collars. These are made of Beaver, Broadcloth, Cheviot, Kersey and Tweed. Very stylish and very special value at \$15.00.

AT \$10.00—We have a special showing of Ladies' and Misses' semi-fitting Coats of Beaver and Cheviot, in green, brown, blue and black; 48 to 52 inches long; velvet collars; self and button trimmed. A great bargain at \$10.00.

Men's and Boys' Underwear

Large and well selected stock of medium and heavy weights, secured to exceptional advantage. Underwear satisfaction at reasonable rates at THE RIGHT HOUSE.

Men's New Vests

Fancy Flannel and Silk Mer-cerized Vests; New York tailored; handsome striped and checked designs; in gunmetal and brownish tints; very special values at \$4.00 and \$4.50.

Men's Socks

THE RIGHT HOUSE Men's Furnishing Department is known far and near for its dependable values in Men's Socks.

Just now exceptionally good values at 25c a pair and 35c a pair, or three pairs for \$1.00. Both in black cashmere. English make, good fast colors.

THOMAS C. WATKINS HAMILTON ONTARIO

Men's New Gloves

Dents, Fownes' and Perrins' celebrated makes, in Cape and undressed leathers; every pair guaranteed. Extra special RIGHT HOUSE values at \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

LITTLE THINGS BUT USEFUL

Sugar is an admirable ingredient in curing meat or fish. Moistened cream of tartar is excellent for removing iron rust.

To stop a wound from bleeding use hot water. Cold water will not stop the flow.

Grass stains in white goods should be saturated with paraffin and put out in the sun.

Nutmegs may be lested by pricking with a pin, when oil will exude from the skin if they are fresh.

Irons rested on a clean fire brick will retain their heat a great deal longer than when placed upon an iron stand.

Pineapple extract is a delightful substitute for wine or brandy and other flavorings in sauces for puddings and other desserts.

Salt fish are more quickly freshened and are also considerably improved in flavor by soaking them in sour milk instead of water.

Before going out in the sun or wind a bath in cold water is better than one in warm water as the cold water toughens the skin.

A solution of one part shellac and two parts of naphtha is an excellent thing for coating damp walls with. As soon as dry the wall may be papered.

Make it a rule to keep milk and butter always closely covered, as they will absorb disagreeable odors more quickly than any other article of food.

In frying doughnuts a large slice of raw potato should always be put in the fat. It will have the effect of preventing the black specks from showing.

A dark carpet should have the dust wiped off occasionally with a wet cloth or a sponge. A few drops of ammonia in the water used will brighten the colors.

Plaster of Paris ornaments may be cleaned by covering them with a thick layer of starch paste. The latter should be allowed to dry and be then brushed off with a stiff brush.

A few cents worth of ordinary rock salt dissolved in the water intended for bathing, makes a good substitute for a sea bath for those who live far away from the sea coast, but wish to enjoy salt water bathing.

Small pieces of toilet soap, too little to be used separately, may be utilized by putting them into a small bag of Turkish towelling or cheese-cloth, and using that as if it were a cake of soap. A handful of oatmeal may be added.

A good furniture polish may be made of paraffin, oil and turpentine. Kerosene is also very good for cleaning and polishing furniture and crude oil may be used to advantage to darken the wood of furniture that has not been varnished.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson

"I have a riddle for you," said a frivolous girl to a friend. "If 10 men proposed to me, what would they be?" "What?" "A tender."

SPORTING NEWS

TIGERS HAD A WORK-OUT IN MUD.

Captain Ben Simpson Believes There is Nothing Like Getting Accustomed to All Kinds of Conditions—Bramer Showing Up Well.

Should the Tigers be up against rainy weather in any of their games this season their experience of yesterday will aid them greatly. During the rain the yellow and black bunch took advantage of the opportunity of becoming accustomed to the slippery ground and practised for over an hour at the Cricket Grounds.

The surprise of the tackling department was the work of Bramer and Bethune. Both made some great tackles, especially Bramer, who seems to be improving at every practice.

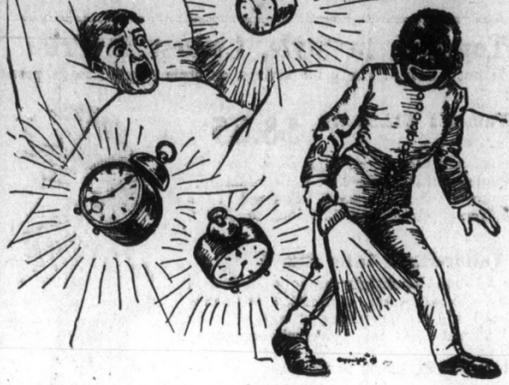
Frank Harvey, who will captain the intermediates, was in uniform for the first time since he retired a few years ago, and made a favorable impression, with his drop kicks.

Don Lyon was present at yesterday's practice. His wrist is progressing in fine style, and it will not be long before he is in harness again.

Dutch Berton certainly is a fine running half-back. He is a hard man to stop.

While Doc Thompson has given up the position as manager, he seems to be a busy man yet. "Doc" always attends the practices.

Wake up!!! now is the time to buy clothes



MEN'S SUITS \$12.50

Regular Price \$15 and \$18

This is a record-breaking year. Someone from Brooklyn reached the North Pole, the time across the Atlantic has been shortened, while men, horses, flying machines and all sorts of things on wheels have developed greater speed.

And Here Are Three Equally Good Specials From Other Departments

Hats \$1.75 Regular price \$2.50.

The man who wants the best Hat for the money must come to Begg & Shannon's. We have all the new styles and shades in these hats at \$1.75.

Trousers \$1.95 Regular price \$2.50 and \$3.00.

200 pair Men's fine Trousers, correct Fall cut, in worsteds and tweeds. Trousers that look good, set good—and see what you save.

Shirts 79c Regular price \$1.50.

Every man who needs Shirts will be interested in these Star Brand, pleated bosom shirts, coat style, neat pattern.

GRIDIRON GOSSIP

What will happen to Jack Ryan at the Inter-Provincial meeting in Toronto this evening? Will he be reinstated and given a clean slate, or will he have to leave the amateur ranks for good?

ed money for his services. He will likely go to Toronto to-day so that he may the better explain the matter to the Inter-Provincial authorities.

OTTAWA READY.

Ottawa, Oct. 1.—The Ottawa Football Club held its final practice yesterday afternoon in preparation for Saturday's big clash against the Montreal team in the Inter-Provincial Amateur Football Union.

There is a good deal of strong sentiment in the case, however, which will hardly allow of Ryan being given a clean record. To-night's meeting will deal with his second offence. A year ago there was some doubt as to his being able to play with the Ottawa team, owing to the fact that in the preceding winter he had played "pro" hockey.

Ryan states that he has never received

he had decided not to play with Montreal and that he would likely be here next week. A position awaits him here, it is said, but the feeling is that Kelly will continue to hold down inside wing for the M. A. A. team.

KELLY TO STICK.

Montreal, Oct. 1.—Only one place on the Montreal team to meet Ottawa in the first Inter-Provincial game in Ottawa on Saturday was left in doubt after the Executive made the selection of the fourteen yesterday.

Full-back, Stinson; right half-back, E. Hamilton; centre half-back, Duckett; left half-back, W. Craig; quarter-back, W. Baillie; scrumming, McNamee, McAllen and Collis; right wings, Egan, Baillie and A. Cameron; left wings, Kelly, Ward, Armstrong or Fraser.

The Argos are going to have some trouble in choosing their wing line. Among those working for places on it are "Bud" Kent, "Jeff" Taylor, Bargette, Grant, "Abe" Keith, Baycroft, Brown, Sinclair, Barber, Hoyer, Parsons and Huttie.

The Ottawa Football Club has decided to take out accident policies for each of its players. The insurance companies consider football players good risks, and the Ottawa Executive has decided that it is worth its while to invest in the policies, so that the players may be protected in case of injury.

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The Victoria Senior City Rugby Club and followers will hold an organization meeting at Cooper's hotel on Monday

I. P. R. U. INTERMEDIATE SERIES NOW COMPLETE.

Capitals, of Toronto, Were Admitted at Meeting of Western Division of I. P. R. U. Held Here Last Night—Tigers Will Oppose Ryan.

At a meeting of the western district of the Interprovincial Rugby Union held last evening, the intermediate series was completed by the admission of the Capitals of Toronto into the intermediate series, making a four-club organization composed of the Argos, Capitals, Hamilton Tigers and Dundas.

The following schedule was drafted: Oct. 9—Capitals at Dundas.

Oct. 16—Argos at Tigers.

Oct. 25—Dundas at Capitals; Tigers at Argos.

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Oct. 30—Dundas at Hamilton; Capitals at Argos.

Nov. 6—Tigers at Capitals; Dundas at Argos.

Nov. 13—Tigers at Dundas; Argos at Capitals.

The following board of referees was appointed: Capitals—W. Whale, W. Gladish, T. Hayes, Argos—A. A. Anglin, W. Morrison, Lou Marsh, Tommy Hay, Tigers—D. A. Tope, Gordon Nelson, Dr. Geo. Biggs, H. Hayes, F. Robins and Dr. Morrison. Dundas—G. Harcourt, Whit, Lailey, Peter Laing, Ralph Ripley.

Capt. John Wilson, of the Argos, was appointed chairman of the executive committee of the western district, which is now composed as follows: Dr. Rykert, Dundas, chairman; Capt. Wil- son, Toronto, vice-chairman; G. Holden, Toronto; M. Long, Hamilton; A. Wilson, Dundas, and Secretary M. M. Robinson.

Galt, St. Jerome's College, Berlin and Hamilton Tigers III, were placed in group III, of the western district, with the following schedule for the coming season: Oct. 9—Galt at Berlin.

Oct. 16—Tigers at Galt.

Oct. 23—Berlin at Tigers.

evening at 8:30. Everybody is invited to attend.

The Central Y. M. C. A. junior hatters' football team will practice to-night at the Y. M. C. A. at 7 o'clock sharp.

As the first game of the league is Saturday afternoon, every member of the team is requested to put in an appearance to-night. The team for to-morrow's game will be picked.

Continuing the big heavyweight said that he considered himself in splendid physical condition. "I am quicker than I ever was," he added, "and am confident I can lick Johnson."

To friends with whom he discussed the fight, Jeffries repeatedly said that the only thing he feared was a man with a powerful left.

Mrs. Jeffries is keeping a watchful eye on her husband and accompanies him everywhere.

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Jeffries says he has been working hard both at Carlisle and here, and that he is most anxious for a fight with Johnson. He added, however, that nothing had been definitely settled.

Jeffries, who still calls himself the world's champion, expresses himself as disappointed at the meagre offer of \$55,000 for a fight, saying: "I am the champion of the world. I have everything to lose and nothing to gain. Therefore, I

DETROIT COPS AMERICAN RAG FOR THIRD TIME.

The Tigers Were Beaten at Boston, But the Philadelphia Athletics Were Trimmed Twice by Chicago.

BOSTON, OCT. 1.—The fight for the American League pennant is over, and Detroit is the victor.

Thrice she has won the championship in succession, which is a record for the league. The champions lost yesterday, 9 to 7, but when they learned that Philadelphia had fallen down twice their spirits rose.

Yesterday's game was hard fought, each time using two pitchers. Mullin was batted hard in the first inning, and in a part of the second Willet also was hammered hard.

