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NO SIGNS OF BEING DROWNED

Comparisons Given Showing Conditions to Support the Prosecution.

Herkimer, N. Y., Nov. 27.—Technical testimony relating to conditions ordinarily found in the bodies of persons who have met death by drowning, marked today's sessions of the Gillette murder trial. Four of the five doctors employed as experts by the state to perform the autopsy on the body of Grace Brown, Gillette's alleged victim, were during the day called on to answer some of the questions put to the experts by counsel brought out further confirmation of the claim that there were blood clots on the girl's brain and under the scalp. Other questions were put to the doctors by Mr. Mills, Gillette's counsel, to bring out opinions tending to show that the conditions found in the dead girl's body were similar to those sometimes found in the bodies of drowned persons, and that the conditions they found at the autopsy are recognized by medical authorities as indications of drowning.

A wordy war between opposing attorneys resulted from the district attorney's effort to introduce in evidence the child taken from Grace Brown's body at the time of the autopsy. District Attorney Ward succeeded in getting the exhibit admitted in evidence, although it was objected by the defense. Dr. E. H. Douglas, who identified it.

The defense laid great stress on whether or not there was water in the Brown girl's stomach, how much if any, and what indication on drowning such a condition would be. The doctors swore that only two tablespoonfuls of fluids were found in the stomach. Dr. Hayes testified that he made an examination of the stomach a few days ago, the organ having been preserved. "There was a very small quantity of liquid in the stomach and it had no odor about it. There was no sand or mud in the stomach."

On re-cross-examination, Dr. Hayes swore that he made the latest examination of the stomach about Nov. 20. He did not know where the stomach had been since July, but it was in sealed package. The fluid would not disappear or evaporate at that time, he said, but the fluids would keep unchanged indefinitely in such a case.

Dr. S. S. Richards, called to the stand just before closing the state's case, testified that the injuries to Grace Brown's body were inflicted before death. He enumerated the injuries, as had the physicians preceding him on the witness stand.

Several Comparisons.

Dr. A. O. Douglas, who testified yesterday in the trial of Chester Gillette, charged with the murder of Grace Brown, that the girl died as the result of blows before the body was immersed in water, today gave several comparisons between the conditions usually found in drowned bodies and the conditions found in the body of Grace Brown.

Dr. Douglas' statements of yesterday were supported by Dr. E. H. Douglas.

Dr. Douglas said the blood clot on the brain was as large as a 10-cent piece, and that it was caused by external violence on the head. Dr. Douglas further said that, in his opinion, a blood clot would cause death, although there were cases where persons recovered from severe contusions.

Blood-Soaked Carpet.

It is possible that Prosecutor Ward may decide to call Miss Hannah Monahan, who is now in Uxio, but who was employed at the Glenmore Hotel, Big Moose Lake, when Grace Brown and Gillette came there last July. It is reported that Miss Monahan washed a carpet taken from the boat in which Miss Brown and Gillette went out on the lake today following the death of Miss Brown and that she discovered that the carpet was soaked with blood.

Since the trial began Gillette has begun to look for solace to the church. In a note couched in words of pleading, he begged Rev. J. M. Robinson, chaplain of the Herkimer County Jail, to visit him in his cell, and spent most of his Sunday reading the Bible.

The impression is growing that the defense will plead suicide.

There was a larger crowd than ever at the trial today. More than a thousand persons were turned away, and those who got seats were on hand as early as 7 o'clock to secure them.

The prosecution cannot complete its case before Thanksgiving, and the case will not go to the jury before Wednesday of next week.

Dr. George H. Smith today corroborated the statements of the other two physicians who preceded him that Grace Brown did not drown. His description of the injuries found on the girl's body at the time of the autopsy agreed with that given by Dr. A. O. Douglas and Dr. E. H. Douglas.

that Gillette had first spoken of the tragedy, but others had since told him differently.

"But you did swear to it, didn't you?" asked Counsel Thomas for the defense.

"Yes."

"And you knew the life of this young man depended on this verdict?"

"Yes."

"And you a minister of the Gospel!" said Thomas, concluding the examination.

STICK TO SHAKESPEARE

Critics Deride Idea That Earl of Rutland Wrote Plays.

London, Nov. 27.—English literary critics are not impressed by Professor Bleibtreu's book, in which the German professor seeks to prove that the real author of the Shakespearean plays was not Shakespeare, nor Bacon, but Francis, Earl of Rutland. Professor Bleibtreu builds up his theory thusly: "The low comedian, William Shakespeare, who regularly got drunk at the Marmalade Tavern," couldn't possibly have the wide learning and knowledge of other countries which the author of the Shakespearean works evidently possessed. On the other hand, Rutland is known to have spent a considerable time in France and Italy. He studied law at Padua and visited other parts of the world, where he would have gained the knowledge enabling him to write the famous plays.

"His mission to Denmark in 1603, where he went to represent King James I. at the baptism of the Danish crown prince, enabled him to obtain the local color for Hamlet. He actually met Guldenstern and Rosencrantz at the Danish court. Two members of the latter's family were Rutland's fellow students at Padua."

"Rutland was imprisoned for political reasons in 1601-1603, during which period no Shakespearean dramas appeared. The last of the 'Coriolanus' and 'The Tempest,' the last of the Shakespearean plays, appeared in 1612, the year Rutland died."

The foregoing are among some of the most striking coincidences which convinced Professor Bleibtreu, whose "proofs" perhaps are at least as strong as those advanced by other Shakespeare detractors. They are considered irresistible by Dr. Turzskinsky, eminent German literary critic, who calls Professor Bleibtreu's discovery as important in the realm of literature as Columbus' discovery of America was geographically and politically.

On the other hand, Professor Dowden, who fills the chair of English literature at the University of Dublin and one of the greatest of living Shakespearean authorities, sees absolutely no evidence to justify Professor Bleibtreu's theory. He has not seen the German professor's book, but, judging from the published summary, strongly believes it will prove another mare's nest. He points out that Rutland was born in 1576, twelve years later than Shakespeare, and if he was the author of the works attributed to the latter he couldn't have been the author of "Love's Labor's Lost," which is quite incredible. Professor Dowden repudiates the description of Shakespeare as a "low comedian," etc., as wholly unjustifiable.

Professor Herford, another Shakespearean authority, regards the theory as likely to prove greater rubbish than the Baconian. Dr. Abbott describes it as "absurd," and Dr. Gollanez as "rubbish."

SAD DROWNING ACCIDENT

Chatham Canoeists Thrown Into Water and Herbert Pritchard Drowns.

Chatham, Nov. 26.—A sad drowning accident occurred this afternoon at 3 o'clock, as a result of which Herbert Pritchard, the eldest son of Fire Chief Richard Pritchard, lost his life.

The unfortunate young man went out on the river about half-past 2 o'clock with Wylie Braddon and George Somerville. There was a stiff breeze blowing at the time. The party made a tack for the opposite shore, and when they were within a few yards from the opposite bank, a fresh breeze came along and the canoe capsized.

When they came up, Somerville was the nearest to the bank, and being able to swim a little, he made the shore and clung to a pile until help came. Braddon could swim, but Pritchard could not. Braddon knew this, and tried to get his companion to the canoe, which had been carried by the current some distance down the stream. He found that this was impossible, and then he tried to get him to the bank. In this he was also unsuccessful. In the meantime Pritchard, with his hands up, a young man, caught hold of Braddon, thus hindering the latter in his efforts to save his companion, who could not swim. The water was very cold, and Braddon saw that if he did not soon get clear, both of them would drown. They had gone under the water several times and both were becoming exhausted. With a mighty effort Braddon succeeded in getting clear and managed to get to the bank and held on to a pile until help came. Pritchard went down.

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JARVIS—In this city, on Tuesday morning, Nov. 27, 1905, William Jarvis, late of Sudbury, Devonshire, England, aged 54 years.

Funeral from his late residence, 54 Mount Pleasant avenue, West London, on Thursday, at 3 p.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

HAMMOND—At his late residence, 750 Walker street, on Nov. 27, 1905, Jonas Harry Hammond, beloved husband of Rosie Hammond, aged 35 years.

Funeral from above address on Thursday, at 2:30 p.m.; service, 2 p.m. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation.

MOINES—In Westminster Township, on Nov. 26, 1905, Alexander Moines, beloved husband of Magdalene Moines.

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LONDON, WEDNESDAY, NOV. 28.

MR. HYMAN'S POSITION.

The Toronto Mail and Empire, which is remarkable for its bile, undertakes to find an explanation of Mr. Hyman's resignation by eliminating every reason that might entitle Mr. Hyman to credit or sympathy, and then inventing one of its own. "Mr. Hyman," it says, "is not a sick man." The assertion is untrue, and unchivalrous. The friends of Mr. Hyman, in this city, who saw him on the eve of his departure for the south, know too well that his health has been sadly impaired, and that his temporary release from public duty has come none too soon. The Mail and Empire is also certain that Mr. Hyman's sense of honor had nothing to do with his resignation, because if his conscience were at all sensitive he would have abandoned the Government long ago! No man with a conscience, declares the Mail, could be a member of such an administration!

The Mail, having convinced itself that Mr. Hyman has good health and no scruples, is reduced to the belief that his resignation was forced by the Premier to forestall a discussion of his case in Parliament, and an inquiry into the workings of the "machine." Furthermore, says the Mail, his action is an acknowledgment of guilt! As the same newspaper clamored for his resignation, it was bound to have him in a corner whichever way he turned.

The assertion that a man must be destitute of moral principles if he consents to be a member of the Laurier Government is a fair sample of what has become known as a "Mailism." Such twaddle may appeal to hard-shelled Tories who have a good old-fashioned hatred of everything Liberal, but sensible Conservatives do not take it seriously. Mr. Hyman was under no compulsion, legal or otherwise, to resign his seat or his portfolio, but in doing so upon a point of honor, and taking his political life in his hands, he has thrown into shame and confusion several of the foremost members of the Opposition, who have so suffered in reputation that no constituency would return them to Parliament. They cling to their seats, while Mr. Hyman resigns his own, though his integrity is not impeached. The contrast will account for the spiteful attacks upon the Minister of Public Works.

MISREPRESENTATION.

"But were it so, were illegal measures used by the Conservatives, is it not monstrous that the Premier of Canada should from his place in Parliament justify the use of the same means in elections, to meet crime with crime? To what depths of infamy would not political methods descend were this principle to be admitted and acted upon to its conclusion?"—London Free Press.

And this is what Sir Wilfrid Laurier actually said:

"I do not know how it is, but it appears that the Tories can always use the devil's fire. They seem to have been made for it. (Laughter.) It seems to be congenial to them; they can do it almost with impunity, but when a poor Grit undertakes to deal with devil's fire he burns his fingers every time. (Cheers.) That is actually what happened in London. The poor Grits undertook to deal with devil's fire, and what do we see today? Therefore, it is better for our friends, I say it in all sincerity, that they should not follow those Tory methods, but that they should fight an honest battle. (Hear, hear.)

"Honesty is the best policy. It is the only policy that will tell."

RECRIMINATION.

The session of Parliament just begun already gives promise of a war of words that will be interesting to the lover of scandal, but by no means creditable to the participants. The initiative has been taken by the Conservative Opposition. Drawing ammunition from the preliminary trial of a so-called conspiracy case in Toronto, without waiting until the case has been decided, or the other side of the story presented, they have commenced to vilify the Liberal leaders and the Liberal party.

Unfortunately for them they have not been mindful of the proverb concerning those who live in glass houses. There have been so many unsavory incidents in the history of the Canadian Conservative party that they leave themselves open to retaliation, and already they are finding it out. The sarcastic speech of Mr. Johnson has given them a foretaste of what is to come. Devoting himself to a certain circular brought to light during some Manitoba election trials, he described some of the nefarious tactics that have been

followed in the past. The frequent angry interruptions showed that the picture was not relished.

The prospect is not a pleasant one. The time spent in rehearsing old election exposures might be used to better advantage. But it seems unavoidable. The Liberals cannot be expected to sit down quietly and allow the scandal mongers of the Opposition full freedom of abuse, without striking back. Of course, Conservative wrongdoing is no excuse for any illegalities on the part of Liberals. But the public exposure of them serves, at all events, to show the hypocrisy of Conservative professions of virtue.

We are not disposed to offer justification of any political crimes which may be proven against Liberals. We do decline to accept ex parte evidence against them. But when they are proven guilty, let them be punished. We do object, however, to Conservative papers and orators posing as examples of virtue. And while we regret, not only for the facilitation of business, but for the credit of Canada, the wordy recriminations in Parliament, the Liberals are not to be blamed for the part they may take therein.

Less talk about the wickedness of the Grits, a frank admission that their own skirts are none too clean, and a readiness to join forces with the Government in devising more efficient election laws, and enforcing them properly, would be the wisest and the most patriotic course for Mr. Borden and his followers.

