

REGUITS SCARGE FOR MILITIA REGULATIONS ARE UNPOPULAR

Men Object to the Efficiency Pay Rule, As They Claim It Is Unfair—Some Officers Claim That Men Should Be Paid \$1 a Day.

With the opening of the camp on Carling's Heights only two weeks away, recruiting militia officers throughout this district are unusually busy trying to get recruits to bring their regiments up to full strength.

According to reports, many of the officers are having their hands full. In addition to the weather being unfavorable for camp many of the men who drilled last year and were displeased over the efficiency pay, are not only not coming themselves, but are talking in such a manner as to persuade others to stay away.

It is not an uncommon thing to see "ads" in the papers for recruits. This was seldom, if ever, done before.

Order Modified.

Militia Order No. 78, issued a few weeks ago, modifies to a slight extent the rules of last year, which were so unsatisfactory.

The new order amends the regulations in force last year, which necessitated the militia getting no less than 14 points at each of the two ranges for 20 cents additional pay; 21 points at each for 40 cents; and 28 points at each for 60 cents. The result of this was that the man who scored an aggregate of 30 points, but who made it up with 18 at one range and 12 at the other, was not entitled to any efficiency pay because he had not scored 14 or more at each.

The Military Gazette, which has taken an active interest in the agitation against the continuance of the existing regulations publishes the following letter from the commanding officer of an excellent rural corps, the strength of which has been uniformly good in the past. The letter is interesting and reads:

"The officers of my regiment are wondering what the militia department intend doing in regard to the present regulations as to efficiency pay so far as the shooting founded thereon is concerned. If the same regulations are to be in force this camp, my company officers inform me that they will be unable to recruit

more than a dozen men per company. I believe their statements, and this state of affairs is most assuredly alarming, if we expect to keep our regiments up to their proper standard.

"Additional pay for good rifle shots is an excellent idea, but the present regulations are so strict and unfair to the young soldier who has never shot a rifle and he reached the camp ranges, that if insisted on, the result to the rural regiments will be disastrous. This lack of practice is inevitable in the case of those men recruited where there are not as yet rifle ranges.

"The fact of the matter is simply this: The men won't stand for the present regulations, and if the same orders are enforced by the authorities, the result will be a skeleton corps composed of a very few good men, who may be classed as enthusiasts, who some undesirable to whom any rate of pay is good enough, and who might far better be left at home.

"The grumbling in regard to last year's regulations has by no means died out; on every hand my officers are being told by good men that they simply will not attend annual training this year, unless matters are changed.

"Living expenses in this province have become so high that it is absolutely necessary for the Government to make every man's pay \$1 per day, and if the department wishes to offer some extra inducement to the men, it should make good shots, so much the better.

"Any man in this country who can handle a pick and shovel can earn \$1.50 a day, and the time has passed when men will give up positions worth from \$1.50 to \$2.50 a day to soldier at the magnificent salary of 50 cents per day.

"The whole situation is a serious one, and since the militia force of Canada has been improved so very greatly in the past ten years, it certainly seems a shame to roll all the good work that has been done.

"I am confident that nine out of ten companies in the province feel just about as I do in regard to this matter, and while it is our greatest desire to have the militia as strong as we can, we can best do so by stating conditions which our positions put us in a peculiarly strong position to know accurately."

THE UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA WAS OFFICIALLY BORN TODAY

Royal Proclamation Read in Assembly House, Where Eight Years Ago Today the Boers Signed the British Peace Terms.

Pretoria, Union of South Africa, May 31.—The Union of South Africa was born today. The royal proclamation of the single dominion constituted by the legislative union of the British colonies of Cape Colony, Orange River Colony, Natal, and the Transvaal, was read at the assembly house here, where just eight years ago today leaders of the Boers signed the British terms of peace which brought to an end the war in South Africa.

The occasion was made a holiday, and celebrations were general. Follow-

ing the reading of the proclamation, Viscount Gladstone was sworn in as governor-general of the Union, and General Louis Botha, the premier, and the other members of the new ministry took the oath of office.

By the act of federation recently adopted by the respective parliaments of the four colonies of Cape, Orange River, Natal, and the Transvaal, each province will have its own council and send members to the union parliament, which will consist of the senate and house of assembly. Cape Town will be the seat of the legislature.

CHIEF WILLIAMS SAYS NO WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC

Detectives Have Been Working in Hamilton But Not in This City.

A dispatch from Hamilton to The Advertiser states that a special detective, in connection with white slave traffickers who have been carrying on a trade across the border.

It is reported that the detective found that the traffic had been going on for some time between Hamilton and the United States and arrests are expected.

Chief Williams stated to The Advertiser this afternoon that he had heard nothing of the special detectives visiting this city, and that no reports had reached him of any dealings between London and the States in regard to white slaves.

RUMORED SETTLEMENT OF THE CIGAR STRIKE

Sticking Point Is Said to Arise Over the Open Shop Question.

It is rumored this afternoon that the cigar-makers' strike will be settled either this evening or tomorrow.

The representatives of the four companies affected have been in conference with the representatives of the union all day today, and it was stated that a compromise is expected very shortly.

It is said that the sticking point is the refusal of some of the shops to recognize the union and their wish to maintain an open shop in the future.

NO HOLIDAY IN TORONTO

Toronto, May 31.—Toronto banks will remain open on Friday despite the fact that it is a statutory bank holiday and notes do not mature. The King's birthday will not be generally observed by business houses and banks will keep open for convenience of customers.

MONTREAL BANK CLEARINGS

Montreal, Que., May 31.—Bank clearings in Montreal for five months of the current year show the large gain of \$151,309,500 over the same period in 1909. The increase for the month ending today is \$17,667,103.



DR. E. F. JEFFRIES, Who Has Been Appointed to a Prominent Position in a Philadelphia Hospital.

MOST FARMERS ARE SATISFIED

Crop Conditions Are All Right Except in a Few Isolated Cases.

WORMS CAUSE SOME LOSS

Wire Worm and White Grub Have Wrought a Certain Amount of Damage—Fall Wheat Is Fine.

The farmer's outlook on crop prospects varies greatly according to the district in which he lives. The general tone, however, is optimistic, and there are very few "croakers" to be found.

A number of farmers in London Township and East Nissouri have not been so well favored as their brothers in Delaware and other townships. The reason is that the wire worm and the white grub have wrought particular havoc in these two sections of the county.

Some Hard Luck.

Several farmers have been forced to plow up their oats and sow Hungarian millet. Owing to the wet cold weather which has prevailed for such a lengthy period this spring, pests of this nature were able to get a good start before the grain had got sufficiently high to withstand their effects.

In some places grain that was sown in the latter part of March is but little more than showing over the ground, and while in such a tender condition the wire worms are enabled to work to good advantage.

Cases of this nature where great damage has been done are somewhat isolated, although almost every farmer is bothered to a certain extent.

Fall Wheat Is Fine.

Fall wheat is reported to be looking particularly fine with every prospect of one of the best crops in years. The wheat has been affected but little by the cold weather, and the wire worm, and promises a good yield.

The depredations of the wire worm have told much more seriously upon the oat crop, and the field is not expected to be much more than an average one.

Barley is somewhat backward in its growth chiefly to the continued cold weather experienced.

The Hay Crop.

The hay report is a little discouraging and prospects for cheaper hay next year are but small. Last fall the white grub had a very destructive effect upon many of the meadows, eating them out almost completely in some cases.

There is no lack of optimism in regard to garden produce of every description. The weather of the past few weeks has been almost ideal and the market gardeners are more than satisfied.

SOCIETY GIRL DIES FOR ANOTHER

Ashland, Ky., May 31.—In a vain effort to save the life of William Jackson, Miss Clara Simpson, a leader in the Ashland society, was drowned. Miss Simpson saw Jackson fall into the river. Plunging into the stream she swam to him and seized his body. She attempted to get him to the shore, but became exhausted and both drowned.

MORE TROUBLE FOR THE SULTAN

Serious Complications Facing Turkish Government.

Vienna, May 31.—Though the troubles in Albania are serious, they may be expected to develop in gravity within a few weeks.

For delays have occurred not merely because of dissensions among the Turkish officers. In addition to that, the weather conditions have been so unfavorable that the mountain roads are impassable. Given finer weather, the Albanians promise to make a better stand and the fighting threatens to cover a wider area.

The re-organization of the Turkish army has not been completely successful is clear from the fact that in these Albanian operations the Turkish soldiers themselves, and some regiments are practically in a state of mutiny.

New and serious complications are facing the Turkish Government, itself divided on military questions—and nobody can foretell the effect on the Young Turk regime, which has numerous enemies.

The shutting out of newspaper correspondents from the areas of fighting confirms the reports that the Turkish losses have been greater than official reports indicate.

DAN CUPID BUSY IN LONDON MARRIAGES SHOW AN INCREASE

White Plague Exacts a Terrible Toll in London—Vital Statistics Figures Show Births To Be Satisfactory.

Dan Cupid is quite the most important thing in the vital statistics for the month of May.

The busy archer has shown an unexpected industry during May, and no less than 45 couples were united in marriage.

This compares most favorably with May of 1909, when only 16 brides were led to the altar.

No person can explain the phenomenon, except that it is another evidence of good times.

The white plague continues to exact a heavy toll.

The returns for the month show that six people have died of tuberculosis during May.

That brings the total for the past five months to 30 deaths.

During the whole of 1909 there were but 32 deaths—two more than for the five months this year.

If the rate continues, the toll of consumption will be an extremely heavy one.

Infant Mortality.

There were 67 deaths during the month. This is an increase of eleven over May, 1908, when the grim reaper cut off 56.

The infant mortality was great, no less than 21 children succumbing from one disease and another. Whooping-cough with pneumonia took two children. Measles and pneumonia took two more. Scarlet fever caused one death and diphtheria one.

Pneumonia was responsible for nine deaths, the largest of any single disease. Cancer was the cause of but one death. There were four suicides.

There were fourteen old people between the ages of 70 and 84 who died during the month.

In May, 1909, there was not a death from scarlet fever or diphtheria. Measles and its complications were responsible for two deaths, while whooping-cough took another.

The birth rate was eminently satisfactory. So far 97 births have been recorded a gain of 12 over the same month of 1909.

CITY OFFICERS BADLY CRAMPED MORE ROOM MUST BE SECURED

Electrical and Publicity Departments Are Practically Out in the Cold—Conference To Be Held With the County in Reference to a Joint Municipal Building.

The city hall is fast becoming too small for its present uses.

The electrical department and the publicity office have taken up every available office in the old building, and there remains but little room now for expansion.

As a matter of fact there is not sufficient space for any of the departments.

City Clerk Baker is cramped for room, and he cannot handle his business as well as he could wish.

City Engineer Graydon has too cramped for space. There are stacks of papers and plans in Engineer John M. Moore's office for which room will have to be found now that he has given up the position. It will be difficult to place them at this time, as the office is over-crowded.

The same is true of many of the other departments, and it is difficult to see what the outcome will be unless more room is provided.

The water commissioners plan to go into electrical equipment and fixtures on a large scale, as the city of Ottawa does, and this will make more room necessary.

In the Capital City a store is rented for that purpose, and there all the fixtures are sold, and the revenues collected. The commissioners may have to do this in London. It is understood that the commissioners have already looked into this proposition as a preliminary to definite action.

The over-crowding emphasizes the necessity for larger quarters, and it is possible that something may be done along this line in the near future.

The city council will discuss the project of a joint building with the county. They have not formulated any plan, but it is possible that something definite will be arrived at.

A county councillor, one of the most influential in the council, stated to The Advertiser that he did not think a joint building scheme at the present time.

He stated that the present buildings, with the expenditure of a few thousand dollars, would do them for many years to come, and consequently it would be unwise to erect a new building.

However, a conference will be held in the near future to discuss the proposition, and it is likely that something of a definite nature will be done.

THE DENTISTS WANT SCHOLARS INSPECTED

And Will Ask for Well Qualified Practitioners in Public Institutions.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, May 31.—The dentists of the Dominion of Canada will make an effort to have the inspection of teeth of school children become general, while both Governments are to be asked to provide qualified dentists for institutions such as asylums, jails and penitentiaries. These were the important matters dealt with in Dr. Webster's address delivered before the fifth convention of the Canadian Dental Association and the Ontario Dental Society, both of which institutions are holding a joint convention at the Royal College of Dental Surgeons on College street, where some 250 delegates are registered from all parts of the Dominion.

SENSATIONAL BREAK IN COTTON FUTURES

July Option Drops Fifty-Nine Points on New Orleans Market.

New Orleans, May 31.—Cotton futures broke about \$3 a bale late this afternoon, the July option going to a figure 59 points down from the highest level of the morning.

Nine.—There was a further and more sensational decline, amounting to over \$1.50 per bale, in the cotton market today, when it was seen that May was going out without any further success in speculative shorts. The price of May cotton sold off to 14.61, comparing with 14.95 at the close of business last Friday, 15.80, the highest point of the month, and 16.46, the high point of the season made last December.

A GOLDEN JUBILEE.

Ottawa, Ont., May 31.—Venerable Archbishop Bogert and Mrs. Bogert are today celebrating the golden jubilee of their wedding. Their eight children are present, and the aged couple are spending the day quietly receiving the congratulations of their many friends. Mr. C. A. Bogert, general manager of the Dominion Bank, is a son.

LEAVES FOR PARTS UNKNOWN WITH WIFE OF HIS FRIEND

Morpeth Township Worked Up Over an Alleged Elopement in Which Several Prominent Persons Figure—Warrant Sworn Out Against Railway Employee of Chatham.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Chatham, Ont., May 31.—Morpeth is all worked up over an alleged elopement, in which the principals are Mrs. Elizabeth Darton, aged 28 years, wife of John Darton, who it is claimed, has left for parts unknown, with Joseph Stanley, a C. P. R. employee, of Chatham.

According to the story, Darton, who is about 30 years of age, a farmer, borer, and a handsome chap, has lived happily with his wife for six years or more.

Monday he went to work, leaving at his home Stanley, who had been paying a friendly call over Sunday. When he returned he found his wife missing. His little 4-year-old girl told him that "Mamma had just gone away for a little while with Mr. Stanley and would soon be back."

When she did not appear, he searched the house, and found that the wife

had taken her clothes and he alleged, that \$30 which he left in his trousers' pockets had also disappeared.

Information Laid.

Darton went to Ridgeway and reported the matter, but was advised to lay an information against the couple in Chatham. He did so, and swore out a warrant for the arrest of the alleged elopement before Magistrate Houston.

It is claimed that the couple were seen on the G. T. R. depot here, but it is not known whether they went east or west.

The police of many places have been notified and an arrest is looked for shortly.

Much sympathy is felt for Darton, who is a quiet, good-natured, fell fellow, very gentlemanly, and greatly attached to his home.

The little girl has been sent to the home of her grand-parents in Palmyra, Ont.

SCHOOL FLAGS FLYING HONOR OF SOUTH AFRICA

Natal Day of British Possessions in Dark Continent.

This is South Africa's Natal Day. In honor of the new British confederation, all the flags on the schools and public buildings in Canada are flying.

It is the great first of July celebration of South Africa, and marks the union of all the South African dependencies into one confederacy.

Chairman W. W. Gammage, of the board of education, gave orders that the public schools flags should fly, and in obedience to the order they were run to the masthead on every flagpole in the city.

Two criminal cases are entered. They are: King against Michael Tierney, for alleged indecent assault, on two charges; King against George Whiting for alleged seduction.

TWO CRIMINAL CASES SET FOR JUNE SESSIONS

Not a Civil Case Has as Yet Been Presented for Trial.

Not a civil case has yet been entered for the sessions of the county court and general sessions of the peace in June. The date for entering civil cases closes on June 10, three days before the opening of the court on June 14.

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WOLTER TO LIVE ONE YEAR MORE

Notice of Appeal Served on Sing Sing Warden, Acts as a Stay of Execution.

New York, May 31.—By a notice of appeal, served yesterday through his counsel, Albert W. Wolter, who slew Ruth Wheeler, secured for himself an additional year of life. The appeal act as a stay on the execution of the sentence of death pronounced by the court on June 6. Now, however, the necessary delay which will accompany the arguing of the appeal and the viewing of it by the court of appeals, puts back the execution for nearly a year.

Mr. Walter D. Scott, who is counsel for Wolter, sent his notice of appeal to District Attorney Whitman and to the clerk of the court of General sessions on Thursday last. Today Warden Frost, of Sing Sing prison, received a certified copy of the appeal.

This notice served on Warden Frost automatically acts as a stay of execution and, until the appeal is decided, no further motion can be present, and will not convene until October next. The appeal cannot be argued, it is thought, before November or December. A decision in the case will not be looked for before January of next year at the earliest.