At St. Louis—Boston won yesterday's game from St. Louis by a score of 4 to 2. Boston's victory made it an even break on the series. Score: R. H. E. St. Louis 2 5 5 Batteries—Matter and Riordan; Raleigh and Bliss.

At Philadelphia—The American championship season was decided in favor of Detroit when Chicago defeated Philadelphia in both games of a doubleheader here yesterday afternoon, the scores being 8 to 5 and 6 to 4.

Philadelphia played poorly in both games. Scores: R. H. E. First game— 3 7 5 Chicago 8 9 3 Batteries—Dyerg and Lapp; Scott and Payne.

Second game— R. H. E. Philadelphia 4 6 2 Chicago 6 12 3 Batteries—Krause, Cooms and Lapp; Burns and Owens.

At New York—A miff of an easy fly by Engle in the ninth inning yesterday gave St. Louis a chance to tie the score.

Bailey, St. Louis' pitcher, by his triple in this round, sent two men over the plate. All the runs of the inning being scored after two men were out. The game was called at the end of the ninth on account of darkness. Score: R. H. E. St. Louis 4 11 2 New York 4 2 1 Batteries—Bailey and Killifer and Stephens; Manning and Blair.

AMERICAN RECORD. Clubs. Won. Lost. P.C. Detroit 97 53 .647 Philadelphia 93 57 .620 Boston 86 62 .581 Chicago 77 73 .513 New York 71 76 .482 Cleveland 70 80 .467 St. Louis 69 86 .441 Washington 41 108 .275

IN THE NATIONAL. At Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh and New York divided a double-header here yesterday, the visitors taking the first game 6 to 2, and the locals the second 9 to 1. Klauttner was strong in the first contest, and Frook, a recruit, held New York at all times in the second game. Gibson, by catching in both games to-day broke the

world's record for the consecutive number of games caught in a season, by having participated in 133 games. McGuire, of the Cleveland Americans, claimed he caught 132 consecutive games. Scores: R. H. E. First game— 2 5 0 Pittsburgh 6 12 0 New York 75 72 510 Batteries—Willet, Leever and Gibson and Simon; Klauttner and Wilson and Meyers.

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NATIONAL POST SERIES. Cincinnati, Oct. 1.—The National Baseball Commission last evening issued the schedules and plans for the post series games to be played between the New York National League Club and the Boston American League Club, and also between the Chicago National League Club and the Chicago American League Club.

The same rules that govern the world's championship series are to apply, excepting with division of the gate receipts, which matter is to be determined by the two club presidents themselves. The usual prices of admission during the regular season will be charged. The National Commission will be represented during the New York-Boston contests by Frank C. Bancroft, of Cincinnati, assisted by Fred M. Knowles, of New York, and Hugh McEen, the Chicago contests will have as commission representatives, E. S. Barnard, of Cleveland, with Charles G. Williams and Charles A. Fredericks as assistants. The umpires in the New York-Boston games will be Rigler and Robert Emslie, of the National League, and T. M. Connelly and J. J. Egan, American League, Kane and Perrine will be substitutes. The games will commence at 2 o'clock. The schedule for New York-Boston: Friday, Oct. 8th, New York; Saturday, Oct. 9th, New York; Monday, Oct. 11th, Boston; Tuesday, Oct. 12th, Boston; Wednesday, Oct. 13th, New York; Thursday, Oct. 14th, Boston.

For Chicago: Friday, Oct. 8th National League Park; Saturday, Oct. 9th, American League Park; Sunday, Oct. 10th, National League Park; Monday, Oct. 11th, American League Park; Tuesday, Oct. 12th, National League Park; Wednesday, Oct. 13th, American League Park.

When religion is only an exercise instead of a life folk do not work at it much.

No wonder many pray for a home in heaven when they have so much of hell at home.

COMMENT AND GOSSIP

Three hot favorites put over yesterday. A few more such and we will be able to buy a Grand National jumper.

The talent have certainly had all the best of the betting since the bang-tails started in the fall meeting of the H. J. C., and already ten bookies have quit.

Jack Ryan has been an interested spectator at the Rugby practices of the Rough Riders, and will doubtless continue in that role.

The Tigers had a good workout in the mud yesterday afternoon. Captain Ben Simpson says the boys have to get used to all kinds of conditions. The players weren't exactly objects of beauty when they got through.

Parke, the Yankee wrestler, was at the races yesterday.

"We think we will have no difficulty in winning the world's championship,"—Chorus from Detroit and Pittsburgh.

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"If I don't open a club when I return to Sydney, Australia, I am going to take a trip home to Canada and America for a visit, but will return to Australia again, as I like the country, and the people, too. I'll be after Johnson again if I come, as I did not do myself justice the last time we met, and I was not beaten when the police stopped it, although I had the worst of it; but I had a great chance to score a knockout, as Johnson had to go to the hospital the day after the fight, thinking he had two broken ribs.

THE RING Paris, Oct. 1.—James J. Jeffries, the American heavyweight, who has been training here for his proposed fight with Jack Johnson, said to-day, that he had almost completely recovered from the cold which he contracted several days ago while attending the races. He will leave here for London on Tuesday next, and will take the steamer for the United States on Oct. 18.

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LARGE CROWD AT THE TRACK DESPITE RAIN.

The Royal Canadian Handicap Was Won by the Bedwell Entry—Mazuma Won Mile Event on the Turf—Upsets Were Frequent.



THE THIRD DAY of the autumn meeting of the Hamilton Jockey Club was marked by a good attendance, notwithstanding the disagreeable weather, and some sparkling finishes. The attendance from Toronto was estimated at about eight hundred, while the Buffalo special carried about half that number. The day was an unfortunate one for the jockeys, five losing their seats and at least one being badly injured. In the first race Willie Hammond, the local boy, was thrown by Carver at the start. Before he could get off the track one of the horses in the rear stepped on him, but fortunately beyond a couple of cuts he was not seriously injured. The worst accident came in the fifth race, when Jockey Ganz got a fall that will lay him up for some time. It was a furious event, and the horses had not reached the first turn when someone cut over in front of Ganz, who was on the rail, and upset him. He sailed out of the saddle, and striking the top rail of the fence, slid along it for about twelve feet, and then, striking one of the barrier supporting rails, was knocked to the ground. The assistants hurried to his aid with a stretcher, and seeing him huddled up a lifeless bundle by the rail, they at first thought he had been rendered unconscious. Although not in this state, he was badly bruised, and could move only with the greatest difficulty, and pain. His clothes were literally torn to pieces, and it is a marvel how he escaped without any broken bones. He was carried to the jockeys' room, and after being examined by Dr. Rennie was sent to the City Hospital. His condition is not looked upon as serious, but there is a possibility of internal developments within the next few days. In the steeplechase three upsets occurred. Wayway was a six to five favorite in this event, and the talent backed the horse heavily. The first five jumps had not been cleared, however, when Jockey Heider was unseated. Steve Lane was the only one of the five starters to finish without accident. Bergamo lost McClain at the last hurdle, but as there was nothing coming behind the jockey had plenty of time to remount and get the second money. High Hat fell at the fourth jump, and Sampson hit the turf with such a thump that he was stunned for a while. Dr. J. F. Aiken absolutely refused to take the last jump. There was a hot tip on Chiffade in the

Windsor Racing Association on Oct. 12, and the session will continue for eleven days, and will wind up the racing season on the northern circuit. The best of the horses that have been campaigning on the Canadian courses this year will be in attendance, and already most of the stalls have been spoken for by owners who will stop over here on their way to the south and west. The meeting will be particularly strong in the jumping events, and the events through the field are sure to attract some of the best "leppers" in the country. Already there are nearly 200 horses on the grounds. The daily offerings will average about \$2,700, and there will be no purse of less value than \$300, handicaps and special events running as high as \$600 and \$700.

Toronto Polo Team Defeated Montreal.

The Toronto polo team defeated Montreal yesterday afternoon at the Woodbine by the score of 6 to 4 in the second game of the series between Buffalo, Montreal and Toronto for the cup donated by the Canadian National Exhibition. Buffalo and Toronto have now one win apiece and will meet in the final game on Saturday. The match was exceedingly interesting, but few spectators were present to enjoy its fascination. The game was fast at all stages, and although Montreal scored first the game looked all favorable to Toronto until the eighth period, when Montreal began to get in some fine work, resulting in a score for the visitors in the eighth, one in the ninth and another in the tenth. The game was fast from start till finish, and although both teams played good polo, Toronto showed themselves to be the best at team work and accurate shooting. Both teams were equally well mounted. The feature of the game was the dashing playing of Emsley, of Toronto, he being responsible for six of the goals the locals tallied. Toronto (6)—Capt. Young, No. 1; Capt. Straubezie, No. 2; Major Emsley, No. 3; Mr. MacBrien, back. Montreal (4)—Mr. De Balfour, No. 1; Lieut.-Col. Meighen, No. 2; Mr. Sexton, No. 3; Mr. Robertson, back. Referee—Mr. Burton Holland.

Baseball.

Local ball fans, who have been following the interests of the Inter-City League, will be out in force at Britannia Park to-morrow afternoon, to see the big game between the Pleasure Club and the Gould, Shapley & Muir aggregation of Brantford. This is the first game in the home and home series arranged last week, to decide the champions of the second series of the League race, and the winners of these two games will go into the finals with St. Patricks, who won the first series. The manner in which the three teams are tied up, while very interesting, is unfortunate, owing to the manner in which the season is drawn out and prolonged, although it will doubtless prove just as interesting to the end as it has this last couple of weeks. The Brantford club has taken advantage of every chance to win the second series, even going so far as to practically depend upon the kindness of their own umpire last Saturday to help them out of the hole. The West Enders feel that they were enured out of the game in Brantford through the inability of Ump Miller, and are feeling anything but pleasant over the turn that affairs took. As a result they will make every effort to win the game to-morrow afternoon, and with Southern in the box, are confident that they will play up enough runs on the visitors to hold them for the return game in Brantford, on Oct. 9. The game to-morrow will be called at 3 p. m., and the West Enders will have the same team in the field that has proven such a good aggregation during the past four weeks.

Showing Where Silver is Found -- Gow Ganda

An illustrated booklet with two maps of the district showing properties on Lake Gow Ganda, location of Bartlett Mines, and relation of new camp with regard to R. R. and stage connections, will be sent free to anyone on request. It tells all about the Bartlett Mines. Ask for Booklet A.

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MARKETS AND FINANCE

Toronto Markets

LIVE STOCK. The three railways reported receipts of live stock at the city market on Wednesday and Thursday as being 145 cars, consisting of 2,290 cattle, 2,564 hogs, 2,300 sheep and lambs, 143 calves, and 1 horse. The bulk of the cattle on sale as fat were of the common to medium class. Trade was quiet, but steady, the good quality butchers and feeders being readily picked up as there were plenty of buyers for both. Prices, as a rule, for butchers' cattle were much the same as on Tuesday, as will be seen by the many sales given below. Exporters—No sales of export steers were reported, but a few bulls sold at \$3.25 to \$4.00. Butchers—Geo. Rowntree, who bought \$20 cattle for the Harris Abattoir Co., quoted prices as follows: Steers and heifers, \$4 to \$5.15, with a few prime quality at \$5.40 to \$5.50; cows, \$1.50 to \$4.10. Over 100 of these cattle were from the Northwest. Stockers and Feeders—Best steers, 900 to 1,000 lbs., at \$4 to \$4.50; steers, 800 to 900 lbs., at \$3.25 to \$3.75; best stockers, \$3; common stockers, \$2 to \$2.25. Milkers and Springers—There was a steady trade for all good quality milkers and springers at prices ranging from \$35 to \$65 each, but not many brought the latter price. Veal Calves—Receipts of veal calves were not large. There was little change in price, being reported as selling from \$3 to \$7 per cwt., but there are few calves that reach 7 per cwt. the bulk of fair to good quality sell from \$5 to \$6 per cwt. Hogs—Selects sold at \$8.25, fed and watered, and \$8 f. o. b. cars at country points. Dealers quote the market easy, with prospects of still lower quotations. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts of 2,300 sold at about steady prices. Export ewes, \$3.50 to \$3.90; rams, \$2.50 to \$3 per cwt.; lambs, \$4.50 to \$5.65 or an average of \$5.35 per cwt. Hops—Selects sold at \$8.25, fed and watered, and \$8 f. o. b. cars at country points. Dealers quote the market easy, with prospects of still lower quotations.