Michigan courts have been called on to settle just how much noise is necessary to depreciate the value of house property, and the supreme court judges have admitted the evidence supplied by a photograph in support of the contention of the plaintiff. An hotel-keeper at Boyne City took his photograph to court, with records of engine tootings and car rattlings to prove that the presence of a railway near his property was a nuisance, and the judge ruled that the introduction of the photograph was permissible, if the authenticity of the records were established. On the contention that "the apparatus cannot lie," a photograph may become a valued witness in corroboration.

A POLITICAL NECESSITY.

(Simcoe Reformer.)

The political situation in Hamilton appears to be that no straight supporter of the Whitney Government could be elected—or, at least, their candidate must pose as being opposed to a couple of important acts of theirs. This is certainly a most remarkable state of affairs. The Whitney Government has been in power for less than two years, and in the Tory city of Hamilton a lifelong Tory has to put on an appearance of being indignant at his party leaders to make it possible for him to be elected.

WILLING TO PLEASE.

(London News.)

A parliamentary candidate was being heckled. One of the questions had reference to the religious denomination to which he belonged.

"Well," he said, "you have asked me an honest question, and you shall have a straightforward answer. My grandmother was a Scotchwoman—a rigid Presbyterian."

Obvious disappointment was shown on the faces of the audience, so the candidate proceeded:

"My grandfather was English, and, therefore a member of the Church of England."

Still no enthusiasm, but rather the reverse.

"My father, on the other hand, was a good Baptist," went on the desperate candidate, who was still unrewarded by applause. He grew anxious, so hurriedly added: "But my dear old mother, long since dead, was a Methodist."

Instantly all faces were radiant, so he concluded:

"And, gentlemen, I follow the precepts of my dear old mother. I'm a Methodist, and I don't care who knows it!"

A SENSATION AT PORT ARTHUR.

(Port Arthur Chronicle.)

Actually the other night a passenger complained of a street car being too hot.

SIMPLEX MUNDITIS.

(New York Sun.)

Knickers—Why can't you live the simple life?

Mrs. Knicker—All right; the salesladies always describe hundred dollar affairs as a simple little suit.

FRIES IT.

(Toronto Star.)

Professor Shuttleworth advises citizens to boil their drinking water. The professor's words should put an end to the insane habit some people have of trying it.

A PATENT ON NAMING THE PLACE.

(McLandburgh Wilson.)

Wherever you come from, the north or the south.

If born in the east or the west, This song reminiscent will surely stir up A memory sweet in your breast.

FULL ON IN THE TUMULT AND FRET OF THE TOWN.

The mists on my eyes gather thick, With fond recollections of days when we fished On beautiful Thingumbob Creek.

And always in fancy my mid wanders back To dwell on a picture revered— The farmhouse that nestled among the green hills Which Whatyoumaycallit upreared.

And so I remark, with a break in my And maybe a tear on my face, There isn't a spot, though you search the whole earth, Compares with dear Anyoldplace.

CURABILITY OF CANCER.

(New York Herald.)

Dr. Nicholas Senn's statement in his recent lecture on the "Problem of Cancer" that fully 50 per cent of persons suffering from the dreaded disease recover when

operated upon in its early stages, will surprise many who have concluded that a cure in any event is hopeless. Although this percentage is much higher than any previously admitted by surgical authorities, the distinguished professor evidently has good grounds for his opinion, presumably based on the most recent statistics of improved operative measures.

NOT UP IN THAT.

(Chicago Tribune.)

Miss Backbay—You are familiar, in a general way, with paleontology, are you not?

Mr. Carondelet—No; I don't remember that I ever happened across it. But I once read Paley on "Evidences of Christianity," or something like that, when I was a boy, and I found it awful heavy reading."

AN OVERSIGHT.

(Chicago Tribune.)

Being unable to find a seat in the crowded car, the portly dame had gone into the smoking car and sat down near the door.

The man sitting next to her, absorbed in his newspaper, kept on smoking. "I was foolish enough to suppose," she said, glowering at him, "that some of the men in here, at least, were gentlemen."

"Pardon me, madame," he answered, politely, offering her his cigar case.

RUNNING LIGHT.

(Brookville Recorder.)

Ottawa society will wear less clothes to-morrow than they have at any time in daylight since the last opening of Parliament.

WHEN A GIRL.

(Chicago Record-Herald.)

When a girl draws a pensive little sigh and says she will never marry, she is sure to hate you if you don't assure her that she would be cruel if she clung to such a resolution.

MR. HYMAN APPRECIATED.

(Hamilton Times.)

Mr. Hyman has been a capable and useful minister, unassuming in sacrifice of time and care to the duties of his office, and it will be the wish of all that he may be speedily restored to health and his country's service.

GOOD EXAMPLE.

(Tit-Bits.)

Little Johnnie, having in his possession a couple of bantam hens, which laid very small eggs, suddenly hit on a plan. Doing the next morning to the fowl run, Johnnie's father was surprised to find an ostrich's egg tied to one of the beams, and above it a card, with the words:

"Keep your eye on this, and do your best."

MAGNETIC LAURIER.

(Ottawa Free Press.)

"The most magnetic man I have ever met" is the tribute paid to Sir Wilfrid Laurier by Mr. James de Conlay, a distinguished Australian journalist, who has been studying the social and economic conditions of the United States, Mexico and Canada. Mr. de Conlay has met every one of the great men living today on the North American continent and he says that three of them are among the five greatest men in the world. They are President Diaz, in Mexico; President Roosevelt, in America; and Sir Wilfrid Laurier, in Canada.

Of these three, he marked to a Montreal witness interview, President Roosevelt is the greatest, because he has the physical strength, but Sir Wilfrid Laurier is far and away the most magnetic man he has ever met. "There is no spell-binder in the United States," he said, "who can sway an audience as he can sway it and even in a private conversation with him I have felt that same magnetic influence."

HER PITY.

(Sam Kiser.)

It made her sick at heart to see A poor old horse with crippled feet, Whose driver lashed him heartlessly; Where traffic clogged the noisy street; But she could watch worn-out old men Who had to toil for few delights, And she could proudly scorn them when She heard them pleading for their rights.

It made her heart ache when she saw A poor, disheveled little cur That, holding up a crippled paw, Came whining anxiously to her; Where Want consorted with Despair, And, in her gladness and her pride, Sorely ask why she should care.

HE SILENCED HIM.

(Cleveland Plaindealer.)

"The corporations must be crushed!" roared the candidate.

"Hold on!" shouted a man in the gallery, "you yourself are a stockholder in at least three corporations that I know about."

The candidate frowned darkly.

"Well," he cried, "if there were no stockholders there wouldn't be any corporations."

"I admit it!" shouted the man in the gallery.

"And if there were no corporations they couldn't be crushed, could they?" With a withering glance at the man in the gallery the candidate resumed his argument.

THE ORIGINAL "VILLAGE BLACKSMITH."

(London Sunday Strand.)

Dunchurch, near Rugby, claims that its smithy is the original forge which inspired the famous verses on "The Village Blacksmith." It is a picturesque old place, and the "spreading chestnut tree" still flourishes in front of it.

WHEN WINTER KNOCKS.

(Baltimore Sun.)

A sad farewell to summertime, Good-bye to autumn, too! The breezes of a balmy clime, Good-bye, good-bye, to you!

But though the wailing winds sweep down And nipping grows the air; With need we sigh when dreams be nigh— Ho! for the rocking chair.

Ho! for the corner by the blaze, The book, the song, the glee; The sweet delight of winter night, With Gold-Locks at my knee!

Knock, Mr. Winter, at the door! Blow, bugle of the storm! Around me streams the fire's gleams, The love-lights keep us warm!

And while the blast beats loud without, Till summer we forget, Through all we know that 'neath the snow Soft sleeps the violet!

TILLMAN GUARDED BY DETECTIVES**Made a Fiery Anti-Negro Speech at Chicago and Trouble Was Expected.**

Chicago, Nov. 27.—The efforts of the colored citizens of Chicago to prevent United States Senator Benjamin Tillman from delivering an address here tonight in Orchestra Hall was unsuccessful.

When the South Carolina senator arrived in Chicago early in the afternoon he was told of threatened injunction proceedings to prevent him from appearing on the platform and of a money consideration that had been offered if he would cancel his engagement, but Mr. Tillman expressed scorn for both.

Until he leaves for Fond du Lac, Wis., tomorrow, Senator Tillman will be guarded by police and private detectives.

This is in accordance with an order issued by Mayor Dunne, who was scheduled to preside at tonight's meeting, but who refused to have anything to do with the affair after a committee of colored citizens had visited him. Senator Tillman made his address protected by a number of policemen were kept at nearby stations in reserve, but they were not called for.

While discussing the 15th amendment, which, he declared, gave the negro every right that a white man had, he was interrupted several times by one of the listeners, who kept asking, "How about Kentucky?"

Finally Mr. Tillman seemed to lose his temper and exclaimed: "Oh, shut your mouth! You don't know the A B C of this thing. I forgot forty years ago more than you ever knew. You make up your minds that equality before the law, which the amendment guarantees, is right, and should be enforced, notwithstanding its result. If this law was enforced it would result in two states at least being dominated absolutely by negroes, while four other states would be so near being governed by the negro that there would practically be an equal division of offices."

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The King and Queen Snappedshots to Please the Newspapers.

King's Lynn, England, Nov. 27.—Royal consideration for newspaper snapshots was shown by the King and Queen at this place (the nearest town to Sandringham), where his majesty opened the new King Edward VII. Grammar School.

When their majesties were leaving the building two photographers found themselves hedged in by a massive police inspector, who spread himself as much as possible in order to prevent the photographers from taking pictures of the King and Queen.

King Edward saw their difficulty, halted, and motioned to the photographers to come within the police cordon. Then their majesties posed in front of the camera, the Queen having first adjusted her husband's overcoat to make it hang straight.

The result was that the two camera men were made happy. A comical incident occurred during the ceremony inside the school, making the King laugh heartily. The mayor of King's Lynn, a solemn, judicial personage, began to address a formal oration to the King, but lost his bearings and turned his back upon his majesty. This made him nervous, and another dignitary present confused him still more by plucking at his gown to make him turn toward the King.

His majesty was all the time shaking his sides with laughter and nudging the other dignitary to make him leave the mayor alone. Eventually the latter discovered where the King was

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

and, blushing furiously, read his address in proper form.

The King and Queen have been enjoying their annual period of quiet domestic life at Sandringham. Forgetting court etiquette and formalities, the King and Queen live at Sandringham the simple life of a country squire's family. The King spends a good deal of time inspecting his stables and farm, while the Queen busies herself at her kennels and her model dairy, and has even been known to feed the chickens with her own hands.

Queen Alexandra also takes a sympathetic interest in the poor of the neighborhood, being always active in the preparations for Christmas entertainments in the village.

Guests at Sandringham are chosen from among a small circle of relations and intimates who are "good company." There is a spirit of gaiety among the house party, which includes no bores, and the guests enjoy themselves without observing the stiff formalism that is necessary at Buckingham Palace and Windsor.

RAN INTO OPEN SWITCH. Winona, Miss., Nov. 28.—One negro was killed and about 20 persons injured seriously, when a westbound passenger train on the Southern Railway ran into an open switch near here late last evening, and collided head on with a freight train on a siding. The list of injured includes J. P. Santer, editor of the Columbus Commercial, and W. J. Miller, of Jackson, Miss., state treasurer.

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Fancy Stole of German Mink, with three black stripes under satin, ornaments and chenille, finished with six tails; muff to match. Set for \$18 50

Rock Marten Set, with fancy stole and Colonial muff to match; trimmed with cord and tails. For the set \$18 50

Alaska Sable Scarf, 72 inches long, trimmed with cord and chenille and sable tails; round and Colonial muffs to match. For the set \$28 00

Marmot Muffs (scarfs to match), in round and Colonial shapes, satin lined. At each \$5 00, \$6 50, \$7 50 and \$8 50

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The Woman in the Alcove

BY ANNA KATHARINE GREEN

Author of "The Millionaire Baby," "The Filligree Ball," "The Leavenworth Case," Etc., Etc.

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"A stranger," that young man put in volubly, "looking for James Wellgood. I thought, perhaps, you could tell me where to find him. I see that his letters pass through this office."

"You're taking up another man's time," complained the postmaster. He probably alluded to the man whose elbow Sweetwater felt boring into his back. "Ask Dick over there; he knows him."

The detective was glad enough to escape and ask Dick. But he was better pleased yet when Dick—a fellow with a squint whose hand was always in the sugar—told him that Mr. Wellgood would probably be in for his mail in a few moments. "That is, his buggy standing before the drug store on the opposite side of the way."

So! he had netted Jones' quondam waiter at the first cast! "Lucky!" was what he said to himself, "still lucky!"