Should the court of appeals decide against the convicted slayer of Ruth Wheeler and deny him a new trial another date will then be fixed for his execution.

KAISER'S ABSCESS BETTER.

Potsdam, May 31.—The abscess on the right wrist of Emperor William is healing and his majesty's physicians appear to be satisfied with the result of their treatment. The Emperor remains at the new palace where King Albert of Belgium, who arrived yesterday, is being entertained.

KILLED WITH KNIFE.

Savannah, Ga., May 31.—Wielding a pocketknife, Samuel Bessinger, aged 65, a confederate veteran, late last night stabbed and killed James Paine, aged 29, in a quarrel over money. Mrs. Paine, in an effort to separate the men, was hurled to the ground by her husband, who a moment later received his death wound.

Mr. Mulken's Arrival.

Mr. Lawrence Mulken, who has been appointed freight agent for the Canadian Pacific in London is expected to arrive here from Toronto tomorrow and will then take over his duties.

The Fire Record.

The fire department had twelve runs during the month. Of these eleven were for fires, and one was a false alarm. Eight of the alarms were telephone alarms, and four were box alarms. There were no big fires.

WESTMINSTER MAN HAD ROLAND FOR AN OLIVER

Amusing Cases Arising Out of Cows at Large Will Be Tried This Week.

Two interesting cases will be tried before Squire Chittick this week.

Joseph Perkins, of concession 8, Lord's Township, has sworn out an information against Thomas Wonnacott, of the same concession, for allowing his cattle on the highway, contrary to the new bylaw.

Incidentally this is the first case under the new bylaw, which has been in force only a short time.

Revenge is sweet, and on the same day Mr. Wonnacott laid an information against Perkins for allowing his dog, while unmuzzled, to chase the complainant's cattle.

The case against Wonnacott will come up on Thursday, and the case against Perkins on Saturday.

THE MUZZLES REMAIN FOR SOME TIME YET

Provincial Health Officer Says No Rescinding of Order in Sight.

Many citizens have been inquiring of late when the muzzling order is likely to be rescinded. Provincial Health Officer Hodggets is authority for the statement that the end is not yet even in sight, notwithstanding that the railroads will lift the ban on dogs in June 15, and permit them to be shipped.

"When a boy is naughty in school his naughtiness affects the whole class, even though the other members are guiltless," said Dr. Hodggets.

"That is the simile and here's the application. He says:

"In Ontario we have several municipalities which have been very lax in enforcing the muzzling law. From time to time we get reports of places where it has not been applied at all. Until they come into line, the rest of the province cannot hope for respite. Thus Toronto is bearing its burden longer because a little municipality won't obey the law with celerity. They will all have to in time—but until that time has arrived the muzzling must still continue."

The same applies to London.

FILE INJUNCTION IN FREIGHT RATE CASE

Washington, May 31.—Following a conference today between the President and Attorney-General Wickham, it was learned that the decision was reached to file an injunction suit against the proposed increase of freight rates tomorrow by the Western Traffic Association.

THE D. R. A. MATCHES.

Ottawa, May 30.—The D. R. A. matches this year will conclude on Saturday, noon, August 27. The programme committee today decided on figure targets for all individual competitors at 500 yards. It was decided that all cadets would be admitted free to their competitions and that time would be arranged for the Lord Roberts competitions during the week's shooting.

MONTREAL LIGHT REVENUE.

Montreal, Que., May 30.—The annual report of the Montreal Light, Heat and Power Company shows a gross revenue for the year of \$4,240,945, and a net revenue of \$2,392,067. The surplus was \$721,200, and the amount transferred to the general surplus \$321,200. The increase in net revenue for the year was \$156,951.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

New York, May 30.—Arrived: Potsdam, from Rotterdam; Finland, from Antwerp; Europa, Genoa; Oscar II., Copenhagen; Athens, Patre.

Monville—Called: Furness, New York. Glasgow—Arrived: Pretoria, Montreal. Liverpool—Arrived: Canada, Montreal. Celtic, New York.

Liverpool—Called: Kron Prinzessin Cecilie, New York.

London—Arrived: Minneapolis, New York. Antwerp—Arrived: Lapland, New York. Gibraltar—Passed: Princess Irene, New York.

Naples—Arrived: Venezia, New York. Cape Ray—Signalled: Mount Royal, Liverpool. Quebec—Arrived: Athens, Glasgow, Bengore Head, Dublin.

Old Store at Old Stand, Over Dowlers' Clothing Store,
176 DUNDAS STREET.
2 STORES J. M. THOMSON STORES
New Store Next to Strong's Drug Store,
182 DUNDAS STREET.

Wednesday Trade Warmers

Baseball Bats

Old store upstairs. Clean snap prices on the following lines:
Regular 25c, for 17¢
Regular 50c, for 32¢
Regular 75c, for 45¢

Baseballs

Regular 15c, for 10¢
Regular 25c, for 15¢, 17¢
Regular 50c, for 35¢
Half-dollar, Dead King of the Field; King of the Diamond.

Black Board Special

25 only Children's Blackboards, with winding top. Just the thing for a rainy day. Regular 15c, for 10¢

Express Wagons

Regular \$1.10, for 85¢
Regular \$2.50, for \$1.75
Regular \$2.75, for \$1.85
Regular \$3.00, for \$2.15
These will not last long. You had better hurry up. Old Store.

Lace, for shades, in green and cream; regular 15c, for yard 12¢

Note the lines and prices carefully. Special for Wednesday and Thursday selling.

2 STORES J. M. THOMSON STORES
176 AND 182 DUNDAS STREET.

New Store Values for Wednesday

Ladies' Back Combs, carved open work. Regular 40c, Wednesday for 25¢

Special Jet Back Comb, with ornament; regular 25c, for 18¢

Barrettes—This is a snap. Regular 15c, for 10¢

Boys' Heavy Cotton Ribbed Hose; just the thing for hard wear. Regular 25c, for per pair 19¢

Kitchen Aprons—This is a lot we picked up the other day. Out they go at 25¢ each, in black and white, blue and White Check Gingham and Chambray.

Wall Paper upstairs at Old Stand. Take advantage of the remnant sale of Wall Paper. Big showing at small prices for Wednesday and Thursday. Picture Molding at 1 1/2¢ and 2¢ per foot.

White Cottage Poles, complete 12¢

Paints 35¢ per quart on Wednesday and Thursday.

LONDON HOTELS ARE PROTECTED AGAINST FIRE

Inspector and Fire Chief Found Everything Very Satisfactory in This City.

The hotels in London are well protected in case of fire. All except the Hotel de Ville, which has been inspected by Inspector Galpin finished his inspection, and report that they found everything in first-class condition, with plenty of fire escapes in every hotel.

The appointments in practically all were voted first-class, and there is no fear of any accident such as happened in Cornwall last year.

"We found everything in first-class condition," said Inspector Galpin. "The fire escapes are in good order and are well looked after. Some minor improvements may be suggested, but they are slight."

"The hotels are a credit to the city," said Fire Chief Aitken. "They are well protected in case of fire, and I can suggest new improvements. Some minor changes may be ordered, but they will have little bearing on present conditions."

DR. EDWIN F. JEFFRIES IS RESIDENT PHYSICIAN

London Doctor Highly Honored by a Philadelphia Hospital.

Dr. Edwin F. Jeffries, son of Ald. Jeffries, 247 E. Second St., has been appointed by Dr. Charles P. Noble, of Philadelphia, as resident physician in the Kensington Hospital for Women.

This is a distinguished honor to the young Londoner. Graduates of Johns Hopkins and from the New York and Philadelphia medical colleges try for this position, and the competition is always very keen.

Dr. Jeffries graduated as gold medalist from the University of Pennsylvania in 1909. He served as house surgeon at Victoria Hospital for six months, going later to Camden, N. J., where he has been engaged in the practice of his profession.

PUBLIC SCHOOL MUSICAL FESTIVAL WAS REPEATED

A Large Crowd Attended Last Night Despite the Cool Weather.

The public school musical festival held in the Princess Rink on Saturday afternoon and last evening proved a splendid success.

In spite of the damp, cold weather, a large crowd was in attendance, and the enthusiasm with which the different numbers of the programme were received augurs well for future festivals.

The large chorus of 350 voices, under the direction of Mr. E. W. Goethe Quantz, showed better form than even on Saturday last. The rehearsal resulted in rounding out the performance and giving it smoothness and polish. All the choruses were finely done. "The Admiral's Broom" was especially sung, but the most enjoyable perhaps was the "Waltz Song" from "Faust." This is quite an ambitious number for youngsters, but it was sung with a dash and brilliancy that was really delightful.

The most popular number was, of course, "The Gathering of All Nations to Canada." Little girls were dressed to represent the different European nations, and as they filed in the National Anthem of the particular country which they represented was sung by the chorus. It was most effective. The song series was concluded by "O Canada," and the large audience fairly made the rafters ring when this number was given.

The assisting artists were: Mrs. E. Wyatt, Miss Edith McBride, Mr. Chris Pink, Mr. Ed Webster and Mr. Maurice Poire. All were in fine form, and added not a little to the pleasure of the occasion.

Mr. W. A. Bluetner, Mr. Quantz, Miss Westman and Miss Wildern acted as accompanists.

The boys of Princess avenue school gave a physical drill, that was well executed, while the Maypole dance and the Norwegian mountain march, by a number of little girls, was excellently executed.

It is quite probable that the affair will be an annual event.

ONCE MORE THE PROOF IS GIVEN

THAT DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS WILL CURE THE DEADLY BRIGHT'S DISEASE.

Martin O'Grady Suffered From Bright's Disease for a Year, but the Old Reliable Kidney Remedy Cured Him.

Emmett, Renfrew County, Ont., May 30.—(Special.)—That the one cure for Bright's disease, the most deadly of all kidney diseases, is Dodd's Kidney Pills is again proved in the case of Martin O'Grady, of this place. And for the benefit of other sufferers, Mr. O'Grady has given the following statement for publication:

"For over a year, I suffered from Bright's disease. I was attended by a doctor, but he did me no good. My appetite was fitful, my sleep broken and unrefreshing. My memory failed me and I was always tired and nervous. I had sharp pain and pressure at the top of my head."

"Being advised to try Dodd's Kidney Pills, I bought a couple of boxes and found relief soon after I started taking them."

"This is only one of hundreds of cases in which Dodd's Kidney Pills have conquered the worst form of kidney disease. They never fail to cure Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Rheumatism, Lumbago or Sciatica."

WHIRLED TO DEATH.
Toronto, May 31.—A man caught by his clothes, by a pulley on the steamer Dundee, of the Inland Navigation Line, which is loading package freight at the foot of Bay street, Leonard Yarnman, an oiler, whose home is in London, England, was whirled around

SMALLMAN & INGRAM, LIMITED.

WEATHER PROBS: SHOWERS.

SMALLMAN & INGRAM, LIMITED

30 Dozen 20c Handkerchiefs Wednesday 2 for 25c

Ladies' Pure Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, quarter-inch hem, crossbar centres with embroidered borders. A little surplus stock which should not last long Wednesday morning. Handkerchiefs that have sold regularly at 20c each; 30 dozen only, tomorrow 2 for 25¢

SECTION SIX.

Tomorrow We Offer Exceptional Values in Ladies' Lisle Hose

If you have not your full supply of Summer Hose, don't overlook the value in these. Extra fine quality, black or tan lisle thread Hose, lace ankle, double heel and toe, all sizes, Hermsdorf dye. Special 25¢ pair

SECTION FIVE.

Lisle and Silk Gloves

Elbow Length for the Short Sleeve, Summer Waist or Gown

Elbow Length Lisle Gloves, mousquetaire wrist, in black, tan and brown 50¢ pair

Elbow Length Black or White Lisle Lace Gloves 65¢ pair

Elbow Length Black and White Lace Lisle Gloves 45¢ pair

Elbow Length Lisle Gloves—Mousquetaire wrist, in tan, brown, black, white, grey and champagne 75¢ pair

Pure Silk Gloves—Elbow length, mousquetaire wrist, in tan, brown, white, mauve, grey, navy, pale blue and pink \$1.00 pair

NOT HOW CHEAP, BUT HOW GOOD

Black and Colored Honan Raw Silks For Summer Dresses, 75c and \$1.00 Yard

These Silks are again in stock. The reason we have such a demand for Honan Raw Silk in black and colors is because it is a satisfactory make. There are many raw silks made which after undergoing the process of preparation and dyeing, lose their firmness of quality and finish, and will not stand the strain of making, the weave giving and parting at the seams. HONAN Raw Silk in black and colors will not slip. They are firm and strong. We guarantee them, and we will sell no other.

26-inch hand loom Chinese HONAN Raw Silk, guaranteed French dyed, in black, navy, wistaria, rose, tan, brown and reseda; about 15 yards (one dress) to a piece. At yard 75¢

34-inch ("Invicta") highest grade Chinese HONAN Raw Silk, hand loom, guaranteed French dyed, in black, sky, Alice, Copenhagen, wistaria, brown, helio and apple green; yard \$1.00

SECTION SEVENTEEN.

NEW WALL PAPER DEPT. THIRD FLOOR.

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the shaft several times until every stitch of clothes was stripped from him, and was then thrown to the deck with great force. He died in Grace Hospital from a fractured skull and a hemorrhage in the brain.

BOTHA'S CABINET

The Men Who Will Govern the United South Africa.

Cape Town, May 31.—The first cabinet of the United South Africa has been formed by General Louis Botha, who has himself taken the portfolios of premier and minister of agriculture. The other members of the cabinet so far as selected are:

General J. C. Smuts, minister of the interior, mines and defence.

J. W. Saver, minister of railway and harbors.

General J. B. M. Hertzog, minister of justice.

F. H. Malan, minister of education.

H. C. Hull, minister of finance.

The Union Parliament, the members of which, will be elected immediately, will consist of a Senate and House of Assembly. Cape Town will be the seat of the Legislature, and Pretoria the seat of the Legislative Government.

CHINA HITS U. S.

In Order to Get Decent Treatment Boycott American Goods.

San Francisco, May 31.—All the leading trade guilds in China were notified by cable today to boycott American goods until the United States removes the restrictions here against Chinese immigration. The boycott was decided upon by the League of Justice, formed by 500 representative merchants of this city.

The whole trouble has grown out of the establishment of detention sheds on Angel Island, at a distance from the city, so that if a Chinese merchant wishes to testify in favor of a com-

patriot, he must lose a whole day in going to the island and returning.

"We have received assurances from Washington that something would be done to relieve the situation," said one of the league's leaders today, "but nothing came from the promises. A boycott on American goods in China at this time will cause great loss, but it is the only effective way we have of securing justice."

SINGS TO CONVICTS.

Marquette, Mich., May 31.—For the first time in her long career as a prima donna, Mme. Schumann-Heinke has sung in a prison. On Sunday she entertained the convicts at the Marquette penitentiary by singing several of her favorite numbers. The convicts were assembled in the chapel and Mme. Schumann-Heinke was received with the greatest enthusiasm and was presented with a tremendous bouquet of roses and a letter of thanks.

The concert was a free offering to the convicts by the great contralto. It was followed by an inspection of the prison, in the course of which she talked with a number of the prisoners.

"WHY BE SO THIN"

Thinness is Embarrassing, Unhealthy and Not Natural—Formula Now Used Which Adds From One to Three Pounds a Week.

Everyone ought to have some extra flesh on the bony structure of the body, both for the sake of health and self-esteem.

Most thin people are sensitive to the harsh, unfeeling criticisms which are constantly being hurled at them by the men who make well-thought-out persons.

Everyone pines for a thin, bony horse, but horses don't know it while thin people are both pined and ridiculed. It ought not to be so, but it is.

A well-rounded figure, be it man or woman, excites admiration; not only for the figure, but for the bright eyes, pink cheeks, red lips, and vigorous carriage which accompany a well-nourished body.

Strength, health, beauty and sound flesh abound, if the blood and nerves get enough nourishment out of the food eaten.

This prescription aids nature; helps absorption, digestion and assimilation; helps distribute the blood and nerve elements which make sound flesh. Get the ingredients and make it at home, and see how very fast you gain in weight.

She said that hereafter whenever she sang in a town where a prison is located she intends to give the convicts an opportunity of listening to her.

La Tuque.

The railroad towns of rapid growth are not in the west alone. La Tuque, on the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, 127 miles from Quebec, is a wonderful example of this. Two years ago there was not a house there. Today, there is a handsome, well-laid-out, well-built town, with two churches, a school, a bank, a sulphite pulp mill, two sawmills, some very fine stores and a resident population of about 2,000. The Quebec Bank opened a branch there a few weeks ago, and in a very few days had \$60,000 on deposit. La Tuque is a divisional point on the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, and will have the terminus of the Tuque branch of the Lake St. John division of the Canadian Northern Railway, and the head of navigation of the River St. Maurice, which is navigable for steamers for 70 miles from La Tuque southward to Grand Piles.