FARMERS' MARKET.

The offerings of grain were about 800 bushels. Wheat easier, 200 bushels of fall selling at \$1.00. Barley quiet and firm, 100 bushels selling at 58 to 60c.

FRUIT MARKETS.

The market to-day was well supplied with peaches and grapes, prices of which were easy. Vegetables in moderate offer. Grapes, small basket, \$0 10 to \$0 15. Do., large, \$0 20 to \$0 30. Oranges, Val., \$2 75 to \$3 50. Lemons, Verdell, \$2 75 to \$3 00. Peaches, Can. com., \$0 25 to \$0 40. Do., Crawford, \$0 50 to \$0 75. Plums, Can. basket, \$0 30 to \$0 50. Pears, basket, \$0 35 to \$0 45. Do., Bartlett, \$0 50 to \$0 65. Apples, basket, \$0 15 to \$0 30. Crabapples, basket, \$0 20 to \$0 30. Tomatoes, Can. basket, \$0 15 to \$0 25. Potatoes, Can. bush, \$0 50 to \$0 60. Do., sweet, barrel, \$4 50 to \$5 00. Cantaloupes, crate, \$0 50 to \$0 65. Peppers, red, basket, \$0 75 to \$0 90. Do., green, basket, \$0 25 to \$0 35. Egg plant, basket, \$0 35 to \$0 45. Cranberries, bbl., \$8 00 to \$9 00. Onions, Spanish, case, \$2 75 to \$3 00.

UNION STOCK YARDS.

McDonald & Halligan sold 72 lambs, 83 lbs. each, at \$5.65; 47 lambs, 77 lbs. each, at \$5.50; 62 lambs, 88 lbs. each, at \$5.50; 20 sheep, 130 lbs. each, at \$3.50; 14 sheep, 155 lbs. each, at \$3.90; all per cwt.

SUGAR MARKET.

St. Lawrence sugars are quoted as follows: Granulated, \$4.85 per cwt. in bags; No. 1 golden, \$4.45 per cwt. in bags. Beaver, \$4.55 per cwt. in bags. These prices are for delivery here. Car lots 5c less. In 100 lb. bags prices are 5c less.

OTHER MARKETS.

Winnipeg Wheat Market. Wheat—October 91 3/8c, December 92 1/8c, May 97 1/8c. Oats—October 33 1/4c, December 32 1/8c, May 35 1/4c. BRITISH CATTLE MARKETS. London.—London cables for cattle are lower, at 12 1/2 to 13 1/2c per lb. for Canadian steers, dressed weight; refrigerated beef is quoted at 11 1/2 to 11 3/4c per lb. NEW YORK SUGAR MARKET. Sugar—York, steady; fair refining, \$3.71 1/2; centrifugal, 96 test, \$4.23 1/2; molasses sugar, \$3.68 1/2; refined, quiet.

LONDON WOOL SALES.

London.—A miscellaneous selection of 9,841 bales was offered at the wool auction sales to-day. Competition was brisk, and prices ruled firm. Continental buyers were especially eager for scourings and American paid high prices for cross-breds and light merinos. The sales will close to-morrow. To-day's sales follow: New South Wales—2,900 bales; secured, \$1 1/2 to 1 1/4c; 11 1/2c; greasy, 9d to 1s 3d. Queensland—1,000 bales; secured, 1s 10 1/2 to 1s 11 1/2c; greasy, 9d to 1s 10 1/2c. Victoria—900 bales; secured, 1s 10 1/2 to 2s 2c; greasy, 1s 10 1/2 to 1s 2d. South Australia—600 bales; secured, 1s 10 to 1s 9 1/2c; greasy, 1s 11 1/2 to 1s 2d. New Zealand—3,900 bales; secured, 1s 12 to 1s 10 1/2c; greasy, 1s 12 to 1s 2 1/2c. Cans of Good Hope and Natal—

THE TIMES' FORM CHART

HAMILTON, Sept. 30.—Third day of the Hamilton Jockey Club's fall meeting. Weather showery. Track fast.

Table with columns: Race, Ind. Horses, Wt. St., Str., Fin., Jockeys, Open Close Place. Includes race 62-First Race, 1-16 miles, purse \$100.

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Table with columns: Race, Ind. Horses, Wt. St., Str., Fin., Jockeys, Open Close Place. Includes race 66-Fifth Race, 6 furlongs, purse \$600.

Table with columns: Race, Ind. Horses, Wt. St., Str., Fin., Jockeys, Open Close Place. Includes race 67-Sixth Race, 1 mile, on turf, purse \$50.

PLAYING FOOTBALL



Learn to block and to prevent the opposition getting at your backs. Either shoulder or hip can be used and both have variations. Blocking with the arms borders on holding. To block effectively one must remain close to the man he is blocking. Knowing by the signal where to play will go the blocker has an advantage over the other fellow, which is valuable. When the ball is heeled out the blocker must keep striking his man with his shoulder, if possible. He must keep his feet in such a position that he will not be jerked forward on his face and should his opponent evade the shoulder he should be given the hip. A blocker can so wrap himself around his man that the latter can do nothing, his movements being checked long enough to permit the runner to get away. The straight arm is invaluable in an open field. When about to be tackled the runner shoots out his free arm, palm open, meeting the charge of the tackler with the arm rigid and often hurrying him aside to such an extent that he is rolled on his back. The arm should be directed at the breast if the runner is running high, or at his head or shoulder if running low. The runner should conceal his intent until the last minute and then put weight in his arm.

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LONDON MARKET.

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COBALT STOCKS.

Table with columns: Company Name, Price. Includes items like A. N. C., A. C. P., etc.

CUSTOMS COLLECTIONS.

Table with columns: Year, Amount. Includes 1908, 1909, 1906, 1907.

New York and other Stocks

Table with columns: Stock Name, Price. Includes items like Amalgamated, Beaver, etc.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE

Table with columns: Company Name, Price. Includes items like Bank of Commerce, Dominion, etc.

STRATTON'S DECLARATION.

No Corrupt Practices in Election to His Knowledge.

Mr. Leary Was Not in Town When Alleged Money Paid.

Mr. Hall's Version of the Gates Interview—Case Going On.

Peterboro, Sept. 30.—Strong evidence was given today in the hearing of the petition to unseat Mr. J. R. Stratton, Dominion member for West-Peterboro, to show that Robert H. Leary was not even in the city at the time it has been alleged he was dispensing \$2 bills at the Liberal committee room on election day.

Mr. Watson—Now, with one exception, these six persons who have given evidence say that Leary was there between 4 and 4.30.

Mr. Hall went on to say that a meeting was arranged between Mr. Stratton and Gates, Ashley was along, and Gates repeated his offer, while Ashley was willing to do the same thing for \$200.

Mr. Watson—Where you were on election day? "I practically spent the whole day there. I went out to lunch and voted before I got back."

Mr. Hall went on to say that Leary came in between 2.15 and 2.30, and left shortly before 3 to make a round of the polling stations in Ward 2, returning about 2.30, and after giving witness the information he had acquired left for North Monaghan.

Mr. Watson—Now, with one exception, these six persons who have given evidence say that Leary was there between 4 and 4.30.

There's not a particle of truth in it. Mr. Hall had no special recollection of seeing any of the men who had given evidence at the committee room on election day.

"I saw no money going, and heard very little about such things. I heard of some people being sent to get money. Some spoke to me about getting money, and I told them there was no money going."

"Who spoke to you?" "I remember Matthew Clancy. I told him there was nothing doing, and several others. I don't exactly recollect who they were. Laboring men."

"This man Gates has given evidence. What do you know about him?" "The only occasion I had any conversation with him was on the night of September 21st; he came to my office. I went into my private office with Mr. Stratton and introduced him to Gates and Ashley."

"How did they happen to be there?" "I heard Gates wanted to sell himself, and I thought it was wise to know something about his character and disposition."

"You knew his name was in the particulars?" "Yes."

"Did you arrange with him to come there?" "No; he came to the office and introduced himself. He said that he had heard that money was going in connection with the giving of evidence on the hearing of the protest. I asked him what he knew, and he said: 'I am a very important witness. He impressed me as being an important man, and I wanted to hear what he had to say. He then said: 'I am going to swear against Mr. Stratton and your partner, Walter Davidson. I am going to say I got \$5 from them and \$10 from R. H. Leary in the little committee room on election day.'"

"Did you see anything about Mr. Burnham giving him \$50?" "No."

Mr. DuVernet—You interested yourself in getting statutory declarations? "No, not particularly."

Mr. DuVernet—Where you were on election day? "I practically spent the whole day there. I went out to lunch and voted before I got back."

Mr. Watson—Now, with one exception, these six persons who have given evidence say that Leary was there between 4 and 4.30.

"I might have mentioned it to some of them."

"Did you offer money for the declarations?" "No."

"Were you asked for money in the committee room?" "I have an indistinct recollection of it."

"Perhaps you passed them on to somebody else?" "I did not."

THE RESPONDENT'S EVIDENCE. Something of a stir took place in the court when Mr. J. R. Stratton was called to the witness box. Mr. Watson plunged right into the incidents said to have taken place in the committee room on election day.

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JUMPED INTO RIVER. Joseph Gay, of Ottawa, Takes His Own Life.

CONVICTION HOLDS. Woman Putting Her Husband on Indian List Can't Change Mind.

BOYS ILL-USED.

Serious Charges Laid Against a Mariposa Farmer.

Lindsay, Sept. 30.—This morning before Magistrate Moore a charge was heard against a Mariposa farmer of assaulting two Bernardo Home boys, Albert E. Carter, fifteen years of age, and John W. Young, eight years of age, who were indentured to him.

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MOHAMMED AHMED
A Blatant Imposter and a Hypocrite

BY HALL CAINE

The name of the Mahdi, Mohammed Ahmed, can hardly be used in an English newspaper without calling up the picture of a blatant imposter, a gross conceited tyrant, a mere fanatic-hypocrite, as Carlyle would say, who put pepper under his finger nails in order to excite the lachrymal glands, who professed a stern asceticism, and was yet a glutton and a drunkard, and who so descended at a thousand points from the prophetic pedestal that he could only be classed with the winking virgins.