Bantering to the door, he watched for the owner of the buggy. He had learned, as such fellows do, that there was a secret hue and cry after this very man by the New York police; that he was supposed by some to be Sears himself. In this way he would soon be looking upon the very man whose steps he had followed through the Fairbairn house a few nights before. He had through whose resolute action he had very nearly run the risk of a lingering death from starvation.

"A dangerous customer," thought he. "I wonder if my instinct will go so far as to make me recognize his presence. I shouldn't wonder. It has served me almost as well as that many times before."

It appeared to serve him now, for when the man finally showed himself on the cross-walk separating the two buildings he experienced a sudden decision not unlike that of dread, and there being nothing in the man's appearance to warrant apprehension, he took it for the instinctive recognition it undoubtedly was.

He therefore watched him narrowly and succeeded in getting one glance from his eye. It was enough. The man was commonplace—commonplace in feature, dress and manner, but his eye gave him away. There was nothing

commonplace in that. It was an eye to beware of.

He had taken in Sweetwater as he passed, but Sweetwater was of a commonplace type, too, and one not responding dread in the other's mind; for he went whistling into the store, from which he presently reissued with a bundle of mail in his hand. The detective's first instinct was to take him into custody as a suspect much wanted by the New York police; but reason assured him that he not only had no warrant for this, but that he would better serve the ends of justice by following out his present task of bringing this man and the Englishman together and watching the result. But how, with the conditions laid on him by Mr. Grey, was this to be done? He knew nothing of the man's circumstances or of his position in the town. How, then, go to work to secure his co-operation in a scheme possibly as mysterious to him as it was to himself? He could learn, as such fellows do, that there was a secret hue and cry after this very man by the New York police; that he was supposed by some to be Sears himself. In this way he would soon be looking upon the very man whose steps he had followed through the Fairbairn house a few nights before. He had through whose resolute action he had very nearly run the risk of a lingering death from starvation.

He was guided, and he did talk and to respect, and he had not been long in town and was somewhat of a stranger yet, but he wouldn't be so long. He was going to make things hum, he was money for this, money for that, a horse where another man would walk, and multi-well, that alone would make this postoffice worth while. Then the drugs over there were his ready to be carted out to his manufactory. Count them someone, and think of the bottles and bottles of stuff they stand for. If it sells as he says it will—then he'll soon be rich; and so on, till Sweetwater brought the gaudious Dick to a standstill by asking whether the Wellgood had been away for any purpose since he first came to town. He received the reply that he had just come home from New York, where he had been for some articles needed in his manufactory. Sweetwater felt all his convictions confirmed, and ended the colloquy with the final question:

"And where is his manufactory?"

"Might be worth visiting, perhaps."

The other made a gesture, said something about northwest and rushed to help a customer. Sweetwater took the opportunity to slide away. More explicit directions could easily be got elsewhere, and he felt anxious to return to Mr. Grey and discover, if possible, whether it would prove as much a matter of surprise to him as to Sweetwater himself that the man who answered to the name of Wellgood was the owner of a manufactory and a barrel or two of drugs, out of which he proposed to make a compound that would rob the doctors of their business and make himself and this little village rich.

Sweetwater made only one stop on his way to Mr. Grey's hotel rooms, and that was at the stables. Here he learned whatever else there was to know, and, armed with definite information, he appeared before Mr. Grey, who, to his astonishment, was dining in his own room.

He had dismissed the waiter and was rather brooding than eating. He looked up eagerly, however, when Sweetwater entered, and asked what news.

The detective, with some semblance of manner, answered that he had seen Wellgood, but that he had been unable to detain him or bring him within his employer's observation.

"He is a patent-medicine man," he then explained, "and manufactures his own concoctions in a house he has rented here on a lonely road some half-mile out of town."

"Wellgood does?" the man named Wellgood? Mr. Grey exclaimed with all the astonishment the other secretly expected.

"Yes; Wellgood—James Wellgood. There is no other in town."

"How long has this man been here?" the statesman inquired, after a moment of apparently great discomfiture.

"Just 24 hours, this time. He was here once before, when he rented the house and made all his plans."

"Ah!"

Mr. Grey rose precipitately. His manner changed.

"I must see him. What you tell me makes it all the more necessary for me to see him. How can you bring it about?"

"Without his seeing you?" Sweetwater asked.

"Yes, yes; certainly without his seeing me. Couldn't you rap him up at his own door, and hold him in talk a minute, while I looked on from the carriage or whatever vehicle we can get to carry us there? The least glimpse of his face would satisfy me. That is, tonight."

"I'll try," said Sweetwater, not very sanguine as to the probable result of this effort.

Returning to the stables, he ordered the team. With the last ray of the sun they set out, the reins in Sweetwater's hands.

They headed for the coast-road.

CHAPTER XVIII.

The Closed Door.

The road was once the highway, but the tide having played so many tricks with its numberless bridges a new one had been built farther up the cliff, carrying with it the life and business of the small town. Many old landmarks still remained—shops, warehouses and even a few scattered dwellings. But most of these were deserted, and those that were still in use showed such neglect that it was very evident the whole region would soon be given up to the encroaching sea and such interests as are inseparable from it.

The hour was that mysterious one of late twilight, when outlines lose their distinctness and sea and shore melt into one mass of uniform gray. There was no wind and the waves came in with a soft splash, but so near to the level of the road that it was evident, even to these strangers, that the tide was at its height and would presently begin to ebb.

Soon they passed the last forsaken dwelling, and the town proper lay behind them. Sand and a few rocks were all that lay between them now and the open stretch of the ocean, which, at this point, approached the land in a small bay, well-guarded on either side by embracing rocks. This was what made the harbor at C—.

It was very still. They passed one team and only one. Sweetwater looked very sharply at this team and at its driver, but saw nothing to arouse suspicion. They were now a half-mile from C—, and, seemingly, in a perfectly desolate region.

"A manufactory here!" exclaimed Mr. Grey. It was the first word he had uttered since starting.

"Not far from here," was Sweetwater's equally laconic reply. At the moment of his speaking, he leaned forward and pointed out a building standing on the right-hand side of the road, with its feet in the water. "That's enough for me to know," said he. "It looks like a robber's hole at this time of night," he laughed; "but what can you expect from a manufactory of patent medicine?"

Mr. Grey was silent. He was looking very earnestly at the building.

"It is larger than I expected," he remarked at last.

Sweetwater himself was surprised, but as they advanced and their point of view changed they found it to be really an insignificant structure, and Mr. Wellgood's portion of it more insignificant still.

In reality it was a collection of three stores under one roof; two of them were shut up and evidently unoccupied, the third showed a lighted window. This was the manufactory. It occupied the lower part of the building, and, besides the lighted lamp I have mentioned, such signs of life as a few packing-boxes tumbled out on the small platform in front, and a whinnying horse attached to an empty buggy, tied to a post on the opposite side of the road.

"I'm glad to see the lamp," muttered Sweetwater. "Now, what shall we do? Is it light enough for you to see his face, if I can manage to bring him to the door?"

Mr. Grey seemed startled.

"It's darker than I thought," said he. "But call the man and if I can't see him plainly, I'll shout to the horse to stand, which you will take as a signal to bring this Wellgood nearer. But do not be surprised if I ride off before he reaches the buggy. I'll come back again and take you up farther down the road."

[To be Continued.]

WEDDING IN LAMBETH

Nuptials of Miss Ethel May Nichols and Mr. Floyd Kelly.

"Fairview," the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Nichols, Lambeth, was the scene of one of the prettiest wedding feasts of the season on Thursday afternoon, Nov. 22, when their youngest daughter, Ethel May, became the bride of Nelson Floyd Kelly, son of Mr. John Kelly, of the Gore of Westminster.

Promptly at the appointed time, the bride approached the drawing-room, leaning on her father's arm, to the strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding March, beautifully rendered by Miss Mae Pullen, of Strathroy, cousin of the bride.

The ceremony was performed under a prettily draped arch, by Rev. J. S. Fisher, of Lambeth, an old friend of the groom, assisted by Rev. A. G. Harris, pastor of the Lambeth Methodist Church.

The bride was handsomely gowned in white Japanese habutai silk, with embroidered chiffon trimmings, and was attended by her niece, Miss Maude Kelly, Lambeth, who wore pearl gray silk with chiffon trimmings.

After the ceremony and hearty congratulations, the guests, to the number of 50, proceeded to the dining-room, which was beautifully decorated with white chrysanthemums and pink ribbons, and partook of a dainty repast. The assistants were Miss Della Graham, Toronto; Miss Beatrice Kelly, of Talbotville; and Mr. W. S. Nichols, and Mr. E. Kelly, and the bride's brothers of the bride and groom. The reception was graced and honored by the presence of the groom's four grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Kelly, of South London, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sifton, of Calumet, Ont.

The bride and groom were the recipients of a choice collection of presents, among them being a substantial check and an electric seal coat from the bride's parents, and a gold watch each from the bride's sisters. Mr. and Mrs. Kelly will reside in their new home on the Gore, where their many friends hope they will enjoy a long and happy life.

QUERIES ANSWERED

SARNIA.—In selling a house can the seller keep screen and storm doors if nothing is mentioned in the writings about them? **ANS.**—No. The doors are appurtenances to the house as between vendor and purchaser.

SAILOR "SCOTTY" DEAD.

WALKERVILLE, Ont., Nov. 27.—James Little, a sailor, about 50 years of age, known around Walkerville as "Scotty," was found dead in the basement of the Crown Inn last night. He was preparing to go to Marine City, Mich., where he had secured work for the winter. Heart disease was the cause of death. It is not known that Little had any relatives. If none appear, his body will be taken in charge by the Seamen's Union, of which he was a member in good standing.

ASKS IN VAIN TO BE SENT TO CELL.

Equal Suffragist Is Unable to Languish in Jail for the Cause.

London, Nov. 27.—Mrs. Charlotte Despard, an elderly woman, who is a sister of Gen. Sir John French, and is noted for her advocacy of woman suffrage, is annoyed with the London police because they will not arrest her. Twice Mrs. Despard asked the men in blue to take her into custody, but they callously refused.

The first occasion was the recent women's demonstration in the lobby of the House of Commons, when several women were taken in charge by the police, and the second was when Mrs. Despard attempted to address a meeting outside the peers' entrance to the Houses of Parliament. This time her companion, a Miss Milne, was taken in charge, and now, having declined to pay a fine, she is suffering seven days' imprisonment for disorderly conduct and resisting the police.

Mrs. Despard declares that the reason she is not arrested is because of the social position of her relatives. She was the leader of the second demonstration, and was alone responsible, but the police arrested Miss Milne, who acted under her direction. Mrs. Despard adds: "I left my friends deliberately come to work with the poorer classes many, many years ago. My people are very much annoyed indeed about it, and I do not now associate with them. Only my sister writes to me occasionally. I don't want it to be inferred that I am anxious to be arrested for anything; but when I deserve it I want to go to prison instead of a woman acting under my instructions."

"It is really too funny to bear such a charmed life, so far as police interference is concerned, and to feel that they dare not arrest one. I say it is funny, but the question is, is it fair?"

The woman suffragists have at last got the opportunity of showing their resentment against the Government for not bringing forward legislation in their favor. A vacancy has arisen in the parliamentary representation of Huddersfield, and the organizers of the movement are entering into the contest with almost feckless glee. There are three candidates nominated, respectively by the Liberals, the Unionists and the Labor parties, and each supports the extension of the franchise to women. That, however, makes no difference to the woman suffragists, who are using all their influence against the Liberal nominee because the Government "won't give us our rights," the intervention of women has invested the contest with great interest.

A series of sharp meteorological changes has once again exemplified the vagaries of the British climate. Following upon a cold, foggy and rainy day, a subject of snow, frost, rain, gales and fog, the country is experiencing a heat wave, which, allowing for the difference in the time of year, is quite as pronounced as that which marked the close of August and the beginning of September.

London at breakfast time on Thursday was several degrees warmer than the Riviera. The metropo has escaped the usual drizzle which chiefly confines to the north and the midlands, but has participated in the frost.

King Edward always personally selects the design for the royal Christmas card, and he has chosen this year a subject illustrating in a charming manner the Anglo-Japanese alliance. It depicts a ballroom scene, where the British officers are leading through the mazes of an English dance, graceful beauties of Japan. Each card is exquisitely hand painted, and the Oriental gowns of the women give a touch of brilliant color which blends harmoniously with the British uniforms. A simple device, the only one illustrating the King.

The first woman pastor ever to take charge of a church in Connecticut, has just arrived in South Manchester in the person of Mrs. Nellie Reid, a young widow, who has been selected as the pastor of the John Wesley Pentecostal Church in that place. The new minister left the Roman faith, in which she was brought up, when seventeen years of age, preferring at the time the reformed work of the Methodist Church. Her mother was a prominent Catholic of Westfield, Mass., while her father was a Protestant. Mrs. Reid's early experiences in the pulpit began when she was eighteen years of age. When a man's love life is either so happy or so miserable that he doesn't seem to care what happens.