But the principal advantage of La Tuque is its water power. The River St. Maurice, at this point, a magnificent stream half a mile wide, falls 90 feet, making available for industries no less than 30,000-horsepower. This is only partially developed, but already the Messrs. Brown, of Berlin, N. H., the owners of the power, have built one of the largest sulphite pulp mills in America, and in a few days will be producing 60 tons of sulphite pulp daily, and a paper mill will follow in the near future. These two industries will use only a very small portion of the power, so that there will no doubt be many other industries established, such as the level grades (four-cent) of that road will carry grain at rates with which the canal navigation cannot compete, this should be an ideal spot for such an industry on a large scale as it is also in close proximity to the ocean steamers at Quebec. La Tuque is evidently destined to be one of the most important manufacturing towns in Northern Quebec.

CHAUFFEURS FINED.

Ottawa, Ont., May 30.—Two chauffeurs, Alex. Ross and Edward Emerson, caught travelling at a 30 clip at the Elgin subway, the most dangerous place in Ottawa, were today fined \$30 each by Magistrate O'Keefe, who warned auto drivers in general that it was the intention to put down joy riding. Seven more chauffeurs appear tomorrow.

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Anything you buy with the name **Nyals** will give you entire satisfaction.

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MORE CABINET RUMORS.

Ottawa, May 31.—It is rumored here that Hon. Jacques Bureau, solicitor-general, will retire from that position in the not distant future and accept a judgeship.

Mr. Bureau has never given up his residence in Three Rivers, and the duties of his position apparently do not necessitate his being here a great deal of the time outside of the session.

E. B. Devlin, M. P. for Wright, is spoken of as his successor.

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996 Yards of Shepherd Check Dress Goods, Wide Width, a Yard 15c

MARA'S

134 Dundas St. and Carling St.

WOMEN ARE DOMINATING

Objection Raised to Influence of Fair Sex at Oxford.

Oxford, May 31.—Oxford University is again quarrelling about the relation of the sexes in study. A new body of control has been set up to supervise the women students, but there is an active and old-fashioned section of university men against the innovation.

The idea of the supporters of the change is that the position of women at Oxford should be regularized. So they propose to have a "Delegation" of 21 members—the vice-chancellor, the two proctors, nine

members of convocation and nine women—to look after girl undergraduates. One of the women is to be the principal of the home students, and the others are to be elected.

The principal of Brasenose, a strong supporter of the delegation, says existing conditions at Oxford have been gradually opened to women, thereby encouraging them to come to Oxford, and many professors have admitted them to lectures. So there was a danger of hotels or lodging houses setting up under very undesirable mixed conditions. Hence, the need for an official body.

The opponents wall that the delegation will consist of nine women, and their friends and the university is in danger of being entirely dominated by feminine influence—which is bad for discipline in an ancient institution. But the scheme has passed its initial stage by 155 votes to 28.

The battle still rages, but women are in for strict supervision in the future.

Never hesitate about giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to children. It contains no opium or other narcotics, and can be given with implicit confidence. As a quick cure for coughs and colds to which children are susceptible, it is unsurpassed. Sold by all dealers.

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No Advertisement Accepted Less Than Fifteen Words.
Amusements—Ten cents per line each insertion, or two cents per word if set solid.
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Births, Marriages, Deaths.

DEATHS.

COSTELLO—In Detroit, Mich., on Sunday, May 29, 1910, Joseph P. Costello, formerly of this city.
Funeral private, on Wednesday at 9 a.m., to St. Mary's Church.
92u

EVANS—In this city, on May 30, 1910, William, beloved husband of Mary Evans, aged 65 years and 1 month.
Funeral from his late residence, 679 William street, on Wednesday, June 1, at 3 o'clock.
Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Woodland Cemetery.
92u

GARTHORNE—In Westminster Township, on May 29, 1910, Agnes, beloved wife of the late George Rudston Garthorne, aged 68 years and 1 month.
Funeral from the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. H. W. Wickerson, 4700 York street, on Wednesday, June 1, at 2:30 p.m., service at 2 o'clock.
Interment at Woodland Cemetery. Please omit flowers.
92u

GIBSON—In this city, on Saturday, May 28, 1910, John Gibson, in his 86th year.
Funeral on Tuesday, May 31, at 10 a.m., from his late residence, 431 Waterloo street, to Woodland Cemetery; service at 2:30 p.m.
Funeral private. Please omit flowers.
92u

FORTE—On the Mississippi River, New Orleans, on Thursday May 26, 1910, Alexander Harold Forte, beloved son of Mary E. and the late A. W. Forte, in his 22nd year.
92u

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES.

RETAIL GROCERS' ASSOCIATION.

EXCURSION TO DETROIT

ON JUNE 15.

Via Grand Trunk. Tickets, \$1.45, good for two days. Baseball—Detroit and Boston.
91k tywt

275—EXCURSIONS, LONDON, ONT., to Duluth and return, via boat, includes board and berth, tickets in Duluth. Fourteen hundred miles via water. F. B. Clarke, 416 Richmond street, next Bank of Commerce.

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The ideal way to travel is by water. We have all kinds of beautiful summer tours at rates that are reasonable. Five-day tours, New York to Bermuda; trips via the Richelieu to Quebec; Saguenay and Quebec, also Saguenay to Chicago by water. Agency Allan, C. P. R. White Star, Dominion, Canadian Northern, Unad, American, Anchor and other lines.

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HO—FOR DETROIT—FORESTERS' excursion to Detroit, Saturday, June 4, Grand Trunk. Vestibule train, \$1.45, three days. Baseball, Detroit vs. Philadelphia.
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DANCING—ADVANCED CLASS—SPECIAL June term, five weeks opens Wednesday evening, June 1. Register early. Tickets limited. Private lessons any hour. Phone. Dayton & McCormick.

MRS. ALICE HENDERSON, TEACHER of Scotch and fancy dancing, 21 Adelaide street. Concert talent furnished.

TONY CORTESE, ORIGINAL LONDON HARPER, Music furnished for all occasions. 161 Maple. Phone 1570.

MUSIC FURNISHED FOR PARTIES, balls, banquets, Phone 1285, Tony Vito's Italian Harpers, 122 Queen's avenue.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST SUNDAY EVENING—GOLD bracelet, between St. Andrew's Church and Normal School, initials, "L. Mc. C." Reward if returned to Advertiser.
93u

BROWN LEATHER SATCHEL, PAIR of gold-rimmed eyeglasses inside. Reward, 272 Thames street.
92u

SITUATIONS WANTED.

SITUATION WANTED BY MIDDLE-AGED man as janitor or porter in store or warehouse. Box 62, Advertiser.
92u

WANTED.

WASHING WANTED TO TAKE HOME by experienced laundress. Apply Box 65, Advertiser.
93u

WANTED TO PURCHASE—STORE on Dundas or Richmond streets. Address Box 67, Advertiser.
93u

W. LEFF & CO. 55 BATHURST, BUY from, rags, rubbers, metals, bottles, paper. Phone 226.

MEETINGS.

"A" SQUADRON, FIRST HUSSARS—Men and horses wanted to go to Niagara. Be at Armouries at 8 p.m. Monday, Thursday and Friday, to draw uniforms.
91c-tyw

AGENTS WANTED.

AGENTS—THE AUTOMOBILISTS' LAT-EST necessary; big money; sells on sight. Write for particulars, the Hawley Supply Company, Toronto, Ont.

TEACHERS WANTED.

TEACHER WANTED FOR S. S. NO. 10, West Nisour; experienced teacher preferred; duties to commence after holidays. Apply, stating salary, Wm. Hall, Wellburn, Ont.
93u

WANTED—TEACHER FOR KENT Bridge, Ont., rural school; duties commence Aug. 15; state qualifications, experience and salary. F. L. Arnold, secretary.
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TEACHER WANTED, S. S. NO. 10, London Township; duties to commence Aug. 15; state qualifications, experience and salary. F. L. Arnold, secretary.
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PHYSICAL CULTURE, Etc.

HATTIE E. ROONEY, A.B.E., TEACHER of elocution, expression, physical culture. Studio, 233 Queen's avenue.
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PATENTS.

P. J. EDMUNDS, REGISTERED AT-TORNEY and Solicitor of Patents, London, Canada.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—KITCHEN GIRL—APPLY to W. C. A. residence, 510 Wellington street.
93c

WASHWOMAN WANTED. APPLY AT Parisian Steam Laundry.
93c

MACHINE OPERATORS WANTED FOR corset department. Apply Robinson Corset and Corset Company, 434 Talbot.
93c

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GENERAL maid; small family; no washing; highest wages. Apply Mrs. George H. Belton, 284 Central avenue.
92tf

WANTED—RELIABLE WOMAN, WHO is a good cook, where another maid is kept, three in family; wages, \$20 a month; good references required. Apply Box 61, Advertiser.
92c

GENERAL MAID WANTED IMMEDIATELY—\$15, no washing. 764 Waterloo street.
92tf

COOK—GENERAL WANTED—NO laundry; no sweeping; highest wages. Mrs. Wishart, 194 Dufferin avenue.
92c

SEWING MACHINE OPERATORS ON caps; steady employment. London Cap Works, 36 Carling street.
91c

WANTED—EXPERIENCED OPERA-TORS, also girls to learn; apprentices make \$4 per week to start. London Pant, Overall and Shirt Manufacturing Company.
91c

WATERS WANTED. APPLY HEAD Walter, Tecumseh House.
91c

GIRLS WANTED. APPLY SOMER-ville Paper Box Company.
91n

AT ONCE—GENERAL SERVANT; family, three; references required. Apply 524 Central avenue.
92tf

WANTED—GENERAL HOUSEMAID; three in family. 21 Queen's avenue.
92tf

WANTED—RELIABLE HOTEL KIT-CHEN girl; wages, \$15. Apply P. O. Box 1233, Petrolia, Ont.
92n

WANTED—EXPERIENCED PARLOR-MAID, where housemaid is kept. Apply Miss Labatt, 575 Queen's avenue.
92tf

WANTED—GOOD GIRL FOR GENERAL housework, in the country; references required. Apply 100 Waterloo, evenings.
92c

GENERAL SERVANT—SMALL FAM-ILY. Apply Mrs. Jeffery, 518 Ridgway.
92tf

MALE HELP WANTED.

MEN WANTED, ACCUSTOMED TO handling lumber. London Box Company.
93u

TINSMITH WANTED AT ONCE—State wages and experience. J. B. McArthur, Hensall.
93c

WANTED—BOY TO LEARN LITHO-GRAPHING. Wright Lithographing Company, rear 420 Wellington street.
91c

TELEGRAPH OPERATORS WANTED, familiar with work on Canadian railroads. We can place good men in positions. Special class in May for beginners. Positions in full. Particulars free. College of Telegraphy, London.
91u-ty

SALESMEN—\$10 A DAY SELLING new Potatoes Mashers; ladies are delighted; sample and terms. Collingwood Manufacturing Company, Collingwood, Ont.
90tf-ty

FIRST-CLASS VESTMAKER WANTED street. Apply James Ferguson, 627 Dundas.
92c

GOOD SMART BOY WANTED TO learn the business. Apply Commercial Truck Company.
92c

BOYS WANTED. APPLY LONDON Printing and Litho. Company.
90k

WANTED—YOUNG MAN TO DRIVE grocery wagon. Address Box 59, London Advertiser.
92c

SEVERAL MEN FOR HOING AND London.
92c

BOYS WANTED—STEADY WORK. Apply Adam Beck, Albert street.
92tf

SMART BOY FOR DINING ROOM. Apply Head Waiter, Tecumseh House.
91c

EXPERIENCED CRW MANAGER wanted. Apply Alfred Tyler, 355 Clarence street.
92c

SMART YOUTH FOR TRIMMING DE-PARTMENT. Apply Greeng-Swift, Limited.
92c

WANTED—SMART BOY FOR WHOLE-SALE drygoods house. Apply Box 58, Advertiser.
91c

MOLDERS (STOVE PLATE) WANTED for floor and bench work; open shop; the highest wages will be paid to independent molders and steady work guaranteed the year round to good men. Finey street, Company, Limited, Carleton Place, Ont.
91c

WANTED AT ONCE—BOY OR YOUNG man; one having bakeshop experience preferred. Apply Johnston Bros., 262 Ottawa avenue.
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YOUNG MEN WANTED. APPLY D. S. Perrin & Co., Limited.
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LONDON, TUESDAY, MAY 31.

A LOCAL SQUABBLE.

The French duel between Mr. Beck and the party organ has furnished public entertainment for some time.

The readers of the Free Press had been for years habituated to its greasy flattery of Mr. Beck. It was a degree of sycophancy not required by party loyalty, and it nauseated the leading Conservatives of the city.

Those who were not in the secret were naturally surprised when the organ suddenly changed its tune. The profile portrait of Mr. Beck, which used to look out from its pages every other day, was turned to the wall. It began to cuff and kick its little tin god. After boasting that it had "made" him, it had tasted his ingratitude, and felt "how sharper than a serpent's tooth it is to have a thankless child."

The sequel is well known. There have been public and private breathings out of threats and slaughter. On the one side there are dire hints of a new paper that will put the organ out of business, something that is more easily said than done. On the other side, there are vows of vengeance not too discreetly uttered, and perhaps just as futile as the counter-fumblings.

We are quite sincere in saying that our sympathies are with our local contemporary in some respects. The individual who sets the tunes for that organ was entitled to the modest favor asked for, after serenading Mr. Beck so industriously. It is very humiliating to be kicked by a pair of boots which one has been licking assiduously. Having used the Free Press as a ladder, Mr. Beck now wipes his feet on it. As Mark Twain said, the alt-cloth of one age becomes the door-mat of the next.

If its efforts to scalp its ungrateful protegee, however, the Free Press plunged its knife into the city. It was guilty of civic treason in its frantic misrepresentations of a scheme which was a special providence to the ratepayers at the time. Why not take it out of Mr. Beck, without trying to take it out of the community?

THE ROYAL DECLARATION.

A contemporary contends that many who have been speaking and writing of the Coronation Oath have mistaken it for the Royal Declaration, which contains the passages offensive to Catholics, and which must be taken by the sovereign at the first meeting of Parliament after his accession. There is a distinction between the Declaration and the Oath, but there is little difference in the present circumstances. The Act of Settlement, passed in 1701, requires that the sovereign shall subscribe to the Declaration on the first day of the meeting of the first parliament after his coming to the throne, or at his coronation, if his coronation shall take place first. Formerly, parliament was dissolved immediately upon the demise of the Crown, but this necessity was removed in 1867. When Queen Victoria died, parliament was prorogued. Three weeks afterwards King Edward opened it in person, and made the Declaration, speaking in a low voice, so as not to give offence to the Catholics present. Thus he did not wait for the coronation. But King Edward died when parliament was in session. There has been merely an adjournment, and it is debatable whether King George will be required to make the Declaration when the two Houses reassemble in a few days. There is no constitutional precedent whatever to guide him in this contingency.

The question arises, "Is the King constitutionally sovereign till he has made the declaration?" No certain answer can be given. If the Declaration is to be amended so as to spare the feelings of his Catholic subjects, an Act to change it must have his assent; but if he has not made the Declaration he is entitled to legally give his assent to any Act whatever. These are questions which are perplexing the law officers of the Crown. Another obstacle is the circumstance that the Declaration is embodied in the Act of Settlement, which in a large measure defines the royal prerogatives, and the Act must be overhauled if the Declaration is amended. In 1901 Lord Salisbury protested against what he called the "indecent violence" of the Declaration against the Catholic creed, and in the same year a bill for its amendment was introduced in the House of Lords, but it was dropped because it failed to satisfy both the Catholic and the ultra-Protestant peers. The whole question bristles

with difficulties, which should have been courageously handled during the late King's reign.

GERMAN TOWN PLANNING.

Canadians may learn much from the Germans in the management of cities. In an interesting article in Scribner's, Frederic C. Howe points out that the German, recognizing that the drift of population toward business centres means the creation of many large cities, plan for the future. Tenements, such as are known on this side of the Atlantic, are not tolerated in Germany, and such is the value placed on fresh air and sunshine that in no locality in the foremost cities can buildings cover more than a certain proportion of ground. The streets are wide and arranged, not only for beauty, but for convenience, and parks are numerous. The city exercises some of the sovereignty of the empire, and is thus enabled to give thought of tomorrow. Every bit of water is jealously preserved and developed, says the writer, whether it be an old moat, an inland lake, a little stream, or a river front. Water frontage is deemed a priceless possession and it has proved so to a dozen cities, nor is it permitted to pass into private hands.

