

West Middlesex Election Set For February 20th

February 13 Nomination Day—
Whitney Questioned as to
Redistribution.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Jan. 31.—In the Legislature yesterday the Speaker read a return showing the riding of West Middlesex to be vacant.

"When will the writ issue?" asked Mr. Graham.

"Forthwith," answered the Attorney-General.

"What does forthwith mean?" pursued the leader of the Opposition.

"This afternoon," said the Premier.

Later, at a meeting of the cabinet, Wednesday, Feb. 13, was set as nomination day, and Wednesday, Feb. 20, for the polling. The registrar will act as returning officer.

Hoyle After Information.

Mr. Hoyle (North Ontario) moved for an order of the House for a return giving the following information regarding the Toronto Electric Light Company, Limited: 1. Date of incorporation. 2. Applicants for incorporation. 3. Objects of the company. 4. Names of the provisional directors. 5. Amount of capital. 6. Increases of capital stock. 7. Names of the directors and shareholders of the company, according to the last return to the Government.

Mr. Hoyle said that the application of the Toronto Electric Light Company to increase its capital stock by \$1,000,000 opened up a question which affected not only the city of Toronto, but the whole Province. The application should not be granted without full consideration. In view of the growing tendency towards public ownership on both sides of the House, and also in view of the power legislation of the Government, it was questionable whether the increase should be granted at all. This company, which started with \$200,000 capital, had by five or six applications had it increased to \$300,000. The stock was now quoted at 161, which, if the capital were increased, would represent a total capital of \$440,000. Mr. Hoyle contended that the Government should not further increase the price which the municipality would have to pay for stock and plant in case of expropriation or purchase. The information asked for, said Mr. Hoyle, would be of great value to the special committee which would have in hand the Government's companies act. Mr. Hoyle thought that while the act provided against "melon-cutting," a couple of clauses would have to be added to safeguard the rights of municipalities where public utilities were taken over.

The order was passed.

Veterans' Land Grants.

Hon. Mr. Cochrane, replying to Mr. Preston (Brant), said it was not the intention of the Government to permit persons who had already located lands under the veterans' land grant act to surrender the same for the cash equivalent of \$50, offered to those who have not yet located.

Replying to the same member's question as to whether there would be a redistribution measure this session, the Premier said the Government had not yet considered the question.

Mr. Smellie will on Friday next introduce a bill to amend the registry act.

Teh House adjourned at 4 o'clock.

FRENCH CABINET MINISTERS CLASH OVER CHURCH COMPROMISE OFFER

Clemenceau Insists It Is Unacceptable, Briand Is For Conciliation.

Paris, Jan. 31.—The existence of the cabinet is believed to be in danger as a result of the clash in the Chamber of Deputies last night between Premier Clemenceau and Education Minister Briand, resulting from a radical divergence of views regarding the modus vivendi proposition of the French bishops.

M. Briand regards the proposition as being unacceptable in its present form, but believes that the war with the church has gone far enough, and that the door of conciliation should not be closed.

Clemenceau flatly rejects even the discussion of the bishops' proposition, and favors the immediate issuance of a circular to the prefects, notifying them that the conditions which the parish priests are authorized to propose, are unacceptable. He will brook no opposition, and at today's cabinet meeting apparently carried his point. M. Briand and Finance Minister Cailaux being authorized to determine to whom the gifts and legacies in possession of the churches shall ultimately go, in default of the formation of cultural associations.

NOT GUILTY

Pittsburg, Jan. 31.—The jury in the case of Lieut. Ralph W. Drury and Pte. John Dowd, U. S. A., charged with the murder of Wm. H. Crowley, a boy who was shot while trying to escape from soldiers after he and other boys had been surprised in a prank on Government property, today returned a verdict of not guilty. Dowd fired the shot that killed Crowley on the order of Drury.

EDWARD FOR PARIS

His Majesty's Visit May Lead to a Military Convention.

London, Jan. 31.—King Edward and Queen Alexandra are to spend a week in Paris before the opening of Parliament. Their majesties start Feb. 2, returning probably Feb. 9. The trip is described officially as purely personal, and private. It is, however, recalled that the previous visits of King Edward to Paris have been followed by the strengthening of the Anglo-French understanding, and the general impression is that the present visit will assist in the extension of the understanding, which some officials believe will ultimately result in an Anglo-French military convention.

NEAR \$6,000,000 MARK

Clearing House Returns for January Reach a Big Total.

The London clearing house returns continue to show a very substantial increase over the figures for 1906.

During the week ended today the clearings totaled \$990,050, as against \$872,943 for the corresponding week a year ago, showing an advance of \$117,107.

For the month of January, the returns of the clearing house amounted to \$5,772,893, a weekly average of \$1,443,225. January was one of the largest, if not the largest month in the history of the clearing house.

NEW MASTER OF TRANSPORTATION NAMED FOR MIDDLE DIVISION

Mr. David Crombie, of Chatham, Succeeds Mr. S. Ennes—Is an Old G. T. R. Employee.

Mr. W. G. Brownlee, superintendent of the middle division of the Grand Trunk, was in the city for a short time this morning, and he announced the appointment of Mr. David Crombie, of Chatham, as master of transportation here, to succeed Mr. S. Ennes, who has been transferred to Ottawa to take the position of assistant superintendent of the line formerly known as the Canada Atlantic, and which was acquired by the Grand Trunk some time ago.

Mr. Crombie's duties will extend over the entire middle division. The new master of transportation was for a number of years an operator in the Grand Trunk offices here, but left the employ of the company a considerable period since. He was at one time superintendent of car service on the Pere Marquette, both at Saginaw and Detroit, but quit railroading three years ago to engage in business for himself in Chatham.

Mr. Crombie is a brother of Mr. James Crombie, chief dispatcher on the Grand Trunk here, and is said to be a very capable railway man. He will commence his duties in a few days.

NOT ONE MINER ESCAPED DEATH

The Entire Shift of Ninety Men Perished in West Virginia Accident.

Charleston, W. Va., Jan. 31.—The mangled and dismembered bodies of at least 30 of the 90 or more victims of Tuesday's disaster in the Stuart mine near Thurmond, were piled about the foot of the shaft when the rescuing parties reached the mine level last evening. Because of a broken cage, it was impossible then to begin their removal, and only one body was in condition for removal with the bucket that was at first used. Instant death appears to have overcome all the miners, and a thorough investigation will be necessary to determine the exact cause of the disaster. That none of the 90 men, who were in the mine when the disaster occurred, escaped death now seems certain, and the rescuing party is looking for more bodies as they advance.

Sixty coffins have arrived, and an order for 25 more has been given by the mining company. The rescuing parties contrived to work through the night, but the taking of bodies from the mine was delayed until the wrecked mine cage could be repaired. The body of John Quack (white), was taken from the shaft in the bucket. An investigation is being made.

FALSE ALARM FIEND AGAIN

Rings in a Third Call Within a Month, Giving Brigade Dangerous Run.

The individual who for some time past has been amusing himself by sending in false alarms was loose again last night, and at 10 o'clock pulled the box at the corner of William and Hill streets. The apparatus from the central and East London stations responded to the call, only to find the box open and no person in sight.

This is the third time within a month that the same thing has occurred, and the result is the insertion of an advertisement in the papers offering a reward of \$50 to the person who will furnish information that will lead to the conviction of the alleged joker. The last person convicted of the offense of sending in false alarms was sent to the penitentiary for two years, and it is pretty safe to say that no leniency will be shown the party who is giving the firemen so many runs for nothing should he fall into the hands of the law.

In answering the call last night, four pieces of apparatus and the chief's buggy had to cross the Grand Trunk tracks, which only increases the danger, which under ordinary circumstances is great enough, to the department.

During the month of January the firemen responded to 21 alarms, 14 of which were for fires, 2 for chimney blazes, and 5 false alarms. Only 3 of the alarms for fires were from boxes, 15 coming by telephone, and 3 being verbal calls. The most serious blaze was at Trebilcock's Hall, South London, where damage to the extent of nearly \$5,000 was done.

In January, 1906, there were only 8 alarms, while in February there were 7.

MACLEAN AFTER THE PULLMAN CO.

Says They Refuse Canadian Currency and Will Not Put Up Unsold Uppers.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Ottawa, Jan. 31.—At the railway committee today W. F. Maclean's bill to amend the railway act, so as to bring sleeping car companies and telegraph companies under the jurisdiction of the railway act, was under consideration. The bill also provides that the tolls of any standard passenger tariff shall not exceed two cents per mile, and also there should be a free interchange of business with telephone companies, by striking out the word "long distance."

Mr. Maclean wanted to know what lawyers represented the railways. He also wanted to know if the lawyers registered with the clerk of private bills.

Mr. C. Casgrain said that he was present with Mr. McIntosh for the Pullman Car Company. He also represented the Bell Telephone Company.

With Mr. Lafleur and Mr. Geoffroy, Mr. F. H. Chrysler said that he represented the Grand Trunk and the Canadian Pacific Railway.

One of the arguments which Mr. Maclean advanced against the Pullman Company was that it was a foreign organization, and he said they refused the national currency of Canada for a berth. They also put their worst cars in Canada and refused to put up the upper berth when not sold. It was decided to dispose of the Pullman car question and Mr. Casgrain was heard. He said that it would annoy passengers to interfere with the upper berths after the lower ones had been occupied. He wanted smaller committees, before which evidence would be taken to refute the statements made by Mr. Maclean. No reason, he said, was given to show that these companies should be placed under railway jurisdiction.

MINERS' AGENT ELECTED.

London, Jan. 31.—By the greatly reduced majority of 729, W. F. Harvey, the Liberal Labor candidate, who is an agent of the Derbyshire Miners' Union, was elected yesterday to represent the North-East Derbyshire in the House of Commons. The vacancy was caused by the death of Thomas D. Bolton, Liberal, whose majority at the election of 1906, was 1,769. It was a straight Conservative-Liberal fight.

MUNICIPAL FIGURES—No. 21



TAX COLLECTOR HAYES.

TITANIC DEFALCATION

McGee's Stealing Said to Approach Quarter Million Dollars.

Montreal, Que., Jan. 31.—Further investigations into the affairs of W. J. McGee, the defaulting treasurer of the People's Mutual Building Society, reveals the most astounding state of affairs, and it is now estimated that the man's stealings will reach a total of a quarter of a million dollars, a small part of which comes out of the society. The failure of Colin Campbell, the florist, is due to McGee's work, and many other similar cases are reported where McGee succeeded in getting many thousands from individuals. A movement is on foot to get the Attorney-General's department to take the matter up.

HYMEN WAS BUSY

Marked Increase in Marriages This Month Over January, 1906.

During January this year 89 births, 49 marriages and 63 deaths were registered with City Clerk Baker.

In January, 1906, there were 80 births, 28 marriages and 57 deaths, showing an increase for the past month of 9 births, 21 marriages and 6 deaths.

The month did not prove to be very severe on the aged, only nine deaths being recorded of persons over 80 years old. Consumption caused four deaths and pneumonia a like number. Not one death from cancer was reported.

MR. MCGUIGAN HERE

Manager of Grand Trunk in the City for a Short Time This Afternoon.

Manager McGuigan and Superintendent Brownlee, of the Grand Trunk, were in the city for a short time this afternoon en route from Sarnia Tunnel to the east.

While here they had a short talk with City Engineer Graydon, but none of the members of the railway committee of the city council were on hand. It is quite possible that Mr. McGuigan will be here again in the near future, when a date for the reopening of negotiations to elevate the company's tracks through the city will be fixed.

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW—MILDER; SNOW.

Toronto, Jan. 30-8 p.m.—The weather is fine throughout the Dominion, except in British Columbia, where it is raining. The temperatures are quite so low tonight in the Western Provinces, but from Ontario eastward there has been little change.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, 36 below—26 below; Virdia, 36-44; Vancouver, 32-37; Calgary, 25 below-14 below; Edmonton, 30 below-12 below; Winnipeg, 32 below-2 below; Parry Sound, 4 below-8; Toronto, 6-15; Ottawa, zero-6; Montreal, 2-8; Quebec, 4 below-6; St. John, 10-18; Halifax, 4-25.

FORECASTS.

Thursday, Jan. 31-8 a.m.

Today—Easterly winds, with rising temperature.

Friday—Light snowfalls and milder.

TEMPERATURES.

Stations. 8 a.m. Min. Weather. Calgary -12 -18 Fair
Winnipeg -26 -28 Cloudy
Port Arthur 0 -8 Cloudy
Parry Sound 4 -12 Cloudy
Toronto 22 8 Cloudy
Ottawa -10 -14 Cloudy
Montreal -4 6 Fair
Quebec -14 -14 Fair
Father Point -12 -12 Clear
The sign—indicates below zero. The above readings of the thermometer are taken between the hours of 8 p.m. yesterday and 8 a.m. today, "minimum" being the lowest recorded during that time.