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Remember the day—Thursday, and the time—9 o'clock. If you can't possibly get here in person, telephone and your order will be filled. We'll just quote the astonishing price once more so that it will be firmly fixed in your mind. Per pair..... **19c**

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There are ever so many kinds of ribbons in this collection, which we have bunched into one lot for Thursday's selling.

Plain Ribbons in pale blue, navy, light and dark gray, light and dark brown, red, pink, purple, fawn, terra cotta, cerise. Widths, 3 to 6 inches.

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Disaster.

Chicago, Nov. 27.—The railroads of the entire country have decided to inaugurate an era of most rigid economy. The plans which have been decided on will result in a decrease in expenditures during the next twelve months of between \$80,000,000 and \$120,000,000, as compared with the sums spent during the year just closing. The railroad presidents claim they have been forced into the adoption of this policy in self-defense, and to prevent possible disastrous financial consequences of the increase in the cost of everything except transportation.

The subject of expenditures has been the sole topic of discussion at executive officials' gatherings in Chicago and in the east. In the last three months. The subject was again discussed yesterday, at a general informal luncheon at one of the downtown clubs, at which every railroad represented gave information regarding the expenditures planned for the coming year. In the aggregate, however, and that among the roads having headquarters in Chicago the decrease in expenditures would be fully \$80,000,000. The expenditures referred to are what are known among railway managements as "extra" or "extraordinary," and are for extension of lines, building of spurs, tracks, new engine-houses, better and more facilities and betterment of roadbed and track.

One official stated that while the extra expenditures for 1906 had aggregated \$16,000,000 on his road, the budget for similar expenses for next year would not exceed \$1,000,000. This effect the withdrawal of such a vast sum of money will have on the industries, on labor and on the business of the country is problematical.

The reasons assigned by railroad men for their decision in favor of extraordinary economy are the following: Increased demands of labor, which will require a 10 per cent general increase costing the roads between \$30,000,000 and \$100,000,000 in excess of the wages paid last year.

Increased cost of all supplies and materials entering into railroad construction, and the maintenance, varying from 35 to 75 per cent.

Scarcity of labor, making it almost impossible to secure men for extension of old lines and the construction of new, railroad labor shortage in the country west of Chicago being estimated at between 20,000 and 30,000 men.

Inability to get supplies promptly and the uncertainty of being able to use them when procured.

The general tendency of freight rates which, it is claimed, is downward, while the price of everything else is increasing.

Uncertainty regarding the effect of the rules of the interstate commerce commission which, railroad men say, may result in good to them or may result in great harm.

Increasing difficulty in securing money to invest in railway ventures, and with which to carry on improvements, a difficulty which has become alarmingly real during the last twelve months.

Continued public agitation which is alleged to be hostile to corporations and to railroads especially.

These reasons, it is claimed, are patent to all, and the railroad which would not "lay to" and await the outcome would be daring financial disaster. In the Northwest and in the West railroad extension, except that already planned, is practically at a standstill, and a great number of the roads which will not be prosecuted the coming year. In view of the fact that James J. Hill has said it would require 10,000 additional miles of road each year to keep pace with the growing demands on transportation facilities, the inactivity of the railroads in this respect is interesting.

The Burlington may be taken as a fair example of all western roads. At the beginning of last year that road had \$16,000,000 of an unexpended appropriation of \$30,000,000 for its entire system of about 2,000 miles. After strenuous efforts to expend this balance this year on improvements and extensions which were planned, there is still an unexpended balance of \$7,000,000, due, it is claimed, to inability to secure material and workmen. Besides being unable to make the expenditures desired, it cost the railroads, together with the Burlington, 30 per cent in excess of the estimates made to accomplish the work of the year. During the coming year the Burlington probably will not build to exceed thirty or forty miles of road, and will not use to exceed \$1,000,000 in excess of the unexpended appropriation.

John Herman, an energetic Methodist church worker, has organized the chickens in the neighborhood of Wesley Methodist Episcopal Church, near Sykesville, Md., into a mission society to raise funds to aid the church. Each hen is a lay member, so to speak, and the farmers of the neighborhood agree to turn over to the church each and every egg that their hens lay on Sunday, and only those laid on that day. These eggs are to be taken to the church each Sunday afternoon at the Epworth League meeting and placed in a basket.

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DRUID HAUNTS GRAVE GHOULS

Unearthed From Ancient Resting
Place, Skeleton Plays Weird
Pranks—Is Reburied.

London, Nov. 27.—An ancient skeleton that refused to abide peacefully in any abode but her original burial place, and after upsetting a whole village had to be taken back to her "barrow," sounds like an old wives' tale, yet it is a true story, and happened in no earlier time than our own prosaic twentieth century—to be more exact, on Saturday last—and in an ordinary English village in Wiltshire. The skeleton was that of a venerable British woman who reigned as high priestess of the Temple of Avebury, famous for its Druidical remains, some 4,000 years ago.

In the south of England are many of these barrows. They resemble large grassy mounds, and were made by the natives of Britain thousands of years ago for their sepulchres. Many of them have been explored, and old weapons, ornaments, and domestic vessels have been found in them keeping company with the bones of their owners.

One of these barrows near the little village of Whithampton, in Wiltshire, was explored last week, and in it were found a large number of very valuable gold ornaments. With these lay a woman's skeleton, computed by the archaeologist who discovered it to be 4,000 years old. This rare treasure he decided to remove, and the skeleton was carefully taken to a farm-house nearby, and placed in a room by herself. Next morning the terrified inhabitants came hurriedly to the man who had placed her there, and implored him to take her away at once.

It seems that as soon as darkness fell the old lady began to play weird pranks to the disreputable which had been shown to her venerable bones, and from the room where she lay came the most fearful "shindy" ever heard. All kinds of horrible noises proceeded from it and the farmer and his family were unable to sleep the whole night.

Thinking this was probably more due to superstition than anything else, the skeleton was once more removed and placed in the house of Dr. Maurice, in the same village. And that night the noise was repeated, and on the times when it occurred, the frightened listeners outside as if a fearful struggle were going on, and the next morning when they went into the room there were marks that resembled blood-stains on the walls. Many other strange occurrences had also happened.

The archaeologist's bicycle had disappeared, and a search high and low in all parts of the house and garden proved fruitless. Also a gold bracelet, which had been on the wrist of a lady in the house for eight years, and which she had never once taken off in that time, had gone, and could be found nowhere.

Several more attempts were made to house the skeleton, but with the same alarming results, so the archaeologist decided that the only thing to be done was to restore her to her original resting place, which was in reality done. On returning to the barrow they found the bicycle and the bracelet.

Here is the career of the skeleton and its accompanying "spook" since the disinterment, in chronological order:

Saturday—Unearthed, put on a tea tray and carried to the house of Mr. Bucknam, in Marlborough.

Sunday morning (3:30)—Weird noises outside Mr. Bucknam's house.

Monday—Continuation of peculiar noises.

Tuesday—Parts of the skeleton taken to the house of another gentleman, and the noise ceased. The table turned the color of blood.

Wednesday—Ornaments taken by Mr. Cunningham to be mounted and identified.

A gold bracelet belonging to a lady of the household lost. Town clock at Devises stopped, and the chiming ceased to play until it was deemed that the body should be reinterred in its old resting place.

Friday—Four "disinterred" teeth taken to be fitted in the jaw. On the following afternoon they were discovered on the dining-room table of a house twelve miles away.

Tuesday—A letter received by a Devises gentleman announcing that two mysterious fires had occurred in a house where some of the remains were stored.

The discovery was one of which the archaeologist, Mr. B. H. Wiltshire, F.R.S., is very proud. He has been more than a century since the last bronze age remains, with gold ornaments, were unearthed in the county of Wiltshire. It was the desecrating spade and scientific brain of Mr. Cunningham that brought to light this archaeological marvel. But this latter discovery is beyond everything that preceded it.

"The richness of the ornaments indicated a person of great importance," said Mr. Cunningham to an Express representative yesterday, "but an unusual circumstance is that, although a cemetery was found near at hand, no other bones were dug up. It was customary for groups of people to be interred together in those far-off years."

Mr. Bucknam detailed to an Express representative the phenomenon that had followed his reception of the bones. "I awoke at 3:30 a.m.," he said, "and heard a shrill, weird cry. I aroused my wife, who declared that it was the hooting of an owl. I replied that it was like the wailing of a banshee. The sound was unusual."

"Noises were also heard on the following night. When some dogs were sent out to investigate, one of them made straight for a shed in which the remains repose and howled dismally. 'I am a scientific man,' said Mr. Cunningham, 'and I do not attempt to account for any of these things. From a scientific point of view the fact is interesting. The rest I leave to psychologists. The incident of the teeth is certainly remarkable.'"

Sense isn't nearly so noticeable as lack of sense.

The bones of small talk are often responsible for social dyspepsia.

TERRIBLE TALES OF VIVISECTION

Experimenters Make Confessions
of System of Most Revolting
Cruelty to Dogs.

London, Nov. 27.—The royal commission on vivisection is sitting with closed doors. The fact has aroused considerable comment, mostly unfavorable.

Several witnesses whose testimony would be of the utmost value have refused to attend and give evidence because of the iron-bound privacy of the proceedings. The class of evidence which will be discussed at this private conference is intensely interesting to the British public. It is represented by this typical statement from the pen of Dr. Brachet, professor of physiology at the Ecole de Médecine.

"I inspired a dog with the greatest aversion for me," he says, "by plunging or inflicting some pain or other upon it as often as I saw it. When this feeling was carried to its height, so that the animal became furious as soon as it saw or heard me, I put out its eyes. I could then appear before it without its manifesting any aversion. I spoke, and immediately its barking and furious movements proved the passion which animated it."

"I therefore destroyed the drum of its ears and disorganized the internal ear as much as I could, and when an intense inflammation which was excited had rendered it deaf, I filled up its ears with molten wax. It could no longer hear at all. Then I went to its side, spoke aloud, and even caressed it, without its falling into a rage. It seemed almost sensible of my caresses."

Dr. Brachet repeated the same experiment on another dog, and states that the result was always the same.

An incident which sickened the heart even of a prominent vivisectionist is told by Dr. Lator, who was present at the time a dog was being mutilated by Dr. Majendie in order to demonstrate a certain theory.

"The dog, mutilated and bleeding," says Dr. Lator, "twice escaped from under the implacable knife, and threw its front paws around Majendie's neck, licking as if to soften his cruel hand."

He adds that he did not know how much pain was inflicted from the creature's cries, and also because, he adds, we know the generous nature of the dog, who will at night lick the hand that in the morning had been employed in striking him with a heavy wooden mallet.

Dr. Allix, a well-known French veterinary surgeon, adds a grim touch to this catalogue of horrors.

"I have known," he says, "dogs die of sheer terror in anticipation of their doom before the vivisectioner had time to commence his operations."

These are the kind of facts which the royal commission is now discussing—behind closed doors.

\$45,000 FOR A REMBRANDT

Berlin, Nov. 27.—At the sale here today of the Königswarter art collection a portrait of Rembrandt by himself brought \$45,000. It was bought by Baron Gutmann of Vienna.

Rubens' portrait of Consul Marseler brought \$21,000, the purchaser being a Paris dealer. A landscape, with cows, by Cuyt, a painting famous for its morning sun effect, was sold for \$18,000.

Two life-size portraits of men, by Van Dyck, brought \$14,000 and \$15,000, respectively. A small rocco by Lancret sold for \$15,000. Other pictures sold, with their prices, were as follows:

A Tieners landscape, with a fish pond, bought for the Kaiser Friedrich Museum, Berlin, \$7,500; portrait of a gentleman, by Franz Hals, \$7,250; four paintings by Adrian van Ostade, \$9,750, \$8,250, \$10,000 and \$10,500, respectively; Hobbema's "Hut on a Mountain Path," \$10,500; Claude Lorraine's "Italian Coast," \$3,900; Canaletto's "Piazzetta," \$3,100; Reynolds' portrait of Abraham Hume, \$3,900; and Reynolds' portrait of himself, \$6,000.

The total receipts of the sale are calculated to have been about \$350,000. It is noteworthy that the works of Dutch artists brought high prices, while those of Italian painters sold at comparatively low values. For instance, a good Titoretto, although not one of his best works, brought only \$75.

One point in the Queen of Spain's future life seems to have escaped general notice. She will have to live under the same roof as her mother-in-law, her sister-in-law, her aunt-in-law, her husband's brother-in-law, and the three children of the king's dead sister, the eldest of them being heir to the throne.

Miss Cecilia Milow, who came to the United States from Sweden three years ago to gather information about work with street boys, has been so successful in organizing such clubs in Stockholm that a philanthropist has guaranteed her a life income so that she may continue this work throughout the kingdom.

Berlin University is the most numerous attended seat of learning in the world. It contains 1774 matriculants and 1,330 non-matriculated students. All the states of Germany, and every country in Europe, from Norway to Sicily, from Ireland to Russia, are represented in its class rooms.