The German municipalities are great land owners. Berlin owns 29,000 acres, having purchased beyond its boundaries in the knowledge that the city will some day take in the surrounding territory. Frankfurt, with a population equalling that of Pittsburgh, is the possessor of territory the size of the latter city. Breslau, which may be compared with Cleveland, O., has the title to twenty square miles of land, while Munich owns more, and Strasburg has 800 acres less. Each city is constantly adding to its possessions. There are, in fact, 1,500 smaller towns and villages in Germany which derive so much revenue from the land which they own that they are free from all local taxes. Five hundred of these communities are not only free from all local taxes, but are able to declare a dividend of from \$25 to \$100 a year to each citizen as his share of the surplus earnings of the common lands. German municipal government is bureaucratic, but the same efficient and far-sighted administration of cities could be obtained in the United States and Canada if the foremost citizens were really interested in civic affairs.

THE WATERWORKS LAND.

The Free Press, in its effort to direct attention from its shameful conduct on the water question, asserts that the owners of the Parke flats, who have allowed the land to be used for years for playground purposes free of rent, are endeavoring to hold up the city for a fancy price because three wells have been sunk on the ground. The owners offered to sell the flats to the playgrounds association for \$4,000, and the association took an option at that figure, believing it was reasonable. Since then potable water has been found on the land, but the owners ask not a cent more on that account, and are willing to part with it for the original price. Mr. Beck, who was permitted to sink his wells on the land free of charge, admits that this is a fair valuation. He says:

"The sticking point occurred over the Gerry flats. Mr. Gerry refused absolutely to take anything less than the price which the option on the Parke flats amounted to per acre. I could not agree to this, as I did not think the Gerry property worth as much as the Parke land, and the result is that the water commissioners have decided to arbitrate the whole question."

Whereupon the Free Press administers this love tap to Mr. Beck:

"Ex-Ald. Gerry is blamed. He, not the Advertiser interests, was 'the sticking point.' The busy, hard-working citizen, Gerry, is the fellow. The wealthy corporation is innocent as the driven snow. Gerry, the corporation interests take the trouble to publish, wants as much for his land as the corporation is to get! Criminal that, surely."

Mr. Beck may fight it out with his ex-organ. As for Mr. Gerry it is only fair to say that, like the owners of the Parke flats, he is indifferent whether his property is sold or not. Our contemporary's effort to hold up public-spirited citizens to scorn in this matter is cowardly but characteristic.

A United South Africa was born today. Welcome to the family!

If this journal had been fool enough to oppose the artesian well scheme, it might have felt like its local contemporary.

Hamilton has grabbed another American branch factory. If this continues the city will be no longer a suburb of Toronto, but an industrial annex of Pittsburgh and Chicago.

The Free Press warns Mr. Beck that The Advertiser has no love for him. Well, we have never made any professions of loving him. Our contemporary did; and see what happened.

The grant of self-government made the South African Confederation possible in less than a decade after the war. But there would have been no self-government for the Boers if the House of Lords had had its way. It is well to remember this when the claim is being made by Lord Curzon and others that the daughter nations look to the House of Lords, not the House of Commons, as the embodiment of the highest statesmanship.

WHOLE COUNTRY AMAZED

AT "FRUIT-A-TIVES"

Wonderful Cure Made by These Remarkable Fruit Juice Tablets.

Morefield Magistrate Says "The Days of Miracles Are Not Passed."

His cure seems a wonderful thing to his family and all his friends. Mr. Henry Speers, the well-known J. P. of Morefield, Ont., suffered for two years with Chronic Indigestion and Dyspepsia, which brought on a serious Heart Trouble. He wasted away until he was nothing more than a skeleton. Two physicians gave him up to die.

Then his son made him try "Fruit-a-tives" and now Mr. Speers is entirely well. As he says "The days of miracles are not passed and I am convinced that 'Fruit-a-tives' will cure Stomach and Heart Trouble where doctors and everything else fail." 50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, or trial size 25c. At dealers or from Fruit-a-tives, Limited, Ottawa.

America have troubled during the last ten years, and constitute about 80 per cent of all the bananas imported into the United States. The banana in Honduras grows wild in practically all parts of the country up to an elevation of 2,000 feet or more, but the industry of cultivating this fruit for export is confined to the rich, hot lands along the north coast, and not extending further inland at any point than 50 or 75 miles. Puerto Cortes, Ceiba and Trujillo are the shipping points.

SHIFTING THE BLAME.

[Chicago Record-Herald.] "The hand of God blotted out the Indian," says Buffalo Bill. This looks like a deliberate attempt to shift the blame.

NATURALIZATION.

[Jewish Chronicle.] An alien applied to be naturalized, and was handed a form to fill out, containing the questions he was required to answer. This is how the first three queries were replied to when the form was handed back:

"Name: Michael Levinsky.

"Born: Yes.

"Business: Rotten."

INAPPROPRIATE.

[Stratford Herald.] At the union memorial service at Dundas, Ont., on the 29th, when the congregation was supposed to mourn for the death of King Edward VII., the first hymn given out was "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow," which was sung lustily. A cranial operation is surely advisable on the minister or committee who made the selection.

UNDOUBTEDLY BAD.

[Smart Set.] Mary Mild—"Wouldn't you call her a—ah, doubtful character?" Carrie Cautieque—"Not unless you wanted to give her the benefit of the doubt."

CRUEL COMEBACK.

[Toledo Blade.] "I'm doing my best to get ahead," asserted Chollie. "Well, heaven knows you need one," asserted Dollie.

FASCINATION.

[Cleveland Leader.] "Why is Mr. Jones so popular with you girls?" "Oh, he is a dear! Why, he doesn't do anything but tell lies, and none of us can catch him at it."

IT WOULD SEEM SO.

[Baltimore Sun.] The short man ought to do more work. The tallest man can do it. For the economic reason that He's so much nearer to it.

HIS GIFT.

[Judge.] "Surely your father would do something for us?" "Doctor's Daughter—Indeed he would. He said that he would operate on you any time free of charge."

A COINCIDENCE.

[Philadelphia Ledger.] "Come seben, come eleben!" said the craps shooter earnestly, rolling the bones. "Sure thing," responded Policeman Tilt, stepping around the corner and collaring the player, "but how'd you know my number?"

RECEIVED IN COURT CIRCLES.

[Everybody's Magazine.] In a speech in the Senate on Hawaiian affairs, Senator Dewey, of New York, told this story:

"When Queen Liliuokalani was in England during the English Queen's jubilee, she was received at Buckingham Palace. In the course of the remarks that passed between the two queens, the one from the Sandwich Islands said that she had English blood in her veins.

"How so?" inquired Victoria. "My ancestors ate Captain Cook."

RECREATION.

[Cleveland Leader.] Casey—"Ye're a hard-workin' worrker, Dooley; how many hods o' murther have yez carried out that ladder 'th' day?" "Dooley—"Whist, man! I'm foolin' th' boss. I've carried the same hodful up 'n' down all day, an' he thinks I'm worrkin'!"

SPRING THOUGHT OF HOBBO.

[Judge.] In the spring the hobbo's fancy Strong turns to thoughts of grub: How to get it without working. That's the question, there's the rub!

HUSTLING WITHOUT THE HUSTLE.

[Answers.] The hustling boss and two of his men met face to face in the yard. "Now, then, now then," said the hustling boss, briskly, "where are you going?" "Please, sir," responded one, "we're takin' this 'ere plank up to the saw-mill."

"Plank? What plank?" snapped the boss. "I don't see any plank!" "The man looked down at his hands, then over his shoulder, and turned blandly to his mate.

"Why, bless me, Bill," he exclaimed, "if we ain't been 'n' forgot the plank!"

JUST FOR LUCK.

[Columbian Magazine.] "Ow did he come to get run over, Bill?" "It was 'pickin' up a 'crashoo for luck."

Boys' Wash Suits

Buster and Sailor Blouse
Suits in very desirable combinations of color and trimming. Sizes 2½ to 10 years in the lot. Worth 85c and \$1.00. Sale price 69c

J. H. CHAPMAN & CO.

New Idea Patterns

The home dressmaker finds the New Idea Patterns are best and easiest followed. Try them for your summer sewing. All one price 10c

Ladies' Mull Dresses \$3.45

An early disposal of 35 only extremely handsome Mull Dresses, soft and sheer quality, in white, richly trimmed with lace and wide embroidery insertion. Princess style limited number of these beautiful Dresses, the Wednesday morning. No phone orders. See Sizes 34 to 40.

\$3.45

50 Dozen Bedroom Hand-Towels 12½c Each

Just another Towel Special that we picked up—all linen hand Towels, with white or red borders, hemmed ready for use. Size 18x36. These are nice Towels for office use. Good 15c value. Wednesday and while they last, each 12½c

Fine Damask Table Linen at a Low Price

Three-piece Satin Damask Table Linen, extra fine and heavy pure linen, in three different patterns; 72 inches wide. Hotel-keepers will find this to be to their liking. Usual \$1.00 a yard, at 75c

Ginghams for Pretty Summer Dresses

Visitors in the city last week were amazed at our splendid showing of Ginghams, and greatly admired the new color combinations, in plaids, checks and stripes. "Just what you see on the other side of the line," was heard quite frequently. They are in great demand for summer dresses.

10c

Small Check Ginghams, thoroughly fast color, American manufacture; blue and white, red and white, black and white, and sky and white checks; also beautiful plaids in different colorings. Remarkable value.

12½c

Scotch and American Ginghams in stripes and plaids of every description and coloring, also plain colors of sky, cadet, pink, oxblood and other shades. A large range, 28 inches wide.

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American Dress Ginghams, in stripes, checks and plaids, in blue, tan, red, sky and black and white effects. These Ginghams can be made into extremely smart dresses.

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A still greater variety of Ginghams for dresses and also for children's wear. Colors are mauve, green, tan, blue and black and white grounds. Most desirable combinations.

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Beautiful high-grade Dress Ginghams, in broken checks, large and small patterns, in brown and white, blue and white, green and white and black and white. The best quality at 30c a yard.

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ONTARIO TO CANCEL MANY LAND CLAIMS

Settlement Duties Ignored by Speculators Who Keep Land From Settlers.

Toronto, May 31.—The Provincial Government has decided to cancel scores of veteran land claims located in Northern Ontario. The cancellation results from failures to comply with the regulations and the fact that many of these grants have gone into the hands of land speculators, who are illegally holding them, to the detriment of settlement.

The grant lands which are affected are those subject to settlement duties or "veteran" claims, which have changed hands, upon which no work has been done. A record was made of all such cases by the department, and a warning sent out to all holders interested last fall. This was followed by a second warning this spring, when a time limit was set in which holders were required to furnish the department with evidence that settlement duties were being performed in accordance with the regulations. The time limit expired on May 20.

The object of the Government in taking action is primarily to encourage age colonization and settlement, and never did a decent thing in my life," Connolly told the court. "I never saw this young fellow before, and I'm a stranger here. How he could know anything about me is more than I can tell."

"I think, though," added Connolly, "that he mistook me for another man who lives here. Half a dozen people have done the same thing. I feel sorry for the other fellow if he looks like me."

"He ought to be congratulated if he does," said Magistrate Love. Connolly stands about six feet four, and is splendidly built.

Henry Ashworth, a West London resident, who went home last night in an intoxicated condition and started to make things lively for his family, was charged with being drunk and disorderly. His case was left over until the magistrate has a talk with Mrs. Ashworth about what she would like done.

Judgment: Let judgment be entered declaring that William J. Somerville should be, and is, legally presumed to be dead before 15th May, 1908, but that the defendant company had not received reasonably sufficient proof of his death before action, and dismissing the action, with costs, but without prejudice to another action. Thirty days' stay.

POPE WRITES KING. London, May 31.—There is much speculation here as to the contents of a letter from Pope Pius, which was presented to King George today by the Duke of Norfolk. The missive was believed at a special audience granted to the duke.

As Great Britain has no diplomatic relations with the Vatican there is no matter for surprise in the fact that the letter was conveyed by the Duke of Norfolk, as he is not only earl marshal of the empire, but the recognized lay-head of the Roman Catholic Church in England.

The chief curiosity is to know whether the message is one of condolence or a message of God-speed.

WILLIAM EVANS DIED SLEEPING ON COUCH

Well-Known Liveryman's Death Occurred Without Warning.

William Evans, of 679 William street, was found dead at his home yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock, by his wife, when she returned from town.

Evans was employed at Hueston's livery, and throughout yesterday morning he complained of feeling unwell. When he went home at noon he was no better, and about 2 o'clock lay down on a couch to rest.

Mrs. Evans went out for a short time, and when she returned at 5 o'clock she spoke to him, but receiving no answer went over and found that he was dead.

Dr. Ernest Williams was called at once and found that Mr. Evans had been dead about an hour.

Dr. MacLaren was notified, but after investigating the facts thoroughly decided that no inquest was necessary. Death was due to heart failure.

The late Mr. Evans was about sixty years old. Besides his wife, he is survived by one daughter, who resides in London.

Elder R. C. Evans, of Toronto, of the Laver diocese, is a brother, and Mrs. Burgess, of this city, is a sister.

YOUTH MADE MISTAKE ABUSED WRONG MAN

Paid a Fine of \$2 in the Police Court for His Fun.

A youth who resides in the east end mistook William Connolly, a soap traveller, from St. John, N. B., for a local man and called him a lot of fancy names. He was fined \$2 in the police court for being disorderly.

"He told me that I was a scoundrel and never did a decent thing in my life," Connolly told the court. "I never saw this young fellow before, and I'm a stranger here. How he could know anything about me is more than I can tell."

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TWO BADLY HURT IN WINGHAM RUNAWAY

Wingham, May 30.—Miss M. Kilpatrick is suffering from a fractured skull, sustained when thrown from a rig while driving to church on Sunday night.

When the rig was nearing the town, the bridge broke, the horse bolted, and the three occupants were thrown out. Miss Kilpatrick was taken to the hospital, and Miss Beecroft, whose leg was broken, was removed to the home of Thomas Cassels. Mr. Beecroft escaped.

NEGRO LYNCHED FOR STRIKING WHITE

Coroner's Jury Returns Verdict of "Death by Unknown Hands." New Madrid, Mo., May 31.—A mob has avenged the insult of a negro striking a white man by storming the jail, taking the negro to the banks of the Mississippi River and lynching him.

"An unknown" was the label pinned across the breast of the dangling form when found.

The negro was charged with striking Marshal A. Richard after he and other negroes had been ordered off a street corner. No arrests have been made, the coroner's jury returning a verdict of "death by unknown hands."

CHATHAM CHILDREN IN CONFIRMATION

Chatham, May 30.—More than two hundred children were confirmed by Bishop Fallon yesterday morning at St. Joseph's church. The candidates the altar boys and the clergy formed in procession before the service and conducted Bishop Fallon from the paragon to the church. This part of the ceremony was a pleasing surprise to his lordship, and he expressed himself as greatly delighted with it, and also with the large number of men at the service.

CHARLES TREAT DEAD. New York, May 31.—Charles Henry Treat, until a few months ago treasurer of the United States, to which position he was appointed by President Roosevelt, died of apoplexy in his apartments at the Hotel Victoria here early today.

He was stricken an hour before his death and did not regain consciousness. Mr. Treat was born in Frankfort, Maine, about 63 years ago.

The splendid meal of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets is daily coming to light. No such grand remedy for liver and bowel troubles was ever known before. Thousands bless them for curing constipation, sick headache, biliousness, jaundice and indigestion. Sold by all dealers.

Grand Trunk Pacific Coast Steamship Service. It has been decided that the Grand Trunk Pacific Coast steamship service will be inaugurated on June 12. The Prince Rupert will leave Seattle at midnight that date, calling the following day at Victoria and Vancouver, leaving the latter place 11:30 p.m. Wednesday, reaching Prince Rupert 1 p.m. Thursday, leaving Prince Rupert 5 p.m. same day, and arriving at Stewart on the Portland Canal, 6 a.m. Thursday. On the return trip it will leave Stewart 9 a.m. Thursday, arrive Prince Rupert 7 p.m., and leave Prince Rupert 8:30 p.m. same day, reaching Vancouver on Saturday at 8:30 a.m. Victoria at 6:30 p.m. same day, and Seattle Sunday at 6 a.m.

The same schedule will be followed weekly until the Prince George is put in commission, which it is now expected will be Thursday, July 14.

BUTTER RECEIPTS. New York, May 31.—Although today's market reports show that butter receipts in May were larger than usual the prices of the better grades are higher here than they have been before at this time since the civil war. Wholesale dealers in New York declare that western speculators have been busy buying up supplies and that this has kept the prices up.

The best grades are now selling at 25 to 28 cents a pound wholesale. A year ago they were 24 to 26 cents.

THE WOMAN'S CORNER

MUSHROOM MILLINERY



Large hats with large straight drooping brims are greatly in evidence. They are called "mushroom" hats, but they lack the concave shaping of the original mushroom type.

