

CRAIG AN ALLEGED DEFAULTER TRUST CO. MAKES STATEMENT

In Which It Is Alleged That Well-Known Young Man Is Apparently Behind in His Accounts—Spent Money Rather Freely.

"Craig is apparently a defaulter. The whole shortage is embodied in one transaction on the 1st of February, 1908. The London and Western Trusts Company has security for the full amount, and will not lose one cent."

The above is the statement issued by Mr. John S. Moore, manager of the London and Western Trusts Company, in whose employ Mr. Walter Craig had been until a week ago. The amount of the alleged default is not known exactly, although there are rumors to the effect that it is very heavy. Some place the figure at \$10,000. This may be too heavy, but the loss, it is said, is considerable. Mr. Moore would not make any statement as to the amount. There is talk that the Guarantee Company that is on Craig's bonds will take action against Craig at once.

Well Known.

Craig was well known for his connection with various local athletic clubs, and was prominent as a football player. He has not, however, been active at the latter pastime for some years, but last year was picked by a Hamilton sporting writer as a candi-

date for an all-Canadian intermediate championship team. For some time it has been suspected that Craig has been spending a little high. He used to spend money like a sailor on occasions, and had the champagne habit. He was known to spend as high as \$10 an evening for drinks, and in other ways was thought to be moving rather swiftly. Craig bet heavily on the horse races also, and was quite a heavy loser very often.

His left the city rather hurriedly, and it was rumored that he was much behind in his accounts. However, assurances were given that he was all right, and the rumors were thought to be mere idle fancies. Now it is alleged why he made so hasty a flight from the city.

Craig's family live in South London, and are very respectable people.

PROMINENT ATHLETE.

Last season he played scrimmage for the local inter-provincial Rugby team, and was looked upon as a player of no mean ability.

This winter, Craig has devoted much of his spare time to bowling, at which pastime he was almost as successful as at football. For a long time he has been a member of the Hermitage, and has always taken an active part in the social events conducted by that popular organization.

COLDEST DIP IN FOUR YEARS 20 BELOW SUNDAY MORNING

The Weather Man Cleared the Streets on Saturday Night—People Couldn't Stand the Cold—The Figures for Some Years Past—Sunday a Record Breaker.

Saturday night and Sunday morning the weather man surpassed all his records for cold snaps since Jan. 5, 1904, the night of the big blizzard, which destroyed the Sterling building at the corner of York and Clarence streets, in which Chief John A. Roe lost his life.

On Saturday night the mercury went down gradually until at an early hour Sunday morning it touched the lowest mark of the season at 20 degrees below.

On the morning of the fire in January, 1904, it went down to 22 degrees below.

The three lowest temperatures in the last seven years are 26 degrees below in 1902, 22 degrees below in 1904, and 20 degrees below Sunday morning.

Last year the lowest point the mercury reached was 16.5 below, and the year before it only went down to 14 degrees below.

COLD DIP GENERAL.

The cold dip was general, and from places all around London low temperatures are reported. The thermometer started to go down early in the afternoon, and dropped steadily until at 10 o'clock in the evening the mercury showed twelve below.

Everybody who was downtown hurried home and took especial care before they went to bed to see that a good fire was laid on, which would last until the morning.

For railroadmen and for belated travelers, who were forced to wait in some small way-station, where there was more frost than fire, the evening was a particularly unpleasant one, and more than one traveler said things as he kicked his feet against the floor in a vain endeavor to keep warm.

FLOWERS SUFFERED.

Many a local conservatory went by the board Saturday night. Flowers which had been carefully nursed all winter were found frozen on Sunday morning, and great was the regret thereat.

There has been a great change in the temperature, however. This morning at 8 o'clock it was only 3.5 below.

Brainy Collie Saves a Boy's Life Found Lad Overcome By the Cold

[Special to The Advertiser.]

St. Thomas, Feb. 10.—Clarence W. Mattis, an 18-year-old lad was saved from freezing to death Saturday night by a farmer's collie dog. Young Mattis is employed in a livery stable, and undertook to drive a traveler about eight miles into the country. He was poorly clad for such a cold drive, as it was between 15 and 20 below zero. On the return trip his hands became

so numb he lost control of the horse and fell out of the cutter. He started up a lane towards the light of a farmhouse, but collapsed and fell in the snow. How long he lay there is not known, but he would undoubtedly have frozen to death had the barking of the farmer's dog not attracted attention. The animal led the farmer right to the spot. The boy may lose his hands and feet.