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A GUIDE FOR TRAVELERS

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.
(Corrected to date.)

MAIN LINE—SARNIA TUNNEL TO
SUSPENSION BRIDGE AND
TORONTO.

Arrive from the east—*4 a.m., 10:45 a.m., *11 a.m., *11:20 a.m., 6:25 p.m., *7:47 p.m., 10 p.m.

Arrive from the west—*12:15 a.m., *3:20 a.m., *11:20 a.m., 1:25 p.m., *4:10 p.m., *6:25 p.m.

Depart for the east—12:20 a.m., *2:25 a.m., 8:10 a.m., *11:30 a.m., 2:05 p.m., *4:25 p.m., *6:55 p.m. (Eastern Flyer.)

The trains leaving at 8:10 a.m., and 2:05 p.m., stop at all stations. The 8:10 a.m., local, and the 11:20 a.m., and 4:25 p.m., expresses have through coaches for Toronto. The Eastern Flyer at 6:55 p.m. stops only at Ingersoll, Woodstock, Brantford and Hamilton, and goes to Toronto and Montreal.

Depart for the west—*4:15 a.m., 7:40 a.m., *11:10 a.m., *11:32 a.m., 1:55 p.m., 8:01 p.m.

The 7:40 a.m. and the 1:55 p.m. trains stop at all stations. The 4:15 a.m., 11:32 a.m., and 8:01 p.m., expresses run through to Chicago without change.

LONDON AND WINDSOR.
Arrive—10:40 a.m., *4 p.m., 6:50 p.m. (Eastern Flyer), stops only at Chatham and Glencoe, 11 p.m.

Depart—8:45 a.m., *11:25 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 7:54 p.m. (International Limited stops only at Glencoe and Chatham.)

STRATFORD BRANCH.
Arrive—10:40 a.m., 10:55 a.m., 1:25 p.m., 6:35 p.m., 10:55 p.m.

Depart—6:20 a.m., 10:45 a.m., 2:50 p.m., 6 p.m.

LONDON, HURON AND BRUCE.
Arrive—8:45 a.m., 6:10 p.m.

Depart—8:15 a.m., 4:50 p.m.

Trains marked thus * run daily. Those not so marked run daily except Sunday.

PERE MARQUETTE RAILWAY.
Depart—5:45 a.m., *6:45 a.m., 9:45 a.m., 2:30 p.m., *3:40 p.m., 7 p.m.

Arrive—8:45 a.m., *12:10 p.m., 1:50 p.m., 4:40 p.m., *9:20 p.m., *10:20 p.m.

*To and from Walkerville, without change.

Trains not "starred" to Port Stanley between London and St. Thomas only.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
Arrive—From the east *11:30 a.m., 3 p.m., *11:30 p.m., From the west—*5 a.m., *8:35 a.m., *5:20 p.m.

Depart—For the east—*5:05 a.m., 8:45 a.m., *5:28 p.m., For the west—*11:38 a.m., *8:10 p.m., *11:35 p.m.

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** From Chatham only.
*** Runs only to Chatham.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY.
Arrive—6:55 a.m., 11:10 a.m., 5:10 p.m., 9:45 p.m.

Depart—7:15 a.m., 2:20 p.m., 5:35 p.m., 10:25 p.m.

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SNAPSHOTS AT VARIOUS SPORTS

The Chicago Record-Herald is running a special column open to correspondents wishing to provide for Count Boni de Castellane, whose meal ticket recently flew away.

Here are some of the offers received:

Boni de Castellane: I will match Battling Nelson to meet you with kid gloves or rapiers. Ninety-five per cent to me, 3 per cent to Nelson and 2 per cent to you. These are regular terms. Can't cut the rate till you've made a rep.—Billy Nolan.

Count: I want you for assistant manager of the Giants. Your work will be to say "Sacre bleu" when the first ball is pitched, and "Diable" when the second ball is thrown. The umpire will then put you off the grounds, and we will do the rest.—Muggsy McGraw.

Boni: All other offers are kids. We want you for the big football game Thursday. Start on receipt of this message. You will play center about two minutes and then they'll carry you out. The county hospital is just across the road, and we'll stop on the way down town and leave the money for you. Be a sport.—Promoters Thanksgiving Game.

Boni de Castellane: They tell me you're a scrapper. If it's on the square cable me on receipt of this message, and don't waste any energy fighting at home. I've got a nice thing for you.—Corrigan.

Charlie Comiskey is evidently an imperialist in baseball affairs. He believes in branching out, and his first colonial attempt will be directed at Mexico. He proposes to go down there next spring, and while warming up his champions, incidentally annex Mexico to his string of victories.

One cannot help speculating on where Comiskey expects to land. After Mexico—what?

Is it possible that he will play his champions the year round? Will he win the pennant in the little U. S. and then hike the team to some warm, sunny clime, pull down another championship and move on? Mayhap. Mexico may be the entering wedge. There is no limit to ambition.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

An exciting game of basketball will doubtless result tomorrow night when the Stratford five come to this city for a struggle with the local Y. M. C. A. aggregation. Both teams are very speedy and should put up a splendid exhibition.

There are any number of rumors pertaining to the local hockey situation, but up to date nothing definite has been decided upon. The latest is that London is going to have an independent team. Hush! Not a whisper!

The Rough Riders II. of Ottawa are out with a will that they are penniless, and unable, therefore, to meet the Tiger Cubs at Kingston for the intermediate poke-bonnet. The London team paid their way to Dundas at the wind-up of their schedule, and did it cheerfully, even in the face of almost certain defeat—five members of the regular team being unable to go along. Of course, it makes a difference, though—there is a little at stake now.

All of the talk about holding Harry Lewis on the charge of murder in connection with the unfortunate death of Mike Ward is looked upon by many as out of place. Why not hold the management—the really guilty ones—who criminally neglected to place sufficient padding on the floor of the ring, or the referee who allowed the bout to continue after Ward was practically helpless and unable to defend himself? The law in regard to boxing contests provides that there shall be sufficient matting on the floor to protect the contestants from serious injury. When a few of these two-by-four alleged fight promoters are surrounded by iron bars for their negligence, there will be fewer fatalities in glove encounters.

The bookmakers at Benning's are not permitted to do business in the old style—sitting on stools and displaying fixed prices on the slates. They must keep constantly on the move, and make notes of bets in small notebooks. It were far better for the average racegoer if they were kept on a gallop.

The 20-round glove contest at Los Angeles tomorrow between Burns and O'Brien should be a rather exciting affair. Looking at the bout in an unprejudiced way, one must admit that the chances are very much in favor of a victory for the wily Philadelphian. O'Brien is one of the cleverest boxers in the business today. His method of hit-and-get-away is one that has disconcerted and taken the heart out of the best men that have stepped into the squared arena in many years. In a nutshell, the problematic result of the scrap resolves itself into one question: Will Burns be able to sneak a sleep-producer over to Jack's chin before the final going rings? If the affair lasts the limit, O'Brien will win, but if—Oh, let's wait until tomorrow. We'll all know for certain then. SOUTHPAW.

How Tom Cooper Attained Fame and Wealth in Day

Detroit, Nov. 27.—A charming personality has been said to be one of man's best assets. It not only proves a safeguard through life but retains its influence after death. This was exemplified last week at the funeral of Tom Cooper, the former Detroit bicycle champion of the world, when the host of friends who had followed his star of fortune from the rising turned out in numbers to pay last respects.

Cooper was always unassuming, even in the moments of his greatest achievements. His head was never turned by fortune, and he always remembered his parents when he came to the division of the spoils of his accomplishments. John Colquhoun, who looked after Tom in the champion's bicycle career, furnishes some characteristic reminiscences of the late champion.

"I'll never forget the first time Cooper beat Bald," said he. Eddie Bald was at that time the whole thing in the bicycle world. He was riding the Raymond White Flyer at the time, and his company did extensive touring, with a balloon ascension after each victory.

"Cooper was a low-salaried drug clerk at the time, fair and ruddy faced. He had no racing wheel of his own—couldn't afford it—and his father used to try to discourage him from the bicycling game.

"Tom," he would say, "your salary, if it is small, is sure. You mustn't have too many irons in the fire."

"That's all right, but when I get to the top it will have the drug business beaten," would be the answer.

"Cooper hooked up with Bald for the first time. There was a tremendous crowd out for the races, and as the riders came out of their dressing rooms that Bald balloon was gently tugging at the moorings, as it was being inflated. The riders drew lots for positions, and Bald got the rail. Cooper was fortunate enough to get second place.

"As they were lining up for the pistol Cooper could scarcely keep his admiring eyes off the great Bald. Finally Bald took offense at the individual ovation and asked the 'kid' what he meant.

"I was just thinking," Cooper replied, "how fortunate I would be if I could finish second to you, Mr. Bald."

"Get 't off out of my way," was all the satisfaction Cooper got, "or you'll not finish at all."

"That stirred Tom to the roots of his hair. The pistol cracked at last and they were off. How Cooper dug in! It was a sight to see. He told me afterwards that he simply rode. He saw a rider ahead for a time, then he gradually pulled up, passed and tore on. When it was all over he turned to ask some one where he had finished, but a score lifted him to their shoulders while the assembly thundered cheers. Bald, now scowling past, while the attendants fought wildly to keep the balloon on earth. There was no ascension that day, and Cooper had beaten Bald.

"A nervous looking man was one of the first to offer congratulations. 'It was a great race, my boy,' said he to Cooper. 'How would you like to sign for the rest of the season at \$50 a week?'

"For \$50 a week?" cried Cooper. "Come sign me for life."

"But there were others who had something to say. An agent for another wheel promptly raised the ante to \$75 before Cooper could think signing, and before he knew where he was at, what appeared to him as fabulous offers were being fired at him. When the smoke cleared away he was under contract for \$200 a week and \$2,000 for introducing a certain brand, \$1,000 for using a certain saddle, \$500 for riding with a special chain, and goodness knows what else. It was riches in an afternoon. Before, though, he had won several minor races, he couldn't get a factory to donate him a racer. And the only comment he made that night was: 'It will be a tough job to beat that man Bald every time to hold my job.'

CURLING.

WATFORD CURLERS ORGANIZE.

Watford, Nov. 27.—At the annual meeting of the Watford Curling Club the following officers were elected: Honorary president, Rev. S. W. Muxworthy; president, D. G. Parker; vice-president, J. Livingstone; secretary, treasurer, B. L. Bryce; auditors, D. Alexander and W. T. Fuller; chaplain, Rev. E. B. Horne, M.A.; finance committee, J. H. Hume, Dr. Gibson and J. McKercher. The presidents of the Stratford, Petrolia and Sarnia clubs were made honorary members.

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CHAMPIONS COULD NOT SHOOT WELL

T. N. B. C. Basketball Team
Walloped by Shamrocks—
Midgets Also Lost.

Two rattling games of basketball were pulled off on the Y. M. C. A. floor last night. The Shamrocks trimmed the T. N. B. C. team by 79 to 41, and the Medicals trimmed the Midgets 46 to 35. Last year's champions were in the game all the time, but their shooting was away off color and was in marked contrast to the really excellent shooting of the Shamrocks.

Poor shooting was responsible also for the Midgets' defeat by the Medicals. The little fellows played rings around the students in the field, but the latter made the points, and that is what wins games.

In both games the referee gave several of the men a rest on the side lines for being overzealous, but the best of feeling prevailed at all times.

A large crowd was present, including quite a number of ladies. The regular Tuesday night games are becoming very popular.

Three of the men who will line up against Stratford tomorrow night were on the Shamrocks' team—Harvey, Strauch and Mel Brock.

The lineups:

FIRST GAME.
Shamrocks—Forwards, De Shaw and W. Brock; center, Strauch; defense, Harvey and Mel Brock.

T. N. B. C.—Forwards, Skinner and Crawford; center, Dale; defense, McBride and Wickett.

SECOND GAME.
Medicals—Forwards, Crawford and Ross; center, Moore; defense, Poisson and Watson.

Midgets—Forwards, Woods and McDonald and Duncan.
Referee—Mr. Brent.
Scorer—Mr. Hertel.
Timekeeper—Mr. Dixon.

THE TURE.

LONG SHOTS WON.

Washington, Nov. 27.—Only two favorites won at the Benning track today. Society Bud, a 60 to 1 shot, captured the first race. Red Knight, at 1 to 3 in the third race, finished third, G. L. M. winning at 30 to 1.

The fastest race was furnished an exciting finish between Cederstrom and Banker. The pair came under the wire side by side with Cederstrom ahead. Jockey Miller, who rode Banker, claimed a foul against Cederstrom, ridden by G. L. M. Cederstrom was disqualified, making Ormande's Right the even money favorite, third. Cederstrom was backed from 10 to 1 to 5 to 1. Two track records were broken, Cashion lowered the six furlongs record by 2 3-5 seconds, and Banker clipped two-fifths of a second off the mile and a quarter record, which has stood since 1896.