They are shown in lingerie hats and also in straw and covered buckram shapes. They are trimmed in Persian bands and bows, large looped bows of tulle, brussels net, or chantilly lace, flowers and feathers.

DAILY MENU

Wednesday.
Breakfast.
Oranges, cereal and cream, fried butter-fish, muffins toast, tea and coffee.
LUNCHEON.
Yesterday's pie warmed over, potato cake (a left-over), string bean, lettuce salad (a left-over), graham crackers and cheese, gingerbread and jam, tea.
DINNER.
Corn chowder (canned), hamburger steak (baked in a mound and garnished with fried bananas), oyster plant, beets, strawberries and cream, sponge cake, black coffee.

CYNTHIA GREY'S CORRESPONDENTS

Dear Miss Gray: I am thinking of celebrating the tenth anniversary of my wedding day. I would very much like your advice on just how such an affair should be conducted. 1. Please state how many courses should be used in getting up a supper and of what should each consist. 2. What would be the proper time to have supper? 3. Please make some suggestions as to how the guests should be entertained, etc.

CARNATION.
Answer—If just entertaining for the evening, supper should be served about 11 o'clock, but you might on the other hand invite your guests for high tea, which would be served at half-past six. For high tea I would suggest the following menu: Oyster chowder in cups, wafers, broiled chicken, potato croquettes, cauliflower, in red apples, cream cheese, crackers, ice cream or fruit salad, coffee. For a late supper: Tomato salad, stuffed with mayonnaise of chicken, plain bread and butter, sandwiches (brown bread one side, white the other), ice cream, cake and coffee. If your guests are for cards, their entertainment is easily solved. If not try some of the clever guessing games used so much.

You might carry out the idea of the tin wedding with a centerpiece of the tin filled with flowers, tin bon-bon dishes, etc. Your prize, too, might be of tin, and cause your guests some amusement.

Dear Miss Gray: (1) Will linen suits be worn this summer? (2) Of what material will the summer coats be made? (3) Should an evening dress for a girl of nineteen be made with low neck and short sleeves? (4) If with short sleeves, should long gloves be worn?
A READER.

A—(1) Yes, (2) Linen, pongee and white serge. (3) If it is a becoming fashion. (4) Yes.

Dear Miss Gray: Why is it that after using massage for a few days my skin seems flabby around the mouth and new lines appear?
AN INQUIRER.

A—Look for an article on facial massage which will soon appear.

Dear Miss Gray: I have a last year's serge suit that is perfectly good, but has half sleeves in it. How can I remedy same?
PANNY.

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8520—A Dainty Frock for a Little Girl.

Sheer white muslin was used in the making of this dainty simple little dress. The fullness of the short-sleeved body is laid in fine tucks, or it may simply be finished by a deep hem and joined to the belt. A simple design in eyelet embroidery, square yoke, sleeve caps and belt, although allover embroidery or lace may be used. The pattern is cut in three sizes, 2, 4, 6 years. The skirt is of 36-inch material. The pattern may be mailed to any address upon receipt of 2c in stamps or silver.

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MARY'S COOK BOOK.

Banana Sponge—Line a mold which has been dipped in cold water with thin crosswise slices of bananas and fill with this mixture. Mix one-half cup cornstarch, one-fourth cup sugar, and a pinch of salt with one-fourth cup cold milk. Add this to four cups hot milk in double boiler and stir until thickens. Cook 15 minutes. Add a teaspoon vanilla. Stir in one cup of eggs beaten stiff. Chill, remove from mold and garnish with candied cherries.

BY LOUIS TRACY

Author of THE WINGS OF THE MORNING.

"THE WHEELS OF FORTUNE."

"THE MESSAGE"

The door had scarce closed on him when Rosamund turned to her friend. She spoke slowly, but Lady Hilbury saw that the knuckles of a white hand holding the back of a chair reddened under the force of the grip.

"I dared not ask him," came the steady words, "but—perhaps you can tell me—is he unmarried?"

"And free?"

"My dear, I think so."

The younger woman let go the chair. Her hands flew to her face to hide the tears that started forth unchecked.

"Ah, dear heaven," she murmured, "if only I could be sure!"

That evening, while the incense of tobacco rose from the deck of the Nancy, Wardivine from Peter the history of the hour immediately succeeding his departure from Cowes.

It was unutterably annoying to hear that Figuero had seen him in Evelyn Dane's company, and he deduced a Machiavellian plot from the subsequent paid by the Portuguese to the Sans Souci. The journey to Mill-dor indirectly suggested by the Under Secretary's intent not became a purpose from which nothing would divert him. It seemed to be impossible that Mr. Baumgartner could fail to recognize the girl's description, since comparison with Rosamund Laing had shown him that Evelyn was by far the most beautiful creature in England! He was sure that her life would be made miserable by suspicion, if, indeed, she had not already received a curt notification that her services were not required.

Peter's afternoon with the negroes was evidently gargantuan in its chief occupation—the consumption of ardent spirits.

"I never did see any crowd 'oo could shift liquor like them," mused the skipper of the Nancy. "It was, 'Dash me one bottle, Peter,' every five minutes, if I'd run to it. I stood 'em three in your interests, captain, an' then I turned a pocket inside out, sayin' 'No more 'oof, savvy?' They savvied right enough. Out goes one chap they called Wanger."

"Do you mean to tell me that one of those three men was named 'M'Wan-ga'?" broke in Warden, and in the darkness Peter could not see the blank amazement on his employer's face.

"That's it, sir—funny sort of click they ge' in front of. Sink me, but you do it a treat! Well, 's nibs comes back with two bottles, an' we finished the lot afore I began to wonder if I was quiteartin which of my legs was the wooden one. But, bless yer heart, there's no harm in them three niggers. I could live among 'em twenty years an' never have a word 'em."

"Could you gather any inkling of their business from their talk?" Peter mused some half-burned tobacco into the bowl of his pipe with the head of a nail before replying.

"There was just one thing that

landlocked estuary and bottle him up there for a week. Strive as best he might, he could not shake off the impression that he ought to be acting, and not dawdling about the south coast in his aimless fashion. He was quite certain that a dead calm had overtaken him, and with this irritating because unfounded belief, came a curious suggestion of calamity in store for the Nancy if he tried to weather the Land's End en route to Milford Haven.

"Go to Africa!" whispered some mysterious counselor in words that were audible to an unknown sense. "Go where you are wanted, Lady Hilbury told you that a great opportunity had presented itself. Seize it! Delay will be fatal!"

Peter, watching the young officer furtively as he trimmed the cutter to her anchorage, was much perturbed. Though a true seafarer, he seldom swore, for his religious connections were deep and sincere, but he did use anathemas now.

"I wish that d—d Turk's head 'ad rotted in the sea afore ever it kem aboard this craft!" he muttered. "There's bin nothin' but fuss an' worry every hour since that bloody lass set her eyes on it. Unless I'm vastly mistaken it'll bust up the cruise, an' here Chris an' me fixed up to the minute for the nex' three months. It's too bad, but it is!"—and the rest of his remarks became unfit for publication.

It would be interesting to learn how far Peter would have fallen from grace if he were told that the calabash was even then reposing in a portmanteau, by the side of Warden's bunk. Happily, he was spared the knowledge. It would come in good time, but was withheld for the present.

Warden, restless as a caged lion, did not, as was his habit, bring a folding-chair to the shady side of the mainmast and lose himself in the pages of a book. A purpose of his was to sort became almost an obsession. Fixing on the Sans Souci's known objective at the extreme southwestern corner of Wales on the following Wednesday, he suddenly lit upon the idea of walking across Dartmoor and taking a steamer from Liffacombe to the Swansea. Once committed to a definite itinerary of that nature there would be no turning back. He counted on being able to accomplish the first stage of the journey easily in three days, which would bring him to Liffacombe on the Tuesday. The only uncertainty of the steamship service, and a telegram to the shipping agents would determine that point in an hour or less.

So Peter brought him ashore in the dinghy, and the message was dispatched, and Warden went for a stroll on the Hoe, of which pleasant promenade he had hardly traversed a hundred yards when he saw Evelyn Dane seated there, deeply absorbed in a magazine. A bound of his heart carried conviction to his incredulous brain. Though the girl's face was bent and almost hidden by her hat, she offered precisely the same harmonious picture that had so won his admiration when she sat opposite to him in the dinghy on that memorable afternoon of what seemed so remote in the annals of his life.

(To be continued).

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The accompanying illustration gives you only a rough idea of its appearance. You really can't appreciate it until you either use it yourself, or talk to someone who has used it. It does everything that a coal range will do—except heat the room. The New Perfection Oil Cook-stove will do anything from heating a kettle of water to cooking a course dinner, but it won't heat a room. It doesn't "smell," it doesn't smoke. It can't get out of order. Light it and it is ready. Turn it down and it is out. Only a woman who knows the truth of carrying coal and cooking in the kitchen can appreciate what it means to have a clean, perfect stove that will cook anything, boil, bake or roast, and yet won't heat the kitchen. How is it done? The flame is controlled in turn-quoise-blue enamel chimneys, and directed against the bottom of pot, pan, kettle or oven, and only there. The flame operates exactly where it is needed—and nowhere else. With this stove your kitchen is cool.

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May be you think that is too many, but it isn't. Perhaps you are wondering where I get enough soft warm beds for them, or milk for them to drink, or saucers to put in; or where I could get enough catnip to give them all a dose if they were sick.

Maybe you think there would be too much quarrelling when a hundred pussies wanted to play with the same spoon at the same time. Perhaps you are afraid it would make you dizzy to see so many pussies chasing their tails; or deaf to hear them all meowing. And what a jangling and jangling there would be if they all wore bells, and think of the yards and yards of ribbon it would take to tie them on!

But, really, my "pussies" are no trouble at all. They don't meow. They don't fight. They don't quarrel. They don't chase their tails. My pussies are just willows that grow out on the lawn.

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LOCAL PHYSICIANS ON DEATH OF DR. KOCH

tributes Paid to the Memory of the World-Famous Pathologist.

Local physicians are considerably interested in the death of Dr. Koch, the great German physician. "He was without doubt one of the world's greatest physicians," said one doctor to The Advertiser. "His investigations and discoveries in regard to tuberculosis alone would entitle him to an eminent place in the world of medicine, to say nothing of his researches into cholera and leprosy. He was the first bacteriologist to isolate the germ that causes consumption, and his discovery and subsequent separation of a lymph was regarded at the time as one of the greatest advances made in years. The German government granted him a million marks as a reward for his discovery. His treatment was used for some time, but has since been improved upon. It is, however, still largely used by veterinarians in tuberculosis cases among animals."

The Famous Lymph.
"The lymph prepared by Dr. Koch after he had discovered the tuberculosis germ, was largely used throughout the world for some years. The method of treatment was to inject the lymph and it caused a reaction which benefited the patient. Dr. Koch afterwards gave the million marks he had been granted by the German Government back again. He resided in Berlin for many years, and after his discovery of the tuberculosis germ went to Egypt where he spent some time in studying cholera and leprosy. His investigations were very successful, and his discoveries were published in pamphlet form and given to the world as of great value. The late Dr. John D. Wilson was very greatly interested in Dr. Koch's discoveries, and about twelve years ago paid a visit to Berlin to study with him. Upon his return here he used the treatment extensively among his patients."

Great Men Indeed.
"No one can estimate the value of the lives of men like Koch and Pasteur," said Dr. H. H. Stevenson, "Koch and Pasteur were the two greatest men of their age in the medical world. Their researches were to a certain extent along similar lines. After Koch's death, Dr. Pasteur, Koch was unquestionably the world's greatest bacteriologist."

LURED TO BOSTON

White Slave Agents Said To Be Operating in St. John, N. B.

St. John, N. B., May 31.—Evidence has been collected here to show that agents of the white slave traffic are operating in this city, and instances have come to light where young girls have been approached and offered positions in Boston, where work was reported as very light and wages high. Two women, whose identity police will not at present divulge, but who have been working in the north end of the city, are agents of organizations to procure girls for lives of shame in the United States.

One young girl, who on Saturday was decoyed to a place of ill-repute, was offered a situation as companion to Mrs. May, living in Boston. She was told if she accepted she would have the use of the automobile, and would be furnished with theatre tickets and in every other way treated as a member of a wealthy family. The girl became suspicious, and informed her mother, who in turn reported the matter to the police.

Since that time four other similar cases have been reported.

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Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

RAILWAYMAN LEAVES FOR PRINCE RUPERT

W. H. Duperow Presented With a Purse of Gold by His Friends.

Mr. W. H. Duperow, who has been travelling passenger agent of the Grand Trunk in this district for some time, left last night for Prince Rupert, where he will take an important position for the company.

At Toronto yesterday a large number of travelling passenger and ticket agents met to wish him God-speed.

Mr. J. D. McDonald, district passenger agent, president, and Mr. J. A. Yorick, of the Burlington road, presented Mr. Duperow with a purse of \$200 in gold. He spoke of the many good qualities of Mr. Duperow. Mr. E. R. Ruse represented the local ticket agents at the presentation.

A number of the passenger men made short speeches, extolling the good qualities of Mr. Duperow. Mr. E. R. Ruse presented the local ticket agents at the presentation.

Field operations in spring sowing were the earliest for many years, and even with the setback in the latter part of April spring sowing is about a month earlier than the last season, and a week ahead of the average year.

Field wheat entered into May well forward, and although some was drowned, it looks quite vigorous.

Clover, suffered from last season's drought, but now presents a good appearance. The short and mild winter worked wonders in fodder supplies.

Some, however, sold too freely, tempted by the high prices, but the early grass came to their rescue.

The reports of live stock are particularly bright, except that the unusually high prices led to too heavy marketing. Cattle have been remarkably free from disease. Milch cows are further than usual, but calves are being kept. Sheep are doing well, and lambs are coming strong and plentiful.

The general outlook regarding orchards is encouraged. Blossoming averaged, about a fortnight earlier than usual, and was very profuse. Hears are expressed that the rains may have washed off a large proportion of the pollen.

All small fruits are well advanced.

BOOST IN RATES A BILLION-DOLLAR COUP

Big Shippers of the U. S. Demand Action Against Railway Companies.

Washington, May 31.—To fight against an impending "billion dollar coup" by P. P. Morgan and allied interests, representatives of a score or more of the biggest mid-western associations today gathered here to demand that Attorney-General Wickersham proceed against "railroad traffic associations as monopolies in restraint of trade, and violators of the Sherman anti-trust law."

A giant attempt to pull off a coup on Wall street that will net the interests a round billion is the way John M. Glenn, chief of the transportation department of the Illinois Manufacturers' Association, summed up the sudden movement of the railroads throughout the country to boost freight rates up.

RABIES OUTLOOK STILL SERIOUS

Dog-Muzzling Regulation Must Be Continued.

Ottawa, May 31.—"Until existing conditions are considerably improved, there will be no change in the dog-muzzling regulations, and you may quote the department as saying so if you wish."

This was the reply of Dr. J. G. Rutherford when asked whether or not the muzzling law would be abolished or modified.

The department is flooded with petitions for the abolition of the regulation, said the doctor, "but no attention can be paid them, nor will be paid them, until there is a change in existing conditions."

If the regulations had been obeyed, the trouble would have been over now. But instead of complying, people have tried to avoid the law and have left their dogs unmuzzled.

"The result is that conditions remain serious. There is too much hydrophobia in the country. The muzzle law will remain until the conditions change."

ALL WERE DROWNED.

Calais, May 30.—Inspection of the sunken Pluviose, which was in collision with the channel steamer Pas de Calais last Thursday, shows conclusively that the hull of the submarine was crushed and that all members of her crew, which totalled 27 men, were drowned.

NOT TO CHANGE NATIONAL ANTHEM

Death of Edward Has Turned Thoughts to Famous Hymn.

USE RECENT VERSION

Not Likely That "God Save Great George, Our King," Will Be Inserted in the Verse.

London, May 30.—The accession of a new king has once more directed attention to the words of the national anthem, which have been considerably altered since they were first written. The same question was discussed when the late King Edward came to the throne, but the anthem was left as it was except with the necessary change from "God Save the Queen" to "God Save the King."

King Edward had no sooner departed than a suggestion was made, now that Great Britain had another King George, that the opening words might very well be changed to those sung for one of the earlier Georges, namely, "God Save Great George, Our King," as they suited the music very much better than the line which contained the "gracious" and which sounded the reverse of musical when broken by a hyphen in the rendering.

But those who opposed such an alteration did not consider what the adoption of such a version meant. The old and quaint version in the original had a very decided allusion to bad times and high taxes, and it is questionable whether it would have any charm, especially for the aristocracy and landed classes or Great Britain now. It began:

God save Great George, our King;
Long live our noble King;
God save the King.