WEATHER NOTES.

There are now indications of more moderate temperature in the Western Provinces. The weather is very cold this morning from Eastern Ontario to the Maritime Provinces, 14° below zero being reported from Ottawa and Quebec, and 6° below at Montreal.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the local observatory for the 24 hours ended at 8 p.m. Wednesday were: Highest, 21°; lowest, 6° above.

TORONTO 'PHONE GIRLS WALK OUT; NO INSTRUMENTS WORKING IN CITY

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Jan. 31.—A strike of telephone operators was suddenly precipitated today at noon, when the company asked the girls to sign an agreement accepting new terms, or hand in their resignation. At once 250 girls walked out, leaving only one operator in the room. While this dramatic action was in progress, Manager Dunston was discussing the situation with Deputy Minister of Labor McKenzie King and John Armstrong, secretary of the provincial labor bureau.

The strike was called for Friday morning, but this action on the part of the management precipitated a crisis. There is at present not a 'phone in the city working.

SLICK SWINDLER IF THIS BE TRUE

The Hamilton Police Arrest Man Charged With Gigantic Get-Rich-Quick Fake.

Hamilton, Ont., Jan. 31.—If all that the police say about John A. R. B. MacIntosh is true, the young man has been working a get-rich-quick scheme on a gigantic scale for some time, and has bamboozled a number of people in Hamilton, Toronto, Ottawa and Montreal. MacIntosh was arrested last night and appeared before the police magistrate this morning on a charge of obtaining \$1,600 by false pretenses from Robert Mulligan. Crown Attorney Washington was not ready to go on with the case this morning and the prisoner was released on a week. It is likely that other charges will be preferred in the meantime.

MacIntosh is said to have represented to his clients that he had offices in the four cities above mentioned. He usually goes to each city to invest in stocks, getting them to invest in the amount of the investments later on. The stocks that he claimed to be selling were of the Northern Pacific and Great Northern Railways. He never delivered any stock, merely giving his clients a receipt for their money. When the clients became anxious about their investments he would write them that from some other city, telling them that their investment had netted them enormous profits, and asking whether they wished a check or wanted to reinvest their money. Before they got time to reply to the query they would receive a telegram informing them that the money had been reinvested, the opportunity for making money being so good that he had decided not to take the chance of waiting for an answer.

How far-reaching the young man's operations were is not yet known, but the police claim that he worked his game successfully in at least four Canadian cities and that there will be startling developments before the case is disposed of.

TOO MUCH GLASS

Independent Manufacturers Curtail Output to Keep Up Prices.

Pittsburg, Jan. 31.—The National Brokerage Company, representing all the independent window glass manufacturers of the country, has unanimously agreed to curtail production. Many employees who expected steady work until late in June, will be laid off for several months between early next month and the two months following, and will not again return to work until September.

It is asserted that the market is overstocked and that some curtailment is necessary if present selling prices are to be maintained.

INTEREST IN TOURNAMENT

Big Attendance at the Liberal Club Last Night—The Whist Contest.

Teams representing the old sixth ward (South London) met at Hyman Hall last night and played a game in the Liberal Club whist tournament. The interest which the tournament is arousing was shown by the large attendance. Although the scores made last night were not very high, the play was close. No. 1 team having a lead of only 62 points. The highest individual score was 166, made by W. G. Craig.

The scores:

TEAM NUMBER ONE.			Totals.		
McCormick	136	106	142		
Clark	96	96	158		
Durham	130	98	228		
West	63	124	187		
Craig	120	166	286		
Totals	545	566	1111		

TEAM NUMBER TWO.

Totals.		
Milson	106	144
Treblcock	126	98
Anderson	89	144
Stikins	63	102
Nettelship	85	101
Totals	469	589

Teams representing old No. 1 ward will meet tonight.

There was a record number of participants in the progressive whist match, 32 tables being necessary to accommodate the players. The prizes were donated by the London Crockery Company and the Pardon & Gillespie Hardware Company. First prize went to Mr. D. W. Palmer with a score of plus 26, while the second went to Mr. W. P. Pace, with a score of plus 28.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

Jan. 30. Reported at. From.
Teutonic.....New York.....Liverpool
Neckar.....New York.....Bremen
Majestic.....Queensdown.....New York
Kron Prinz Wil-
helm.....Bremen.....New York
Canopic.....Naples.....Boston
Koenigs Luise.....New York.....Naples

A FINE TRIBUTE TO SENATOR ROSS

Banquetted by Liberal Leaders at the Capital.

MAKES PLEA FOR PATRIOTISM

In a Powerful Oration Shows Great Things Liberal Ascendancy Has Done for the Dominion.

Ottawa, Jan. 30.—The return of Hon. Geo. W. Ross to the larger field of the federal arena after an absence of 25 years was marked tonight in a manner commensurate with his national reputation as a statesman, orator and administrator. One hundred of the leading Liberal members of the Senate and Commons, representing all the provinces of the Dominion, tendered him a banquet in the Senate restaurant and expressed in an enthusiastic manner their deep appreciation of his long and fruitful services in the cause of the Liberal party, for the upbuilding of his native France and of the country as a whole. It was a unique and splendid occasion to Mr. Ross' broad and sturdy Canadianism, as exemplified in over 30 years of public life, and an auspicious welcome to his new sphere of political achievement. Sir Wilfrid Laurier was unfortunately unable to be present in consequence of a slight cold, but several of his colleagues, Hon. Messrs. Scott, Fielding, Paterson, Brodeur, Lemieux, Aylesworth and Oliver, attended, and spoke in reply to the toast to "The Dominion." Hon. Mr. Scott declared that few men in Canadian history could boast of a more useful or valuable public career than could Mr. Ross, who had continuously represented one constituency for the record period of 35 years. Hon. Mr. Fielding eloquently paid tribute to Mr. Ross' services to the party and the state. Hon. Mr. Lemieux and Hon. Mr. Brodeur declared that Quebec had always recognized in Mr. Ross a party leader who maintained the highest ideals of Liberalism. Hon. Messrs. Paterson, Aylesworth and Oliver spoke in similar terms of the new senator.

An Enthusiastic Reception.

Hon. Mr. Ross was given a most enthusiastic reception when he rose to reply to the toast in his honor, the members and senators rising and cheering again and again. The high expectations of a speech full of inspiring and optimistic Canadianism, rich in historical reference and poetic quotation, apt in diction and thought, illuminated by dryly humorous touches, and marked by the spirit of sturdy national optimism and self-reliance characteristic of all Mr. Ross' speeches, were amply borne out by his half-hour address. After feelingly expressing his deep appreciation of the honor done him by such a gathering, he noted that it was now 24 years since he had left the Commons to enter the Provincial Legislature. He modestly referred to his long connection with the Ontario Government, and predicted that the Liberal party in that Province would soon after a brief period of comparative quiescence, follow the example of six of the other provinces of the Dominion and again resume the reins of power.

What appealed to him as among the best striking features, looking back 24 years to the time of his service in the Commons, were the ascendancy of the Liberal party and the success of the confederation compact. The ascendancy of Liberalism was a good thing for the country, as it had been for every country. True, the party had slipped its cable in Ontario, but under its new leader the party would reunite and soon drive the enemy to confusion.

Speaking of the success of confederation, Mr. Ross reminded his auditors Continued on page nine.

SIR JOHN SEED DEAD

Sydney, N. S. W., Jan. 31.—Sir John Seed, ex-premier and colonial secretary of New South Wales, is dead. He was born in England in 1852, and was a director of many Australian public companies and institutions.

EVANGELIST HAD THIRTEEN WIVES; NEW BRIDE AT EVERY REVIVAL

Rev. Mr. Holden Says That his Prayer Against Sin Was Unavailing.

Chicago, Jan. 31.—A dispatch from Toledo, Ohio, says: Charged with bigamy and credited with having thirteen wives, Rev. Albert Holden, reported to have two sons also under indictment for bigamy, pleaded guilty yesterday and was sentenced to serve six years in the penitentiary.

Holden says he married "every time the spirit moved him." His courtship always took place during one of his revivals, and his victims were always one of those whom he had taken into the church.

Just before sentence was passed, Holden said to the judge that he had been a victim of brute force, and blamed his many marriages on his affliction. He said he had struggled against the sin of bigamy, but that all his prayers had availed him nothing.

GAS EXPLOSIONS WRECK BIG HOTEL

A Buffalo Hostelry Destroyed and Several Firemen Were Seriously Injured.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 31.—Two simultaneous explosions of gas followed closely by a third this morning, practically gutted the hotel of William F. White at Niagara and Ferry streets.

Seven men, including three firemen and a patrolman were more or less injured, none seriously. Financial loss \$20,000; insured.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

MARRIAGES.
STEVENS-BRITTON—At Chippewa, on Jan. 23, 1907, by the Rev. Mr. Ross, Miss Mina Britton to Mr. Roy Stevens, both of London.

DEATHS.
GWALCHMAL—In this city, on Jan. 30, 1907, Mary, beloved wife of Humphrey Gwalchmal, in her 74th year.
 Funeral from the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Charles Davis, Price street, East London, on Saturday, Feb. 2, at 1:30; service at 2 p.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Pond Mills Cemetery. 50a

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

GRAND TONIGHT, 8:30
 One Performance Only.
Shungopavi & Co.
 The Mysterious Worker.
 PRICES: 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c.

TWO NIGHTS, Commencing on Friday, Special Mat. Saturday.
 The only chance to see
JACK O'BRIEN
 The Heavyweight Hurricane, and
TOMMY BURNS
 The Canadian Catapult. Greatest of all moving pictures as appeared at the ringside.
 PRICES: Ev'g 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c. Mat., 15c. Seats now on sale.

BENNETT'S
BIG NOVELTY
BILL All Features.
 This Week.

JUBILEE RINK

LIST OF ATTRACTIONS:
 THIS EVENING—BAND.
 Friday Afternoon—Skating.
FRIDAY EVENING—HOCKEY.
 CITY CHAMPIONSHIP.
 Saturday Afternoon—Matinee.
 Saturday Evening—Band.
 Monday afternoon, skating. Monday night, skating. Tuesday afternoon, skating. Tuesday night, band. Rocket Carnival, Feb. 11.

CUNARD LINE

Low rates to and from the Old Country.
 B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Bank of Commerce.

EUROPE

Get quotations at F. B. Clarke's, Richmond street, next Bank of Commerce, for the Old Country.

COAL ORDERS TAKEN AT F. B. CLARKE'S.
 Richmond street, next Bank of Commerce. Egg, stove, chestnut, all kinds of soft-coal.

REV. J. J. ROSS WILL GIVE AN ILLUSTRATED lecture in the South London Baptist Church, tonight, upon "The Earthly Footprints of Our Heavenly King." Collection.

ORGAN RECITAL—ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH.
 West London, Thursday evening, Jan. 31, 1907, by Mr. W. H. Hewlett, Miss Rose, assisted by Miss Mackay and Mr. Parnell Morris, tenor soloist. Admission, 10 cents.

Ideal Bowling Alleys and Billiard Parlors
 Largest Amusement House in the City. EVERYBODY WELCOME. 195 KING STREET.

SKATING—OPEN-AIR RINK AT WELLINGTON STREET BRIDGE. Good ice. Admission, 10c. Afternoon and evening.

RICHMOND RINK—SKATING EVERY AFTERNOON and night. Ice first-class. Music in attendance. R. Brockhouse, proprietor.

WESTMINSTER RINK—CADET BAND every night and Saturday afternoon. Open afternoons. Foresters' Carnival, Tuesday, Feb. 12.

VICTORIA RINK—SKATING TONIGHT. Band Saturday night. Admission, 10c. Corner Adelaide and Piccadilly streets.

BIMCO STREET RINK—BAND TONIGHT. Skating every afternoon. Entrance, 10c. Phone 1568.

DANCING—NEW CLASSES NOW FORMING. Gentlemen, Tuesday evening. Ladies, Thursday evening; children, Saturday afternoon. Private lessons any hour. Call or phone 1774. Dayton & McCormick.

PRIVATE LESSONS IN DANCING BY R. B. MILLARD. 245 Princess avenue. Special attention to waltz and two-step. Lessons any hour.

TONY CORTESE—ORIGINAL LONDON Harpers. Music furnished for all occasions. 161 Maple. Phone 1570.

MUSIC FURNISHED FOR PARTIES. Banquets, parties, etc. Tony Villa's Italian Harpers. 122 Queen's avenue.

MEETINGS.

HARMONY, ADELPHIAN CHAMBERS every Friday. Feb. 1, 1, O. Hammond, Grand Patriarch. Power install. officers. Unity degree staff. Ingersoll, confers Patriarchal degree.