London Old Boys Are Called To Meet

Secretary B. C. McCann, of the Old Boys' Association, has called a meeting of the local association for the city hall tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock, for the election of officers. The meeting will be held in No. 2

committee room and a large attendance is requested. An effort will be made to make the reunion this summer the best yet held. Keep the date in mind.

City Auditor Is Going Over the Books

City Auditor Jewell is at present going over the annual statement of the London Street Railway for the purpose of discovering whether it would be in the interests of the city to purchase the plant.

So far nothing can be learned as to what his opinions on the subject are. It is expected that he will have finished his report on it in a short time, when it will be submitted to the council for their approbation.

Liberal "At Home."

The Liberal Club will hold an "At Home" on Wednesday evening in Hyman Hall. A splendid programme is being arranged. Refreshments will be served, and a good time is anticipated.

Six Rinks Coming.

Six rinks of the Queen City Curling Club, Toronto, will be in the city tomorrow afternoon and evening playing with the Thistle Club. Some great curling is expected.

Pitiable Condition of Aged Grey Street Couple Were for Hours Without Fire at 20 Below Zero

Awful Experience of Mr. and Mrs. John Britton, 88 Years of Age.

Some of the neighbors heard that Mr. Britton was ill, and came with food, but the old man refused absolutely to let any one nurse him but his wife.

A Pitiable Case.

Late on Friday night, as near as can be learned, Mr. Britton was taken suddenly worse, and his wife got up to get him a warm drink.

In the dark she tripped over the edge of a piece of carpet. All through the night she lay on the floor, unable to move, and suffering excruciating pain from a fractured hip. Her feeble husband was unable to get up, being too weak from his illness.

Fire Went Out.

In the meantime the fire went out, there being no one to attend to it. All through the morning, and up to about 4 o'clock in the afternoon the old people lay helpless in the freezing house, and when finally a neighbor ventured

in with something for the old man she found them both nearly dead with cold and pain.

Help was at once summoned, and the doctor pronounced the condition of Mrs. Britton to be so serious that she was at once ordered to Victoria Hospital.

Refused To Leave Husband.

The old lady refused absolutely to go and leave her husband, so it was decided to take him, too.

At present both are in the hospital, Mr. Britton suffering from such a severe cold that it is feared pneumonia will develop, and his wife with an injury which may prove fatal, and which will beyond doubt cripple her for life.

To the Home.

The authorities have decided to send both the old people to the home as soon as they can leave the hospital, and this morning made arrangements to that effect.

Isolation Hospital Ready by 1909 Such Is Ambition of Mr. Stewart

Meeting of the Committee Has Been Called for This Evening.

A special meeting of the hospital committee and the hospital trust will be held this evening in the city hall, when the new plans for the isolation hospital will be considered.

Conferences have been held this week between City Architect Nutter and the members of the hospital trust, and a

solution of the difficulties has been effected. Mr. Nutter knows now exactly what the board wants, and the plans will be prepared accordingly.

Adopt Original Plans.

It is expected that the original plans of Mr. Nutter will be adopted by the committee. They have been examined and have been found to be satisfactory. It is thought that the plans will be ready shortly, and that work will be commenced as early as possible.

"We want to have this hospital finished by Jan. 1, 1909," said Ald. Stewart, "and we are going to see that it is ready by that time."

Fighters Went Through Window Were Fined By Police Magistrate

Though the Groceryman Who Suffered Did Not Want To Prosecute.

William Cooper, George Coley and Joseph Murray, were the central figures in this morning's police court. The three young men were charged with being drunk and disorderly.

Murray and Coley got into a fight in West London on Saturday evening in front of Pinneke's grocery store. Murray tried to throw Coley through the window and in the struggle, the

big plate glass window was smashed. Mr. Pinneke did not wish to prosecute, but on general principles, Magistrate Love fined Murray \$10 and Coley \$5.

Cooper was only found guilty of being drunk and was fined \$2.

Alfred Evans, Dog Case, charged by J. Morley with keeping a vicious dog. Mr. Morley claimed the dog bit him and that he had to go to a doctor.

The case was settled by Mr. Evans agreeing to send the dog to the country and pay \$1 for the doctor's bill.

The case of A. Stinchcombe charged by D. C. Hartford with assault was left over for a week.

City's Chances of Purchase Not Bright London Street Railway in Big Deal

In Which All Western Ontario Companies Are Said To Be Interested.

Whether or not the city has capital enough available to purchase the London Street Railway, is the question being asked on the street these days. The opinion seems general that the city has not enough debenture leeway to purchase the company outright.

The assets of the company, according to the annual report, amount to \$1,411,000. It would take this amount, guaranteed, to buy the company out, probably considerable more.