Utter error, as stupid as cruel! I think I have learned something about Mohammed Ahmed. Two years ago I travelled far and wide in Egypt and the Sudan, in order to talk with people who knew, had served under, met, or even seen the Mahdi, and therefore it is my own fault if by this time I do not know as much about Mohammed Ahmed as anybody else now living. The result of my study is a strong conviction that the Mahdi was a great man, great in temperament and in a sincerity which may have been blind, but was certainly irresistible. It is true that he degenerated after he conceived (or allowed himself to acquiesce in) the idea of his divinity, but the wild-eyed Dongolawi began as a genuine Islamic reformer, not thinking of self-interest, of the acquisition of personal power or wealth, only concerned to protect against the corruptions which had crept into his faith. Thus he came into collision with the sacred law, which was opposed to all change, all efforts at amelioration, and, therefore, into violent opposition with the classes that lived by supporting its evils. The result was spiritual and even personal outbursts, conspiracies to take him in political traps, to accuse him of sedition against the sovereign lord of the state, and thereby to put an end to him and his reformation.

It is the old story over again, and it has the same sinister end. Mohammed Ahmed, surrounded by followers who worshipped, and others who exploited him, fell into the great temptation which the devil always keeps waiting for the man who, having devoted his life to a work of humanity, has separated himself from his fellow men—he became the Son of God, the Messenger of the Almighty, the Mahdi. That was the beginning of the end. What happened thereafter every one knows, how the man himself decayed; how the sincere religious reformer became a self-seeking political despot; how he sacrificed thousands of lives to his mad aspirations; how he died at the height of his success (having killed our great Christian soldier, and driven the mighty power of the British empire out of the Sudan), and how his successor, with the frenzied folly of a raving, exterminated ten millions of his own people in his effort to hold them together, and was wiped out at last as a sequel to the orgy of Derivish blood which is known in history as the battle of Omdurman. But nevertheless, I ask the reader to observe (a) that the Mahdi was created by the corruptions that had crept into his own faith, and (b) that his effort at reforming Islam was crushed by the power of European bayonets, pushed on by a mad old chieftain that was fighting for his own existence.

When two years ago I saw something of Gasparinski, he was making preparations for a great Islamic conference of Mohammedan leaders from all countries to consider how best they might abolish the abuses of their law. The conference was to be held in Cairo this year, and when I asked him why in Cairo instead of Constantinople, he answered, as nearly as I can remember, "Because it is only in a British Government that we have the right of free speech."

Vain hope—as pathetic as fruitless! The conference has not been held, and I am afraid I am not wrong in concluding that the conservative classes in Islam itself have fostered the idea that the Pan-Islamism of Gasparinski and his comrades is not so much an internal reformation as a conspiracy of all the Moslem peoples against the welfare of the western nations.

It is the hourly old trick once more, the same that was played in Jerusalem, 2,000 years ago, and it shows the enormous difficulties of a British Government in a country professing an alien religion law, over which the political powers can have no real control.

Lord Cromer says truly that if the movement towards reform must come from within, that it must be initiated by the Egyptian people themselves, and that the British authorities must remember that it is not only futile, but dangerous work to interfere with the religious institutions of an alien race. I go farther than that. I say that such our political position in Egypt that we must always be putting ourselves into antagonism to any active internal reformation whatever. This is a serious accusation, but I do not think it will be difficult to establish it.

Look at Mahdism in the Sudan. Lord Kitchener did not by any means wipe it out when he tore the remains of the Mahdi's body out of the tomb that had been shelled by British artillery and scattered them in the Nile. Hardly a month passes without somebody who claims divine inspiration springing up somewhere. The attitude of the Sirdar's Government towards these pretenders is sensible, but also significant. It is one of suspicion towards a leader who is gathering crowds of adherents, and of course the tendency of the Ulama (the recognized Moslem leaders) is to try to get such a person suppressed. He may be a man of peace at first, but experience shows that as soon as he has secured sufficient adherents he will give the Government a deal of trouble. Therefore, as soon as he commits a real offence, such as resisting authority, inciting the people to rebellion, and giving "divine" sanction for the removal of officials, he is clapped under arrest.

"And quite properly," the western critic will rightly say. But wait! Let me carry the reader back to that vast, fertile country of El Azhar, in Cairo, which I have described as the greatest, though generally the quietest, breeding ground of unrest in the east. What does the Mohammed Ahmed of the present day take to that astounding place? He takes first of all the prevailing tendency of the Mahdist spirit at the present moment to look forward to the advent of Jesus Christ, the divinely appointed Saviour who is to bring back the universal Caliphate, to unite the faiths, to es-

tablish the world's peace, and to restore the purity of the human race. This is who now gather great numbers of adherents claim to be "Seiyda Isa," out Lord Jesus. The prophecy on which the hope of Christ is founded has no recognized place in Mohammedan theology, and exists only in the heart of the Arab people and in the records of their traditions, but it is a very real thing nevertheless. I discovered it far away on the desert when talking to a group of unlettered Arabs, and though some of my friends found it amusing that half-crazy creatures all over the Sudan should pretend to be Christ, I thought it a singularly touching and immensely inspiring thought that, in however crude a way, the highest hopes of the Islamic soul were being united to the greatest of the Judaic and Christian faiths.

SEYDINA ISA IN THE SOUDAN. Such, then, is what the new Mohammed Ahmed brings to El Azhar. But what does he find there? He finds that the Christian civilization which has come to Cairo has nothing to say to his hope that he, in his ignorance of western social, commercial and political life, can comprehend. Its greed of wealth, and its lust of empire, are apparently working out in ways that are at war with everything Christ hoped for and foretold. Think of Mohammed standing on the heights of Alexandria and looking down on a line of British battleships! Think of Mohammed walking through the Esbekiah and seeing a regiment of British soldiers marching past him fully armed and preceded by a crashing band! Think of Mohammed reading in his "Lewa" or "El Moayad" of the Frenchman who flew across the English Channel, and realizing that the triumphs of science where men are acquiring the powers of angels are not expected to develop the impulses of anger, the desire to save life, to assuage suffering, to unite human souls hitherto divided by time and space, to bring peace and goodwill to all the world, but to increase the desire of devils to destroy life more swiftly and fearfully than ever before.

What, then? The new Mohammed Ahmed goes back to his distant province of Dongola in the desert to preach Christ's great message, namely, that man does not live by bread alone, but that the things of this world are of little account as compared with the things of eternity, that resistance (save for the reasons that justify holy war) is wicked, and that the civilization which upholds it is brutal and barbarous.

Now, see how easily this message becomes seductive. If the new Mohammed Ahmed plays the part of an Arab Dr. Clifford, openly encouraging passive resistance to the government by the non-payment of taxes, there is a clause in criminal code by which he may be promptly clapped into prison. If he gives way to the besetting temptation of declaring that he speaks by the inspiration of the Almighty, who bids the world to obey God and not the government, he may be instantly shot. Nay, if he does none of these things, but merely preaches an idealistic doctrine about the life of the other world, which makes the affairs of this world of no account, and, therefore, military service unnecessary, he has to be rigorously put down. There can be only one authority in the state at the same time, and people are not going to obey the Sirdar if they think they have the messenger of God in their midst.

What, then, does it all come to? It comes to this, as I see it—that our position as a Christian government in Egypt is so closely analogous to that of the Roman empire in Palestine, 2,000 years ago, that if Jesus Christ Himself were to reappear in the Sudan in the present year of grace, living the same life there as He lived in Judaea, preaching exactly the same doctrine, being hailed by the same cries on going into Khartoum as greeted Him on going into Jerusalem and making the same replies when challenged at His trial about His kingship, the governor-general, Sir Reginald Wingate could only possibly escape from the necessity of putting Him to death.

If that is so, and if it is true that the welfare of a nation rests on its religion, and that we are powerless to do anything for the people under our rule who profess an alien faith except to suppress their highest aspirations, the question arises, has England any right to be in Egypt, in the Sudan and in India? I think she has a right, a great and sacred right.

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DIED IN AGONY.

Little Boy at Waverly, N. Y. Scratched by Mad Dog.

Waverly, N. Y., Sept. 30.—A scratch from the paw of a rabid dog was responsible for the death to-day of George Murray, the four-year-old child of a local merchant. The boy was playing near his home recently with two other boys, when they were suddenly attacked by a strange dog. The other two were bitten and were sent to the Pasteur Institute for treatment as soon as it became known that the dog was mad. The Murray child's injury was so superficial, however, that no alarm was felt. Yesterday he developed unmistakable symptoms of rabies and died to-day in great agony.

VIA SMITH'S FALLS.

Route of the Canadian Northern Approved.

Ottawa, Sept. 30.—Hon. Geo. P. Graham to-day approved the route map of the new line of the Canadian Northern Railway from Toronto to Ottawa via Smith's Falls. The route of the western portion of the line was approved last year, but approval of the eastern section has been withheld, pending the decision as to whether the line would run through Smith's Falls or through Lanark. These sections of eastern Ontario made strong pleas for the new road. The Canadian Northern has agreed to build a branch line to Lanark, thus meeting the demands of the district for a needed improvement in railway facilities.

THE SUFFRAGETTES.

Women's Trades Union League Warned Against Propaganda.

Chicago, Sept. 30.—Warnings to American working girls against the suffragettes of England and female suffragists in the United States were given to delegates attending the National Women's Trade Union League. Miss Mary MacArthur representing the trade union women of England, declared that the leaders of the English suffragette movement soon would visit America and that she wished to inform American working girls that the trade union women of Great Britain were not in sympathy with the English woman suffrage movement. She declared that the policy of the suffragettes was to procure recognition for a middle class and that would do working women no good. American trade union women expressed like sentiments concerning the equal suffrage movement in the United States.

HUNGER FOR TAXES.

How Governments of Various Kinds Rob the People.

(N. Y. Journal of Commerce.) A well-known publicist hazarded the opinion that swelling national budgets are revolutionizing the world. Trade and industry run a risk of being handicapped; prohibition may one day be substituted for protection; class barriers where they are still standing, are being gradually swept away; the accumulation of industrial wealth is being discouraged and may yet be frankly prevented; to the state will be entrusted the task of spending most of the increment earned as well as unearned; the growth of culture will necessarily be checked and socialistic legislation favored. In this vein runs much of the criticism which the budget proposals of the great nations in contest for 1910. Possibly the drift toward socialistic legislation is not deliberate, but rather the result of pure well-meaning in the effort to find new subjects for taxation. Succession duties, everywhere, seem to favor recourse of the national treasury in case of a deficit. In France, for example, \$40,000,000 is needed to balance the receipts and expenses in the estimates for 1910. The Finance Minister proposes to obtain a little over \$8,000,000 of this by an increase in the succession duties, which would then fall into twelve categories, arising from one per cent. for parents or children inheriting small estates up to nine per cent. for estates valued at over \$10,000,000. The twelfth or maximum duty for relatives beyond the fourth degree, or strangers in blood, would be from fifteen to twenty-six per cent., according to the amount of the legacy. Between husband and wife, who form the third category, the charges graduate from three and three-quarter per cent. for sums below \$500 to twelve per cent. Grandchildren or grandchildren would be charged a duty double that for parents or children, or from two to eighteen per cent. The declared motive for this innovation is that the parents, had they lived, would have paid the duty once and the children a second time. The assumption is more ingenious than equitable, but it is a fair example of the lengths to which the Finance Minister of to-day is prepared to go in the endeavor to make both ends meet.

Of course there are other reasons to account for the swelling budgets of the nations than the wasting of national resources on military and naval armaments. But, in the various experiments which are being made in socialistic legislation, there can be no question that preparation for war is responsible for most of the new demands of the national tax-gatherer.

CONVICTED OF WIFE MURDER.