MEETING MEMBERS CANADIAN CLUB will tender a luncheon on Saturday next, the 2nd February, at Masonic Temple, 400 Dundas street, to Mr. Saint N. Ring, distinguished Oriental scholar and journalist, from Rawal Pindi, Punjab, India. Tickets, 50 cents each. On sale at Miller's book store. Luncheon served at 12:45 p.m. sharp.

LOST—GOLD WATCH, EITHER IN CHAP. HAY'S, Smallman & Ingram, or on Dundas street, Wednesday afternoon. Description on outer case. Finder return to 231 Queen's avenue. Reward. 50c

LOST—PEARL CRESCENT BROOCH. At Westminster Rink, Tuesday night. Reward at advertiser's office. 50c

LOST, MONDAY—FOURTEEN BUNCH black and tan head, with white stripe down face, four black spots on body and one covering tail; answers to name of "Eloa." Reward for returning to J. E. Beattie, 444 Chesapeake street. Prosecution if retained after this notice.

MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—PLATE PRESS FEEDERS.
 Apply C. R. Somerville. 51c

WANTED—A MAN TO LEAD ON A FARM.
 must be used to all advanced agricultural machinery; and be a horseman, who can take care of pedigree horses and get work out of his team. Write or apply Richard Gibson, Delaware, Ont.

WANTED—GOOD, RELIABLE DRIVER.
 Apply 416 Piccadilly street. 51c

WANTED—YOUNG MAN AS WAITER.
 with some experience preferred. Apply to Steward, London Club. 60a

BAKER WANTED—SCOTCH PREFERRED.
 knowledge of hot-plates; constant day work. Apply the West MacGregor Company, 231 Dundas street. 49c

GOOD BOY TO LEARN TRADE.
 Advertiser Job Department. 49c

MADE \$50,000 IN FIVE YEARS IN THE mail order business, began with \$5. Any one can do the work home. Send for free booklet; tells how to get started. Manager, Box 570, Lockport, N. Y.

SALESMEN WANTED FOR SEED POTATOES.
 latest and choicest varieties. Apply to Cavers Bros. Galt. 99c-tyw

WHEN YOU LEARN TELEGRAPHY you will be the best instructed in the world. This is exactly what you get at the Dominion School of Telegraphy and Radiography, 10 Adelaide street, Toronto. Send for our free booklet.

COATMAKERS WANTED—STEADY WORK all year; highest wages paid in Canada. The Lowndes Company Limited, opposite Union Station, Toronto. 35c

ANY INTELLIGENT PERSON MAY EARN \$75 to \$100 monthly corresponding for newspapers; sure, steady work; no canvassing; experience unnecessary. Send for particulars. Press Syndicate, Lockport, N. Y.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

GOOD GENERAL SERVANT WANTED.
 Apply 417 Dundas street. 51c

MACHINE OPERATORS WANTED, ALSO girls to learn the trade. Apply Sainsbury Clothing Manufactory, 107 King street. 51c

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—A GIRL TO ASSIST in taking care of patients at Home for incurables, Dundas street east. 49c-tyw

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT; MUST be good plain cook; wages, \$15 a month. Apply Box 7, Advertiser. 51c

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL, TAKING MUSIC lessons, to assist in light housekeeping for use of piano. Apply Box 57, Advertiser. 47a-bw

WANTED—WOMAN TO DO FAMILY washing. Apply 631 Dundas street. 49c

ROLLERS WANTED, APPLY JOHN MCNEE & Sons. Clarence street. 49c

YOUNG LADY WANTED FOR OFFICE work; business experience desirable; must be good in English and spelling. Address Box 588, city. 49c

MACHINE OPERATORS WANTED, CANADIAN Lady Corset Company, 355 Clarence street. 49c

GOOD GIRL WANTED—GOOD WAGES.
 Apply Mrs. Ed Hunter, 169 Maple street. 49c

HOUSEMAID WANTED, APPLY TO Housekeeper, Victoria Hospital. 49c

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LONDON, THURSDAY, JAN. 31, 1907.

THE WATER SUPPLY.

The public will expect the water com-
missioners to keep an open mind on the
whole question of the water supply. It
will not do to stand upon pride because
the Komoka project has been rejected.
Their duty will be to carefully and
impartially weigh other schemes than
their own. The commissioners are giv-
ing evidence that they appreciate the
situation by considering ways and
means of forestalling any possible
emergency during the coming summer,
and by taking steps to lay before the
citizens alternative plans for per-
manently solving the difficulty, with
full details of each proposal.

The plan put forward by Mr. Titus,
an eminent engineer and hydraulic ex-
pert of Brooklyn, N. Y., who is said
to have solved a similar problem on
Long Island, is not a new one, but
it has never been put to a conclusive
test. Many citizens have all along held
to the theory that a proper system of
artesian wells would yield a more than
adequate supply of the best water. A
number of these wells, which have
been sunk for manufacturers, have a
flow of hundreds of thousands of gal-
lons daily, and there is a general be-
lief, to which the geology of this
neighborhood gives color, that a cur-
rent of water underlies the city. What
is new in Mr. Titus' proposal is the
process by which he claims the maxi-
mum flow of water is obtained. The
fact that he offers to install a plant
at his own expense, and produce the
water before the city is called upon
to pay for it, shows that he has faith
in his own system. When Mr. Titus
has worked out the financial details
of his scheme, it should be considered
upon its merits by the commissioners,
without regard to any preconceived
opinions.

THE SPOILS SYSTEM AGAIN.

The Picton Times gives the text of
the correspondence which passed be-
tween the Ontario Government and
the sheriff of Prince Edward County.
Mr. James Gillespie, who is the latest
victim of the spoils system. In the
following letters, the deputy attorney-
general, Mr. J. R. Cartwright, is of
course, merely writing at the dictation
of the Government.

Toronto, Jan. 16, 1907.
Dear Sir, I am directed to say that
in consequence of representations
which have been made as to your
conduct, your resignation of your
office as sheriff of the county of
Prince Edward is required by the
Government.

Yours truly,
J. R. CARTWRIGHT,
To James Gillespie, Esq., Sheriff,
Picton, Ont.

Picton, Ont., Jan. 18, 1907.
J. R. Cartwright, Esq., K.C., Deputy
Attorney-General, Toronto, Ont.:
My Dear Sir, I beg to acknowledge
receipt of your letter of the 16th
inst.

I am unaware of any conduct on
my part which the Government would
deem sufficient to justify them re-
quiring me to resign my office as
sheriff of the county of Prince Ed-
ward.

I will, therefore, be glad to be af-
forded an opportunity of answering
the representations which have been
made to that effect.

Respectfully yours,
JAMES GILLESPIE,
Sheriff.

Toronto, Jan. 21, 1907.

Dear Sir, I am directed to say that
in reply to yours of the 18th
inst. that my previous letter con-
veyed to you an intimation that your
removal from office had been decided
on, but that for what seemed to the
Government to be good reasons you
were to be permitted to resign should
you choose to do so. I have also
been directed to inform you that an
Order-in-Council has been passed
removing you from your office as
sheriff and appointing Mr. James
Gibson your successor.

Yours truly,
J. R. CARTWRIGHT,
To James Gillespie, Esq., Sheriff,
Picton, Ont.

Toronto, Jan. 21, 1907.

Sir, I am commanded by His
Honour the Lieutenant-Governor-in-
Council to inform you that he has
been pleased to remove you from of-
fice of sheriff of the county of Prince
Edward.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
THOMAS MULVEY,
Assistant Provincial Secretary.
To James Gillespie, Esq., Sheriff,
Picton, Ont.

Mr. Gillespie is 54 years old, though

a well-preserved man, and the Govern-
ment might, with some show of
justice, have intimated to him that he
should retire on account of his age. The
demand for his resignation was coupled

with an aspersion upon his honor which
he resented. His request for an oppor-
tunity to answer accusations and clear
his character was peremptorily refused,
and he was informed that his removal
had been decided upon before he was
asked to resign. After 38 years of ser-
vice he has been dismissed in disgrace.
A criminal would have been heard in
his own defense, but an Ontario civil
servant, who stands in the way of a
place-hunter with a pull, is denied the
first principle of British justice. The
Government has been both brutal and
cowardly. Its administration of the
patronage system has been a disgrace
to the country.

WHITNEY'S BACK-DOWN.

"Premier Whitney has backed
down.—London Advertiser.
"Will The Advertiser state in
what particular Mr. Whitney has
backed down?"

"Mr. Whitney says he has not. The
education act says he has not. There
has been no retreat from the position
that the teachers of the rural schools
shall be fully equipped for their work."

"The Government adheres to its
determination that the teachers
shall be adequately paid.
"These were the points at issue.—
London Free Press."

Mr. Whitney has completely backed
down upon the question of rural teach-
ers' salaries. Why attempt to deny a
plain fact? The intention of the leg-
islation of last year was to make the
minimum salary \$500 in school sec-
tions having a certain assessment. This
provision has been abandoned. The
Provincial Secretary said at Mount
Bridges on Tuesday last (vide Free
Press):

"The municipality will be required,
as heretofore, to make \$300 for each
school section, and this \$300 is to be
applied on the teacher's salary. BUT
WE DO NOT SAY TO ANY
SCHOOL SECTION THAT THEY
MUST PAY THEIR TEACHER
MORE THAN \$300."

If this is not a back-down, what is
it? We are not questioning Mr. Whit-
ney's prudence in beating a retreat.
But the local Tory organ told him two
weeks ago that he would stamp him-
self as a pleaser, who preferred the
sweets of office and the pleasures of
peace to the interests of education if
he surrendered on this point. He has
surrendered on the eve of a by-election
because he is afraid of losing votes.
What of Mr. Whitney's vaunted back-
bone, now?

Mr. Ross appears to have given the
Senate a hypodermic injection of gin-
ger.

Governor Swettenham's apology is a
mean throw-down of his brother em-
pire-builder, Mr. J. Castell Hopkins.

Having thrown his school policy over-
board, Mr. Whitney feels free to bring
on the West Middlesex by-election.

Governor VanZant thinks he has rea-
sons for suspecting that Sir Mackenzie
Bowell was not the only one who lived
in a nest of traitors.

A perusal of some of our American
exchanges suggests that the exclusion
of artists from the Thaw trial is in the
interest of art.

Principal Parkin warns Canada not
to get a swelled head. Still, this young
giant of the north is now entitled to
throw out his chest a little.

Do citizens need a few more argu-
ments like that reported in last night's
Advertiser before being convinced of
the need of accommodation for con-
sumptives?

The Toronto News flays the Ontario
Government for its retreat on the
teachers' salary issue. The News will
be surprised to hear from our local
contemporary that there has been no
backdown.

It is said that Dr. Beattie Nesbitt in-
tends to re-enter politics. There are
worse men in the Tory camp than Dr.
Nesbitt. Some of his methods have
been criticised, but they suit Toronto
Toryism exactly. He knows his men,
and the machine misses his master
hand.

HARD WORK.

(Exchange.)

Miss Ascum—Is Freddy working for a
living?
Miss Trillion—Oh, yes! The poor boy
has been trying for six months to gain
papa's consent.

ACCURACY.

(Tales.)

Grudge—That will be a fine marriage,
a splendid alliance. The bride's father is
rich. She just rolls in gold. The bride-
groom is rich, too; he made a fortune in
copper.

Bridge—That's not an alliance; it's an
allay.

FARMERS DON'T WANT IT.

(Goderich Signal.)

The farmers of Huron will not thank
those Conservative members of Parliament
who advocate placing a duty on corn. Free
corn is a boon to the stock-raising farmer.

NOT MUCH.

(Sam's Horn.)

There is a saying current in the city of
New York to this effect: "You can always
tell a Boston man, but you can't tell him
much."

LAW OF AMERICAN DESERT.

(Kansas City Times.)

"One of the oddest humane laws in this
country," said E. J. Sanford, "is the force
in Nevada. In that section of the Ameri-
can desert which lies in Nevada, travelers
in distress may flag the limited passenger
trains and compel the train crew to give
them water to drink. The law makes it a
felony to refuse to comply with the travel-
er's request."

Mr. Sanford said numerous instances
were known in the earlier days when trav-
elers took advantage of the protection this
law afforded, but in recent years few per-
sons attempt to cross the desert except by
train.

HOW IT HAPPENED.

(Pick Me Up.)

He—Why did you let George kiss you?
She—Well, he was so nice about it. He
said—
He—Surely you are big enough to be able
to say "No."
She—That's what I did say. He asked me
if I would be angry if he kissed me.

SPELLING REFORM.

(Tri-Bits.)

Stella—Do you advocate changes in
spelling?
Bella—Only Miss to Mrs.

A CADDIE'S CADENZA.

(London Sketch.)

Lady Golfer to would-be caddie—But
what do you know about the game? Can
you make a tee, for instance?
The would-be Caddie—Can I make—
Why, in my young days, lady, I used to
do it that well they called me the tea-
caddy.