"There has been nothing done as yet regarding the purchase of the London Street Railway," said Mayor Stevely this morning. "The auditor is still considering the financial statement in order to see whether it would be in the city's interests to purchase the company. If it is not in the city's in-

terests to do so, the matter will be dropped."

Anxious to Sell.

"There is no doubt that some of the London Street Railway people are anxious to sell," said a prominent citizen this morning, "but they are the minority shareholders. The other chaps are not so anxious to sell, except they get their price, which will be no small one. The company is in better condition to earn money than it has been in some time, and they will not let it get away from them until they see something bigger."

A Big Deal.

"There is a big deal on with electric railway people of Ontario at this present moment, and the company, I understand, will play an important part in it. I do not think the railway can be purchased at any figure but an outside price. I may be mistaken, but that is the way I figure it out."

Niagara power will not be here this year, and it will not give the council any trouble at all this year, and so that feature of it will be left in abeyance.

Church Complains of Few Marriages The Annual Report of St. Mary's

The Financial Statement Is Very Satisfactory—Great Growth of Congregation.

The annual financial statement of St. Mary's Catholic Church was issued yesterday and showed the finances of the church to be in a very healthy condition. The total receipts for the year amounted to \$9,459.02, and the expenditure \$8,275.62, leaving a balance on hand of \$1,183.40.

The report showed that \$934 had received communion during the year.

There were 44 baptisms, 14 marriages, and 23 deaths. The average age of the latter was 53 years and 1 month.

The total church debt is \$25,655, and the total insurance is \$28,700.

But Few Marriages.

In the congregation there are 339 families with 1,565 souls. Of these, 483 are children under 14 years of age. One paragraph is of special interest, and is quoted.

"There are 198 who may be classed as young men and 187 as young ladies—and, oh, so few marriages."

Father McKeon and Father Tobin are parish priests.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

Feb. 9. Reported at. From. Lunenburg.....Halifax.....Liverpool. Lucania.....New York.....Liverpool. St. Paul.....New York.....Cherbourg. Laurentian.....Boston.....Glasgow. Sylvania.....Boston.....Liverpool. America.....Cherbourg.....New York. Campania.....Liverpool.....New York. Cervona.....London.....Portland.

Zeeland.....Antwerp.....New York. Moskva.....Lithuania.....New York. St. Louis.....Plymouth.....New York. Cedric.....New York.....Naples. Columbia.....New York.....Glasgow. Ivernia.....Boston.....Manchester.

Board of Education. The board of education will meet tomorrow afternoon. Regular business is on the card.

MOTHER AND FIVE CHILDREN PERISH IN BURNING HOME

An Entire Family in New Liskeard Wiped Out Before the Eyes of Husband and Father.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

New Liskeard, Feb. 10.—A terrible tragedy occurred at 11 o'clock Sunday morning, when the wife and five children of Lawrence Haacke, formerly of 8 Bleeker Place, Toronto, were burned to death before his eyes. The mother and family were upstairs getting dressed, and the father was in the kitchen, when flames broke out from the stove, cutting off the only

means of escape. The fire spread so rapidly that Haacke was hurled back and almost suffocated when he attempted to reach his wife and children. By the time he had placed a ladder to the upstairs window, the place was a roaring furnace. The victims are the mother, Netta Haacke, Vera Margaret, 12 years old; Mabel, 10; George, 7; Clarence, 5, and Anna Evelyn, 3. The bodies of the victims were shipped to Toronto for burial.

Men and Teams Flocking To City Because of the Wages Being Paid

Said That the Gangs of the Street Railway Have Practically Deserted.

The action of the council in increasing the pay of laborers to \$1.50 a day and teamsters to \$4.00 a day, in the face of the protests of City Engineer Graydon, is having a most serious effect upon the London Street Railway, according to the engineer.

The company has been paying \$1.25 a day to laborers and \$3.50 a day to teamsters, but when the city boosted the wages, a number of the men and teams left the street railway and applied to Engineer Graydon for work.

Can't Accommodate Them.

"I can't accommodate them," the engineer said to The Advertiser. "They would like to work for us on account of the money, but we have but very little for anybody to do now."

Manager King, when seen by The Advertiser, denied that any of his men had left him.

"So far as I am aware, all the men and teams we had at work last week are with us yet," he said.

Trouble in Sight.

The dumping of the snow on certain streets, Wellington street for example, is riling many residents and threats of petitions to the council and also of injunctions are heard on all sides.

"We don't want all the snow from the pavements dumped in front of our doors," one man said. "If they continue to do so as they have been doing there will be trouble."