But then the poet, whoever he may have been, changes the stanza in a way that would require very different music from that now sung. The lines are:

Our loyalty shall us befriend,
Shall us befriend,
But why despair, the time may mend;
Why, why despair, the times may mend?

In the next stanza there is an even more pointed allusion to the hard times then prevailing:

My pocket's low and taxes high,
My pocket's very low, very low;
But why despair, the times may mend;
Our loyalty shall us befriend.

Looking through the history of the national anthem one finds a lot of very curious things. It was customary at one time to have the poet laureate of the day, or his equivalent, write for insertion in the anthem verses to be sung in celebration of passing events. Here is a verse which must have been inserted about the year 1745, when Marshal Wade was coming to put down certain risings in North Britain:

Lord, grant that General Wade
May by Thy mighty aid
Victory bring;
May he sedition hush
And like a torrent rush
Rebellious Scots to crush!
God Save the King!

Verses For Jan. 1, 1793.

Then again on Jan. 1, 1793, the anthem was altered, when Rev. W. D. Tattersall wrote some special verses to celebrate what was called "the one hundred and fourth year of Britain's liberty," the allusion being, it may be presumed, to the revolution of 1688. Here are a couple of the verses which the reverend hymnster wrote:

Let Discord's lawless train
Know their vile arts are vain,
Britain is free;
Confound their knavish tricks,
With equal laws we mix
True liberty.

England's staunch soldiery,
Proof against treachery,
Bravely unite.
Firm in his country's cause,
His sword each hero draws,
To guard our King and laws
From factious might.

It has been generally supposed that the anthem was not altered when "God Save the Queen," until the late Queen Victoria came to the throne. On the contrary, its history shows that "God Save the Queen" was sung on April 29, 1818, when Queen Charlotte visited the City of London. This was her last appearance in public, when she was visiting the national schools, and the children, after singing the usual anthem, added two special verses in which the queen herself specially joined.

ALBERTA'S CROPS.

Winnipeg, Man., May 31.—The Alberta department of agriculture has issued a crop bulletin, which reports the province's crops in satisfactory condition. The total acreage under crop is placed at 1,522,873 acres, an increase of 27 per cent over 1909.

The dry weather and a bad winter hit the winter wheat hard and the department estimates that 30 per cent of the area shown is a loss. Most of these had been reason to other crops.

The spring wheat area is 488,183 acres, an increase of 51 per cent. The oats acreage is 762,460, only an increase of 36 per cent. Barley shows an increase of 36 per cent, with an area of 147,160.

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CURES ALL KIDNEY DISEASES

The Globe

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398 Richmond Street,
The MALLAG H BOOKSHOP.

ALEXANDRA DID NOT BLAME BURNS

Far From Accusing Him of Hounding King, She Showed Him Favors.

London, May 31.—Some highly melodramatic dispatches, purporting to emanate from London, have appeared in some American newspapers regarding an alleged "scene" which is said to have taken place between Queen Alexandra and Mr. John Burns, beside the bier of the late King. It is stated that her majesty, when Mr. Burns visited Buckingham Palace to look his last on King Edward's features, with withering scorn thus addressed him: "You, sir, and Mr. Asquith are responsible for the death of the King who lies here." So far is this report from being true that it may be stated that on the solitary occasion on which Mr. Burns visited the chamber where King Edward lay dead, he did so as a member of a small party of distinguished men, invited by the late monarch, to his last journey. When Mr. Burns, Lord Curzon, and Lord Kitchener, and it was welcomed at the palace by Queen Alexandra, who, as a mark of especial favor, accorded by her to none other than royalties and members of the household, was acted as its escort to the chamber of death.

It may be added that she remained in the room while each member of the distinguished party took his silent farewell of his d-d master. When Queen Alexandra, on the 18th of this month, drove to Westminster Hall, with Prince Henry of Prussia, and others, to witness the lying-in-state, she was accompanied by the late Sir William Harcourt, for long the Nestor of the Liberal party—in a remarkable degree.

So far from Mr. Burns being regarded with any animosity by the Queen-Mother, it is well known that both she and the late King have for years entertained for him feelings of the highest esteem. In fact, King Edward may be said to have had a warmer personal regard for Mr. Burns than he had for any other member of the present Government, with the exception of Mr. Harcourt, who has always been honored with their majesties' friendship—a friendship which he inherited from his father, the late Sir William Harcourt, for long the Nestor of the Liberal party—in a remarkable degree.

An Accused Profession.
The late Lord Salisbury once said, when looking on the dead form of an old colleague, whom the chances of political life had at that moment temporarily estranged from him, that he felt that "politics was an accused profession." But assuredly it becomes doubly "accused" when a story is spread, as it is now, that the late Sir William Harcourt, for long the Nestor of the Liberal party—in a remarkable degree.

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MR. FIELDING'S PLANS

Will Look Into Tariff Negotiations Before Sailing for Europe.

Ottawa, May 31.—Hon. W. S. Fielding, minister of finance, and Hon. Wm. Patterson, minister of customs, expect to leave for England on June 10, to take part in the concluding deliberations of the imperial royal commission respecting trade between the United Kingdom and the dominions of the British Empire. It is expected that the pending trade negotiations with Italy and Belgium will be concluded, and an order-in-council will be passed extending to these countries the benefits of the Canadian intermediate tariff in the treaty with France, thus removing any disabilities under which these countries labor in respect of trade with Canada because of the Franco-Canadian agreement.

In view of the fact that France extended to the United States the same rates as those given Canada under that agreement, the Government feels free to reduce, in the interests of the Canadian consumer, duties on imports from Italy and Belgium, which com-

pete with imports from France. The reduction of 2½ per cent in the duty on such items, which the intermediate tariff rate gives, will affect only such imports as silk or other commodities, which will not compete with any item of home manufacture.

A touch of rheumatism, or a twinge of neuralgia, whatever the trouble is, Chamberlain's Liniment drives away the pain at once and cures the complaint quickly. First application gives relief. Sold by all dealers.

Prince Rupert, B. C.
As an evidence of the activity at Prince Rupert, B. C., which promises to make that place the future Canadian metropolis of the Pacific Coast, it is of interest to know that during the month of April, 1910, 89 steamers arrived at that port.

SANITOL TOOTH POWDER

not only cleanses the teeth but arrests decay.

At all Druggists, 25c

Could Not Sleep.

DOCTOR SAID HEART AND NERVES WERE RESPONSIBLE.

There is many a man and woman tossing night after night upon a sleepless bed.

Their eyes do not close in the sweet and refreshing repose that comes to those whose heart and nerves are right. Some constitutional disturbance, worry, or disease has so debilitated and irritated the nervous system, that it cannot be quieted and causes nightmare, bad dreams, starting in the sleep, twitching of the muscles, restlessness, etc.

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Mrs. Calvin Stark, Rossmore, Ont., writes:—"About two years ago I began to be troubled with a smothering sensation at night when I would lie down, and got so bad I could not sleep in the dark, and would have to sit up and rub my limbs, they would become so numb. My doctor said my heart and nerves were responsible. I saw Milburn's Nerve and Heart Pills advertised and got a box to try them. I took three boxes and can now lie down and sleep without the light burning and can rest well. I can recommend them highly to all nervous and run down women."

Price, 50 cents per box or 3 boxes for \$1.25, at all dealers or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co. Limited, Toronto, Ont.

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R.M.S. Laurentic, 14,892 tons, triple screw. R.M.S. Megantic, 14,873 tons, twin screw. Leave Montreal for Liverpool, Monday, June 6, 1910. Latest production of the shipbuilders' art; passenger elevator serving all decks. Every detail of comfort and luxury of present-day travel will be found on these steamers, including orchestra. On these steamers passengers receive the best of the steamers' comforts at a moderate expenditure. Intending travellers are requested to communicate with local agents, or to come aboard at once.

Moderate Rate Service—R.M.S. Canada, R.M.S. Dominion, one-class cabin steamers (called second class). On these steamers passengers receive the best of the steamers' comforts at a moderate expenditure. Intending travellers are requested to communicate with local agents, or to come aboard at once.

TORONTO—41 King Street East. MONTREAL—118 Notre Dame St. W.

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The new twin ships of the Canadian Northern Steamships, Limited—

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Are the fastest and best equipped steamers in the Canadian-European service between Montreal, Quebec, and Bristol. Next sailing from Montreal, Royal Edward, May 28. For rates, reservations, etc., apply local ticket agent, or H. C. Bourlier, General Agent, Toronto.

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TRAVELERS' GUIDE

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY. SARNIA TUNNEL TO SUSPENSION BRIDGE AND TORONTO.

Arrive from the east—7:45 a.m. 10:50 a.m. 11:12 a.m. 11:25 a.m. 6:30 p.m. 8:00 p.m. 10:10 p.m. Arrive from the west—12:00 a.m. 6:25 a.m. 11:30 a.m. 1:10 p.m. 4:10 p.m. 6:25 p.m. Depart for the east—12:14 a.m. 7:40 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 11:40 a.m. 2:05 p.m. 4:35 p.m. 6:55 p.m. Depart for the west—9:30 a.m. 7:40 a.m. 11:27 a.m. 11:45 a.m. 1:40 p.m. 8:15 p.m. LONDON AND WINDSOR.

Arrive—10:25 a.m. 4:00 p.m. 6:50 p.m. 11:35 p.m. Depart—6:35 a.m. 11:35 a.m. 2:05 p.m. 8:10 p.m. STANFORD BRANCH.

Arrive—7:25 a.m. 11:15 a.m. 1:35 p.m. 4:50 p.m. 6:50 p.m. 11:35 p.m. Depart—6:30 a.m. 10:25 a.m. 2:45 p.m. 4:55 p.m. LONDON, HURON AND BRUCE.

Arrive—10:00 a.m. 8:10 p.m. Depart—4:30 a.m. 4:50 p.m. Trains market * run daily. Those not marked daily, except Sunday.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY. Arrive from the east—11:25 a.m. 10:30 p.m. 10:52 p.m. Arrive from the west—4:45 a.m. 12:30 p.m. 10:35 p.m. Depart for the east—4:55 a.m. 12:45 p.m. 11:45 p.m. Depart for the west—11:35 a.m. 11:30 p.m. 11:50 p.m. *Daily, except Sunday.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY. Arrive—8:55 a.m. 11:10 a.m. 6:10 p.m. 9:25 p.m. Depart—7:30 a.m. 2:30 p.m. 5:35 p.m. 10:25 p.m. PERE MARQUETTE RAILWAY.

Depart—5:05 a.m. 7:10 a.m. 9:40 a.m. 2:30 p.m. 12:40 p.m. 4:15 p.m. Arrive—8:45 a.m. 11:20 p.m. 1:30 p.m. 4:40 p.m. 12:20 p.m. *To St. Thomas only. To Walkerville. Trains not started to and from Port Stanley. To Walkerville.

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WABASH

DOGS NEED NOT BE ON LEASH

Hamilton Bylaw Is Declared by
Judge To Be Ultra
Vires.

DECISION WAS REVERSED

Magistrate Jeffs Found One Man Who
Was Not Prepared to Accept Him
as an Oracle.

Hamilton, May 31.—A decision which takes a different meaning from that taken by the magistrate on the term "under control" in the bylaw passed by the city council to prohibit dogs running at large, was given out this morning by Judge Monck in the appeal of Dr. Hancock against the decision of Magistrate Jeffs, who fined him because his dog was not on a leash. The case was argued in the first division court about a week ago, but his honor reserved his decision in order to look it over.

The decision is of importance to dog owners. His honor in his judgment, points out that having a dog in leash is not the only way of having it under control. His decision practically reverses the construction placed upon the bylaw. It is as follows:

"This is the decision of the division court from a conviction of the appellant by the Police Magistrate of Hamilton, for allowing the appellant's dog to be on the public street; to wit, King street, east, in Hamilton, without being held by a leash, cord or chain sufficient to keep it under control.

A policeman who laid the information, testified that the appellant was on the foot pavement, with a dog which was muzzled but not on a leash, cord or chain, that the dog kept close to the appellant, never ranging further than the curb, which could not be more than six or eight feet away at any time. This was accepted by the appellant as a fair statement of facts.

"The appellant testified that the dog in question is a setter dog, used for hunting purposes, and is highly trained to obey the voice, whistle or gesture of its master, that the placing of the appellant's hand on his thigh brings the dog instantly in contact with the appellant, and that the raising of the hand causes the dog to instantly lay by; that on the occasion complained of, the dog was always under perfect control.

"On this evidence I find as a fact that this particular dog in the case of this particular man, who has had great experience with dogs, was at the time complained of in the perfect control of the appellant.

"The bylaw in question, which was passed (R. S. O. cap. 223, sec. 540, s. 1) enables the municipal council to pass bylaws to restrain and regulate dogs running at large; that is, when found in a street or other public place, and not under the control of any person.

"The statute under which this bylaw was passed (R. S. O. cap. 223, sec. 540, s. 1) enables the municipal council to pass bylaws to restrain and regulate dogs running at large; that is, when found in a street or other public place, and not under the control of any person.

"The running of dogs at large is defined by R. S. O. cap. 18, sec. 107 to mean, 'when found in a street or other public place not under the control of any person.' A bylaw in order to be valid, must be in the terms of the enabling statute, not necessarily in words, but in effect, because without legislative authority a municipal corporation can pass no bylaw. The statute above referred to authorizes the making of a bylaw to restrain and regulate dogs running at large; that is, when found in a street or other public place, and not under the control of any person.

"There are many ways in which a dog may be kept in control in addition to the one (by leash) required by the bylaw. For instance, the owner may, by keeping his hand on the dog with his hand, have him in control; may have him in his carriage or in a box, and have him under control without a leash; the owner may carry his dog in his arms and have him under control.

"The municipality, however, singled out one method only of keeping a dog in control and required this method to be adopted.

"I think that had not the authority to do this. If the statute itself had required dogs to be kept in control, any other method of control besides that by leash would be sufficient.

"The conviction, therefore, will be quashed. No costs."

THE BROOKLYN HANDICAP

Fitz Herbert Is Favorite for Great
Race at Gravesend This Afternoon.

New York, May 31.—This is Brooklyn handicap day and thousands of turf lovers made their way to an early hour toward the old Gravesend racecourse. Eight of the best horses now in training were carded to face the starters for the handicap event of one mile and a quarter for three-year-olds and upwards.

Midsummer showers early today only served to allay the dust on the racing lane and there was a promise of a good track.

Fitz Herbert, owned by Sam Hildreth, with Jockey Dugan up, was the strong favorite in the betting. Fitz Herbert was coupled in the betting with Firestone.

The other strong contenders for the event, which has been run annually since 1887 are Fashion Plate, Prince Imperial, Dinna Ken and Otamabata.

San Francisco, May 31.—Deprecating the wearing of the queue, certain Chinese of the Pacific coast are asking the Emperor to be allowed to discard the trailing appendage. They also would like to discard flowing robes of the fowery kingdom and conform their dress exclusively to the attire of their adopted land.

To secure the royal permission a memorial has been entrusted to Prince Tsai Tao, Chinese minister of war, for presentation to the throne.

FIRST HALF-HOLIDAY OF THE SUMMER

Many Stores Will Be Closed On
Wednesday Afternoon.

The first Wednesday half-holiday will be observed tomorrow, and in the afternoon a large number of the city stores will be closed. The stores will also close on every Wednesday afternoon during June, July and August.

DOG TAXES POURING IN TO INSPECTOR

Last Day Upon Which Tags Can
Be Secured for Two
Dollars.

Inspector McCallum had a busy day yesterday, collecting no less than \$130 in dog taxes.

Today is the last day on which tags can be secured at the low tariff, the rate being \$3 per dog after the 1st of June.

So far Inspector McCallum has issued 1,806 tags, the receipts being \$2,612. This is \$12 more than was estimated at the beginning of the year.

Another big day is expected today, and when the year closes it is thought that Mr. McCallum will have more than 3,000 dogs on the roll of honor.

LONDON CONFERENCE OPENS AT CHATHAM

Methodist Stationing Committee
Appointed and Reports On
Wednesday.

Chatham, May 31.—The London Methodist Conference opened its sessions in this city yesterday morning. The stationing committee commenced their deliberations at once, but will not have anything official to give out until Wednesday morning.

The committee is composed of the following: Ministers—Rev. Messrs. A. K. Birks, M. A.; George Jewett, Jas. Langstaff, J. E. G. Powell, David Rogers, H. E. Currie, W. Godwin, John Hart, W. J. Ford, L. B. McKibbin, B. A.; J. W. Rigby, E. W. Edwards, B. A.; J. Phillips, M. A.; A. M. Thompson, B. A.; W. G. H. McAllister, M. A.; W. H. Graham, B. A.; S. W. Muxworthy, T. T. George, A. Brown and I. A. McKelvie.