Kingston, N. Y., Sept. 30.—A piece of steel that exactly fitted a break in a bloody razor in Samuel Ford's pocket, brought about his conviction to-day for murder. The piece was picked up near the body of Ford's wife, who was found with her throat cut. Ford, who is a negro, pleaded that his wife committed suicide in a manner designed to cast suspicion upon him.

Hawkshaw Outdone.

Her Father (sternly)—"Genevieve, you are engaged to some young man." Herself—"Oh, father, how did you discover my secret?" Her Father—"The gas bill for last quarter is suspiciously small." Judge.

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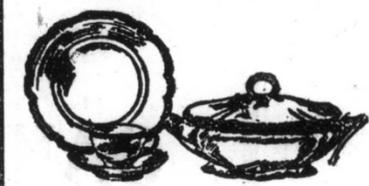


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SWEET PICKLES.

Make a brine strong enough to hold an egg and pour boiling hot over six hundred small pickles and four green peppers. After they have stood for 24 hours take them out and wipe each one dry. Heat sufficient vinegar boiling hot to cover them. Pour the vinegar over the pickles and again let them stand for 24 hours, when the vinegar may be poured off. Prepare fresh vinegar, into which the following ingredients are to be put: One ounce each of white cloves, cinnamon and allspice, two quarts of brown sugar, one half of a pint of white mustard seed, four tablespoonsful of celery seed, and a piece of alum the size of an egg. Heat this scalding hot, pour over the cucumbers and set away for a few days when they will be fit for use.

TO WASH WOOLLENS.

Turn inside out and shake well to remove all dust. Wash in warm soap lather, using scrap jelly. Knead and squeeze the garment, well washing both sides, only rubbing the soap on the most soiled parts, as rubbing tends to harden the fabric. Rinse several times in warm water to remove the soap. Add a small portion of soap to last rinsing water, as this makes the flannel softer. Wring as dry as possible and hang up to dry at once, shaking the garment and pulling it into shape once or twice during the day. This raises the pile and softens the material. In order to avoid the shrinking of woollen materials, lukewarm water should be used for washing and ironing. Flannels require quick washing and drying, and when possible dried out of doors if fine, as they are liable to steam of hung before a fire, as this shrinks them. For new flannels use ammonia soap. Fine flannels may be ironed when dry. Air well before putting away.

CARE OF FEET.

If one's feet burn and are dry they should after the evening bath be rubbed thoroughly dry and some good oiled cream with plenty of lanoline should be rubbed in. Several minutes should be spent on each foot and the superfluous cream removed with a bit of old cotton or with cheesecloth. The latter, which is easily washed, should always be kept on hand when oiled cream is used. After the cream is thoroughly rubbed in and the surplus removed the feet may be bathed with witch hazel or cold water containing a little alcohol. This will stimulate the skin and the cream already absorbed will prevent its drying or with cheesecloth. The latter, which is easily washed, should always be kept on hand when oiled cream is used.

NERVOUSNESS HELP.

If you are suffering from nervousness do not overlook the value of deep breathing. Many persons have worried off acute nervous prostration by drawing in deep breaths at frequent intervals during the day.

DRUNK ON THE BENCH.

Commission to Try Judge Maclean, of Battledore, on That Charge.

POOR LAW CHILDREN.

Greenwich Guardian Decide Not to Send Them to Canada. London, Sept. 30.—The Greenwich Board of Guardians to-day discussed the emigration to Canada of poor law children between the ages of seven and nine. The chairman said they would be sent to farms. Mr. W. H. Reynolds declared such children could not be properly educated. If they had to work on farms, it could be taken for granted that the farmer would hope to make a profit out of their work, and they be dealt with as slaves. The committee's recommendation that the children be emigrated was defeated by a large majority.

COW TESTING.

Difference of Earning Powers of Cows of Same Herd.

The Dominion Department of Agriculture Branch of the Dairy and Cold Storage Commissioner issues the following from records being received at Ottawa from members of cow testing associations there is apparent a very marked variation in the earning power of the various cows in the same herd. There is every indication of many of last season's variations being repeated, such totals will show in many cases twenty-five dollars difference in income between two cows in the same herd. In some herds this is increased to forty dollars. For instance, in a herd of 11 cows an eight year old cow gives actually 4,200 lb. milk and 180 lb. fat more than a five year old in the same stable during the same time. Placing a value of only 20 cents per pound on the butter, the one cow is thus seen to earn over forty dollars more than the other.

This is the important point to notice; there are hundreds of farmers in the Dominion in whose herds just such remarkable differences between cows can be found, but the owners are probably unaware of the extent of such differences and will continue to be without the information so essential in these days of close margins until a record is kept of the production of each individual cow in the herd. Just a few minutes figuring per month will add vastly to the interest of the daily milking, besides providing a sure guide for rearing more profit per cow. The keeping of such records may have a special attraction for some younger member of the family.

DOMINION REVENUE.

Great Increase in Customs Receipts for September.

Ottawa, Sept. 30.—The customs revenue of the Dominion for the month just ending shows an increase of no less than thirty-five per cent. over September of last year. The total collections were \$5,437,458, an increase of \$1,409,531. For the six months of the fiscal year the customs revenue totals \$28,781,068, an increase of \$5,918,350, as compared with the first half of the last fiscal year.

A Pleasant Trip.

"I hope," said the captain, addressing the passengers on a small coaster, "that we all twenty-five will have a pleasant trip. The soup then appeared. 'I trust, too, that we—er—twenty-four will reach port benefited by the voyage, and, as I look upon you—er—twenty-two smiling faces I am sure the group of—er—seventeen will be a happy family.' Will all

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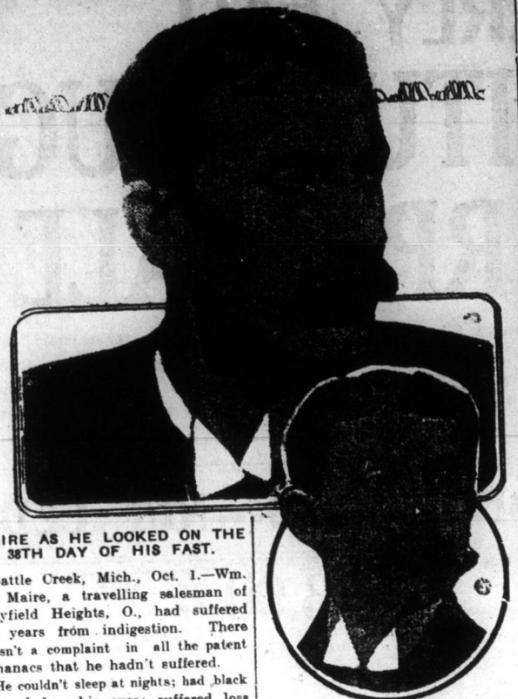
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of you—er—thirteen I see at the table join me in drinking a health to our coming trip? We seven, that is, three—well, you and I, my dear Mr. Steward, clear away these dishes."—Baltimore.

BEAMSVILLE FALL FAIR. Two Thousand Present In Spite of Weather. The Exhibits Best In the History of the Fair. Racing Events the Great Attraction of the Day.

The weather man certainly seems to have a grudge against the fall fairs this year, as the inclement weather yesterday prevented another, the Clinton and Louth Agricultural Societies' fair at Beamsville, from having the record-breaking attendance which the directors were confident they would have had if the day had been fine. In spite of the unfavorable conditions, however, there was a large crowd present, which the officials estimated at about 2,000. The entries in nearly all the departments were larger than in previous years. There was a slight falling off in cattle, but in horses the showing outdressed anything ever before known in the history of the society. There was an excellent display of poultry, it being perhaps the largest and best the society ever had. The raw fruit showing was the largest and best ever known, and contained the best of grapes, of which there was an extra large lot, peaches, pears, apples, and the judges found it hard to award the prizes, as there was not a poor or undeserving exhibit in the lot. Canned fruit was not large, but made up in quantity. In fine arts the show was very large, but the quality was above the average, and some excellent work was seen. There was a liberal display of vegetables, and here again the judges found it difficult to award prizes. The grain exhibit was not as large as in former years. Some choice samples of winter wheat were shown, but there were only a few entries in this class. A large space, taken up by the ladies' department for fancy work, was well filled with all the pretty articles on the list of necessities, and was the best ever seen at the fair, both in quality and quantity. Some beautiful paintings on silk attracted much attention. The Beamsville Band was in attendance and added greatly to the pleasure of the day by playing an excellent programme. The races were the main feature, and provided plenty of excitement and entertainment. There were only three entries in the opening race, the free-for-all class, one-mile heats, three out of five. The results were: Fitzgibbon, owned by J. Swartz, of St. Catharines, first; Miss Swift, owned by J. Anderson, of Hamilton, second; Ruby, owned by C. E. Barr, of Vinemount, third. In the 2-40 pace of 2-35 trot class, one-mile heats, three out of five, there were eight entries, the winners being John Reilly, owned by E. Swartz, of St. Catharines, first; King Staunton, owned by G. Zumpstein, of Smithville, second; Sweetheart, owned by W. Reed, of St. Catharines, third. Mr. Reid made a protest in this race that John Reilly was not eligible. In the flat race, half-mile heats, two out of three, there were but three entries, but every heat was exciting. The results were: Trixy, owned by M. Englich, of Beamsville, first; F. Ronner, owned by O. Stewart, of St. David's, second; Jack the Ripper, owned by G. Smith, of Beamsville, third. There was a large entry in the local race, half-mile heats, three out of five, which resulted as follows: Violet Chimes, owned by C. McPherson, of Silverdale, first; Queen, owned by L. Wilcox, of Beamsville, second; Red Lady, owned by E. Durham, of Smithville, third. The special prize given to the oldest man on the ground was awarded to Edward Boughner, the President of the Clinton Agricultural Society. Fred Davey, the Secretary, and the officers, did all in their power to make the fair a big success, and deserve much credit and praise for the excellent manner in which they performed their duties. The staff was: Clinton Agricultural Society: E. D. Boughner, President. W. D. Culp, Vice-President. Fred Davey, Secretary. Hugh Sinclair, Treasurer. Geo. W. Moore, James Crown, H. H. Tufford, W. B. Rittenhouse, R. H. Crow, Frank Housler, Directors. W. D. Fairbrother, J. P. Osborne, Auditors. H. Sinclair, Superintendent of Hall. Louth Agricultural Society: D. B. Rittenhouse, President. Elisha Staff, Vice-President. Wm. Honsberger, Secretary-Treasurer. Adam Craize, Harvey Fawell, C. High, Lewis Haynes, Clayton Culp, J. C. MacIntyre, Wm. Sherk, George High, Aaron Honsberger, Directors.

HE FASTED 50 1-2 DAYS



MAIRE AS HE LOOKED ON THE 38TH DAY OF HIS FAST.

Battle Creek, Mich., Oct. 1.—Wm. H. Maire, a travelling salesman of Mayfield Heights, O., had suffered for years from indigestion. There wasn't a complaint in all the patent almanacs that he hadn't suffered. He couldn't sleep at nights; had black spots before his eyes; suffered loss of memory; walking was impaired, and he had to use two canes. But Mr. Maire, suffering from all these things, was cured! He took a 50-day course of treatment with this remedy and now is a new man. His remedy was: Starvation! Maire came here in March, and all his appearance there would have made an undertaker feel glad. "Starve," the doctors at a health institute here told him. March 15 he fasted for a week. June 1 he started a 20-day fast. He was learning to starve, just like a baby learns to walk. July 1 he entered the starvation Marathon—one that was to break all records for fasting. His food and drink all that time was one gallon of water a day. The first eight days he suffered terribly from hunger. He was delirious. July 8 he heaved a long sigh of content and slept soundly. He had forgotten how to be hungry. When he entered the health institute he weighed 145 pounds. July 8 he weighed 135 pounds. July 15 he had starved 15 days and lost 15 pounds. Aug. 1 he had starved 31 days and lost 18 pounds.