Express Plunges Into Stock Train Latter Was Blocking the Main Line

Several Passengers Hurt in Accident at Port Colborne Today.

Port Colborne, Feb. 10.—No. 35 express from Buffalo, due here at 8 a.m., collided with a through stock train from the west, which was standing on the main track in Port Colborne yard, several cars with the engine, being derailed. Conductor Buchanan, of the

express, had a shoulder and his back bruised. Expressman Williamson and Baggageman Stewart were badly shaken up, and several passengers were slightly injured, as follows: Mrs. H. Predman, of Buffalo, back injured; D. Hyman, Niagara Hotel, Buffalo, shoulder bruised; C. E. Clifford, Buffalo, right hip injured; George Weyand, Buffalo, right wrist cut; W. Tullman, Buffalo, left knee injured; L. Considine, Buffalo, back injured; Mrs. Dell Ridgeway, knee injured. The morning was hazy. The auxiliary from Bridgeburg cleared away the wreckage.

\$100,000 Fire at Latchford, Ont.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

New Liskeard, Feb. 10.—A serious fire broke out last night at Latchford, causing an estimated loss of \$100,000. The King Edward Hotel was damaged to the extent of \$20,000, with \$14,000 in- surance. Armstrong & Kingston are the

proprietors. A. Tuck, barber, lost \$600 insurance \$400; Alexandra Hall, loss \$10,000; Empire Lumber Company store, loss \$20,000, insured. Postoffice, assay office and other buildings are reported a total loss, but wires are down and information is incomplete.

Sudden Death of Well-Known Citizen

Mr. George E. Carrothers, of No. 311 Horton street, one of London's most highly respected citizens, died very suddenly at his home last evening. Mr. Carrothers was apparently in the best of health, and after fixing the stove for the night, took a glass of hot lemonade and prepared to retire.

He had hardly gone to bed, when Mrs. Carrothers heard him choking, and upon going to him found him unconscious.

He never rallied, and passed away before a physician could arrive. Mr. Carrothers was in his 63rd year, and was well known and very popular.

Besides his wife, he is survived by two daughters, Mrs. G. H. Williams, of Spokane, Wash., and Mrs. Walter Logan, of this city, and one son, Mr. Ernest, at home.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon at Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

\$300,000 for Battlefield Memorial

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Feb. 10.—Premier Goun and Hon. Mr. Turgeon of the Quebec Government, are here today interviewing the government in reference to a grant for the battlefields memorial project of the governor-general. It is understood that a sum will be placed in the estimates for

this purpose. Just how much has not yet been decided, but it will be somewhere between \$300,000 and \$400,000. A commission of members and senators selected from both sides of the house, will be appointed in connection with the matter. Messrs. Goun and Turgeon will also have an interview with his excellency the governor-general.

Greatest Blockade in the History of the G. T. R. Yards Filled From the Coves To East London

The need of a larger Grand Trunk yard in this city, was probably never more strikingly in evidence than late on Saturday night, when nearly a dozen freight trains from the west were stalled and blocked the local yards for several hours.

The blockade was one of the worst that has ever occurred and the trains extended in regular order from the yards in the east end nearly to the Cove bridge.

After considerable delay, in which the crossings from Wellington to Adelaide street were blocked for many minutes, it was decided to cut some of the trains.

This was done, and the roadways were cleared again, although in many instances the strings of cars were left so as to block the sidewalks and belated passersby had to walk out into the middle of the road, in the deep snow, and then walk back again to the sidewalk.

With the thermometer down to 20 below the delay was a most unpleasant one for the brakemen who had to run the cars, climb down and uncouple, and then a few hours after climb out of their warm cabs and couple the trains together again.

It was fortunate that the through early morning expresses were all late, or they would have been detained for no little time, as the jam of freight cars was not moved until nearly six o'clock in the morning.



The St. Paul is most affected by the Wisconsin eight-hour law, and has been singled out as defendant in a suit of violation of the law. As an offset to the employment of 33 additional telegraphic operators the St. Paul has discontinued 63 offices that had been used for commercial telegraphing.

Eighty similar stations have been deprived of telegraph service by other roads in the state, but they have not been charged with violation of the law. Many small towns have complained to the railroad commission that since Jan. 1 they have had no telegraph service, the railroad operators previously having handled the commercial messages.

The new law has necessitated the employment by all roads of more than 200 additional operators at larger stations at an expense of about \$200,000.

Rates to lake ports for 1903 from the bituminous coal fields, including Western Pennsylvania, Ohio, West Virginia and Kentucky will be the same as last year. This is disappointing to the operators who hoped for reduction owing to previous increases. The carriers, however, after a conference have concluded that they cannot make any changes, as the business cannot be handled profitably at the prevailing rates.