UNDER INSTRUCTIONS.

(Punch.)

Hostess—Good-by, darling. So sorry nurse
has come for you. I hope you and Monty
have enjoyed yourselves.
Darling—Thank you. Mother says we've
enjoyed ourselves very much.

CLEAR THE WAY.

(Algernon Charles Swinburne.)

Swinburne has always been an uncon-
promising Radical. This poem is his in-
dignation of the House of Lords:

Clear the way, my lords and lackeys! You
have had your day.
Here you have your answer—England's yea
against your nay;
Long enough your house has held up; up,
and clear the way!

Lost and falsehood, craft and traffic, pre-
cedent and gold,
Tongue of courtier, kiss of harlot, promise
bought and sold,
Gave you heritage of empire over thralls
of old.

Now that all these things are rotten, all
their gold is rust,
Quenched the pride they live by, dead the
faith and cold the lust,
Shall their heritage not also turn again
to dust?

By the grace of these, what England says
her lords unsay:
Till at last her cry goes forth against them
—Clear the way!

By the grace of trust in treason knaves
have lived and lied;
By the force of fear and folly fools have
led their pride;
By the strength of cloth and custom rea-
son stands defied.

Lost perchance your reckoning on some
latter day be worse
Halt and hearken, lords and land and
princes of the purse,
Ere the tide be full that comes with bless-
ing and with curse.

Where we stand, as where we sit, scarce
falls a sprinkling spray;
But the wind that sweeps the wave that
follows none shall stay;
Spread no more of sail for shipwreck; out,
and clear the way!

A PROVERB.

(From the Danish.)

Better the world should know you as a
sinner than God know you as a hypocrite.

A SAD LOT.

(Washington Star.)

"Poets usually have sad lives," said the
sentimentalist.
"Well," answered Mr. Cumrox, "writing
the kind of things they do, I don't see how
they could expect to be very cheerful."

A FINE MIND.

(Lillo.)

"She has a fine mind, hasn't she?"
"Remarkable. One of those minds that,
when you are with her, you can't decide
which makes you the more happy—to
listen, or to realize that you are not mar-
ried to her."

IN OTHER WORDS.

(Baltimore American.)

"There seems to be a great lack of uni-
formity in your family, Mr. Compuz."
"No, sir, that ain't the trouble, but we
don't appear to be able to get together in
anything."

APPROPRIATE.

(Polo Mele.)

Mrs. Shopper—I wish to buy a present
for a servant girl. Can you suggest some-
thing appropriate?
Shopman—Certainly. Give her a travel-
ing bag.

SNOWY AT ST. PETERSBURG.

(London Chronicle.)

If you are not a lover of snow, go to
Malta, which is the nearest spot where you
are certain of complete immunity. If you
are fond of it, the suburbs of St. Peters-
burg will furnish all you need to ask, for
there you may be sure of it for 170 days
in the year.

AN EXPENSIVE "CURE."

(Lady's Pictorial.)

It acts beneficially on feminine tempera-
ments to go out and buy new clothes. One
may even go farther, and say that it even
does women good to go "pottering around"
shops, an occupation of which men always
speak contemptuously.

WHERE HE BELONGED.

(Boston Herald.)

The Westminster Gazette's cartoonist
depicts a Chamberlain fishing in the rear
of an insane asylum. A lunatic looking
out of the asylum window slugs out:
"What are you doing there?"
"Fishing."
"Caught anything?"
"No."
"How long have you been there?"
"A great many years."
"Come inside," says the lunatic.

SHE NEVER COULD MASTER IT.

(Chicago Record.)

"Talkin' about spellin'," said Mr. Club-
berley, "the French are the worst yet.
They can't even spell common, every-day
names twice the same way. We was
soldier in Paris by the name of John Darm
and he spelled his first name G-e-n. Then
I heard them talkin' a good deal over
there about somebody else by the name of
John Darm, and he spelled it J-e-n. Oh,
I'd just go crazy if I had to learn that
gibberish."

**COMMONS TALKS
PASSENGER RATES**The Two-Cent-a-Mile Figure
Under Discussion.**BORDEN'S RESOLUTION DEBATED**Letter From Judge Killam Deprecating
Forcing the Hands of the
Commission.

Ottawa, Jan. 30.—In the House of
Commons this afternoon Mr. R. L. Borden
brought forward the motion of
which he had given notice, as follows:
"That if it appears to the House that the
railway commissioners for Canada in-
quire, determine and report with the
least possible delay, whether or not the
tolls charged in standard passenger
tariffs should be reduced, so as not to
exceed 2 cents per mile upon all or any
of the railways of Canada; that the
Government, under the provisions of
the railway act, and especially the 24th
section thereof, should forthwith take
such steps as are necessary for this
purpose."

In support of the motion he referred
to the fact that some United States
railways operated also in Canada, and
the G.T.R., operating in Michigan, car-
ried passengers boarding cars in that
state at 2 cents per mile, under state
law, while passengers boarding cars in
Canada who traveled in the same
train paid 3 cents a mile. Mr. Borden
quoted the statistics of passenger
traffic in Canada and the United States
to show the average receipts per pas-
senger per mile on the various rail-
ways. From the figures given it would
appear an inquiry was desirable into the
whole question, in view of public opin-
ion that the rates should be reduced be-
low the current scale. There appeared
to be little doubt the commission was
overworked, and Mr. Borden suggested
that the abolition of the commission
body; that an additional member be
appointed, if necessary, and that the
method of procedure by the supreme
court be adopted by the appointment of
a permanent board of referees, who
would be relieved of a great many matters of routine
and detail.

Maclean Objects
Mr. W. F. Maclean disagreed with
the leader of the Opposition, and con-
tended that this being a question of
policy rather than of statistics, Parlia-
ment itself should deal with it. He
advocated the abolition of passes, and
suggested that the withdrawal of com-
mutation tickets and excursion rates
might result in lower general rates. Mr.
Maclean then proceeded through the
gamut of his old arguments in favor
of a two-cent rate.

When the House resumed Hon. Mr.
Emmerson pointed out that by the act
of 1903 Parliament delegated power to
regulate passenger tariffs to the rail-
way commission. He proceeded to read
a lengthy communication from Judge
Killam, chairman of the commission, to
the Premier, showing that as far as
possible the board had endeavored to
deal with the matter. He then stated
that the board had been taken to in-
vestigate the position of telephone
and express companies in regard to
tariffs, and that the board had de-
clined to approve of higher rates than
three cents per mile for new branch
lines of the C. P. R. and Canadian
Northern in the eastern provinces and
three and one-half cents per mile on
branch lines in the Northwest Provinces.
Judge Killam proceeded:
"I desire to urge that the board should
not be required to report upon this
question within any limited time, or
during the session of the House of Parlia-
ment. We will have soon to decide up-
on the telephone and express com-
panies' tariffs. We have many im-
portant questions which, according to
our programme, are to be taken into
consideration in the near future. We
have much pressing business. If we
do not think it would be possible for
us to decide within a brief period of
time, with satisfaction to ourselves or
to Parliament or to the country, upon
the important question of a reduction
of passenger tariffs generally. Our tariff
officer has already, on his own respon-
sibility and without instructions of the
board, suggested to general passenger
agents of the C. P. R. and G. T. R.
that they should lower the rate to three
cents per mile on tariffs in Eastern
Canada, but they object to this, claim-
ing that their average rate is about
two cents per mile, and at the request
of the traffic officer they have promised
to submit statements in support of
their contention. I would therefore re-
spectfully urge that the Government
should not at the present time coun-
tenance the proposal to refer the ques-
tion that the whole matter should be
left over at least until the next session
of Parliament, and that the board be
left in the meantime to exercise its
discretion, unfettered by any order
or reference."

Government Amendment.
Mr. Emmerson said the letter showed
that the question had not been overlooked
by the board, but that they had not suf-
ficient data to enable them to intelligently
deal with it. He accordingly moved the
following amendment: "That it appears
from correspondence laid on the table
of this House that the board of railway com-
missioners are now engaged in examining
tolls charged in the standard passenger
tariff, and in consequence that there is
no occasion for the Government to exercise
the power vested in them by section 24
of the railway act, 1903."

Mr. Lancaster thought the amendment of
the Minister of Railways meant shelving
the question.
Mr. Borden contended that the letter of
Judge Killam showed that the board of
railway commissioners required strength-
ening.

Mr. John Haggart supported the motion
on the ground that such an inquiry was
the legitimate work of the railway com-
mission.
Mr. E. M. Macdonald suggested that Mr.
Borden by his motion meant to clear the
way for his motion to reduce the rate
not yet ready to follow the lead of Mr.
Maclean on this question.

Mr. W. B. Northrup justified the motion
on the ground that the question of pas-
senger rates was the most important before
the railway commission.

Those who know Mr. Roosevelt inti-
mately know perfectly well that he is
anything but a trust buster or a
demagogue. His friends are among the
most honest and able men of the day.
He has had conferences with members of
the interstate commerce commission,
and they have uniformly represented
to him that the car shortage, of which
the people are complaining, is merely a
symptom of the disease and not the dis-
ease itself.

There is a shortage of cars and of
locomotives, and of many other ap-
pliances connected with the actual run-
ning of trains, but the root of the evil
is much deeper, and the President is
fully in touch, according to those who
have recently seen him, with the de-
cision of the railroad managers that
radical steps must be taken unless the
commerce of the country is to be paraly-
zed within the next ten years.

Is Not a Foe of Railroads.
The President is not against the
railroads, but the railroads are afraid
they do not understand him, and they
want something, apparently, in the
nature of a pledge that he will not in-
terfere with legitimate expansion on
their part. Back of this fear and back
of this d-d pledge is a serious be-
lief on the part of railroad men that
the time has come when the transpor-
tation lines of the country must face
an enormous annual expenditure in the
way of betterment.

Every indication is that the railroads
of the United States are wholly
inadequate, both a mechanical and phy-
sical proposition to handle the rapidly
growing commerce of the country.
They have not the actual facilities to
carry the tonnage, and until they get
those facilities there must be con-
tinued complaints, all of them well
founded, of car shortage, not in one
section but all over the country, from
ocean to ocean, and from the lakes to
the gulf.

It is no wonder the railroad kings
are concerned at the situation. They
find themselves in danger of being
ground between the upper and nether
millstones. There is a split abroad
of opposition to all corporations and trusts
and great combinations of capital. On
the other hand, there is a pressing ne-
cessity for the expenditure of enor-
mous sums of money. This means the
issue of new stocks and bonds, and the
increase of capitalization, and the bor-
rowing of more money than the United
States has to spare at the present time,
so that there must be an appeal to the
bankers and the capitalists of England
and of the continent of Europe.

Roads Facing Financial Crisis.
Money is absolutely necessary to de-
velop the railroad situation in the
United States and money in such enor-
mous quantities that it cannot possibly
be obtained if there is the slightest
suspicion as to the security for the
investment. This is why the large finan-
cial interests have been approaching
the President so much of late with
the nature of demands that he should
try, first, that he is not opposed to
the railroads merely because they are
a legitimate need for large in-
crease of capital.

While it is true that President Roose-
velt is unwilling to send a special mes-
sage on the subject, because that would
really be to put himself on the defend-
er, he is fully aware of the absolute
necessity of increasing the capital
stock of every great railroad in the
United States for the purpose of pro-
viding increased facilities for moving
our commerce, which has increased of

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merchandise offered you at extraordinary price-savings. This list gives you only
a part of tomorrow's and Saturday's splendid bargain news. Come early for
limited lots.

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Coats, lined with farmers' satin. Were \$25 and
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Ladies' Black Astrachan Coats, satin lined.
Were \$32 and \$35, reduced to.....**\$27.50**

Ladies' Fur Lined Coats, Were \$50**and \$60 for \$35**

9 only Ladies' Long Loose Fur Lined Coats,
three-quarter length, mink-marten collar and
revers, squirrel lined. Colors in gray, fawn,
castor and blue.

Black and Tweed Coats Reduced to**Two Prices**

Ladies' high-grade Black Broadcloth Coats,
lined through, seven-eighths and three-quarter
stylish lengths. Were \$20 and \$25, Friday and
Saturday for.....**\$15**

Semi-fitting and loose back Tourist Coats, in
fancy tweeds and castor covert cloths. Were up
to \$16.50, for.....**\$8.50**

Ultra-Fashionable Dress Goods,**Inspection Invited**

Imported Suitings, in newest overlaid
effects, stripes and broken checks, in ultra
combinations of tan and gray and best spring color-
ings including grays, blues, greens, tans and
white and black. At yard.....**50c, 75c, \$1.00**

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prices.

Three unmatchable values in Lace Curtains.
3 yards long at 50c pair. 3 1/2 yards long at 75c
and \$1.00 pair.