WM. H. MAIRE BEFORE HIS FAST.

Aug. 5 he had starved 36 days and had lost 22 pounds. Aug. 10 he had started 41 days and lost 30 pounds. You see, Maire, instead of living off undigestible food, was giving his stomach the first rest it had had, and was living off the fat of his own tissue. At least that's what the doctors said. At the end of 50 1/2 days he became so hungry that, as he said himself: "I would have died if I hadn't been given food." His first meal was a teaspoonful of milk. On the second day he was given two teaspoonfuls. The third day he had a little broth. The fourth day he had milk and broth. The fifth day he had a piece of toast, some clamjauce, a few spoonfuls of milk and some patent health food. It was a banquet for Maire. From then on his restoration to health was rapid. Finally he drank 38 glasses of milk in one day. Now he says he'll never be sick another day in his life—that is, if there are cows.

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MARCH IN UNIFORM THROUGH NEW YORK STREETS. "Here Come the British!" the Cry of Everybody—Sailors Roused Immense Enthusiasm—Given a Grand Reception—Germans Also Cheered. New York, Sept. 30.—One of the pleasantest features of to-day's military pageant was the hearty interest evidently felt by the crowd in the British sailors and marines, and the appreciative reception accorded them. From the first to the last the crowd found merit aplenty in these sailors here to join in honoring the two men to whom the city has been paying special tribute for a week, and did not hesitate to show its appreciation. The crowd was quick to recognize tactical merit, and unstinted in approval of it where found. They cheered the British jacks in their odd-looking straw hats, and the Royal Marine light infantry with the gold globe on their collars, which tells the story of their hard service in every part of the world. The well-set-up sailors from the British ships in their service uniform aroused great enthusiasm, the acclaim subsiding only to rise again as all the details of precision and perfect alignment of movement were grasped by the crowd. "Here come the British," everybody yelled, and then they all stood up preparatory to giving King Edward men just such a reception as the King's Australian subjects tendered the men of the Atlantic fleet in Melbourne a little over a year ago. It was the first time in the memory of the oldest of those present when a British column of fighting men had paraded through the streets of New York. The Inflexible's band headed the Britishers, and well did it sustain its reputation as one of the finest naval bands on the seven seas. The Britishers got a great reception all along the line, and when the color-bearers with the Union Jack and the Admiral's pennant passed, and the people stood up in honor of the colors, while the American and foreign officers who were in the stand stood at attention, their right hands at their caps in salute. CHEERED GERMANS. New York, Sept. 30.—Twenty-five thousand men of arms marched to-day past the representatives and special envoys of thirty-seven nations, while millions of citizen spectators shouted themselves hoarse in cheers. The great military parade was the climax of the Hudson-Fulton celebration. Although there were tremendous ovations for each body of American troops and unstinted applause in overwhelming volume for the British sailors, the most conspicuous reception of the day went to the sailors of the German fleet, and as they reached the reviewing stand fell into the formal slaps-lap of the parade goose-step and burst into "My Country, 'Tis of Thee," with an overwhelming volume of brass and a fervor which took away the breath of the listeners. The spectators sat silent for a moment, and then, rising bareheaded, cheered and cheered and cheered again, and waved hats and handkerchiefs.

MAD DOG SCARE.

Cattle and Dogs Bitten in Three Districts in Waterloo. Galt, Ont., Sept. 30.—A genuine mad dog scare has seized the entire countryside of North Waterloo, and an Ottawa official of the Dominion Board of Health arrived to-day to report on the situation, which is said to be very serious. The residents of New Germany, Breslau and Shantz station, Waterloo township, are terrorized. On Saturday last a dog in New Germany bit a number of other dogs, which it was deemed wise to have destroyed. Next it made its appearance on the farms of Solomon Gole and Wm. Randall, near Breslau. On the latter's farm it attacked the cattle in the field, and later bit on the farm of Eph. Cressman, at Shantz station, a number of pigs and some cattle. Mr. Cressman got his gun, and shot the dog. The head was severed and sent to Ottawa for examination, where the case was pronounced one of hydrophobia.

Caistorville

On account of the rain last Sunday the S. S. will have their Rally Day next Sunday afternoon. Mr. James Fralick has sold his place to R. B. Sharp. The manager of the football team of last year has left to take up a better paying business. Mr. Curwen (merchant) intends going into the poultry business more extensively. Gas is cheap, but not so cheap but what some residents intend using coal for the winter. Dr. McLeellan has the telephone in his house, and is now able to talk to his friends south of here. The ice cream parlor is about frozen out for this season. Anniversary services will be held in the Methodist Church next Sunday morning and evening, conducted by Rev. Copeland, of Canboro. The painter from Dunaville who was helping to paint at Evergreen Point has gone home.

Cheapside

The young people of the Epworth League and Methodist Church were entertained at the parsonage on Monday evening, Sept. 20. Misses Martha and Agatha Stillwell are absent on a visit to Hamilton and Toronto. A farewell meeting will be held in McMaster hall, Toronto, in honor of two out-going missionaries to India, Rev. John Bates McLaurin and Mrs. McLaurin (nee Mary Stillwell), the daughter of Rev. J. R. Stillwell. The wedding took place in Ottawa on Sept. 27. A farewell meeting will be held in Montreal, and the young people will sail for India on Oct. 1. Mrs. McLaurin is anticipating a meeting with her father, Hattie Day. Mr. W. Degrow made a business trip to Hamilton last Tuesday. Quite a number from this town attended the Rainham Fair on Friday last. Mr. Merritt of Hagersville made a business trip to Hagersville on Thursday last, and also called on his brother-in-law, Mr. Will Walker. Miss Sadie Werner and Mrs. M. Deal called at Mrs. R. Stillwell's on Tuesday, the 20th, while in town.

Attercliffe

Mr. Wm. Laidlaw is preparing to build a barn on his lot at Attercliffe Station. Mr. Robert Carter is making weekly trips to Hamilton, with eggs and poultry. Mr. Ed. Angle is getting well along with his new house and expects to have it completed this fall. A large number of new silos are being built in this neighborhood. Mr. and Mrs. Haues, of Dunville, were Sunday visitors with Dr. McDonald, dentist, and family here. Another important change of property was made in this village this week. Mrs. D. S. Roy, of Georgetown, Mrs. Norman Hill, of Stratford, have returned after making a pleasant visit with the former's sister, Mrs. J. K. Tisdale, and other old friends here.

SCRAP BOOK POETRY

THE CHURCH OF THE WORLD. (The following lines were written many years ago by Richard Monckton Miles, now Lord Houghton. Naturally enough, they gave offence to some of the dignitaries of the established church in England.) I stood one Sunday morning Before a large church door; The congregation gathered, And carriages a score. From one outstepped a lady I oft had seen before. Her hand was on a prayerbook, And held a vinaigrette; The sign of man's redemption Clear on the book was set, Above the cross there glistened A golden coronet. For the obsequious headle The inner door flung wide. Lightly, as up a balloon, Her footsteps seemed to glide. There might be good thought in her For all her evil pride. But after her a woman Peeped surreptitiously within. On whose wan face was graven Life's hardest discipline, The trace of sad trinity Of weakness, pain and sin. The few free seats were crowded Where she could rest and pray. With her worn garb contrasted Each side in fair array. "God's house holds no poor sinners," She walked and walked away. Old Heathendom's vast temples Hold men of every state; The steps of fair Benares Commingle small and great; The dome of St. Sophia Confounds all human state; The aisles of blessed Peter Are open all the year; Throughout wide Christian Europe, The Christian's right is clear. To use God's house in freedom, Each man the other's peer. Save only in that England— Where this disgrace I saw— England, where no one crouches In tyranny's base awe— England, where all are equal Beneath the eye of law. Yet there, too, each cathedral, Contrasts its ample room; No weary beggar resting Within the holy gloom; No earnest student musing Beside the famous tomb. Who shall remove this evil That desecrates our age— A scandal great as ever— Iconoclastic rage? Who to this Christian people Restore their heritage? —Lord Houghton. High Grade Razor Straps. We make a specialty of these goods and carry the most complete line in the city. Prices range from 25c to \$2.50, and include straps made from many leathers. We also carry a very large stock of fine shaving brushes, the bristles of which are guaranteed not to come out. Gerrie's drug store, 32 James street north.

WHITE SLAVERY.

Winnipeg Council Pass Resolution Abolishing Police Regulation. Winnipeg, Sept. 30.—At a special meeting of the City Council to-night to receive the report of the committee which has been conferring in camera with the police commission regarding the segregation of vice, lately put in practice by the police, a resolution was unanimously passed abolishing and instructing the police to break up the Rachel street colony. The preamble of the resolution stated that except in that district the city was purged of women of ill-fame. Eight aldermen were absent. HALF CENT COINS. Canadian Federation of Labor Will Ask for Them. Ottawa, Sept. 30.—The Canadian Federation of Labor to-day passed a resolution calling upon the Government to issue a half-cent coinage; another desired that maritime shipyard should be established, so that Canada should not be dependent on foreign nations or even upon Great Britain for the maintenance of the marine; the Federal Government giving a liberal subsidy in proportion to the tonnage of vessels launched, while a third resolution was to the effect that the Quebec Legislature should see that a uniform system of text books is enforced in that province.

ELECTED OFFICERS.

Geo. Graham President of Licensed and Allied Trades. The following are the officers of the Licensed and Allied Trades Association for the year 1909-10: President, Mr. Geo. A. Graham, Iroquois Hotel, Toronto; First Vice-President, Mr. H. Reid, Ingersoll; Second Vice-President, Mr. Geo. Wright, Walker House, Toronto; Treasurer, Mr. E. Freyseng, Toronto; Secretary, Mr. F. D. Porter, Copland Brewing Co.; Solicitor, Mr. Jas. Haverson, K. C., Toronto. The executive committee consists of Messrs. T. P. Phelan, E. R. Hurst, T. K. Hatfield, A. Bolland and L. A. Howard, of Toronto; Mr. W. E. Allan, of Allandale; Messrs. G. H. O'Neill and A. H. Brenner, of London; Mr. J. K. Paisley, of Ottawa; Wm. Marshall, of Kingston; John Sutton, of Simcoe, and George Bernhardt, of Galt. W. R. Kloepfel, acting secretary.

Merritt Settlement

Mr. Andrew Thompson and Mr. Hiram Lounsbury, of Beamsville, spent Thursday night of last week with relatives in this place, and Friday with relatives at Pulten. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Jacobs, of Winona, visited relatives and friends here on Saturday and Sunday last. A number from this vicinity attended South Grimsby Township Fair at Smithville on Friday last. Many from this place attended the reunion at Mr. J. M. Lymburner's home, Chippewa, on Saturday last. Mr. L. Heaslip, of St. Ann's, called on his friends here on Friday last. Mr. and Mrs. Scott, of Canboro, recently visited at Mr. J. Lampan's. Mr. D. Shaw, of Welland, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends here. Mrs. W. Merritt visited her father, Mr. O. Bartlett, who is very poorly, on Sunday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. A. Lampan spent Friday with relatives at Warner's.

