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ntreal, Feb. 19.—Sir William Hingston, one of Canada's best known physicians and philanthropists, died suddenly morning, aged 78. He was in good health up to yesterday.

OF P. ANNIVERSARY

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LLIAM IRVINE WINS NOVEL COMPETITION.

The 4th anniversary of the founding of the order of the Knights of Pythias was festively celebrated by the local lodge last evening by one of the most successful at home ever held here.

MISHAP AT COAL CREK

(Special to The Daily News)
Fernie, Feb. 19.—S. Rakoski, a Russian miner, employed in the Coal Creek mines, was badly injured while at work this morning. He was fixing a prop when a fall of rock caught his hand and nearly severed the thumb, which will have to be amputated.

POLICE OFFICER SUICIDES

Lawson, Feb. 19.—Constable William Lawson, of the R.N.M.P., committed suicide on Sunday on Dominion creek by putting himself in the head. A verdict of temporary insanity, due to hard drinking, was returned by the coroner's jury. He is a native of Ireland and had been in the force.

IS THE PIN OFFICIAL?

City Council is Dubious About Taking Over Plant

Says Mr. Hume is Not Perfect—Question Left to a Special Committee

A special meeting of the city council was held last evening on the call of his rotunda the mayor, to discuss the desirability of taking over the municipal power and light plant at Bonington Falls, from the machinery contractors, the Allis-Chalmers-Bullock Ltd.

CONTRACT MAINTAINED

CITY DECLINES TO TAKE OVER POWER PLANT.

PRESENT TEST ACCEPTED WITH CERTAIN RESERVATIONS

Pursuant to the agreement reached at Monday night's special city council meeting, the city council, consisting of Aldermen Selous, Annable and Irving, held a lengthy conference with the representatives of the Allis-Chalmers-Bullock, Ltd., at the city hall yesterday morning, with reference to the city taking over the municipal power plant at Bonington Falls, from the machinery contractors.

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COLONIAL CONFERENCE

Australia and New Zealand Desire a Permanent Council

Question of Reciprocal Admission of Barristers and Surveyors to Practice Throughout Empire

(Special to The Daily News)
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ONE HUNDRED LIVES LOST

Eagle Pass, Texas, Feb. 19.—A despatch received today from Las Esperanzas, Mexico, says that one hundred lives probably were lost in the explosion yesterday in the mine belonging to the Mexican Coal & Coke company; 43 bodies have been removed. More than 60 miners are probably in the compartment. Many of the men who were killed were Japanese.

TO IMITATE NEW YORK

TORONTO MAY SOON HAVE AN ELEVATED RAILWAY.

SYNDICATE OF LOCAL CAPITALISTS FORMED FOR THAT PURPOSE

Toronto, Feb. 19.—A company of Toronto capitalists is making application to the provincial government for a charter to build and operate an elevated railway in the city and suburbs. It is understood that the gentlemen interested in the application are M. J. Adams, J. H. McKnight, S. R. Wickett, and J. M. Sinclair. The money behind the enterprise is Toronto money. The plans of the company are not yet perfected but it is believed the plan will be run their lines to the northern, eastern and western suburbs.

SPokane Hockey Team

PUT UP A GOOD GAME AGAINST NELSON LAST NIGHT.

HOME TEAM WON BY A SCORE OF EIGHT TO FIVE.

An enthusiastic crowd of about 400 persons assembled at the Stanley street rink last evening to witness the exhibition hockey match between the local and the Spokane teams. The visitors obtained much applause and put up an excellent game although the home team had no great difficulty in scoring several goals to keep them in the lead. The official count given out was 8-5 in favor of the Nelson players. Of the goals scored Niblett and McCaugherty each got a couple, and Trezona one, for the visitors, while A. Bishop and Joe Thompson scored twice each and Jeff, Bellerose, Steel and Bell each secured one apiece for the home team. The city band supplied music between times and the evening proved a highly successful one in every way.

LOSS OF CATTLE SLIGHT

CARDSTON RANCHER REPUTES THE STORIES OF EXCESSIVE LOSSES

WEATHER WAS SEVERE FOR FEW WEEKS BUT NOT EXCEPTIONAL

Winnipeg, Feb. 20.—Martin Woolf, one of the best known ranchers of Cardston, Alberta, was in the city today on his way to Ottawa where he is to interview several of the ministers in reference to matters which concern ranchers and others in southern Alberta.

HUGHES IS MAKING GOOD

Recommends Removal of Incompetent Official.

SUPFRAGETTES RELEASED

Sir Charles Dilke's Bill to Enfranchise Women Introduced.

CLAYTON'S HARD LUCK

Is Attacked with Diphtheria While awaiting Trial in Provincial Jail.

ONLY LASTED TWO MINUTES

Sydney, N.S.W., Feb. 19.—Jack Johnson, the American pugilist, today defeated Peter Felix, the colored heavyweight champion of Australia, in two minutes of fighting.