YESTERDAY'S WINNERS.
At Benning's—Society Bud 60 to 1, Caboshon 3 to 5, G. L. M. 30 to 1, Lady Karma 7 to 5, Luretta 12 to 1, Banker 4 to 1.

At New Orleans—Dry Dollar 20 to 1, Cannonball 6 to 1, Missouri Lad 6 to 1, Juggler even, Alencon 9 to 2, Bitter Hard 4 to 1.

OLD GLORY SALE.
New York, Nov. 27.—Good prices were paid today at the Old Glory horse sale at Madison Square Garden. The \$1,000 mark first was reached in the afternoon, when horses belonging to William Simpson, of the Empire City Farms, were offered. Surety Bond, a filly, was purchased by W. L. Snow, of Hornell, for \$1,025.

O. R. F. U. ANNUAL MEETING.
Toronto, Nov. 27.—The annual meeting of the Ontario Rugby Football Union will be held at the King Edward Hotel, on Saturday, Dec. 8.

A number of amendments have already been placed in the hands of Secretary J. B. Hay, and these will be published on Saturday next. The day upon which the nominations close, a club having amendments to the constitution or playing rules to offer should have them in the secretary's hands before that date.

ALLEGED RIOTER ACQUITTED.
Hamilton, Nov. 27.—Arthur King, of the Tammany Tigers, Toronto, who was arrested here on Saturday night on a charge of rioting, was acquitted by the magistrate this morning.

AFRICANS TAKE ANOTHER.
London, Nov. 27.—The touring South African Rugby team defeated Trinity at Dublin today by a score of 23 to 3.

YALE'S BIG RECEIPTS.
New Haven, Conn., Nov. 27.—The Yale football management today began figuring up their receipts for the season. The Harvard-Yale game netted the two colleges \$84,000, each college getting \$42,000. From the Yale-Princeton game the universities divided equally about \$27,000. Yale's \$15,000 from the Yale-Princeton game with about \$5,000 from the Yale-Brown game added, to about \$10,000 from its smaller games makes a total of about \$65,000 for the season.

BASKETBALL.
TOMORROW NIGHT'S GAME.

When Stratford and London meet on the Y. M. C. A. floor in basketball tomorrow night, two distinct and different styles of play will be seen. The London team are using tall men, who will be strong at intercepting and fielding the ball, while Stratford have a small, light team, which is, however, lightning fast at running, passing and shooting.

In Stratford last week, London won by a small margin, but will endeavor to increase considerably their lead in the return game here tomorrow.

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SOLDIERS PLAY INDOOR GAMES

Baseball and Basketball at
the Armories, With Some
Close Scores.

Two excellent games of indoor baseball were played last night at the armories, when the Army Medical Corps defeated F Company, and H Company trimmed the Buglers. The struggles were very exciting and interesting was keen. Tomorrow evening Companies A and G and D and E will meet in a pair of games. Summary of last night's battles:

First Games—
Army Medical Corps 14
F Company 10
Buglers: A. M. C. Murray, Thompson and McGill; F Company, Bryan and Rogers.

Second Game—
H Company 13
Buglers: H Company, Wray and Reid; Buglers, Orr and Callahan.

Umpires—Quartermaster-Sergt. Dunlevy and Jeffries.

A BASKETBALL GAME.
B Company took a fall out of Company D last night in the first game of the basketball schedule of the Seventh Regiment.

The game was a closely contested one, the score standing 5 to 2. Summary:

The line-up:
B Company—Center, Butler; forwards, Sangster, Skelton; defense, Bingle, Callery.

D Company—Center, Anderson; forwards, Spry, Carson; defense, Hayes and Martin.

Umpire—Trebilcock.
Referee—Gandier.

GANS SAYS FIGHT WILL BE HIS LAST

Battling Nelson Only One He
Will Agree to Meet After
Go With Herman.

New York, Nov. 27.—"Yes, I am going to fight Kid Herman at Tonopah, on Jan. 1, and that will be my last fight," said Joe Gans, the champion light-weight boxer. "There will be only one possibility of my going into the ring again. That is if Battling Nelson really wants to fight me and will make terms to suit me."

"I mean by this not such terms as will give me every advantage, as was given him at Goldfield, but anything that is fair, square and equitable. Yes, I would be more than glad to fight him again. After that, it is good-bye to the ring for Joe Gans."

"My reason for retiring is that I have now enough money to keep me all the rest of my days. When you consider that I have been fighting for more than half my life and do not have to keep it up, you cannot blame me for going out of the game."

"After next week's show I shall return to San Francisco and will follow up my efforts to enjoy the pictures. I will not be there about Dec. 1 and four days later will be in Tonopah and start to train for Kid Herman."

CZAR AIDS LITTLE BOY

Takes Charge of Lad Whose Father Was Drowned by Royal Yacht.

St. Petersburg, Nov. 27.—When the Czar's yacht, Standart, cast anchor off Peterhof on her return from her Finnish tour, one of the first passengers to be taken to Peterhof Palace was the 9-year-old son of a Finnish pilot named Kolainen. While the Standart was steaming away from Pykionna Island, where the Czar had spent a day shooting, Kolainen was drowned, owing to the torpedo-boat which he was steering, plunging rapidly into the swell of the big yacht.

The Czar had the Standart stopped, inquired about the pilot's family, and finding that he was a widower with a young son, offered to look after the boy's education. Young Kolainen was taken on board the Standart, and is now at Peterhof.

Every day shooting parties were organized on the group of Finnish Islands known as the Scherl. The Czar is an excellent shot. The official account of his holiday states that he killed fourteen blackcock with twelve

"The islands in some cases had no landing place, and sailors from the cruisers and torpedo-boats accompanying the Standart were sent on in advance to build pontoon landing stages. One of these landing stages was washed away by the waves within a few minutes of the Czar's expected arrival, but the Emperor and Empress insisted on the whole party scrambling ashore over the steep rocks.

Every master pilot was presented with a gold watch, and each of his assistants got either a silver watch or a signed photograph of the Czar and a present of \$15. When on board the Standart the chief pilot and his wife dined with the Emperor and Empress.

Two days before returning to Peterhof a race for four steam pinnaces with the squadron was held, the Czar presenting a gold plate as prize. Conditions were laid down in order to test the skill of the crews in finding their way about unknown waters. On the first day a pilot led the boats through about twenty miles of tortuous straits and fjords among innumerable small islands. On the second day the pinnaces were required both to find their way and to make good time. The Standart's pinnace won the prize, all the rival boats mistaking the route.

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M'GILL WILL MEET HAMILTON TIGERS

Intercollegiate Champs Unanimously in Favor of Playing
Blufftown Brigade.

Montreal, Nov. 27.—At a meeting of the McGill Rugby Football Club last night it was unanimously decided to play the Hamilton Tigers for the Dominion championship. The only condition that McGill imposes is that the game shall be played in Montreal.

It has been announced by the board of reference of the I. C. R. F. U. that McGill is inter-collegiate champion this year, and therefore, eligible to play Hamilton for the championship. McGill has decided to play on its own campus instead of on the M. A. A. grounds, as was suggested. It seems that the idea of paying rent does not appeal to them. Tom Clancy, of Ottawa, has been nominated by McGill to referee the game.

The McGill players will be handicapped, as they have been playing the old scrimmage game, while the Tigers were thoroughly taught the C. R. F. U. game by their match with Montreal.

The McGill lineup will probably be as follows: Ballantyne, full back; McLauchlan, halfback; Zimmerman, halves; Johnson, quarter; Still, Quinn, Steedman, scrumhalf; Benedict, Ross, Pare, Stephens, Hale and Winslow, wings; Reid, Raphael, Patrick, Cox, spares.

A Dane named Knudson is credited with discovering means of producing liquid air at the cost of no more than one-sixth the usual price, and it is said that his process, which is mechanical rather than chemical, will ultimately put liquid air on the market at not more than about 2 cents a gallon. The same invention makes it possible to sell oxygen at a cent a cubic foot, which promises to bring it into rather wide industrial use.

According to the Washington Post, quoting a cashier, bank officials do not prefer fresh, new bills to old ones. "Everybody doesn't care for new greenbacks," said a cashier. "It is a common idea that bank cashiers do not care to give up crisp paper money."

As a matter of fact, nine cashiers out of every ten try to get rid of new money as quickly as possible after receiving it. There is grave danger to the average paying teller in handling unused money. New bank notes stick together. Frequently the ink is not thoroughly dry."

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Mrs. M. A. McNeil, Brook Village, N.S., writes: "I suffered from dyspepsia, loss of appetite and bad blood. I tried everything I could get but to no purpose; then finally started to use Burdock Blood Bitters. From the first day I felt the good effects of the medicine. I can eat anything now without any ill after effects and am strong and well again."

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Glengarry is situated southwest of the city on the Banff Coast road overlooking the city of Calgary. The city is rapidly growing west in the direction of Glengarry. A subdivision that was put on last spring only one-half mile from Glengarry is well built on. Improvements, such as waterworks, park, etc., are going up in the immediate vicinity of Glengarry, and contracts are let for many fine residences just across the street, and you all know what that means to Glengarry.

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BURGLARIES LAID TO YOUTHFUL TRIO

Small Boys Said to Have Broken Into Office and Held Up Youngster on Street.

This morning Detective Nickle arrested three small boys, who reside in the east end of the city on serious charges of theft.

For some time past stealings have been reported from East London, and every time the blame has been placed on unknown small boys.

About two weeks ago the office of James & Connors, coal and wood dealers, was entered and \$30 in cash taken from the till.

Last Tuesday three small boys called at the same office and told the young lady in charge that a man in the yard wanted to see her. During her absence the boys robbed the till of \$5.50.

Only last Friday two boys in the east end held up Harry Secord, a newsboy, and took \$2 away from him.

It is alleged that the boys under arrest have committed all three of the robberies, and others not yet brought to light.

The trio will appear at the juvenile court tomorrow morning.

FIRE WAGONS COLLIDE

Same Together While Responding to an Alarm.

At about 11:30 this morning the firemen were called to the store of the London Floral Company, on Dundas street, near Wellington. It was only a chimney blaze, but the firemen did not know this and every piece of apparatus in the city turned out, as is the custom when an alarm is sent in from the business district.

While the men from the central station were investigating the cause of the alarm, two pieces of apparatus collided at the corner of King and Wellington street.

No. 2 company came west from the East London hall on King street, and No. 3 company came in from South London via York and Wellington streets. A blinding snow storm was raging at the time. The heavy combination chemical wagons were swinging from side to side on the pavements, and at the intersection of King and Wellington, the East London outfit struck No. 3's wagon, with the result that the latter sustained a broken wagon tongue. Men and horses escaped uninjured. Chief Clark had a duplicate tongue brought out and in a few minutes the wagon was able to proceed to No. 2 station.

RAN IN FRONT OF A YARD ENGINE

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William Winslow, a car repairer, and Charles Black, of 511 Dundas street. The accident completely unnerved the schoolmates of Eva Simpson, and after resting some time in a house on Bathurst street, they returned to Glanworth on the Pere Marquette. This company also notified Mr. Simpson of the death of his daughter.

To The Advertiser, Ella Smith said the terrible accident occurred so quickly she scarcely knew what happened. "Eva was quite a distance from me," Miss Smith said to the reporter, "when I saw the engine strike her. Oh, it was awful! She made no outcry whatever, and I watched her roll from the pilot and under the wheels."

Victim Popular at School.

Eva Simpson appeared to have been very popular with her chums, for they cried bitterly as they tried to tell the coroner and others of the accident. She was a second-year girl in the general course of the Collegiate Institute, was bright and possessed a sunny disposition which made her many friends among the teachers and students. Previous to entering the Collegiate Institute here she had attended the school of section No. 13 Westminster. She is survived by her parents, four brothers and one sister, as follows: William, James, Alexander and Daniel, and Annie. She was the youngest child.

Principal Radcliffe of the Collegiate Institute was one of the first to arrive on the scene, and he looked after the other pupils, and in every way took a keen interest in his little school friends. He spoke feelingly of Eva Simpson, who had been in his school for two years.

A surprise masquerade party was given last night by a number of friends in honor of Mr. Murray Sangster, of 355 Maitland street. About 50 were present, and a very pleasant time was spent by all. Prizes were awarded as follows: First, Miss G. Vandermade, who was dressed as a Japanese flower girl; prize, hand-painted plaque. The first prize for gentlemen went to Mr. Randy Davidson, who was dressed as a Russian general; the prize was a hand-painted shaving mug.

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WOULD TAKE VETO FROM THE LORDS

National Liberal Federation Asks Government to Have the Question Settled.

London, Nov. 27.—The intensity of the political feeling aroused by the treatment of the education bill in the House of Lords found expression today in an emergency meeting of the committee of the National Liberal Federation, at which a resolution was unanimously adopted urging the Government to reject the Lords' amendments to the bill and "resolutely to determine that the present Parliament shall not come to an end until steps are taken to bring a final agreement, the question whether the House of Peers should any longer possess the right to veto on the will of the people as declared by the House of Commons."