Overalls and Underwear

Balance of a lot of \$1 Blue Denim Overalls,
Friday and Saturday.....**75c**

Men

THE CAREER OF GOV. SWETTENHAM

Character Sketch of British
Chief at Jamaica.

WAS LONG IN FAR EAST LANDS

Friend Shows Him a Strong and Ag-
gressive Ruler With Plenty of
Courage and Tact.

London, Jan. 30.—A sketch of Gov. ernor Swettenham of Jamaica, by a newspaper man who was well ac- quainted with him during his term of office in Denamara and afterwards in Ceylon and Cyprus, is of interest in view of the events of the past two weeks. The sketch was written about two weeks before the Swettenham-Davis incident.

Sixty-one years old, with the physical energy and vigor of a man of thirty; six feet tall, muscular, com- manding, imperious; a ruddy face, steel-gray eyes, and a hawk's nose. There you have Sir James Alexander Swettenham, governor and command- er-in-chief of the island of Jamaica and its dependencies, and the man on whom the burden of the present situa- tion in that island has fallen. This man has been a fighter all his life. He has served his apprenticeship in the British colonial civil service in Ceylon and Cyprus. A raw, clerk, he worked quietly when other men were busy with tennis racket or idling in the clubs. He delved in the ancient literature of the island, studied the native in his native haunts, and one day astonished his chief by sugges- tions so sound, so far-seeing, and so practical that they were brought to the notice of the governor, who swore at the junior clerk's presumption, and adopted the suggestions as his own.

Made His Name.
In Cyprus he followed the same line of action, studying the people, getting near to them, striving to feel with their feelings for a method, striving for a system. And when his chance came, he found both.

The Straits Settlements were a bur- den, financially and in every other sense, to the British Government when he took charge. The country was undeveloped, the natives were unhappy and discontented, commerce was a negligible quantity, and gloom was in the minds of the people and the government alike. The Swetten- hams changed all that. Finding that the natives could not be persuaded to work, they determined to teach them by another method. They im- ported labor from the neighboring British states, set about road-making, railway construction, the establish- ment of towns, the development of trade, the creation of a popular re- sistance in sympathy for British doggedness, determination, and capacity to achieve.

When he left the Straits Settle- ments to become governor of British Guiana the country was being rapidly developed, trade was flourishing, towns were springing up every- where, the natives were beginning to take a pride in action, and the colony not only showed a handsome yearly surplus, but made itself unique by contributing alone among all the colonies of the British empire, to the revenue of the crown.

In British Guiana he met a task worthy of his powers. The negroes, who constitute the great bulk of the population, were incensed against the planters for importing coolie labor. They were disinclined to comply with the requirements of the educa- tion code; they were determined to make trouble. Alexander Swetten- ham put a stop to all that. He told them that, since they declined to work on the sugar plantations, upon which the commerce of the whole col- ony depended, they must be content to let the coolies work, and, since the sugar industry supported them all, they must pay their share of the cost of immigration. He devised a new educational code, which he put into force, and which he compelled them to accept. He condemned them for their inertia, shamed them with fiery words of scorn for their lack of self-respect, and taught them how they might make themselves a power in the land.

Personal Example.
Once a negro village on the sea- coast was flooded from the swamp- lands in the interior. As the village was below the sea-level, and protected by a dam, the water could not drain off by natural drainage. The villagers telegraphed to "Jimmy" for aid. He sent a gang of coolies to help, and followed on their heels him- self. When he got there the coolies were working to dig a trench to the sea, by way of an estate drainage

route, and the villagers were stand- ing idly by, claiming that they should be paid before they took shovel to hand. The governor leaped from his horse, and among them, lashed them with his contempt, and took a spade and worked for an hour in the trench until it was completed. Then he turned to the leaders among them and said: "Now you know how to do it. Now let me hear from you again." They took the lesson to heart and built the necessary dams to protect their village without delay.

"Big Guns, or Little."
He was never a respecter of per- sons. One day a "big gun" went to Government House to argue with him about a certain measure he was en- gaged in drafting for the consideration of the local legislature.

"If you do it that way you will hurt us," he said.

"And who are you that you should not be hurt if I measure with you?" he asked. "I am governor here, and I govern for the people; not for selfish minorities!"

As a protector of the common people Swettenham has had no equal in the records of West Indian governors. He discovered on his arrival in British Guiana, that the coolie immigrant women were being made the victims of the planters and the estate overseers. Several of the most prominent plan- tations in the society of the colony were guilty. He warned them by cir- cular and by public utterance. They took no notice. Then he told them that he would stop immigration, as he was empowered to do, under the agreement with the Indian Government. If he had cause to believe that the coolies were being ill-treated. They laughed at him, never dreaming that he would dare to take such drastic measures, as the maintenance of the estate de- pended entirely on the yearly supply of the Indian Government. He promptly took up the case of one of the worst offenders, took every coolie away from the estate under this man's management, and notified the owners and attorneys of the estate that the coolies would not be allowed to go back as long as the manager remain- ed in charge. To keep the manager there meant ruin. He was suspended, and the proprietors took the matter into court. The courts upheld the gov- ernor, and the proprietors appealed to the colonial office.

Improved Jamaica.

In Jamaica, which he has governed for three years, Sir Alexander has re- sulted in the financial resources of the island, purged the local civil ser- vice of idlers, improved the educa- tional system, and awakened the people up. When it was proposed to im- port Jamaica negroes to work on the Panama Canal, he refused point-blank to let his subjects go to work on the United States Government would lodge a cash guarantee on account of each negro sent to Panama, to provide against their being stranded and their families becoming a burden on the Jamaica public. He introduced a sys- tem of insurance for the banana grow- ers, whereby they are insured against damage to their fruit by hurricanes—a revolution in insurance of crops which has done the fruit industry a world of good by inducing thousands of natives to take it up as a livelihood.

UP AMID WINTRY SNOWS

Aeronauts Ascend 3,500 Feet; Carrier Pigeon Perishes.

Pittsfield, Mass., Jan. 30.—The first winter balloon flight ever undertaken in the country was successfully ac- complished here by Leo Stevens and Capt. T. T. Lovelace, formerly of the United States navy. From a field deep under snow and in a lively snowstorm, the balloon rose at 3:10 o'clock p.m.

The balloon went straight up to an altitude of 3,500 feet, where the aerona- uts found the cold so intense as to make it impossible for them to remain in the balloon for more than a few minutes.

Realizing the great danger of going higher in such a temperature, the men descended to warmer currents, and later landed two miles from the starting point.

The trip was made for the pur- pose of familiarizing Capt. Lovelace with the details of making an ascension and a landing. He is soon to start on a five-years' yachting cruise around the world with Ralph Brandeth, a young millionaire. They will take with them the balloon Eagle which was used today, and expect to make frequent aerial trips in different parts of the world.

New Cure for Nose, Throat and Lungs

Rich, Pure Essences Are Breath-
ed Right to the Spots That
Are Sick—Cure Follows.

The merit of "Catarrhazone" is most remarkable.

In a few years this famous remedy has won its way through sheer power of merit into nearly every home in America.

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The irritation of constant coughing is stopped at once—catarrhal headache and buzzing ears no longer bother—every trace of cold disappears.

For an effective medicine in bron-

COREA'S FIANCEE IS AN HEIRESS

Engagement of Nicaraguan
Minister Dazes Washington.

JILTED BY GEORGIAN WIDOW

Sensational Letters Charging That He
Was a Negro Broke Up
First Romance.

Washington, Jan. 30.—Miss India Bell Fleming, who it was announced Saturday, is to become the wife of the Nicaraguan minister to the United States, Senator Don Luis Felipe Corea, is one of this year's debutantes, and at one time during her school days was engaged to marry an army officer. She is an heiress and wonderfully attrac- tive. The marriage will take place in this city on Feb. 27.

Miss Fleming is the daughter of Col. and Mrs. Robert I. Fleming. Her father is a veteran of the confederate army, and she numbers revolutionary heroes among her ancestors. Although she was graduated last June from the Washington Seminary, Miss Fleming has already won enviable popular- ity in Washington society.

No announcement has caused greater surprise than the engagement of Miss Fleming and the South American dip- lomate. The latter was recently sub- ject of the engagement. Mrs. Jordan subsequently married Capt. John D. Little, a prominent Georgian, who is said to have been an old sweetheart.

Mrs. Jordan was the widow of a wealthy Georgian, who had bequeathed her a large fortune. She is a fa- mous beauty. Following the announce- ment of her engagement to Mr. Corea, she came to Washington and attended one of the White House receptions, where her contemplated marriage was freely discussed.

Anonymous Letter Caused Break.

Mr. Corea and Mrs. Jordan later met in Paris, where they saw they purchased furnishings for their new home in Washington. Upon their re- turn to the United States they were met by a social upheaval. It was said that anonymous communications were sent to Mrs. Jordan's southern relatives stat- ing that Corea was a negro, and that his brother, Simon, now dead, was an ebony-faced negro, with typical negro hair; that Corea was a servant in Granada in his boyhood, doing "chores" for \$4 a month; that he got a smat- tering of education from a negro at the University of Occident at Leon and while at a law college in Guatemala fell in love with a pretty senorita, who is very anxious to see him for certain reasons.

The engagement of Corea and Mrs. Jordan caused a great deal of excite- ment in her home town of Macon, Ga., early in November, 1904. Excitement ran so high in Macon that the common council of that city adopted resolu- tions calling upon Mrs. Jordan not to marry Senor Corea on the ground that he had negro blood. The resolutions went on to say that it would be an in- sult to the community for her, knowing what he was, to make him her hus- band. The resolutions also said in part that Mrs. Jordan dare not fly in the face of the public opinion of the community by marrying the Nicaraguan minister.

Whole South Protested.

These resolutions simply indicated that all the south from the mayor and city council of her native Macon to the Mason and Dixon line was ready to champion Mrs. Jordan against the man she was about to marry. The resolutions were also a threat to the community by marrying the Nicaraguan minister.

Don Luis insisted that the mar- riage be postponed until he had proved that the charges were false. Investigation showed the absolute truth of the minister's con- tentment, but the engagement was broken after the first conference be- tween Senor Corea and Mrs. Jordan, which followed his return from Nicaragua.

Senor Corea is one of the most popular members of the diplomatic corps. He has represented his country at Washington since 1899. He has always had the entire to the best homes in the city. His friends here were not influenced by the sensational attacks, which finally caused his first engagement to be broken.

AUTOMOBILE ODORS

Paris, Jan. 30.—For nearly eight years there has been a law in Paris under which the prefects forbid the use of automobiles emitting dis- agreeable odors. There was a question as to who was legally responsible for infractions of the law—chauffeurs or owners. Two of three police judges ruled that chauffeurs were responsible, but the president of the police court decided that the responsibility was upon the owner in the case at the bar, and found him guilty. The appeal court has reversed this decision, and ordered that the chauffeur be held guilty.

During the last year the Audubon Society of Louisiana has rented some seventeen bird feeding stations located in the waters of the Gulf. Last year the islands were watched by two war- dens, whose wages were paid by the national committee of Audubon Soci- eties, and although they were not wholly able to prevent trespassing and egg stealing, nevertheless the nests ob- tained with well nigh marvelous care. Their own and the neighboring islands of Breton reservation, owned by the federal government, by these simple preventive measures there were hatch- ed and raised all of 40,000 birds.

The following species: Common terns, forsters, terns, royal terns, laughing gulls, black skimmers,

AS TO SWETTENHAM

London Hears That the Foreign Office
Has Accepted Resignation.

London, Jan. 30.—There is reason to believe that the resignation of Sir Alexander Swettenham as governor of Jamaica has been accepted, though the officials of the foreign office are mystify- ingly silent, and refuse all informa- tion on the subject. This official re- sistance is attributed to a desire for the loss of the governor, and the good management of the Toronto jail un- der the present regime.

AGAIN the story of religious discussions among the guards was related by wit- nesses, while the attempt was made, to prove that a conspiracy existed among the Roman Catholic guards and prisoners.

It was expected that Governor Vanzant would take the stand on his own behalf this afternoon, but his evidence was post- poned and the investigation adjourned by Commissioner Judd to Tuesday, Feb. 12.

SCOTCH SETTLER

FIGHTS WOLVES

A Saskatoon Homesteader Has
Wild All-Night Experience With
Storm and Beasts.

Davidson, Saskatchewan, Jan. 30.—John Hill, late of Dumfrieshire, Scot- land, now homesteading, had a never- to-be forgotten experience on the 4th of Jan. 5. On the morning of the 4th, with two other homesteaders, Richard Johnson and Walter Boland, he started by horse and wagon to the west of the Saskatoon. On the way to the river it was decided that one of the number should proceed down the river to Riverview postoffice to get their mail and some eatables, remain over night, return next day and rejoin the others. Being the best walker, Hill rashly vol- unteered, made the Elbow all right, secured the mail and supplies—quite a large bagful in all, and early next morning set out on the lonely road to rejoin his friends. There having been a storm during the night, the walking even on the river, was heavy, and despite the bitter cold, Hill perspired freely as he came down the river.