Valens

The Valens and Kirkwall Women's Institute visited the Westover Branch on Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 28. A very pleasant and profitable afternoon was spent, the Valens and Kirkwall ladies taking charge of the programme. After the meeting a sumptuous tea was served by the Westover ladies. Mrs. McDonald made a capital hostess. Miss Grace and B. McBride and Miss Anna Cowen, of Galt, spent Saturday and Sunday the guests of Miss Elsie Valens. Miss Paxton is visiting with her relatives in Dundas. Mr. Lyle Telford has returned from Vancouver, and spent a few days with his father here, before returning to resume his studies at the Medical College, Toronto. The farmers are having their silos filled. A large crowd attended the recital given by the pupils of Miss Agnes Cowie in the Valens school house on Friday evening last, assisted by the Valens orchestra. Mr. John and Miss Agnes Cowie and Miss Sadie Coburn attended the annual

Alberion

Miss Jane Vanderlip is under the care of Dr. Bertram, Dundas. Mrs. Wm. Anderson, Christie's Corners, spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. J. Vanderlip. Miss Claire Millar, Brantford, visited relatives here a couple of days recently. Mrs. Ed. Miller, who was the victim of a paralytic stroke this week, is reported to be recovering nicely. Edgar Haley, Dundas, spent Monday with his uncle, Ed. Lane. Preparations are in progress for building a vestry at the Presbyterian Church here. The Children's Day services were well attended on Sunday afternoon. The meeting of Alberion Ladies' Aid

CASTORIA.

Potsdam, Sept. 30.—Crown Princess Frederick William, who was formerly Duchess Cecilie of Mecklenburg-Schwerin, gave birth to a son to-night. This is the third son born to the Crown Princess.

PILES

Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and guaranteed cure for piles and every form of itching, bleeding and protruding piles. It is the only medicine that cures the disease and restores the patient to health. It is sold by all druggists and is the only one that is guaranteed to cure. It is the only one that is sold by all druggists and is the only one that is guaranteed to cure. It is the only one that is sold by all druggists and is the only one that is guaranteed to cure.

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WATSON'S WINTER WEIGHT VESTS AND DRAWERS, beautiful garments; vests have high neck and long sleeves; colors white and natural. **ET. 25c**

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WOMEN'S NATURAL WOOL UNDERWEAR, three different styles, regularly sold at \$1.25. Vests or either kind drawers. If you want the very best, buy these; per garment. **\$1.00**

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Eagle Knitting Co.'s make of winter weight Cotton Vests or Drawers, all sizes; Vests high neck, long sleeves, open front, both kinds; Drawers regular 25 and 30c. **19c**

Children's Vests Half Price

Think of getting your winter supply at exactly half price. That's the price concession we received because there are no drawers to match. High neck, long sleeves; all sizes; regular 20 to 40c; for half **10 to 20c**

The Sale of Carpet Squares

We have sold more Carpet Squares this fall than we ever did before in anything like the same time. The values are much better, so why shouldn't we? Look around if you will, but you'll surely come back. Tapestry Rugs, all sizes from 6 ft. x 9 ft. to 12 ft. x 13 ft. 6 in. Brussels, Axminster and Velvet Rugs, in large range.

Special Sale of Rugs, 3 x 4 Yds.

Tapestry Floor Rugs, 9 ft. x 12 ft. in three pretty floral patterns, shade of fawn, mahogany and green; regular \$10 and \$12, while they last, your choice. **\$7.69**

Axminster Mats for Less

Good quality Axminster Mats, 29x36 inches, special. **\$1.49**
 Extra quality, Axminster Mats, 24x60 inches, special. **\$2.49**
 Tapestry fringed Floor Mats, 27x50 inches, special. **85c**

The Sale of Blankets and Comforters

Reversible Silkline Comforters, very attractive patterns, well made, fancy and stitched design, splendid fillings, sale. **\$1.25**
 Reversible Turkey Chintz Comforters, one of our special lines—best of material, well filled, large size, \$2.25 value. **\$1.93**
 Napsowell Blankets, far superior to the ordinary flannel-like Blankets, extra strong and heavy; see these before buying any other; regular \$2.25, sale. **\$1.75**
 Unshrinkable Wool Blankets, made from carefully selected wools, thoroughly cleaned—a blanket made to stand a lot of wear; fancy border, special. **\$2.59**
 All pure Wool Blankets continuous nap actually gives double the wear, no trace of burrs, specs or odor; high lofty nap, pink or blue borders \$3.98 to **\$6.98**

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locks—horrible! Ah, my poor lad, you are taking the wrong turn, and laziness gives you the crooked tip. The hardest, take on the painful task of being a loafer. It is not worth while to be a loafer. It is less hard and more healthy to be an honest man."

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To the Lad Entering Man's Estate

An Impressive Lesson on the Folly of Seeking to Escape Life's Duties—From Victor Hugo's Les Miserables

The old man questioned, and the young one replied.

"What's your age?"
 "Going on nineteen."
 "You are hale and lusty. Why do you not go to work?"
 "It makes me tired."
 "What is your trade?"
 "Loafer."
 "Speak seriously. Can anything be done for you? What do you wish to be?"
 "The prince of prigs."
 "A thief!"

In the pause the old man seemed deeply thinking, motionless.

"My boy, you are entering by idleness into the most hard-working of existences. So you brag you are a loafer! Then prepare yourself for toil. Have you seen the 'shoddy devil' machine in a cloth factory? You must take heed of it as a fierce and unrelenting thing. If it were to nip you only by the tail of your coat, you would go through it woefully. Such a devil is idleness—step while there still is time, and save yourself. Otherwise, you are a lost man; before a short time you will be among the teeth. Once clutched, hope no longer for anything. You may be worn out, but never will you have a rest, you hard! The implacable iron hand of Hard Labor forges you into a grappled man. You do not like to earn your livelihood, fulfill a task, and accomplish a duty? It makes you tired, does it, to act like other men?"

LABOR CANNOT BE ESCAPED.

"Well, you shall be unlike them. Labor is the law; whose repulses it shall have trouble and torture. You won't be a workman, and you shall become a slave. Work releases you on one side to tighten its hold on you on the other. You would not be its friend, you must be its negro. Ha! you will not give yourself out honestly, like other men, and you shall sweat as the damned do below. When others sing over their work, you will groan. From afar, you will see your fellow-men laboring, but to you it will seem like playing. To you the farm-hand, the harvest-man, the seaman, or the smith, will appear in glory like the blessed paradise. What a halo surrounds the hammer! It is like delight to drive the play and bind the slaves! What a pleasure to stow the boat running free with the wind! But you, the idler, will have to pick at the granite, haul and lift, drag and tug, draw at your traces, a harnessed beast in the team of Satan!"

"Oh, you want to do nothing, eh? That is your mark? Well, not a week, not a day, not an hour shall pass without utter exhaustion. You will not rise in the morning without anguish. Every passing minute will be ticked off by your muscles cracking. What would be a feather to others will be a ton rock to you. Life will seem a monster around you. Going or coming, merely breathing, they will be dreadful acts. Your lungs will expand as if under a hundred-weight. It will be a problem to you whether you may sleep here or there."

WHEN THE DOORS ARE BARRED.

"Any other man has but to push the door open to be in the outer air. But you cannot do this unless you pierce a stone wall. To go into the street, what has another to do? Just go down-stairs; but you must unweave the threads of your sacking bed-clothes to spin a rope, inch by inch; you must spin through a window, and hang on a cut of the cane. And going into jail at twenty, you will not come out until fifty. You will go in blooming, fresh and rosy, with bright eyes and sound in every tooth; with the silky hair of youth; you will totter, broken down, old, wrinkled, toothless, with white

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SUBSTANTIAL BUT NOT BOOM ORDER.

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increases for the last five years shows that the increase this year is even less than in 1906. This, of course, is accounted for by the fact that a general increase of 10 per cent. was made last year in the assessment.

POPULATION FIGURES.

Ward 7 as usual leads this year in population, with a total of 16,011, an increase of 481, while last year the increase was 1,238. With an increase of 344, Ward 1 ranks second this year. Ward 3, which showed the second largest increase last year, 390, has an increase of 62 this year. Ward 2, which showed a decrease of 44 last year, is 365 behind this year. The department accounts for this by reason of the fact that large buildings are crowding people out of that district, and many are moving to other wards or the suburbs. Ward 5 last year showed a decrease of 97. This year there is a falling off of 284, which the assessors say is due to the wholesale disappearance of foreigners. One big boarding house at the corner of Barton and Bay streets, where over fifty foreigners were housed last year, was vacant this year, and this is only one of many such incidents.

The increase in population last year was 2,900, while this year it is the smallest since 1895.

Ward 2 shows a decrease of 195 in the number of children between the age of 5 and 16 years. Ward 6 also shows a big decrease, 154. Ward 7 has a decrease of 60 and Ward 1, 9. Ward 4 has the largest increase, 171. Ward 5 is next with 80, and Ward 3 follows with an increase of 34.

In children between the age of 16 and 21, Ward 5 leads with an increase of 182; Ward 1 shows an increase of 31, and Ward 3 an increase of 4, while all the other wards show decreases. Ward 6 leading with 83, and the others as follows: Ward 2, 81; Ward 4, 41; and Ward 7, 2.

The total number of children between the age of 5 and 16 is 15,402, a decrease of 233, while last year there was an increase of 236.

The number of children between 16 and 21 years is 11,333, an increase of 10 over last year.

The figures in detail are given in the following tables:

POPULATION.	
Ward 1	10,900
Ward 2	8,100
Ward 3	6,551
Ward 4	10,380
Ward 5	9,803
Ward 6	7,112
Ward 7	11,482
Total	66,967
Increase	301

OTHER FIGURES.	
Total area assessment	\$67,993
Increase	\$4,982
Number of houses	2,101
Increase	301

GOOD-BYE.

Despondent Man Wrote Farewell on Photo.

Battle Creek, Mich., Oct. 1.—Writing his farewell message on the back of his sweetheart's photograph, J. R. Hogg, 24 years old, committed suicide this afternoon in his room at Mrs. Jay Wadsworth's home on Stone avenue. The message, addressed to Miss Mabel Shields, North Shields, England, read:

"Good-bye, until we meet in a better world. God knows."

As letters to a brother in Port Huron, to Chief of Police Farrington and to the Wadsworth family showed that the act had been premeditated, no inquest will be held.

Hogg was an expert chemist and skilled mechanic, but was discharged a month ago by the Grand Trunk locomotive shops. Despondency over losing his job, coupled with loneliness for Miss Shields, is believed to have caused the self-murder.

Potassium cyanide and prussic acid were taken by Hogg, either of which would have caused death.

On the table near the bed where his body was found Hogg had left the girl's photograph and copies of Dante, Tennyson and Shakespeare, each bequeathed to a friend.

TAFT AT SEATTLE.

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 1.—President Taft paid a visit to the Alaska-Yukon Pacific Exposition this morning to witness a parade of the blooded stock in the live stock show. On his way to the fair, he reviewed the children of the Broadway High School. After a half hour at the stock show, the president and party were taken to the Seattle golf Club, where they spent five hours after the start for Tacoma was scheduled.

GIRL'S DEATH.

(Special Despatch to the Times.)
 St. Catharines, Ont., Oct. 1.—Susie Clark, a young girl brought in as a patient from Nanapanee, died under peculiar circumstances in the General and Marine Hospital. Dr. Jory, coroner, has ordered an inquest which will be held this evening.