Last night the committee was waited upon by St. Chant and F. W. Wright of St. Thomas, who were a delegation from Grace Church, of that city, asking that their pastor, Rev. Dr. Gundy, be retained to that church as its pastor for the fifth year. This requires special action on the part of the conference, and to do so means that the church be set apart for special missionary work.

The committee gave a patient and sympathetic hearing to the deputation, and it is quite likely that the request will be granted during the present meeting of the conference.

BUILDING PERMIT SHOW SLIGHT FALLING OFF

A Large Number Issued, But Aggregate Value Less Than in 1909.

The demand for building permits during the month now closing was large, but although there were more permits issued, the value was lower than in May of 1909.

During the month 106 permits were granted for a total of \$86,850. For the same period of 1909, there were 95 permits issued for a value of \$88,820, a difference of \$1,970.

There is a falling off for the first five months of the year of \$16,685. During the first five months of 1909 there were 293 permits issued, valued at \$430,420.

For the same period this year there were 385 permits issued for a value of \$413,365.

The building trades show encouragement. City Architect Nutter is quite satisfied with conditions.

AIRSHIP FLIGHT NEW YORK-CHICAGO

Chicago, May 31.—Chicago aviators are enthusiastic over the proposed aeroplane flight from New York to Chicago. Several have expressed their willingness to raise the rest of \$25,000 prize, \$2,000 of which has been pledged by Charles K. Hamilton, who suggested the undertaking.

Edward E. Herbert, president of the Aeroplane Club, and James E. Plev, president of the Aero Club of Illinois, said there was not the slightest doubt that Hamilton's proposal could succeed as far as the prize was concerned.

CURED OF LAME BACK WHEN 84 YEARS OLD

GIN PILLS DID IT.

Anyone, seeing Mr. Samuel Martin, of Stratford, Ont., for the first time, would guess his age at about 60 years, instead of 84. He is as spry on his feet as a cat and is the picture of health.

It is hard to believe that Mr. Martin passed 20 years of his life in misadventure, tortures from lame back. He tried nearly all the advertised remedies and household recipes, but received no benefit from any of them.

ALD. RICHTER WILL MOVE AN AMENDMENT

Will Ask That a Change Be
Made in Regard to Local
Improvements.

At a conference of the chairmen of the spending bodies of the city called for this evening, Ald. Richter will read four papers on the results of his investigations into civic affairs, dealing particularly with the question of local improvements.

As pointed out some time ago, he will recommend that one-third the cost of all improvements from lawn to lawn be paid by the city, while the rest is divided equally among the property owners.

This, it is thought, will work out more advantageously than the present system, which has resulted in piling up rather a cumbersome local improvement debt.

A lengthy discussion will probably ensue, and a recommendation be sent to the council in reference to it.

DR. HUTCHINSON SAYS CITY'S HEALTH GOOD

Despite Slight Outbreak of Scarlet
Fever and Diphtheria.

The health of the city continues satisfactory, although there is a considerable outbreak of scarlet fever and diphtheria among the children.

During the month 29 cases of scarlet fever have been reported, together with eight cases of diphtheria.

The epidemic is gradually working itself out, said Dr. Hutchinson, chief health officer. "The worst is over. There have been but two cases of typhoid fever registered in London in a year and a half. In 1909 there were two cases reported, and this year there have been none. This is a remarkable record, and places London in a most enviable position. The cities are few in number that can point to so good a record."

During the month there was one death from scarlet fever and one from diphtheria.

THE FISHERIES ISSUE LAUNCHED TOMORROW

The British-American Arbitration
to Open Before Hague
Tribunal.

[Associated Press Cable.]
The Hague, May 31.—The arbitration tribunal, before which will be tried the issue between Great Britain and the United States, grown out of conflicting interpretations of the Newfoundland fisheries treaty of 1818, will hold its opening session at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

The bone of contention now carried to The Hague is the intent of the provisions of the article of the British-American treaty of 1818, defining the fishing rights of Canadians and Americans off the west coast of Newfoundland. Newfoundland holds that the right to fish in these waters was granted to the inhabitants of the United States only. The United States contends that its inhabitants may exercise this right by going there in their own vessels, with crews of Swedes, Canadians or Newfoundlanders. The right of fishing "to the coast" the United States interprets as including the bays, harbors and creeks. Newfoundland maintains that Americans may fish only outside the coast line proper. The further subsidiary points in dispute.

POLICE AND TROOPS IN FIERCE BATTLE

Clubbing to Death of a Private Led
to Savage Affray.

Cheyenne, Wyo., May 31.—Soldiers from Fort D. A. Russell and a squad of police fought a pitched battle on the streets last night, in which three soldiers are said to have been wounded by the bullets of the police. The police were forced to retreat to the station house, where they were besieged by the soldiers until released by a detail of colored troops from the fort. The wounded soldiers were hurried away by their friends. No arrests were made. The trouble grew out of the death of Private Frank Carroll, 200th Cavalry, who, it was alleged, was clubbed to death by a policeman while under arrest.

ACTOR LAWFORD WEDS

Gets \$75,000 a Year Under Deceased
Sweetheart's Will.

London, May 31.—Ernest Lawford, the actor, a member of Charles Froman's company, was married at the registry office in Covent Garden today to Jennie Douglas Slater, who supported Fannie Ward, during the latter New York engagement. The couple arrived at the registry office in an automobile covered with flowers, which had been provided by T. L. Barrett and the Lambs Club. They will spend their honeymoon on an automobile trip.

Mr. Lawford inherited the income of \$75,000 a year under the will of Mrs. Joseph N. Osborn, who died in New York about two years ago. It was announced after the death of Mrs. Osborn that she had been engaged to Mr. Lawford, and that all arrangements for the wedding had been made when she was seized with her fatal illness.

KAISER MISSED REVIEW.
Potsdam, May 31.—For the first time in his reign the Emperor failed to attend the annual review of the kaiser's army. Crown Prince Frederick William took the place of his father. The review was accompanied by Empress Augusta Victoria, King Albert and Queen Elizabeth of Belgium, Prince Tsai Tao, brother of the Prince Regent of China, and Margrave San Giuliano, the Italian foreign minister.

FELL FROM DOCK.
Midland, Ont., May 31.—An affair occurred here last night about 11 o'clock when George Baker, a grocer, lost his life by falling off the dock into the bay. No one was near at the time, but it is supposed Baker was walking along the dock and the night being dark got too close to the edge. The body was recovered this morning. Baker leaves a wife and large family.

ROOSEVELT TALKS PLAIN TO J. BULL

Advices Great Britain to Continue
Ruling Egyptians.

OR VACATE COUNTRY
Denounces the Nationalist Party of
Khedive's Land as a Murderous
Association.

[Associated Press Cable.]

London, May 31.—Theodore Roosevelt was today presented with the freedom of the city of London, and he accepted the honor with a liberalism that led him into a frankness of speech that created a sensation at the old Guild Hall.

As the former head of a country that once paid tribute to Great Britain, Mr. Roosevelt gave the motherland some bold advice as to her duty toward the most troublesome dependency in Africa. It was, he said, either right or not right, for Great Britain to be in Egypt and establish order there. If it was not right, she should get out.

Mr. Roosevelt eulogized British rule in the Sudan. He also said that Great Britain had given Egypt the best government that the country had in two thousand years. But, in certain vital points it had erred, he said, might cause more harm than violence and injustice.

"Sentimentality," he added, "is the most broken reed upon which righteousness can lean."

"The English," he denounced the Nationalist party of Egypt as neither a serious nor capable of guaranteeing primary justice. It was trying to bring murderous chaos upon the land.

As a whole, the speech constituted the most forcible exposition on foreign topics that the distinguished visitor has made during his European tour. He dealt principally with the British policy in Egypt, which is today one of the most discussed and controversial questions. His outspoken views were listened attentively to by one thousand auditors.

Mr. Roosevelt was driven in state from Ambassador Buxton's home to Guild Hall, but the weather was so inclement and comparatively few persons witnessed the proceedings. Rain fell throughout the morning, keeping most people away from the ceremony.

The former president occupied the lord mayor's coach, and this was followed by the coaches of the sheriff, who wore their uniforms of office.

Mr. Roosevelt conveyed to Mr. Roosevelt the freedom of the city, contained in a beautiful gold casket. The presentation was made by Sir Joseph Cockfield Dimsdale, the city clerk, who, extending his hand to the city, said: "Sir Joseph, dwell particularly upon Great Britain's friendship towards the United States."

Following the exercises, Sir John Dimsdale, the lord mayor of London, entertained Mr. Roosevelt at a private luncheon, at which many prominent personages were present.

EX-ALD. GERRY SPEAKS OF THE FLATS MATTER

Says No Definite Proposition Has Been
Made to Him.

"I do not want to sell," said ex-Ald. William Gerry, when asked regarding the Gerry flats sale. "The land is worth much to me, and I have no desire to sell whatever it is. I do not think I have been standing in the way of the deal. I have never received a bona fide offer for the property. Mr. Judd came to me some months ago and asked me if I would give him a back first chance on the flats. Of course, I agreed. It makes no difference to me whether I sell or not. Not an offer has been made me, and I cannot understand why he has been waiting. In such a position before the citizens."

SHOT BY A POLICEMAN

Philadelphia Officer Draws Revolver
After Terrible Beating by Crowd.

Philadelphia, May 31.—James O'Neill, 27 years old, was shot and killed by John O'Rourke, a policeman, in the city during an encounter today between the policeman and a boisterous crowd of young men, whether by one of the party or a passerby is not known.

O'Neill was badly beaten, and while lying on the sidewalk he drew his revolver and fired at his assailants. The crowd dispersed and other policemen, attracted by the noise, arrived. O'Rourke and O'Neill on the sidewalk. Both were sent to a hospital, where it was found that O'Neill was dead and the policeman in a serious condition from the beating he had received.

OFF TO CONFERENCE.
New York, May 31.—Bound for the International Missionary Conference, which will meet at Edinburgh, Scotland, on June 4, between 400 and 500 delegates sailed today from New York. Altogether there will be about 1,000 Americans at the conference, half of them regularly accredited delegates, and the others alternates. All the delegates pay their own way. Each denomination has a representation in the conference proportionate to its membership.

Pain in Back or Side.
It is awfully hard to reach. Deep in the tissue is a congested or strained muscle. It is a long way for a liniment to go. Liniments you have used have not reached it, and the pain bothers you whether moving or lying down. What a pity you haven't tried Nervine. Penetrating? you ask. Yes, and powerful, too. Nervine strikes in far deeper than any application you have ever used. You might pay a dollar, ten dollars, a hundred for that matter, but you could not equal Nervine, either in strength, quickness of action, or reliability. Nervine is sold by druggists, 25c. and 50c. bottles.

Soldier Leaps From Wabash Car

St. Thomas, May 30.—Frank J. Conley, of the Fourth Infantry, United States Army, leaped through a window of a coach of a Wabash passenger train No. 4, about 10 miles west of this place this morning and disappeared. The train was running 60 miles an hour, when the soldier smashed the glass of the car window and jumped into the darkness.

The train was stopped and a search by the train crew made for the missing passenger. All that could be found was papers bearing his name that had fallen from his pockets. Tonight, however, the man was found, badly injured, in a farmers barn, and is now in the city hospital. It is thought he is demented.

BANK CLEARINGS SHOW AN INCREASE IN LONDON

Jump of 7.7 Per Cent Is Noted
in This City for the
Past Week.

The bank clearings for the last week show an increase of 7.7 per cent, over those of the same week last year. The figures in the different cities for the week are as follows:

New York	\$1,670,323,000	Inc. 1.9
Chicago	259,451,000	4.8
Boston	136,995,000	2.3
Philadelphia	131,141,000	8.9
St. Louis	68,750,000	14.8
Kansas City	46,429,000	16.1
Pittsburg	51,139,000	13.4
San Francisco	40,429,000	24.7
Buffalo	8,975,000	1.5
Albany	5,603,000	2.5
Rochester	3,399,000	5.8
Syracuse	2,174,000	21.1
Montreal	28,129,000	19.9
Toronto	21,332,000	9.5
Winnipeg	12,656,000	20.4
Vancouver, B. C.	6,772,000	42.8
Ottawa	2,767,000	5.4
Quebec	1,933,000	5.6
Calgary	2,589,000	6.3
Edmonton	2,130,000	35.8
Hamilton	1,598,000	32.6
St. John, N. B.	1,469,000	34.5
Victoria, B. C.	1,763,000	75.0
London, Ont.	978,000	7.7
Edmonton	944,000	12.6
Regina	587,000	

PEONAGE IN CANADA

Farmer Said to Have Sold Laborer's
Services to a Michigan Man.

[G. N. W. Dispatch.]
Port Huron, Mich., May 31.—That a system of peonage is operated to certain extent in Canada, was disclosed when the immigration inspectors at the Tunnel depot held up George Crowley, 20 years old, who was en route for Flint to assist in the beet field. According to the story told by the officials, Crowley entered into a contract to work for a farmer in Canada for a term of three years, two of which he had served, at the wage of \$15 per year and his board, when the farmer secured employment for him at Flint, for which the farmer was to receive \$2 a day, while young Crowley was to continue to get but \$75 a year for his work. The immigration officials sent the young man back to Canada and they will have an investigation of the case made.

CHARGED WITH ABDUCTION

Roy Robson, a Commercial Traveller,
Committed to Trial.

Toronto, May 31.—Roy Robson, a commercial traveller, was committed for trial by Magistrate Denison yesterday morning on a charge of abducting sixteen-year-old Margaret Stewart, a daughter of a Mr. T. C. Robinson, K. C. counsel for the defendant, claimed there was no corroboration of the evidence, but his worship thought otherwise.

The young woman said that after she had disclosed her condition to the defendant's parents they took her to Port Huron, and afterwards bought her a ticket for Detroit, sending her on her own dollar in her pocket. Upon reaching there she went to the Salvation Army, who cared for her. After learning the circumstances of her case they reported the matter to the authorities, and she was deported to Canada.

Robson was taken to Whitby last night by Detective Newton to be tried there, as the offense is alleged to have been committed in the county of Ontario.

JOHN STOUGHTON DEAD

Built the Original Victoria Bridge at
City of Montreal.

[G. N. W. Dispatch.]
Detroit, May 31.—John W. Stoughton, 67 years old, famous as the builder of Canada's greatest and most artistic bridge, died at his home here, at 10 St. Lawrence River at Montreal, is dead at his home here of apoplexy. Mr. Stoughton was erection superintendent of the Dominion Bridge Company of Waukegan, Ill. He had supervised the erection of the majority of bridges both on this side and on the Canadian side, of the water passes that separate the United States from the Dominion.

Mr. Stoughton recently returned from Victoria, B. C., where he had been planning and constructing bridge-work. He was about to retire from active business, and several months ago purchased a large farm between Birmingham and Pontiac.

THE LONDON PAGEANT

One Hundred Thousand Persons Pre-
paring for the Great Spectacle.

London, May 31.—It has been computed at the offices of the Festival of Empire that 100,000 men and women have in various ways been preparing for the pageant at London, which was to have been the central attraction of the festival now postponed until next year owing to the death of King Edward. The number of people actually thrown out of employment is estimated at 1,000.

At the beginning of this year a staff of forty clerks was at work; and the costumes making and scene painting were begun. Week by week the number of scene painters was increased until just before the King's death there were 200 expert needlewomen piecing together costumes which ranged in value from \$250 to \$150.

Meanwhile a grand stand costing \$50,000 had been erected at the Crystal Palace, and scores of scene painters labored upon the 10,000 square yards of scenery which was to form the stage settings for the various episodes. The lake was spanned by a facsimile of old London Bridge, no mere theatrical structure either, for over 500 heavily mounted horses would have to pass.

More than 150 South Africans and 100 Canadians besides many men and

women from New Zealand and Australia had arrived in England for the sole purpose of representing their countries at this festival.

The venture was insured against the death of the King for a sum not far short of \$100,000, but in addition to the insurance, they have had to pay for the occupation of the Crystal Palace till July 30, the guarantors have many staff and advertising contracts to satisfy. The bookings for the pageant had already reached more than \$15,000.

GOVERNMENT TO BECOME A MONEYLENDER

Austrian War Office to Take
Care of Soldiers Hopelessly
in Debt.

Vienna, May 31.—When the Emperor Francis Joseph celebrates his 80th birthday next August, the Austrian government will become a military moneylender. It had to do something, for eighty per cent of the officers in the Austrian army are in the clutches of Shylock, and few of them can capture rich wives now.

Not that Austrian officers are unduly spendthrift. Their pay is small, their rules strict as to the dignity of their maintenance, and only a fraction of them have any private means.