He was alone, and his only com- panion was a lone wolf, which he had induced several hours, causing him to lose about three hours. Thus, when he reached the place where he was to rejoin his friends, it was found that they had gone, and that night was fast closing in on him. Knowing he could not succeed in reaching the home of George Moore, the nearest settler, and carry the bag, he climbed a tree, hung on a limb, and set out as best he could, owing to his emaciated condi- tion. Finally, he reached the prairie or tableland within, as he thought, a mile of Moore's, only to find that, owing to a bitterly cold and blinding snow, he could not see where to go. After tramping a considerable time he found himself descending into the ravine which he ascended from the river. Realizing he was growing ap- prehensive, and that his ears, face and fingers were already frozen, and unable to proceed in any given direction owing to the storm, he concluded to seek a well-sheltered spot in the ravine, which was fortunately well- wooded with small dead timber, built himself a fire and endeavor to hold out until morning or the storm abated.

Quick as possible he gathered a quantity of dead wood, and kindled a fire, and then applied snow to the frozen parts. Soon naught could be seen but a little fire at his feet. For a time all went well, save the stinging of the frozen fingers, ears, etc. But the storm was too much for him. Whether through the subjective mind, which it is claimed is ever on guard, or a sense of intuition, Hill felt he was being approached by someone from be- hind. Instantly turning, he saw the eyes of the fiercest of several wolves, who had just cast lots as to what part of him they should have.

Thoroughly frightened, with a shout that would dwarf a lion's roar, he leaped forward, and with a blow from the back of his hand, he struck the bucking broncho, and, like a true Briton, manfully charged the foe, which, deeming discretion the better part of valor, fell back a short distance. In good order, however, growing and snarling in the language of the mem- orable Davy Crockett, as only such pesky critters can. Thus, with back to the fire during the long-drawn hours of that dreadful night, awful for its terror, Hill was forced to keep the savage, howling beasts at bay. What would he have given for a good broadsword, and how he prayed for the light of day, he alone knows.

With the approach of morning the storm subsided, and with the first glimpse of light, Hill could distinctly see four large wolves but a few feet distant, seated upon their haunches, watching his every action, growling and snarling in the language of a blow from a burning brand. Here he was kept a prisoner until 10:30, when they quietly sneaked away. He then as speedily as possible reached Moore's residence, when, to his amazement, although he was unaware of it, not only was it found that the parts referred to were badly frozen, but also his feet and legs to that extent that when the clothing was removed, which had been cut off, his feet rattled on the floor like stones.

THAW'S UMBRELLA WENT UP

Bridgeton Man Got It for Twenty-One Dollars.

Bridgeton, N. J., Jan. 29.—Joseph T. Kernan of this city, has an umbrella which belonged to Harry K. Thaw, for which he paid \$21 a few days ago.

Thaw left it at a hotel in Freehold, Pa., a year or so ago, and after his present trial began the thrifty hotel- keeper to consider the idea of making some money out of it. Accordingly he put it up for the highest bidder and Kernan secured it.

DEATH OF P. TATE

Quebec, Jan. 31.—One of Que- bec's most prominent citizens, Philippe Tate, notary public, died yesterday, aged 82 years. He had been in ill health for some time, so that his death was not unexpected.

SPEAK WELL OF VANZANT

Many Testify to the Good Conduct of
Toronto City Jail.

Toronto, Jan. 30.—The defense opened its case in the investigation into the conduct of Governor Vanzant, of the Toronto jail, today.

A large number of witnesses were ex- amined, all of whom testified to the good conduct of Governor Vanzant and the good management of the Toronto jail un- der the present regime.

Again the story of religious discussions among the guards was related by wit- nesses, while the attempt was made, to prove that a conspiracy existed among the Roman Catholic guards and prisoners.

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INCOME TAX NOW

ALARMS FRENCH

Stock Values Show Big Decline
In Consequence and Inves-
tors Are Worried.

Paris, Jan. 30.—One of the absorb- ing topics of the moment is the income tax project which the Minister of Finance, it is announced, is about to submit to Parliament. No details are as yet forthcoming, but the mere sus- picion that French three per cents are to be included among the sources of revenue taxed has been a sufficient cause for the steady decline in those national bonds.

Scarcely a year ago they were quoted at par. They are now fluctuating be- tween 95 and 94, with a persistent downward tendency. At the same time foreign bonds are rising, which is taken as an indication that French holders are selling rentes and invest- ing abroad. The income tax is re- garded in France as a particularly wild experiment. As all sources of revenue are already taxed separately in one form or another, a special tax on net incomes is bound to be oppres- sive and the manner in which it will be applied is likely to make it intoler- able.

French administrative methods in every respect are preventive in es- sence, so it is fairly certain that the procedure adopted to ascertain the amount of a man's income will be de- vised so as to prevent any fraudulent declaration than to provide for its punishment.

French business men dread, perhaps with reason, that the inquisitorial in- vestigation into their affairs which is certain to follow the application of a tax on net incomes will place them even more at the mercy of the admin- istrative powers than is the case now. Uneasiness has been created by M. Caillaux's frank declaration that "a bigger contribution must be exacted from the possessors of big fortunes." This is interpreted as meaning that socialist doctrines with regard to the penalization of wealth are to be ap- plied.

As this idea has sufficed to bring down French rentes, people are ask- ing anxiously what will be the effect of any attempt to realize the project. An absurd report has been bruited about by the Opposition press to the effect that the Minister of Finance has appealed to big banking houses to pur- chase French rentes in order to stiffen the quotation. This rumor, however, is too foolish to deserve an instant's at- tention.

Nevertheless, the general uneasiness is so great that the Government has thought it advisable to issue an official denial and Gil Blas publishes an article exposing its utter folly.

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FACTS FOR FARMERS

Supplementary Meetings of the North
Middlesex Institute.

The North Middlesex Farmers' Institute will hold supplementary meetings at the places mentioned below. The delegates are Mr. Arkell, Guelph, and Mr. Wm. Read, Lunenburg. The directors will have horses and cattle present, so that the delegates may demonstrate their lectures.

Mrs. L. G. Price, Toronto, will speak to the ladies in the afternoon, and at the union evening meetings, as stated below. She is a graduate of the School of Domest- ic Science at Toronto. Some of her sub- jects are "The Value of Fruit in Our Diet," "Foods," illustrated by charts; "Meats," also illustrated. Bring the ladies when you come to the farmers' meeting.

Lobo, Friday, Feb. 1—Afternoon session, Red Barn, at 1:30; evening session in Masonic Hall, at 7:30.

Granton, Saturday, Feb. 2—Afternoon session, Harmony Hall, at 2 o'clock. No evening session, and no ladies' meetings.

Mooreville, Monday, Feb. 4—Afternoon session at 1:30, in Mr. Moore Simpson's shed; evening session at 7:30.

West McMillan, Tuesday, Feb. 5—Afternoon session at 1:30, commencing in town hall.

Greenway, Wednesday, Feb. 6

Sylvan, Thursday, Feb. 7.

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A GUIDE FOR TRAVELERS

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

MAIN LINE—SARNIA TUNNEL TO SUSPENSION BRIDGE AND TORONTO

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

Arrive from the west—12:15 a.m., 12:30 a.m., 11:20 a.m., 1:25 p.m., 4:10 p.m., 6:25 p.m.

Depart for the east—12:20 a.m., 3:25 a.m., 8:1 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 2:05 p.m., 4:25 p.m., 6:55 p.m. (Eastern Flyer).

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

Depart for the west—4:15 a.m., 7:40 a.m., 11:10 a.m., 11:32 a.m., 1:55 p.m., 6:01 p.m.

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

LONDON AND WINDSOR

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

Depart—6:35 a.m., 11:25 a.m., 2:20 p.m., 7:54 p.m. (International Limited) stops only at Glencoe and Chatham.

STRATFORD BRANCH

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

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

LONDON, HURON AND BRUCE

Arrive—9:45 a.m., 6:10 p.m.

Depart—8:15 a.m., 4:50 p.m.

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

PERE MARQUETTE RAILWAY.

Depart—6:45 a.m., 9:45 a.m., 9:48 a.m., 2:30 p.m., 9:40 p.m., 17 p.m.

Arrive—6:48 a.m., 12:10 p.m., 1:54 p.m., 4:40 p.m., 9:20 p.m., 11:30 p.m.



The Ingersoll bunch was too slow for our Collegiate Kidlets last night. London 5, Ingersoll 4. That's all.

The three Ottawa hockey slug experts, Alf and Harry Smith and Alf Spittal, have been haled into court and several of the 200 witnesses subpoenaed have sworn that the blows struck the Montreal players were deliberate. If the slugging was of a deliberate nature the men should be severely punished. True sport never thrived on rowdism, and the quicker the offending parties realize it the better it will be for them.

Many hockey and lacrosse players have for their motto "Slug before you get slugged, because you may not be able to do so after you get handed yours." It seems that the referees are the individuals who, in many cases, foster the very rowdism which they should prevent by allowing rough work at the start-off to go unpunished. It is human nature to "get even" with a man who does one an injury, and when one player deliberately injures another, a minute or two on the side lines does not seem to be much by way of punishment. If a few of these stick-swingers were thrown out of the game for good the effect on the players should be for the better.

Says the Brantford Examiner: "Bert Costin, writing from Guelph, is enthusiastic about a professional hockey league, in which this city would figure prominently. Next year there will be a professional team in Western Ontario, and Guelph will be right in it. Such is the announcement made by those who should know. The league will consist of the Toronto professional team, Guelph, Brantford, and probably Woodstock and London. Guelph, of course, has the nucleus for a fast professional team already. Brantford has the men at the first of each year, and will be able to retain Brown and Taylor, of the Canadian Soo, McDonald, of Calumet, Bousie Hutton, of Ottawa, and others. Woodstock would be able to draft enough men in for the purpose. Taking it all around, the time seems to be ripe for the formation of the league.

The McVior-Cole hockey case has fallen through. Cole says he now believes the blow was an accidental one, and is willing to let the matter drop. Penny how a little time will heal one's sore spots, isn't it?

Harry Lewis, the Philadelphia boxer who was Mike Ward's opponent in that fatal bout, has lost a decision to Dan Cupid. A Grand Rapids young lady is to become his bride. The match is said to be somewhat on the romantic order, as the girl struck by Lewis when he was in trouble over the unfortunate Ward bout, and later cheered him to victory when he fought and whipped Rube Smith in Denver.

At last Londoners will have an opportunity of witnessing the Burns-O'Brien fight films, as they will be shown at the Grand Opera House Friday and Saturday of this week. The pictures are said to be remarkably clear, having been taken by an improved style of arc lighting.

The training season of the big league baseball clubs will begin earlier this season than in the past. The New York Americans will play six games with the Atlanta, Ga., team, beginning March 15. The Atlanta club is part of the Southern League.

The big league presidents, Pulliam and Johnson, are having their own troubles these days trying to arrange a non-conflicting schedule between the American and National Leagues. After working over the problem for fifteen hours recently, they found that there were 59 conflicting dates. Later that number was reduced to 30, and they are still pegging away on the puzzle. With teams representative of both leagues in five large cities—New York, St. Louis, Chicago, Boston and Philadelphia—it must certainly be very difficult to arrange a schedule satisfactory to both organizations.

Tommy Burns is very speedily learning how to get free advertising. He is playing at a Buffalo theater this week and has boomed the box office receipts considerably by announcing that he has wired Jeffries a direct challenge. Wouldn't that tickle you like a feather?

And now we are to have a real live battle for the welterweight boxing championship. Honey Melody, of Boston, holder of the title, has agreed to meet Willie Lewis, of New York, and the pair will hook up at Valley Falls, Rhode Island, on Feb. 11. Melody defeated Lewis in three rounds last time the pair met, but Lewis has always claimed that the victory was won on a fluke.

The latest sporting item to come whizzing over the wireless telegraph route is to the effect that Spain will enter the international balloon race in St. Louis next October. Spain, it will be remembered, took the balloon route when she hooked up in that memorable battle with Uncle Sam, and it is evident that the habit still sticks.

The American papers are still harping about the manner in which Tommy Burns sidesteps Mike Schreck, the Cincinnati brawler. Billy Hogan, who manages Schreck, has mailed a set of articles to Burns at Buffalo, and has left space enough for Burns to insert any clause that he may wish, giving Burns wholly the best of it should he agree to a match. When Burns was in this city the other day he stated that he could see no benefit in meeting dubs for small purses when he could get fat ones for meeting good men. That sounds all right, but facts tell a different story. Schreck is far removed from "Dubville," and there may be reason in Tommy's madness.