LABOR FEDERATION.

(Special Despatch to the Times.)
 Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 1.—The Canadian Federation of Labor this morning ended its annual meeting in Ottawa and decided to meet next year at Brantford. President Patterson was re-elected. Z. B. Rubie, Quebec, was chosen vice-president, and J. A. Mercure was re-elected Secretary.

HARRIERS' MEETING.

A meeting of the Central Y. M. C. A. junior harriers will be held in the boys' parlor of Central Y. M. C. A. to-night at 8 o'clock.

Putters usually want to be promoters of piety.

SAVAGE LABRADOR DOGS.

Our landing was attended by a dozen huskies, animals which recent fiction has glorified beyond their deserts. These dogs, led by a bulky animal called Buller, watched us disembark with their bright eyes. Fiction has said how the moment a husky vanquished in fight loses its legs its team mates fall upon and tear it to pieces, but fiction has not added that a child, or even in some instances an adult, must also keep his feet to secure safety from a similar fate. A few months before our visit a child at Cartwright, one of the Hudson's Bay posts, slipped upon a wooden jetty and fell among the huskies. There were upwards of fifty bites upon her before her mother, who showed the highest courage, succeeded in driving the brutes off. During the day time the husky is fairly amenable to the well-aimed stone, but at night, or under stress of temptation, the savage wolf nature breaks out at once. I can remember an anxious pilgrimage I made in the starshine to fetch a shirt I had left to dry on the bushes, during which I was accompanied by Buller and his fellows, all treading delicately.

In the summer time the ordinary Labrador liveyere does not trouble himself overmuch with the problem of dog food. If he happens to catch a fish unfit for human consumption he carries it home for the dogs; if not, the animal goes left unused, and supports themselves by theft or by long hunting expeditions. On one occasion I nearly added a husky to my bag. I came upon him among the spruces some miles inland, and had nearly thrown the rifle to my shoulder, when I recognized that the creature slinking through the shadows was not a wolf, but a dog.

Summer is the hard season for the husky, his owners probably thinking that as he does no work at that time he needs no food; but as soon as the snow comes and the "komatiks," or sledges, appear, the lot of the husky undergoes a change. He is then fed and looked after as much as his needs and the latter at least, more than he likes. He is then the outward and visible sign of the prosperity and status of his owner. A man possessing four dogs is poor, eight makes him well to do, while a liveyere who can count upon sixteen has attained the dignity of a solid yeoman of the Labrador.—H. Hesketh Prichard, in Cornhill.

VALUE OF LAND.

Ward	1909	1910
Ward 1	\$ 1,391,555	\$ 1,400,884
Ward 2	2,745,390	2,715,940
Ward 3	1,962,440	1,928,170
Ward 4	1,337,180	1,329,610
Ward 5	3,145,840	3,177,760
Ward 6	1,690,760	1,744,850
Ward 7	1,651,160	1,646,880
Total	\$13,924,145	\$13,984,094
Increase	\$59,949	

VALUE OF BUILDINGS.

Ward	1909	1910
Ward 1	\$2,117,945	\$2,247,070
Ward 2	3,936,870	3,910,080
Ward 3	2,990,820	3,130,960
Ward 4	2,376,720	2,478,355
Ward 5	2,179,440	2,250,180
Ward 6	3,425,210	3,729,270
Ward 7	3,753,623	3,970,400
Total	\$19,971,825	\$20,707,315
Increase	\$735,690	

BUSINESS ASSESSMENT.

Ward	1909	1910
Ward 1	\$ 84,000	\$ 74,290
Ward 2	1,106,490	1,202,080
Ward 3	78,130	74,760
Ward 4	447,910	453,180
Ward 5	1,090,480	1,095,710
Ward 6	749,450	790,250
Ward 7	708,320	739,660
Total	\$4,341,370	\$4,429,930
Increase	\$88,560	

INCOME ASSESSMENT.

Ward	1909	1910
Ward 1	\$ 191,460	\$ 220,400
Ward 2	681,210	670,110
Ward 3	323,610	329,820
Ward 4	45,900	38,940
Ward 5	43,160	49,740
Ward 6	34,090	44,280
Ward 7	60,550	69,530
Total	\$1,374,300	\$1,432,820
Increase	\$58,520	

TOTAL ASSESSMENT.

Ward	1909	1910
Ward 1	\$3,785,290	\$3,942,644
Ward 2	8,559,960	8,498,210
Ward 3	5,342,800	5,473,710
Ward 4	4,207,710	4,300,085
Ward 5	6,449,920	6,573,950
Ward 6	5,090,510	5,539,950
Ward 7	6,749,000	7,038,769
Total	\$39,836,285	\$41,166,778
Increase	\$1,330,493	

EXEMPTIONS.

Ward	1909	1910
Ward 1	\$ 378,300	\$ 353,300
Ward 2	1,185,930	1,169,630
Ward 3	349,810	375,910

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Did This Dog Reason?

We brought from Scotland, says a writer in The London Spectator, a collie about 6 months old. He was allowed to be with us at the breakfast table, but never to be fed in the dining room. This rule was strictly enforced by my daughter. I was the only member of the family who ever broke over the rule. And often when I offered him a tempting bone he would glance across the table and if he caught the forbidding eye he would resist the temptation. But one morning she left the table abruptly. I followed her into the hall and watched her till she had closed the door of her study. Then he scampered back, nudged my elbow, as if to say, "Now is our time!" He seized the bone, and was soon crunching it with the greatest satisfaction.

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Do not grasp your table implements as if they were farmer's tools. A firm grip is not the main thing in getting food to the mouth.

Nothing is more awkward than to hold a knife or fork in the palm of the hand close down toward the blade. Sawing is not high art in table manners.

A knife is to be held in the right hand between the thumb and second finger, with the end in the palm of the hand, and steadied by tip of first finger resting just on beginning of blade. No exception for left handed habits.

No matter how gracefully you eat you will not look it if you use the left hand for the right. Break yourself of it if you go hungry in the attempt.

When cutting the fork is held in the left hand in the same manner as the knife. At all other times it should be held halfway down the handle between the thumb and first finger, steadied on the first joint of the second finger.

A spoon is held in the same way as a fork. It is brought to the mouth in a parallel line. Remember this simple rule and you will not be guilty of the solecism of eating from the tip of a spoon. This is particularly bad form in eating soup.

Eat soup or other liquid food from the outside of plate in; not dipping from centre toward the edge as is the common method.

Never turn a spoon over in the mouth before removing it, as is sometimes done particularly in eating ice cream.

It is or should be needless to say that a knife is a cutting instrument only. Let neither peas, the last bit of sauce, nor molasses persuade you otherwise.

Take time in the handling of knife, fork, and spoon to do it noiselessly as to lips as well as dishes. Shoveling food is neither a pretty sight nor sound.

Do not think such things trifles. They may not make your fortune, but they do make or mar your reputation for good manners.

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 Modeste—"To wear a fashionable hat with grace you must have a head like this wooden model. That is the reason why madame looks so charming in the hat I made for her."—Simplicissimus.

Next year the United States will come to its census.

TEA TABLE GOSSIP.

Rev. D. R. Drummond, of St. Paul's Church, will preach anniversary sermons in Knox Church, Woodstock, on Sunday.

Mrs. John Fahey and family wish to thank their friends for the many beautiful flowers received during their recent bereavement.

Joseph Lorenzo, who was sentenced to 3 years in Kingston Penitentiary for shooting at Thomas White, was taken to the penitentiary yesterday.

Mr. Stuart Bruce, of Spokane, Washington, is in the city on his annual vacation, combining business with pleasure.

The Colonial Theatre, James street north, is showing some fine pictures. Tomorrow at the children's matinee each "kiddie" will be given a souvenir.

Dr. V. E. Henderson, of Toronto University, will be the speaker at the opening meeting of the Hamilton Association in the museum, this evening.

Mrs. R. S. Morris, of this city, bought a fine painting, "Purple Gloom of Evening," by Robert F. Gagen, A. R. C. A., which was shown at the Toronto Exhibition.

Mr. C. B. Linton, though retiring from the general agency of the Mutual Life of Canada, will still be retained as an agent at leisure.

Leonard Chubb has been re-engaged as floor manager of the Alexandra roller rink. Mr. Chubb has had a vast experience in handling large crowds of skaters.

Harvest Thanksgiving services will be held in St. Luke's Church on Sunday next, with holy communion at 8 and 11 a. m., children's flower service at 3, and choral evensong at 7.

This morning John Tagierino, Sherman avenue north, who is charged with having assaulted with intent Joseph Deak, in his store, came before Judge Snider to elect, but, through his counsel, A. M. Lewis, declined and was remanded.

OBITUARY.

An esteemed and well-known resident passed away yesterday in the person of William A. McLean, at his residence, 28 Mary street. He was in his 49th year, and had been a resident of Hamilton for over 26 years.

The funeral of the late John Griffin took place at 9 o'clock this morning from his late residence at Red Hill to St. Patrick's Church, where mass was chanted by the Rev. Father Cassidy, thence to Holy Sepulchre Cemetery where the Rev. Father Cody officiated.

The funeral of Edna, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hogarth, took place yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from her parents' residence, 130 Herkimer street.

Our Suit Sale a Great Success. No such suits outside this store for the money. They have such style and quality that the closer you examine them the greater will be your confidence in us.

Hired Special Train. A Mr. Ogilvie, who at Toronto yesterday missed the C. P. morning train, for this city, had business of such importance here that he ordered a special train, at a cost of \$80.

Boys' Overcoats at Oak Hall. Boys' overcoats and reefers will have special attention tomorrow at Oak Hall, the Sanford Co. retail store.

Fresh Fish For Friday. Select and standard oysters in bulk, sea salmon, halibut, cod, haddock, whitefish, trout, sea herrings, lake herrings, flounders, mackerel, smoked sea salmon, smoked trout, smoked whitefish, ciscoes, finnan haddie, kippers, Holland herrings in kegs, anchovies in kegs, boneless cod, fresh boiled periwinkles, Peables-Hobson Co., Ltd.

Hotel Men Fined. Windsor, Ont., Oct. 1.—Fines aggregating \$475 were collected in police court from hotel keepers.

Lucky Purchase. P. Arland, 6 Market square, commences a genuine sale of rubbers at the old prices. He bought before the rise, and his \$1,500 stock consists of Granby long rubber boots and men's and women's, in all sizes.

Car Strike. Omaha, Neb., Oct. 2.—Last night for the first time since the street car strike began the cars were run until 10 o'clock. There were numerous other disturbances and quite a number of arrests were made.

Fireman Resigns. W. Swain, who has been connected with the Central Fire Station for the past two years, has resigned his position, to work for the McLaughlin Carriage Company, King street west.

BOTH STORES OPEN FRIDAY AND SATURDAY NIGHTS. TREBLE'S GREAT HAT SALE IS QUICKLY PASSING. Saturday Your Last Chance To Secure Latest Fall Hats. \$2.50 Qualities for \$1.49. Time is flying, so are these splendid Hat values. After they are gone we'll be bothering our brains how we are going to equal them again.

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AMUSEMENTS. HAMILTON JOCKEY CLUB RACES. FALL MEETING TO-DAY. First Race AT 2.45 O'clock. And Every Day Till Oct. 9. ADMISSION including Grand Stand \$1.00. Reserved Seats 50c Extra. Can be Secured at Mack's Drug Store. HON. WM. GIBSON, President.

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