A letter from Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman was read, in which the Premier said that it was realized by all Liberals "that the House of Lords would hasten to assert itself as the instrument of unionism as soon as the country rendered a verdict against the Unionist Government and the Unionist policy."

Continuing, the latter said: "Still, I may plead guilty to a certain sense of surprise at the violence of the manifestation, now that it had come. The education bill as passed by the House of Commons was a bill which the country demanded in unmistakable terms at the general election. It now seems to have been turned into a travesty of its original form. As amended, it perpetuates, if it does not extend, the very grievances and wrongs fixed upon the country by the act of 1902. Of one thing you may rest assured. We will have no tampering with the main principles upon which our bill is founded. If within those limits an arrangement can be reached, all well and good. If not, it will be for us to see that on this question of education and on others a way is found by which the wishes of the country may be made to prevail."

CANADIAN STEAMER LOST

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ing character. Mr. Lyons escaped shipwreck in a terrific gale on the Pacific coast on his way down, and the steamer on which he was then a passenger went down on her return trip, with a heavy list of fatalities. His mother had long been a resident of this town, and a brother, Mr. Fred Lyons, is a checker at the C. P. R. sheds, and recently erected a large restaurant near the station.

Mr. Louis Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Allen, was on his way to Tobemorey to join a companion in a brief trapping outing, and his parents are prostrated over their loss.

The books of the boat carry the only record of the passenger list, and the only names of the passengers that can be obtained are:

James Fox, an elderly gentleman from Southampton, or Hephworth, on his way to Lion's Head.

T. M. Wagon, merchant, of Windemoy, Manitoulin Island.

Three men for Captain Graham's camp at Silver Water, on the Manitoulin.

Unquestionably there were others whose names time alone may reveal, as at this season of the year there is little chance of bodies being recovered.

An Unfortunate Craft

The Jones, as she was popularly designated, was well known all over the northern part of Lake Huron, including the Georgian Bay. She was of "tug" build, and was for many years engaged in collecting fresh fish, packed in boxes, from the various fishing stations—Tobemorey, The Ducks, Cockburn Island, Killarney, the Bustards, and points on the east coast of the Georgian Bay, completing her journey at Owen Sound. Of late years the franchise of these stations has been under the control of the Dominion Fish Company, and the boat was formerly owned by that organization. That she was staunchly built was proved conclusively when she was a few years ago sunk between Kagawong harbor and Clapperton Island as the result of a collision with the steamer Pacific of the Northern Navigation Company's fleet. She was floated and repaired the next spring and put on her old route, her first captain after the accident being the man who was first mate of the Pacific at the time of the collision.

Curiously enough the same season the Pacific was completely destroyed by fire at the owner's dock in Collingwood harbor.

The fate of the Jones, so similar to that of the Jane Miller a score of years ago, should be sufficient in the way of warning to deter any small vessel from venturing on the Georgian Bay during the season of bad fall storms. The Jones was a good vessel of her class, but was too small to weather the seas that have proved too much for larger vessels such as the ill-fated Asia. It is not necessary to suppose that she struck a rock; to all appearance she simply foundered as the result of being overwhelmed by waves too high to be overridden.

The Soos Cut Off.

Sault Ste. Marie, Nov. 28.—The Soos were without communication with the outside world for 30 hours up to last yesterday afternoon as a result of the terrific storm of Monday. Telegraph and telephone poles are down in all directions. It is reported 25 miles of poles are down on the Canadian Pacific Railway. The storm was the heaviest experienced here in many years. Trains were delayed and the river was filled with craft which dared not venture out into the gale and snow.

—Miss Laura Butler, of Strathroy, was a recent visitor with Miss Vera Ellwood, of John street.

CITY WILL FIGHT FOR REDUCTION

Wants Cheaper Telephone Rates Than Prevail Under the Present Franchise.

This afternoon No. 1 committee of the city council meets Messrs. McFarland and Wilson, representatives of the Bell and Independent Telephone companies, respectively, in regard to a "phone franchise in London."

It is not expected that any more will be done today than to hear the offers of the rival concerns and the arguments relating thereto.

Mr. McFarland, by the way is an old London boy, and in civic circles he is regarded as one of the cleverest negotiators in Canada. He is general superintendent of the Bell Telephone Company of Canada, and his headquarters are in Montreal.

Secretary Wilson, of the Independent Company, is also said to be very shrewd. The aldermen intend to have City Solicitor Meredith present when any business with either of the "phone representatives is being conducted.

Mayor Judd is being criticised for allowing this matter to go along until a month before the date of the expiration of the contract before placing the city in communication with other companies that might want a franchise in London. If it had not been for Ald. Gilleen the matter would still be out of sight. It was he who brought the question to the front.

The city intends to put up a stiff fight for a reduction in "phone rates, and will produce the following table to show that other places are much better treated along this line than is London:

Business Residence.	
London	\$40
Chatham	25
Guelph	30
Hamilton	45
Kingston	30
St. Thomas	25
St. Catharines	35
Stratford	30
Woodstock	30
Toronto	45
Windsor	25

It will be seen from the above that while this city is well treated as a residence "phone compared with Windsor, St. Thomas and other places, it has a grievance as regards business "phones.

Desk "phones also cost \$3 extra, and the city fathers intend to bring this matter, as well as the charge of \$3 for long distance equipment, to the attention of the Bell people.

It is estimated that there are 2,300 "phones in the city, the list taking about 48 pages in the telephone directory. It is also said that since the last agreement with the Bell Company, over 500 new subscribers have been added in London.

CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

—Four young men were up before Justice Taylor yesterday on a charge of disturbing a religious meeting at the Gore Methodist Church recently. The case was dismissed.

—Mr. Wm. Wright and the Messrs. Wright of Wellington street, after visiting Mrs. MacDougall, Cottingham street, Toronto, have left to spend the winter in Jamaica.

—The city's road roller was mired on South street near Wellington, yesterday afternoon, while it was engaged rolling the recently graded roadway. It took a gang of men several hours to extricate it.

—Persons who have parcels or packages to forward to the United States for Christmas should send them to the customs office in this city. Duty cannot be paid to Canadian customs officers on goods going into any foreign country.

—The funeral of the late Mrs. Annie C. Brown took place today from the family residence, lot 12, concession 8, Lobo Township, to Ivan Cemetery. Rev. J. Argo, pastor of the Melville Presbyterian Church, assisted by Rev. Mr. Ballantyne, of this city, conducted the services. The W. F. M. A., of which the deceased was president, contributed a beautiful floral wreath. The pallbearers were Messrs. John Headley, Robt. Radcliffe, Wm. Headley, Harry Headley, Alex. Alkenhead, and Andrew Bell.

LIBERAL WHIST TONIGHT.

Local Liberals should not fail to attend the party headquarters tonight, and participate in the whist match. A number of prizes are to be given. The match will be one of a series to be held during the winter months.

LONDONER CHOSEN.

Secretary Ellwood has been notified that President D. R. Gwin, of the American Waterworks Association, has been pleased to appoint him a member of the committee on uniform annual reports. The convention meets in Toronto next year. This will be the first time it has been held outside of the United States.

TWILIGHT ORGAN RECITAL.

Mr. Jordan will give his 31st twilight organ recital next Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The programme is an interesting one, including the Funeral March of a Marionette, overture to Midsummer's Night Dream, and other popular numbers.

LATE JAS. GILLEEN'S FUNERAL.

The remains of the late Mr. James Gilleen were laid at rest in Woodland Cemetery this afternoon. The funeral was held at 2:30 o'clock from the residence of Mr. James R. Gilleen, Maitland street, and it was attended by many friends and relatives of the deceased, who had for 65 years been a resident of the city. The pallbearers were the five sons of Mr. Gilleen, and three grandsons—James A., Charles Z. and Harold D. Gilleen. Rev. Dr. Ross, pastor of St. Andrew's Church, officiated. A number of beautiful floral designs were placed on the casket. The relatives from other cities included W. D. Gilleen, eldest son, and James A. and Charles H., grandsons of the deceased, of Montreal.

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UPPER HOUSE ADOPTS ADDRESS

Senators Scott and Coffey Refute Lougheed's Charge in Strong Speeches.

Ottawa, Nov. 28.—The debate on the address in the Senate closed yesterday afternoon, after addresses had been delivered by Hon. W. R. Scott, and Senators McCullen and Coffey. No one on the Opposition side offered to speak. It seemed as though the Conservative senators felt that Senator Lougheed, their leader, had gone beyond the limits of reasonable criticism on the previous day, and had displayed a partisanship which offended their sense of propriety and surprised even his friends. Hon. Mr. Scott's address, studiously courteous and dignified in style, was in marked contrast to that of Mr. Lougheed. It formed a most effective reply to the latter's statements.

Hon. Mr. Scott, after congratulating the mover and seconder, said he could not indorse much of what had been said by the leader of the opposition. He could not agree that Providence had not blessed Canada the prosperity that had come with Liberal Government. The Government had done something to help. During the eighteen Conservative years prior to 1896 the bank deposits had increased only at the rate of \$6,724,000 a year, and since that time the annual increase had been at the rate of \$34,000,000 a year, or six times as much as under the Conservatives. The aggregate trade had increased \$4,000,000 a year under the Conservatives, and at the rate of \$23,000,000 a year under the Liberals.

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The remains of the late Mr. James Gilleen were laid at rest in Woodland Cemetery this afternoon. The funeral was held at 2:30 o'clock from the residence of Mr. James R. Gilleen, Maitland street, and it was attended by many friends and relatives of the deceased, who had for 65 years been a resident of the city. The pallbearers were the five sons of Mr. Gilleen, and three grandsons—James A., Charles Z. and Harold D. Gilleen. Rev. Dr. Ross, pastor of St. Andrew's Church, officiated. A number of beautiful floral designs were placed on the casket. The relatives from other cities included W. D. Gilleen, eldest son, and James A. and Charles H., grandsons of the deceased, of Montreal.

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EAST BUFFALO.
Buffalo, Nov. 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 400 head; prime steers, \$5 60 to \$6 25; shipping, \$4 75 to \$5 50; butchers, \$4 25 to \$5 15. Veals—Receipts, 100 head; active and higher, \$4 25 to \$5 50.
Hogs—Receipts, 4,300 head; active, 10c to 20c higher; heavy, \$6 50 to \$6 65; 20c higher; sheep, \$5 40 to \$5 50; dairies, \$5 20 to \$5 40.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 4,400 head; active; sheep steady, lambs 15c to 20c higher; lambs, \$5 to \$7 60; Canada lambs, \$7 25 to \$7 40.
ENGLISH MARKETS.
LIVERPOOL.
Liverpool, Nov. 28.—Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 red winter wheat, 6s 1 1/2d. Futures December, 6s 3 1/2d; March, 6s 5 1/2d; May, 6s 5 1/2d.
Corn—Spot firm; American mixed, 4s 2 1/2d. Futures firm; December, 4s 4 1/2d; January, 4s 1 1/2d.
Peas—Canadian steady, 6s 6d.
Hops (at London)—Pacific coast dull, £3 10s to £4 15s.
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Pork—Prime mess western strong, 8s 9d.
Hams—Short cut, 14 to 15 lbs, steady, 60s 6d.
Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, steady, 5s 6d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, steady, 5s 6d; long clear middles, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 5s 6d; do, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, steady, 5s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, firm, 4s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, steady, 4s; shoulders, square, 11 to 15 lbs, firm, 4s 6d.
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NEED THICK SKULLS
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Berlin, Nov. 27. — The raw, big-toned peasants of the Bavarian Alps enjoy the reputation of possessing the thickest skulls in Christendom. That they need them is clear from a case that came the other day before the court at Haag, Upper Bavaria. A favorite after-supper game among the farm-hands is for one to sit blindfolded on a chair, while the others in succession hit him on the head with a piece of wood, with the question, "Neighbor, who hit you?" If the person on the penitent skull guesses right, the individual named takes his seat, but if a wrong name is given he has to submit to further blows, until the striker's name is guessed correctly. This innocent pastime has been going on in Farmer Hanselmeier's kitchen, to the uproarious delight of the farm-hands, male and female, because Sabina Wimmer, a robust dairymaid, has returned thirty wrong answers in succession, and in consequence had received thirty blows with a bread platter. Finally Sabina was released out of compassion, and then it was found that, notwithstanding her thick skull, she had suffered concussion of the brain, which it took two months to cure. The whole company now stood around in the kitchen, but all were acquitted, the rural jury holding that the ancient game had been played fairly, and that there had been no intention of causing bodily harm to the unfortunate girl. Magazines make the choicest gifts. Send to the Red Star News Company, 1 Market Lane, for catalogue, listing 1,000 subscription bargains.

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LONDON AND DISTRICT

—Mrs. J. L. Bray, of Chatham, is visiting London friends.