SOUTH PAW.

First Round of the O. H. A. To Be Completed This Week

Toronto, Jan. 30.—The O. H. A. races are fast narrowing down, and at the close of this week the first round will be practically completed, apart from a tie here and there. The series, of course, will not finish until Feb. 13, both on the same day, but when they have only the two districts to fight it out at the close.

There are very few postponed games yet to be played off, almost all the districts having caught up with their schedules from that rainy week of more early in the season.

In the senior districts, Peterboro has the call from here, with Kingston and Midland still having a chance, though tonight's game at Kingston, if a win for the Peters, will pretty well decide it, with only an off chance of the Argos or Marlborough winning in Peterboro, and with the latter having the call against Midland in Midland.

In the second district St. Georges and Stratford and Berlin are all in the running, and tonight's game here between the two first named will pretty well decide the question between the two, particularly if the Saints win. However, the race is still very open, except for Galt, and they are liable to put a crimp in any of the others, as last night's defeat of Berlin of 12 to 3 shows.

Among the intermediate group winners have been returned as follows: No. 2, Cobourg; No. 4, Port Colborne (subject to protest); No. 5, Orangeville; No. 7, Berlin; No. 8, Paris; No. 10, Collingwood; No. 13, Little Current.

In group 1 there will be a tie if Stratford wins at Smith's Falls tomorrow. If they lose, the Mc-Mac-

will be district champions.

Group 3 is still in the balance, Port Perry leading with one game to go in Uxbridge Friday, in which a win for the home team will tie up the round and a loss give it to Port Perry.

Group 4 A looks like a tie between Newmarket and St. Georges II, and 6 and 5 are still hammering away with the end in sight. Group 11 is open, with Perry Sound and Midland to fight it out on a tie, and 12 is still in process of play.

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Eight petitions for electric lights were laid over for a while.

ST. MARYS WON FROM STRATFORD

Stone Town Had Five Shots to the Good in Western Ontario Tankard Game.

St. Marys, Jan. 30.—The western tankard primary of group No. 4 was played here today, only Stratford and St. Marys were in the play. Parkhill, Alisa Craig and Seaford having defaulted. When the last end was played each rink was a tie. In the play-off St. Marys won by 5 shots.

FOREST WON.
Forest, Jan. 30.—Two rinks from the Parkhill Curling Club played a friendly game here this afternoon, Forest winning by 18 shots.

Parkhill, Steel, Forest, McDougall, skip, 4 skip, 11 Mitchell, skip, 5 skip, 16 McPherson, skip, 16 skip, 16

Total, 9 Total, 27

A CLOSING GAME.
Mount Forest, Jan. 30.—Three rinks of curlers from Durham played here today. The game was a close one, resulting in a victory for Mount Forest by 1 shot. Following is the rinks and scores:

Mount Forest, Durham.
Rink 1.
G. R. Theobald, W. C. Calder, skip, 14 skip, 14 Rink 2.

D. G. Beacom, J. C. Telford, skip, 11 skip, 11 Rink 3.
R. Galbraith, J. Telford, skip, 10 skip, 9

Majority for Mount Forest, 1 shot.

GUELPH'S SO-CALLED "PROS" CLEAN UP ON TORONTO OUTFIT

Stratford Seniors Lose to St. George's—Two Ottawa Players Sent for Trial.

Guelph, Jan. 30.—The Guelph "professionals" doubled the score on the Toronto Pros tonight, winning a fast game by the score of 8 to 4. The match proved to be a sensational one, the chief feature being the great work of the juniors who filled in on the local team.

For the visitors, Toole, in goal, played well, but Lambie and Young proved to be stronger on the offensive than the defensive. Carmichael played perhaps the best game on the forward line.

For the locals every man played his game. Booth, in goal, stopped some hot ones, and Christman and Corbeau made up a great defense. Corbeau, a tall, lean chap, played all over the ice, and scored two goals. Quillet got three, McVior, one, Fyfe, two, and Roche none. The teams lined up as follows:

Toronto—Goal, Toole; point, Lambie; cover, Young; rover, Ridpath; center, Carmichael; wings, Burgoyne and McLaren.

Guelph—Goal, Booth; point, Christman; cover, Corbeau; rover, Roche; center, Fyfe; wings, Quillet and Mercer.

Referee—C. Martin, of Barrie.

ST. GEORGE'S ALL THE WAY.

Toronto, Jan. 30.—It was St. George's all the way in the senior O. H. A. game at Mutual street rink tonight between Stratford and St. George's. The half time score was 4 to 0, and at the finish 4 to 3 in favor of St. George's.

SOLDIERS BEAT PETERBORO.

Kingston, Jan. 30.—The senior O. H. A. game here tonight was won by the fourth regiment team, which defeated Peterboro by 4 to 2. At half time the Kingston team was ahead by 2 to 0.

THIS WENT TO MARKHAM.
Markham, Jan. 30.—Markham defeated Cannington in an O. H. A. intermediate game here tonight by 10 goals to 5. Referee Galtie gave good satisfaction.

COMMITTED FOR TRIAL.

Montreal, Jan. 30.—Two members of the hockey team were today committed to stand trial before court of King's bench on a charge of assaulting Hod Stuart and Cecil Blatchford, members of the Wanderers team of Montreal, during the game of Jan. 28. These were Alf Smith and "Baldy" Spittal. Harry Smith is also under investigation charged with assaulting Ernie Johnson.

MIDLAND'S FAST GAME.

Midland, Jan. 30.—The Junior O. H. A. game between Penetang and Midland, played here tonight, was one of the fastest ever played by the junior team. It resulted in a victory for the home team by a score of 9 to 5. Whitehead, of Toronto, was referee, and gave every satisfaction.

ONE FOR SHAMROCKS.

Montreal, Jan. 30.—Montreal and Shamrocks met in the Eastern League hockey series tonight and the match resulted in favor of the Shamrocks by 5 to 3 after a fairly exciting contest.

NORTHERN LEAGUE STANDING.

The standing of the clubs in the Northern League is as follows:

To	Won	Lost	Play
Mount Forest	4	2	2
Harriston	3	3	2
Wingham	2	2	1
Listowel	2	2	4
Kincardine	0	3	5

WILL BE IN THE SWIM.

Waterloo, Jan. 30.—At the annual meeting of the Waterloo Rink Company last night provision was made for the enlargement and improvement of the rink. From events that have transpired the last few weeks it seems

Manufacturer's Removal Sale

— NO. 2 AND LAST —

Again our banners are out. This means a last opportunity to take advantage of our Great Clearing Sale. About March 1 we are going to move into the new Greene-Swift Block, and have decided to put on another **Grand Remnant Sale** for the purpose of clearing out all our present stock of **Corsets, Walking Skirts and Underskirts**, also remnants of **Dress Goods and Suitings**. The remnants of all these lines, left from our last Saturday's successful sale, will be offered for sale **Saturday, Feb. 2, at still greater reductions.**

REMNANT OF CORSETS

Here's a bargain for you and one that will long be remembered as the **BEST CORSET VALUE** ever offered the ladies of London and vicinity. The corsets are a special 75c quality. They are well made from the best materials and neatly trimmed. Erect form, medium length and will be found both comfortable and durable. Sizes 18 to 26. We are clearing the remnants out on **SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 2, at..... 33c**

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You will expect a snap and you will get one, for we purpose clearing out all the walking skirts left from last Saturday's successful sale. To do this we have marked down from their former sale price to **CLEARING REMNANT SALE PRICES**. Be quick to take advantage of these great values. **IT WILL PAY YOU.**

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There will be a **JOB LOT** counter of short ends, at 5c, 10c and 15c A BUNDLE.

REMNANT OF UNERSKIRTS

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These skirts sell freely at their regular prices, \$2.59 and \$2.75 each. **ON SALE SATURDAY FEBRUARY 2, at..... \$1.65**

WON EVERY HEAT, COLLEGIANS PULLED BUT HAD TO HUSTLE OUT IN SECOND HALF

Morris Wood Took Four Events at Saranac Lake — Will Compete at Toronto.

Saranac Lake, N. Y., Jan. 30.—Four thousand persons today witnessed the races at the Pontiac Club. Morris Wood, of the Saranac Skating Club, won all his heats. In the three-mile event, however, Logan, of the Verona Lake, N. J., Skating Club, pressed him closely.

Amateur Events.
All the amateur events were run in heats. The three-mile professional Sinnerud fell just as he was catching Norval Baptie. Summary:

222 yards dash—

First heat—Wood, first; Finlayson, Montreal, second. Time, 29 seconds.

Second heat—Logan, first; Anderson, Chicago, second. Time, 23 3-5 seconds.

Third heat—Sutphen, first; Thomson, second. Time, 21 3-5 seconds.

880 yards—

First heat—Wood, first; Finlayson, Montreal, second. Time, 23 3-5 seconds.

Second heat—Brown, Montreal, first; Aird, Montreal, second. Time 7 minutes and 25 seconds.

Third heat—Sutphen, first; Logan, second. Time, 1 minute and 22 seconds.

1 mile—

First heat—Wood, first; Finlayson, second. Time, 3 minutes and 5 seconds.

Second heat—Aird, first; Anderson, second. Time, 3 minutes and 7 seconds.

Third heat—Lamey, Saranac Lake, first; Logan, second. Time, 3:20.

3 miles—

First heat—Wood, first; Lamey, second; Sutphen, third. Time, 9:49.

Second heat—Logan, first; Brown, second; Anderson, third. Time, 9:52.

Professional Events.

Half mile—Norval Baptie, first; J. K. McCulloch, second; Sinnerud, and Bellefleur dead heat for third place. Time, 1:26.

1 mile—Baptie, first; McCulloch, second; Sinnerud, third. Time, 3:08 2-5.

Three miles—Baptie, first; Bellefleur, second; McCulloch, third. Time, 9:53.

World's Record for Baptie.

Fort William, Jan. 30.—At the Arena Rink here Norval Baptie, the North Dakota champion skater, established a world's record for the half mile, previously held by Johnny Nilson.

The distance was measured by three independent gentlemen and the stop watch used was of unquestionable veracity. Baptie's time was 1:16 flat, the previous record for the world for the distance being 1:18.

Fast Ones Will Come.

Toronto, Jan. 30.—Morris Wood, the United States champion skater, will be here for the Canadian skating championship race to be held under the auspices of the C. A. A. U., Friday and Saturday. So will Philip Kearsey, Stephen Taylor and a couple of others from down New York way. This news was contained in a wire to Secretary A. D. Fisher today. Wood and the others were at Saranac Lake, and awaiting the result of the meeting of the National Skating Association in New York, to decide which races they could compete at.

Now that the Montreal meet has been thrown down by the National Association the skaters will all be here. W. P. Agnew, the Manitoba champion, arrived today and has entered all the events and in addition to Fred J. Robinson, the city champion, Lot and John Roe, C. D. Hefferman, Frank Barlow and other well-known local men have entered, and a new Roe has turned up, a west end Y. M. C. A. boy, a brother of the other pair. John Patterson has entered the half mile backward race, and T. J. Ferguson, of the Fred Victor Athletic Club has also decided to try his luck in the distance events.

ton Town 118, Tanya 117, Tokalon 116, Whiskel 115, The Quail 115, Neston 114, Far West 112, Inquisitor 112, Logistilla 111, Blandy 111, Salvatore 107, Comedienne 102, Demund 102, Jack Atkin 100, Tony Faust 100, Court Dress 98, Horace T. 98, Superman 95, and Bat Masterson 92.

RECORD HOLDS GOOD.
Toronto, Jan. 30.—When Messrs. Sheppard & Willoughby's pacer, Blackbird, won the first heat in the free-for-all in 2:14½ at the recent Port Perry meeting, a new world's record for a mile on ice was established. Later it was stated that the track was considerably short of a mile, and the record, therefore, would not stand. Ex-Ald. O. B. Sheppard, desirous of knowing the facts about his horse's mark, thereupon communicated with Port Perry and asked that the exact measurement of the track be furnished, and was assured that it was the regulation distance. He wanted something more definite than this, though, and is now in receipt of a certificate that the track was a mile.

GALT RESENTS GUELPH CHARGES

Feeling That O. H. A. Senior Series Will Be Disrupted and Pro League Formed.

Galt, Jan. 30.—The arraignment of the three Galt hockey players, Tab Johnson, Harry Munn and James Brady, on the charge of professionalism, is resented as being by Galt Hockey Club as by the individual members accused. In a talk with leading representatives of the local sporting element this morning, the opinion was freely expressed that the inevitable outcome of the procedure instituted would be the disruption of the senior O. H. A. and the organization of a professional league. The statement was made by those who know what they are talking about that after the Galt-Berlin game last night there would be decisive "doings." Just what is in the wind cannot be ascertained, but that business is meant is beyond question.