Probably 18,000 officers are familiar with demand notes for unpaid accounts, with constantly mounting interest. And nobody can say it is their own fault in most cases, for hard necessity drives them to the leeches who lend at usury. For an Austrian lieutenant only gets \$350 a year, an upper-lieutenant \$425, a junior captain \$500, and a senior captain \$625. To reach that level the senior captain has to wait 17 years, and before he attains that rank, with an income of \$850, he must wait seven years more.

And Austria is an expensive country to live in. Strict rules are laid down for the habits of officers. They must not eat at inferior restaurants, go to the galleries of theaters, use the third class on the railway, or ride in a one horse cab. So the time has come in the career of hundreds of officers when they have been denounced by the Shylocks of their commanding officers. After that they have been allowed a brief time in which to pay their debts. If a frenzied search for a wife with a dowry of at least \$12,500 failed—as it often has—the officer resigned or shot himself.

Some will be in trouble even with this government help, for the allowances to be made are strictly limited. But aid given is expected to take the hopes of thousands of them. Low interest will be charged, and the transactions will be secret, but a lieutenant only be able to draw \$625, an upper-lieutenant \$1,000 and a captain \$1,600.

Where does the money come from? For 44 years there has hardly been a breath in the peace of the country. But all that time the military has been originally to help soldiers wounded on active service—have been accumulating. So now these accumulations are to heal the pocket wounds of officers who have been on the verge of financial disaster.

FIRE AT COLLINGWOOD.
Collingwood, Ont., May 31.—Fire broke out at early hour in a building in the large fur store owned

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

OFFERINGS SMALL ON LOCAL MARKET

Bad Weather Kept the Farmers Away From London Today.

BUTTER AND EGGS SCARCE

Potatoes—Were Almost Unobtainable, and the Price is Going Up—The Day's Quotation—

The market was small this morning due to the rain and cold weather. The attendance was very small and very little produce was offered for sale, except by the market gardeners, who were well supplied.

Up to 1 o'clock not a load of hay had been brought in. Today's lack of supply was not caused by any undue scarcity, and more may be expected in before the week is over. Last week's big supply will also tend to lessen the amount brought in this week.

One load of oat straw was sold for \$7 a ton.

Butter Offerings Scarce.

Dairy Hill brought this morning and it was also a very dry day for the wholesale dealers. Only a few small lots of butter were offered. Dairy pound prints sold for 22 cents a pound, and a few cracks at 20 cents a pound.

Practically no eggs were brought in. Prices are very firm at 18 cents for whole lots, and 21 cents retail.

Four loads of grain were delivered this morning. A small load of oats of good quality went for \$1.30. Two light loads went for \$1.15 to \$1.25. One load of wheat sold for \$1.15 a bushel. Wheat is firm at this price.

Very little dressed pork was offered, and \$12.50 a cwt. was the prevailing price.

Veal Quotations.

The butchers are paying \$9.50 a cwt. for good calves. Veal quotations range all the way from \$7 to \$9.50.

Potatoes were scarce, only a few loads being offered. The price is gradually going up, and they are quoted at 70 cents a bag this morning.

The garden produce being brought in by the market gardeners this morning is of surprising quality. This is attributed to the fine growing weather experienced during the past few weeks. Everything looks fresh and well. As all the produce this morning's prices were: Rhubarb, 30 to 40 cents a dozen; radishes, 20 to 40 cents; asparagus, 75 cents; lettuce, 20 to 40 cents; green onions, 25 to 30 cents; spinach, 40 cents a bushel.

Following are quotations:

Grain Per Cwt.	Oats, per cwt.	Barley, per cwt.
Hay, per ton	1.15 to 1.18	1.15 to 1.18
Straw, per ton	1.15 to 1.18	1.15 to 1.18

Dairy Produce

Butter, per lb.	Eggs, per doz.	Poultry, per lb.
18 to 20	12 to 15	12 to 15
18 to 20	12 to 15	12 to 15
18 to 20	12 to 15	12 to 15

Poultry, Dressed

Old fowl, per lb.	Young fowl, per lb.	Spring chickens, per lb.
12 to 15	12 to 15	12 to 15
12 to 15	12 to 15	12 to 15
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Poultry, Alive

Old fowl, per lb.	Young fowl, per lb.	Spring chickens, per lb.
12 to 15	12 to 15	12 to 15
12 to 15	12 to 15	12 to 15
12 to 15	12 to 15	12 to 15

Butcher's Meats

Beef, per cwt.	Mutton, per cwt.	Pork, per cwt.
10 to 12	10 to 12	10 to 12
10 to 12	10 to 12	10 to 12
10 to 12	10 to 12	10 to 12

Live Stock

Sheep, per cwt.	Cattle, per cwt.	Hogs, per cwt.
10 to 12	10 to 12	10 to 12
10 to 12	10 to 12	10 to 12
10 to 12	10 to 12	10 to 12

Hides and Woools

Wool, per lb.	Hides, per lb.	Skinner, per lb.
10 to 12	10 to 12	10 to 12
10 to 12	10 to 12	10 to 12
10 to 12	10 to 12	10 to 12

Seeds

Potatoes, per bag	Vegetables, per bag	Apples, per bushel
10 to 12	10 to 12	10 to 12
10 to 12	10 to 12	10 to 12
10 to 12	10 to 12	10 to 12

PRODUCE.—The grain market continues soft. There is little local demand for wheat, and the export trade has fallen off altogether. Business is slow. Ontario wheat, No. 2 mixed winter wheat, 90c to 95c outside; Manitoba wheat, No. 1 northern, 92½c; No. 2 northern 90½c at lake ports for import.

mediate shipment. Corn—American, No. 2, 67c; No. 3 yellow, 67½c; No. 4 yellow, 67½c; Canadian corn, 60c to 61c; Oats—Canada western No. 2, 33c to 34c; No. 3 white 32c to 33c; No. 4 white 31c to 32c; No. 5 white 30c to 31c; No. 6 white 29c to 30c; No. 7 white 28c to 29c; No. 8 white 27c to 28c; No. 9 white 26c to 27c; No. 10 white 25c to 26c; No. 11 white 24c to 25c; No. 12 white 23c to 24c; No. 13 white 22c to 23c; No. 14 white 21c to 22c; No. 15 white 20c to 21c; No. 16 white 19c to 20c; No. 17 white 18c to 19c; No. 18 white 17c to 18c; No. 19 white 16c to 17c; No. 20 white 15c to 16c; No. 21 white 14c to 15c; No. 22 white 13c to 14c; No. 23 white 12c to 13c; No. 24 white 11c to 12c; No. 25 white 10c to 11c; No. 26 white 9c to 10c; No. 27 white 8c to 9c; No. 28 white 7c to 8c; No. 29 white 6c to 7c; No. 30 white 5c to 6c; No. 31 white 4c to 5c; No. 32 white 3c to 4c; No. 33 white 2c to 3c; No. 34 white 1c to 2c; No. 35 white 0c to 1c; No. 36 white 0c to 1c; No. 37 white 0c to 1c; No. 38 white 0c to 1c; 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Invitations Received. Messrs. Thomas Knott, P. Walsh, J. A. Sutherland, William Bernard and L. Meredith, of this city, have received invitations to attend the annual convention of the National Association of Real Estate Exchanges to be held in Minneapolis and St. Paul on June 15, 16 and 17, and in Duluth on June 18. The London men have not yet decided whether or not they will go.

Petrolia Lady Dead. Mrs. Jeannette Wood, relict of the late William Wood, died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. John D. McVicar, of Petrolia, on May 20, after a short illness, of heart failure. She is survived by one daughter and three sons, Mrs. John McVicar, of Petrolia; John, of this city; Thomas, of Flint, Mich.; and Hyslop, of Detroit; and three brothers and one sister, James McNeil, of Lansing, Mich.; John McNeil, of Colling, Mich.; Alex. McNeil, of Melbourne, and Mrs. Marjory McNeil, of Duluth, Minn. The funeral was held at Ivan.

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MERCURY IS HOVERING AROUND 40 MARK

Rather Cool Weather for the Month of May.

The weatherman is indulging in another of his pranks and once more London is shivering, while the mercury hovers around the 40 mark. Arctic winds and lowering skies are incidental to the visitation. The temperature dropped to 38.5 last night, and prospects for immediate warmer weather are but small. Cool, westerly winds, with local showers, is the welcome information handed out by the weather bureau.

EMPLOYERS AND MEN HAVE COME TO TERMS

There Will Be No Strike of the Bricklayers On Wednesday.

Meetings of the master bricklayers of the city and of the arbitration committee of the union bricklayers were held last night and the master bricklayers asked the men to work along under the present schedule for another year, as building conditions in the city are such that they do not warrant entering into a three-year agreement, raising each year until a maximum scale of 50 cents an hour is reached.

No Strike. The committee decided to acquiesce in the request and no strike will be called tomorrow.

For some time the master bricklayers have been trying to get the master bricklayers to agree to a new schedule.

The present scale is 45 cents an hour, and they asked that the wage be raised to 47 cents this year and in proportion each year for three years until 50 cents an hour was reached.

APPOINTMENT OF MISS HOTSON Miss Maud Hotson, a former kindergarten director, of this city, who resigned when double sessions were instituted in the city schools, has just been appointed a lecturer by Mr. Putnam, who has charge of the Women's Institutes of the Province of Ontario. Miss Hotson will address the Women's Institutes of Prince Edward County, Haldimand and East York, on "The Care and Training of Children."

BUILDERS TO PAY FOR WATER IN ADVANCE

Water Commissioners Have Been Beat Out of Much Money in the Past.

The water commissioners are after for some time it has been the custom of contractors to apply for water to be used in the construction of buildings, and it has been turned on.

Of late, a large number have refused or neglected to pay the rates. Now this water will be turned on, nor the building permit issued, until the water rates have been paid. "We have always collected after the building was finished," said Secretary of the Ellwood Water Company, "but that has not worked satisfactorily, and now we are going to get the money first. We have arranged so that no building permit will be issued until the water is paid for."

REV. DR. TEASDALE'S WORK BROUGHT TO CLOSE

Aged Clergyman Died Today After a Long Illness.

After an illness extending over some weeks, Rev. Dr. Teasdale, formerly assistant pastor at the Dundas Centre Methodist Church, died at 1:30 this morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Letteney, 379 Maitland street.

Dr. Teasdale had been critically ill for some days, and his death had been expected at any time. He was suffering from a general breakdown. The late Dr. Teasdale was particularly well known throughout the Maritime Provinces, where he worked for many years, and where he won the reputation of being one of the foremost Methodist preachers. For seven years he was in the city of Halifax, and later preached in St. John, N. B., for three years. He had also held pastorate in Fredericton, N. B., and at Yarmouth, N. S. About ten years ago he was forced to give up his pastorate at Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, owing to ill health and upon his retirement was superannuated. Five years ago he came to London and took an active interest in the work of the Dundas Centre Church, for the last year and a half Dr. Teasdale had been in failing health. Last year he started on a trip to the west intending to visit a daughter there, but ill health caused him to give up the intended visit. Since Christmas of last year his condition grew steadily worse, and he became so weak that an operation that the physicians intended to perform was not attempted.

Dr. Teasdale was 73 years old, and had been preaching continuously for 48 years, and in that time had preached throughout Western Ontario and the Maritimes. Besides his wife, Dr. Teasdale is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Letteney, of this city, with whom he resided; Mrs. (Rev.) David Fleming, of Dauphin, Man., and Mrs. R. Mills, of Milton. Mr. and Mrs. Teasdale would have celebrated their golden wedding in another year.

FOURTEEN YOUNG MEN WILL BE ORDAINED

Service Will Be Conducted in St. Paul's by His Lordship Bishop Williams.

At St. Paul's Cathedral on Sunday morning next eight young men of Huron College will be ordained by His Lordship Bishop Williams as deacons and six as priests. The candidates for the order of deacons will be A. G. Clarke, who goes to St. James' Episcopal Church, South London, as assistant to Very Rev. Dean Davis; R. W. James, Alex. G. Currie, who goes to St. George's, St. Catharines; Harry B. Ashby, E. H. Heaven, Joseph Tully and A. E. Taylor. Mr. Taylor is a graduate of Wycliffe College, and his home is in Peterboro, but he will be ordained as a priest at St. James' Church, South London. Rev. John Morris, formerly assistant at the Memorial Church, who goes to Leamington, and Rev. W. H. Hutton, of Thorndale, will be ordained as priests. Rev. Walter E. Hawkins, of Dutton; Rev. John Morris, formerly assistant at the Memorial Church, who goes to Leamington, and Rev. W. H. Hutton, of Thorndale, will be ordained as priests.

W. G. Blackwell and Charles C. Brett, of Huron College, leave Thursday for the Yukon. Mr. Brett will be ordained at White Horse on June 19, and will work in the Teslin Lake district, and Mr. Blackwell goes to Dawson City, where he will be ordained.

TRIAL TRIP OF NEW STEAMER ROCHESTER

On Saturday last the new steamer Rochester, of the Canadian Navigation Company of the United States, sailed on her trial trip from the Detroit Shipbuilding Yards. The Rochester is a model of marine architecture and design, and for her beautiful lines and spacious accommodations. Ascending by the main staircase the main saloon is reached, both sides of which are taken up with staterooms, many fitted with brass beds with bath and toilet rooms. At the bow and stern are large open decks. The gallery tier of staterooms is arranged in the same way as the main saloon, and above this are found the ladies' parlor, buffet and smoking room. The ladies' room is beautifully decorated in cream and pink, in art nouveau style. The smoking room is paneled in oak. Both rooms have large windows, affording an unobstructed view of the scenery.

The decorations of the entire steamer are original and harmonious, having been designed by Louis Kiel, of the Detroit Shipbuilding Company. The lighting is most artistic, all the fixtures being especially designed to blend with the architectural features. A quietude was entered on board and most enjoyable time was spent. Among those present were Mr. Thos. Henry, traffic manager; H. M. Molson, C. J. Smith, general manager; P. Percy Smith, secretary; H. Foster, chief assistant general passenger agent, and Mr. Hugh D. Paterson, travelling passenger agent, and also about one hundred and fifty of the transportation agents from the various parts of the United States and Canada. A most enjoyable time was spent. Mr. F. B. Clarke, ticket agent, for the Rochester and Ontario Navigation, London, Ont., was also one of the guests.

RAINFALL IN MAY WAS VERY LIGHT

Only 2.67 Inches Fell During the Present Month.

The monthly weather report shows that May, 1910, differed in many respects from May of 1909.

May of this year will not go down in history as a particularly warm or cold month, but it is somewhat unique in that only 2.67 inches of rainfall were experienced, almost an inch less than last year, and over two inches less than 1908. The figures for 1909 are 3.61, and for 1908, 4.74.

The temperature did not perform any aerial stunts and fell five and a half degrees short of last year's highest mark in the month of May. On the 21st the highest point was reached at 78.5, compared with 84 last year. On the 15th the lowest point was recorded, 27. Last year's lowest was one of 29.

The month throughout has been one of changes. First a spell of cold weather, then a period of warm weather following each other in regular rotation.

PLEADED GUILTY TO STEALING A WATCH

William Nicholls Taken Into Custody by Detective Harry Down.

Wm. Nicholls, a gent without any settled place of abode, was arrested by Detective Down in the Clyde Hotel last night on a charge of stealing a watch valued at \$12.50 from Thomas Bailey, a resident of Wilton Grove.

Nicholls admitted the theft and was remanded for a week for sentence. He has appeared several times recently for being drunk.

It is stated that Baily was in a somewhat inebriated condition, and that Nicholls walked up to him and abstracted the watch when he wasn't looking.

Ford Martin, charged with immoderate driving, was fined \$1.

Timothy McInnes, a sidewalk scorcher, paid \$1.

Edward Wild, Arthur Hall, George Hawkins, G. Bewarick and John Curnoe each paid \$1 for allowing their dogs out without muzzles.

DELIVERY BUGGY WAS SMASHED BY A CAR

H. O'Neil Drove His Horse in Front of a Trolley On Central Avenue.

While driving across the London street railway tracks on Central avenue at the corner of Waterloo street yesterday afternoon at 4:45 o'clock, Mr. H. O'Neil, driver for the Free Press, was struck by Belt line car No. 68, and the rig badly smashed. Mr. O'Neil's escape from death was remarkable.

He was delivering bundles of papers at the grocery stores on his route. Along Central avenue he drove side by side with Belt line car No. 68, in charge of Motorman Livermore. O'Neil was seated in a buggy, which had the side curtains up, making it difficult for him to see. He threw out a bundle of papers at Burton's store, and without warning drove right in front of the car.

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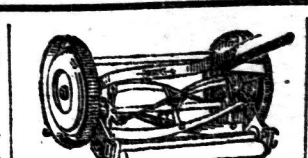


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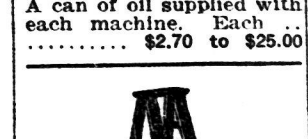


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