—Mrs. John McLelland, of St. Catharines, who has been visiting Mrs. J. Ross, at 131 Maple street, has returned home.

—Mrs. R. H. Calvert, formerly of St. Thomas, will be at home to her friends on first, second and third Fridays, at her residence, 288 Pall Mall street.

—The London and Western Trusts Company, Limited, has been appointed administrator of the estate of the late H. R. Buckley, of the city of Windsor.

—Mr. Harry Corbett, of the Columbia Graphophone Company, has been transferred to the Toronto agency of the company. During his six months' residence here Mr. Corbett has made many friends, who will regret his departure, but will be glad to learn of his promotion.

—A large audience was in attendance at the First Methodist Church last evening when a most interesting lecture, entitled, "The Human Voice," was given by Rev. James Livingston, of the Wellington Street Methodist Church. Mr. Livingston has given this lecture over 100 times.

—St. George's Church Ladies' Aid of London Junction purpose having a grand bazaar at the church tomorrow afternoon and evening as well. In addition to their own handwork, some of which is of exquisite design, the ladies have received donations from Chicago and England. The Pottery orchestra will be in attendance both evenings.

—Rev. J. J. Ross, of the Talbot Street Baptist Church, gave one of his most popular lectures, "The Land of the Caesars," in the First Presbyterian Church last night before a large and appreciative audience. The views that Mr. Ross shows are from cities of Italy—Pisa, Milan, Geneva, Florence, and Venice. The short description of each illustration makes the listener wish for more. As a lecturer Mr. Ross leaves nothing to be desired. Rev. W. J. Clark was chairman of the evening.

—Mr. Frank Lawson lectured Monday evening at the meeting of the First Congregational Guild on "Canadian Poets" and delighted his audience with a store of information concerning Canadian writers, and also by his excellent rendition of the "various selections" used by way of illustration. The appreciation of the audience was voiced by Rev. F. A. Steven, upon whose motion a hearty vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. Lawson. "The Maple Leaf" was pleasingly rendered by Mr. Alfred Anundson, the audience joining in the chorus. The choir was

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occupied by Rev. D. S. Hamilton, pastor of the church.

—Mr. Alfred G. Dann, who has been transferred from the local branch of the Bank of British North America to the Montreal branch, left last night for Montreal. The other evening he was tendered a banquet by a number of friends, who wished him every success in his new field. Mr. Dann was a favorite in London social circles, and his transfer is regretted by many friends here.

—Rev. Father Tobin, assistant rector of St. Mary's Church, lectured in the C. M. B. A. hall, Stratford, the other night, on "France, Its Conditions Relative to the Roman Catholic Church and the State." The lecture is described by the Stratford papers as one of much interest. The hall was crowded, and at the conclusion of the lecture a vote of thanks was tendered Father Tobin.

BROTHERHOOD'S OFFICERS.
The Brotherhood of the Dundas Center Methodist Church held a well-attended meeting last evening in the lecture room of the church. The election of officers took place as follows: Honorary president, Rev. E. B. Laneley; president, Prof. J. H. Bowman; vice-president, C. E. Ailim; executive treasurer, D. C. McNaughton, W. H. Winnet and H. Magee. It was decided to hold a club meeting on Dec. 5 at which a debate on "Whether it is right for a man to own a million dollars" will take place.

DEATH OF OLD-TIME CONDUCTOR
William M. Breeze, who had been ill at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. A. B. Carlisle, Port Huron, died on Sunday afternoon. Mr. Breeze was born in Belleville, Ont., 65 years ago, where he was educated. For a number of years he was a conductor on the Grand Trunk Railway in Canada and 32 years ago went to Michigan and followed the same occupation on the Michigan Air Line. Seventeen years ago he went to Port Huron, and had since resided there. He is survived by his wife, two sons, N. N. Breeze, of Cincinnati; H. J. Breeze, of Port Huron, and one daughter, Mrs. A. B. Carlisle, of Port Huron.

FARMERS GET A SCARE.
Farmers of the vicinity of Woodstock had quite a scare recently, when it was reported that anthrax had made its appearance among cattle in the Hickson district. Dr. Rudd, V. S., of Woodstock, took up the matter, and the Government veterinary, Dr. J. H. Tennent, V. S., of this city, was called in. After a thorough investigation Dr. Tennent found the scare to be unfounded. All he located was a few cases of back quarter, a disease which is very common and is not regarded as dangerous. The cattle were infected by the disease were killed and all the calves on such farms were vaccinated to prevent the spread of the disease.

PERSIANS AND THEIR CUSTOMS.
An instructive address was given by Miss McKim, of Julia and Ispahan, Persia, to an interested assembly of ladies in Bishop Crony Hall yesterday afternoon, under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary. The address was divided into three sections—the first dealing with the country, and its physical characteristics; the second was a lengthy account of the hospital work, and the third, the customs of the country and the people of Persia were described. Julia is an American village, a suburb of Ispahan, which is a Mohammedan city. An American school is located in Julia, and the hospital for men, the other for women—under the control of the Church Missionary Society, and the boys' school, are situated in Ispahan. At the close of the address Miss McKim kindly answered many questions, and displayed some beautiful work, brought from Persia, also some dolls dressed to illustrate the costumes of the country. Miss McKim, whose home is in Toronto, is the only Canadian missionary in Persia, and is working under the Canadian Church Missionary Society.

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"FORTUNE'S FOOL" PLEASED AUDIENCE

Livingstone Company Made Good at the Grand Opera House Last Night.

The Livingstone Stock Company last night opened its season at the Grand with "Fortune's Fool," a comedy drama full of sparkling dialogue and spirited action. The company made good. There were fourteen people on the stage and everyone proved capable. "Fortune's Fool" is a play of "The Gilded Fool" type, and it was admirably staged. Mr. Livingstone has had his own scenic painter here for two weeks, and when the curtain went up last night the result was noticeable. Everything was fresh and new, and pleasant to the eye.

The part of "the fool" was played by Mr. Livingstone, and his work, especially in the two last acts, won the praise of the audience. He was given excellent support by Mr. Frank Readick, as the Englishman, Mr. M. Chapman, as Banister Strange; Clyde Beaton, as Matthew Ruthven; Miss Ivy Thorpe, as Sophie Ruthven; Miss Beatrice Mead, as Margaret Ruthven; Miss Millie Freeman, as the maiden aunt, and Miss Collette Powers, as Nell Ruthven.

The Livingstone company will be seen again at the Grand tonight in the same play, and also every night this week. Next week the bill will be changed, and they will continue at the Grand throughout the season. When independent attractions are brought here, the company will step aside.

In response to the requests of very many Londoners, Manager Stewart has wired the Shuberts to ascertain if it is possible to have "The Stolen Story" Company play a return date in London.

Many people have been away because they did not know the attraction, and now since they heard their friends speak of it, they are very anxious to see it. It looks as though Mr. Stone and his splendid company would be greeted by a packed house if he should return.

It is said the chances of his coming back are very remote. London was the only city in the entire Dominion visited by the company, and the play is now somewhere in the Western States.

A HASTY CHOICE GENERALLY BRINGS REGRETS.

The lady who hurriedly selects silk for a gown, the man who takes the first pair of shoes offered him, the housewife who buys eggs carelessly, the young man who chooses his life partner hastily, are all liable to regret that they were not more careful when making the choice.

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A DELIGHTFUL CONCERT

Splendid Talent Provided It at Talbot Street Church

The concert given in the Talbot Street Baptist Church last evening was well attended by a highly-appreciative audience. Among those who took part in the programme was Miss Bertha Adams, the elocutionist, who gave several numbers, in which she showed her versatile qualities as a reader, and a proved that she is an entertainer of splendid ability.

Miss Mabel Scarlett rendered a delightful soprano solo, "Carissima," which was well received.

Miss Cora M. Maguire, of Cincinnati, rendered a piano solo, "Zephyr" (Singing), in which she proved herself to be a pianist of rare talent. Her accompaniments were also a feature of the programme.

Solos, which greatly pleased the audience, were given by Masters Elliott, Webb and Parkinson. Mr. Clarence Eby favored with an organ solo.

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Programme Provided by Local Talent, Assisted by Miss Rachel Gwyn.

The Woman's Music Club held a social last evening in the Masonic Temple, at which a fashionable audience, very appreciative, although not large, was in attendance.

The concert was a success in every respect. Among the special features of the concert were the appearance of Miss Rachel Gwyn, soprano, and the introduction to the club of Mr. F. Linforth Willgoose, as a violinist. The work of Miss Stone was very fine, as was that of Miss Raymond.

Miss Gwyn made her initial appearance, and instantly created a favorable impression with the audience. She possesses a charming personality, and a fine mezzo-soprano voice, which was heard to advantage in "The Making of the Hay" (Lehman), "I Once Loved a Boy" (Needham), and "Coolan Dhu" (Leoni). Miss Gwyn has been in England studying with Sir Herbert Powers and Victor Manuel. Londoners will welcome her in their midst once more.

Mr. Willgoose, who is organist at St. James' Church, South London, appeared for his second time before an audience in this city as a violinist, and proved himself an artist. His execution was dignified, yet full of emotion, and his phrasing was excellent. He received a hearty encore at every appearance.

Miss Raymond, who officiated as accompanist for Mr. Willgoose, is deserving of great praise. She simply excelled herself. Her playing was sympathetic, and all that could be desired. Mrs. Stone also rendered splendid music.

Mr. Jordan acted as accompanist for Miss Gwyn.

The programme was as follows: Piano Duo—Polonaise Arensky Mrs. Stone and Miss Raymond. Aria—"Batti, Batti" ("Don Giovanni") Mozart Miss R. Gwyn. Violin—Andante and Finale (from Concerto in D Minor) Wieniawski Mr. Willgoose.

Songs— (a) "Vergiliches Ständchen" Brahms (b) "Folk Song of Lower Rhine" "Chant de Venus dans la Prologue" Gevaert (c) "Vous Dansez, Marquise" Lemaire ("Gavotte des Mathurins") Miss R. Gwyn.

Violin Solo— (a) "Cabanetta" (request) D'Ambrosio. (b) "Tarantella" Bohm Mr. Willgoose.

Songs— (a) "The Making of the Hay" Lehmann (b) "The Leaves and the Wind" G. Peel (c) "The Leaves and the Wind" G. Peel (d) "I Once Loved a Boy" Needham (e) "Coolan Dhu" Franco Leoni Miss R. Gwyn.

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FOR CONGO REFORMS

New York Ministers to Ask U. S. Government to Halt Atrocities.

New York, Nov. 26.—Resolutions condemning the alleged atrocities in the Congo Free State and an appeal to the American state department to do everything in its power "to lead the nations of the world to forbid further injustices in the Congo Free State" were passed at two big ministers' meetings here today.

At the Presbyterian Ministers' Association there was an address by Rev. Dr. Everett D. Burr, pastor of the First Baptist Church, at Newton, Mass., who has given up his regular pastorate work for a time in order to devote himself entirely to the campaign that is being pursued by the Congo Reform Association.

After the addresses a committee was appointed to draw up resolutions asking the administration at Washington to do what may be possible to put an end to the existing state of affairs in

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AN IRISH ABYSSINIAN

Hibernian Spends Two Score Years in Menelik's Kingdoms Native.

Dublin, Nov. 27. — An "Irish Abyssinian" must strike most people as a peculiar human product. Yet a personage to whom this description applies is to visit Ireland in a week or two. He has spent 40 years in the land of Emperor Menelik and thinks it nearly time he should make the acquaintance of the land of his own fathers. His name is McKelvey, which betrays his north of Ireland origin, and his approaching visit is exciting the greatest speculation as to which branch of the McKelvey family this man with so strange and romantic a career belongs. Leaving Ireland as a cabin boy aboard a trading vessel he drifted into Abyssinia about the time of the British invasion in 1868. Cutting himself off from friends and relations he completely lost his Celtic or Anglo-Saxon identity, and, adopting the language, the costume and customs of Abyssinia.

He had almost forgotten his mother-tongue, which, of course, was English, when Sir John Harrington, an Englishman, reached the court of Emperor Menelik as British ambassador. The story of McKelvey was related to Sir John, who listened to it with some degree of incredulity. But after an interview the new ambassador saw that the Irish Abyssinian might be utilized as an interpreter, imperfect as his knowledge of English was. He is now coming to Ireland on a six months' leave and no doubt will add Gaelic to his other linguistic accomplishments before he returns to the court of King Menelik.

The density of the earth as a whole has been estimated, with close agreement among the several scientists who have made the determination by different methods, to be about 5½ times as heavy as an equivalent sphere of water. On the other hand the average density of the materials forming the accessible portions of the earth's crust is between 2.2 and 2.8, so that the mean density of the whole globe is about twice that of its outer part. This indicates that the central part of the earth is composed of heavier materials and may even be metallic, which would accord perfectly with the nebular hypothesis.

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