The local promoters of the game are so exasperated that they are ready for a radical move that will work a revolution, and finally restore things to a new condition and a fresh start.

PETERBORO NOT WORRYING.

Peterboro, Jan. 30.—The officers and players of the Peterboro Club are not worrying about the charges against their amateur standing made by Mr. Irving, of Guelph. The team is composed entirely of Peterboro boys, every man on the team, with the exception of Lang, the junior goalkeeper, having lived in the city all his life. Lang came to Peterboro four years ago and learned the game here, being a graduate from the City League. Their amateur standing has never been questioned either in hockey or any other sport, and it is a significant fact that never in the long and eventful history of the Peterboro Club has it had to defend a protest. There are no tourists or ringers on the Peterboro team, and an investigation of the charges will assure the O. H. A. of that fact.

STRATFORD SENIORS IMPLICATED.

Guelph, Jan. 30.—Mr. Norman E. Irving has received a letter implicating two Stratford senior hockey players on the ground that they played a game of lacrosse last summer in Chicago on a Sunday. This is strictly against both C. L. A. and O. H. A. rules, but the offense is rendered still more serious by the fact that several well-known professional lacrosse players took part in the same game under assumed names. The proof will be supplied by one who was at the game, a former national, who will be on hand at the O. H. A. executive meeting tomorrow night.

It was decided to write the G. T. R. at once and see if the company will sell the city the water needed.

Some of the horses entered for the Brooklyn, with their weights, are: Accountant 126, Gobstuck 120, Sir Huss 119, Dr. Gardner 119, Dandelion 118, Col-

Locals Defeated the Ingersoll Seven in a Good Game at the Jubilee Rink.

The London Collegiate hockey team won out over the fast Ingersoll seven last night at the Jubilee Rink in a hotly-contested struggle.

The rink was well filled with spectators, and excitement was rife.

During the first half the Ingersoll boys came to the fore, and the score was 3 to 2 in their favor.

In the last half the local boys cut loose and won out quite handsily by a score of 5 to 4.

Archie McMahon refereed in his usual satisfactory manner.

A luncheon was served the visiting team after the game, and the boys had a merry time over the feast.

The lineup was as follows:
London—Goal, Campbell; point, MacRobert; cover, Althouse; left wing, Wood; center, Lee; right wing, Producers; rover, McArthur (captain).

Ingersoll—Goal, Laird; point, Williams; cover, Clark; left wing, Berry; center, Richardson; right wing, Silcox; rover, Beck (captain).

ICE RACING.
SECOND DAY AT NAPANEE.

Napanee, Ont., Jan. 30.—The second day's winter races were finished today at the driving park, and resulted as follows:

233 class—

Minnie Bell, Geo. Powell, Orillia..... 1 1 1

Joe Allen, W. Simpson, Lindsay..... 2 2 2

Petty Nell, McQue Bros., Kingston..... 3 3 3

Truswell, J. Loyes, Harrowsmith..... 4 4 4

Maud, E. Harrington, Kingston..... 5 dr

Time—2:28½, 2:32, 2:37.

Free for all—

William C. McDowell, Toronto..... 4 1 1

Devers, J. Powell, Napanee..... 1 2 4

Starkey, E. Francis, Napanee..... 3 3 3

Happy Jack, Simonds, Niagara Falls..... 2 4 3

Time—2:26, 2:24½, 2:30, 2:32.

BASEBALL.
SULLIVAN FOR AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Milwaukee, Jan. 30.—President O'Brien of the American Baseball Association has received the signed contract for the season of Empire William J. Sullivan, of Rochester, N. Y.

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LONDON AND DISTRICT

—Mrs. Ward, of Stratford, is visiting relatives in this city.

—Mrs. T. W. Gray, of Woodstock, is visiting London friends.

—The judges at the Rambler Club carnival held at the Jubilee Rink on Tuesday night, were Messrs. E. W. Boyle, James Fitzgerald and J. Shaw.

—The non-coms. and men at Wolseley Barracks gave a dance last night at the barracks, which was well attended. A splendid programme was run off and light refreshments were served.

—A very enjoyable evening was spent at Crumlin Orange Hall, when a dance and supper were given by Mr. Robert Drake. Eighty guests were present. Music was furnished by Henry brothers, of London.

—Secretary A. M. Hunt of the Western Fair has sold his out-of-town auctioneering business to Mr. G. A. Hatch, and will in future confine his attention to city auctioneering, valuating and his Western Fair work.

—The quarterly meeting of the St. Johns circuit will be held at Hyde Park on Sunday, service commencing at 10:30 a.m. A special sermon will be preached in the St. Johns Methodist Church in the evening by the pastor, Subject: "One-sided People."

—Early last evening a horse belonging to Mr. W. T. Strong, which had been left standing in front of his house on Dufferin avenue, ran away and broke the cutter. While turning west on York street the sleigh was thrown against a telephone pole. The horse was not found until several hours after the accident.

—Mr. Thomas Evans, local passenger and freight agent of the Michigan Central Railroad, has received a circular from the head offices of the company announcing that a huge ice bridge has formed in the gorge at Niagara Falls, and that large numbers of visitors are flocking to the Falls to witness the beautiful sight.

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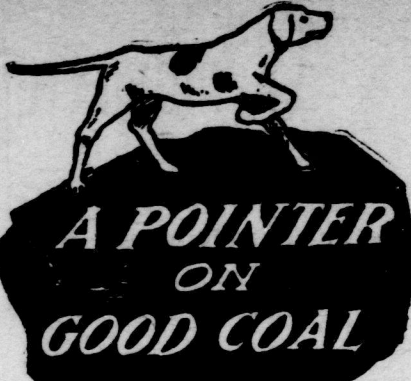
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LECTURE ON MUSIC.

Mrs. T. C. Duncan lectured on music on Tuesday before last. Y. W. C. A., taking as her subject, "The Music of the Past and That of the Future." Mrs. Duncan touched on the Wagner music, and said that while music, and especially vocal, appealed to everyone, the literature of music was not as well known as it might be. In April, Mrs. Duncan will lecture on "Art and Its Relation to Everyday Conditions."

FIGHT PICTURES COMING.

Manager Stewart, of the Grand Opera House, announces that the Bennett syndicate will not take control of the Grand until Monday next, and that he has booked in for Friday and Saturday the pictures of the famous fight between Philadelphia Jack O'Brien and Tommy Burns, the Canadian, who is well known here as a lacrosse player, and whose home is in Preston. The pictures have been shown in many places in Ontario, and they are described as clear and true to life. Thursday night, "Shanghaied," the Indian mauling worker, will be the attraction at the Grand.

FIRE BRIGADE FIGURES

Chief Clark Submits Estimates for 1907 to the Council Committee.

Fire Chief Clark last night submitted his estimates for the department for 1907. He greatly pleased and surprised the 3 committee by putting in figures for the cost of running the department exactly \$75 less than the estimate of a year ago. The figures for each of the three stations this year and last were as follows:

	1906.	1907.
No. 1 Station	\$17,470	\$17,495
No. 2 Station	5,575	4,865
No. 3 Station	4,495	4,865

Totals

The chief recommended strongly that a new fire hall be built in the north end at a total cost of \$8,000, and the committee decided to place the amount named in its estimates. The chief called attention to the fact that the Protestant Orphan Asylum, St. Joseph's Hospital, the Aged People's Home, Mount Hope and many other places in the north end are poorly treated now as regards fire protection. The C. P. R. chief said he was always liable to delay the brigade when it is called north.

In accordance with the chief's recommendation, prices for the rebuilding of the present aerial truck, which has always been a weak point on the city's hands, will be asked at once, and if possible the work will be done this year.

Another recommendation of the chief, that as it is intended to have Dundas street between Wellington and Adelaide streets, the water commissioners be asked to place hydrants in the center of the blocks, will be acted upon.

Tenders for supplies for the department will be called for at once.

AUDIBLE A MILE.

A phonograph, which can be heard a mile away, is the new French invention, the telephone. The sound is produced by the use of what are called governing flames, and the principle governing the method were first explained in 1903 by G. C. Porter before the London Physical Society.

Mr. Porter found that if a tuning fork be struck and then held in the hands of a person, the sound is perceptibly increased. The maximum of sound intensity occurs when the fork is held where the flame is hottest.

The French inventor, G. Landt, uses a record which has the sound vibrations of a drum, but in length, and the stylus travels horizontally, like a pendulum. The stylus separates the gas chamber into two parts and the gas then passes on to the burners. The vibrations of the drum open and close the gas openings, causing the flow to vary.

The sound is so intense that it can be heard a mile away. It can be lessened by regulating the burner, but the power of sound is found to be always proportional to the energy given during combustion.—Musical Age.

COLD AND BREATHING.

"If you'd only realize," said the physician, "that deep breathing is a perfectly successful substitute for an overcoat in an emergency, the chances are ten to one that you wouldn't have got cold. About this time of the year colds are frequent because people get caught just as you did and can't think of any way to keep warm except running a race or getting up a brisk fight, with some one, which isn't always convenient. In such a case deep breathing is the best substitute for an overcoat there is. I was going up state by trolley the other day minus an overcoat because it didn't seem cold and the closed cars were on. After a time I struck a line which was still running open cars, and it wasn't many minutes before I was 'ditching' and getting warmer clothes. Instead of sitting there and absorbing a cold, however, which I'll bet most of the few people on the car did, I simply began to take long, deep breaths. When I got off the car instead of being stiff from cold, I was warm and comfortable from the extra oxygen I'd drawn into my lungs, combined with the extra physical exertion involved."—Philadelphia Record.

When you have them they are opinions; when other people have them they are delusions.

It's an easy matter to size up a man if his dog crawls under the house every time he sees him approaching.

When a man tells you how you ought to run your business just take a look at the way he is running his own.

Black Bess, an Australian mare, which had appeared over 3,000 times in the play of "Dick Turpin," died recently in London. Before she went on the stage she was a steeplechaser.

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STREET WATERING FOR THIS YEAR

Number Three Discusses It With Street Railway Co.

CAR SPRINKLER TO COST \$1,800

Company Unable to Give Figures Until They Learn Where Water Is To Be Had.

No. 3 committee of the city council last night took up the question of street watering this year, and with Manager King of the street railway discussed the advisability of the company doing the work.

Mr. King explained that a sprinkler suitable for this city will cost \$1,800, and will hold 2,500 gallons. Owing to the cost of the sprinkler, the manager stated that he will not consider a contract from the city for a shorter period than ten years.

It was pointed out that under the law the council has no power to make a contract with the company for a longer period than one year.

"We might buy a sprinkler and allow the company to use it, so as to overcome this obstacle," Ald. Booth said.

"You will have to get legislation to allow the city to make the contract," Mr. Graydon remarked.

It was then agreed that Ald. Gillean shall interview Hon. Adam Beck with a view to securing the necessary permission from the Legislature. If that body grants the city's request, the committee will go ahead and consider a tender from the company to do the work.

Mr. King explained that until such times as he knows exactly where to get the water, he will not be able to give the committee a figure. By the time Mr. Beck is heard from he will be ready to submit a tender.

"We can get water easily enough for the street railway sprinkler for the north, south, and west ends of the city," Mr. Graydon explained to the committee in reply to a question. "The only place we will have trouble will be in the east end."

Manager King expressed the opinion that it will be next to impossible to pump water from the river at a distance of over 18 feet, despite the assertion of City Engineer Graydon that with the aid of a foot valve water can be pumped 25 or 28 feet. If it is pumped more than 18 feet, Mr. King said it will be pumped so slowly that it would detain the sprinkler a long time to load the tank.

This matter of loading, Mr. King added, is a very serious matter. He does not want the street watering job unless he can do it without delays to the car service.

"Dear knows, the cars have enough to hinder them now," he told the committee.

Engineer Graydon said that water for the north end could be secured from the mill race on Wellington street north, and for the east end from the well on the grounds of the London Show Case Company, or from Carling's Creek, which runs in a 12-inch tile across Dundas street east.

"Where are you going to get water to supply your street wagons?" Mr. King asked.

"We will water no streets that the street railway cannot water unless the commissioners turn on the supply again," Mr. Graydon replied. "It would cost 7 or 8 cents a foot to water streets with water from wells, and then it would not be done satisfactorily."

"You will have the people in a state of rebellion on Queen's avenue and the other paved streets," Ald. Booth declared.

"We may be able to do something for these people," Mr. Graydon said, "but as yet I do not see what we can do."

The possibility of securing river water from the G. T. R. at Rectory street and other points was also discussed, as was also the sprinkling of oil on the roadways to keep down the dust. It was said that one sprinkling by a patent oil sprinkler used on the streets will last for 25