The Lehigh Valley has placed an order with a shipbuilding concern in New Jersey for two steel-hulled floats of 23 cars capacity, for use in New York harbor. This additional floating equipment is necessary to properly take care of the increasing business of the Lehigh Valley.

The Montreal Locomotive Works, which is the Canadian plant of the American Locomotive Company, has decided to increase the locomotive plant to a capacity of 300 locomotives a year.

The company has disposed of its structural steel plant to the Dominion Bridge Company.

Increased switching charges in Chicago, in some cases from \$2 to \$32 on a single car, having been made the subject of a complaint to the state railroad commission, that body has given a hearing at which an attorney of the Illinois Manufacturers' Association and the Chicago Association of Commerce made the following strong declarations:

"More than 5,000 firms and corporations doing an annual business in excess of \$2,000,000,000 are waiting for this commission to render a decision which will strike a blow at the indescribable greed of the railroads doing business in the city of Chicago and in the state of Illinois.

"The dealings of the railroads with the shippers in this state have been utterly bad in this matter and have been characterized by selfish avarice, by shocking greed and have been utterly reckless, inexcusable and dishonest. The railroads have forgotten the duty the law imposes upon them of serving the public faithfully and well."

The action of the New York Central lines in dividing the Chicago Junction into two parts so that there might be two switching charges imposed upon the shippers instead of one, was cited as an example of the greed of the Lake Shore, through the Indiana Harbor road, secured a portion of the Junction road, and then increased the switching charge, from \$3 to \$9.50, was thus characterized:

"Thus by the method peculiar to railway management and financing, an industry located for many years on the Junction road, and which has been paying through all these years \$3 per car for switching, is made to pay \$9.50 more. This was done in the face of the fact that the Lake Shore controlled or owned the Junction before. Unless there is a power which can curb such rapacity, such inexcusable and such crooked business, the minority will soon become a majority cry for Government ownership. If railway corporate wrongs cannot be corrected by the functions which the legislatures and the courts have created, there is no other way to secure this correction than by absolute governmental control or by Government ownership."

Action by the Chicago and Northwestern in respect to some of its switching charges called out this statement:

"Is there any excuse, legal or moral, for the Northwestern suddenly jumping its charges from \$1 per car to \$25.50, and then adding a per cent charge of \$2.50 for a car which the company itself owns and to impose this unheard of charge for hauling a car one mile? Such reckless and tyrannical conduct cannot be justified on the part of any corporation, and no figures nor contortion of figures which the railroads can bring can justify such a reckless condition of business on the part of the carrier."

The answer of the railroads was that they could not be expected to do the business at a sacrifice, and that the commission is without power to compel them to give the service at less than cost. The proposition offered by the Commercial Association as a basis for settlement of the difficulty is a switching charge of 10 cents per ton on a minimum of 20 tons for transportation of three miles, or less within the switching district, and of 15 cents per ton for greater distances. The commission is likely to take decisive action, as it has already given an opinion holding that it has power to designate switching districts, and what rates shall apply therein. Its decision in this instance will establish a precedent for other commercial and industrial centers. Under these circumstances no change in the present type

of rail seems likely until the American Railway Association agrees on a new one.

The committee also had under consideration a proposed standardizing of the color of paint, employed for equipment, stations, etc., and adopted recommendations, but these are not of vital consequence until they have been finally passed upon by higher authority.

The Western Passenger Association has appointed a committee to confer with eastern lines and arrive at an understanding with reference to summer tourist rates for the coming season.

The Western men are unable to reach an agreement with respect to such rates. One strong faction is in favor of refusing to make a lower rate for summer tours. A second faction favors charging the same fares as last year, which would be \$20 from Chicago to Colorado points, about 1 1/2 cents a mile. A third has proposed a rate of \$25.50 from Chicago. It is considered likely that the rates of last year will prevail.

RIGHTS OF LABOR AND CAPITAL DEFINED IN GRAND TRUNK DISPUTE

Interesting Report of Arbitrators in the Telegraphers' Wages Case.

The following, which appeared in the February Labor Gazette, is from the report of the board of investigation under the Lemieux Commission, and Prof. A. Short, J. G. O'Donoghue and W. Mesbitt, K. C., which recently adjusted the dispute between the Grand Trunk Railway and its telegraph operators:

"The board were much impressed by the suggestions that the same board had recommended a higher rate of pay to the telegraphers in the service of the Canadian Pacific than they were prepared to recommend in the present instance. We are glad to be able to report that the parties appreciated the reasons why the members of the board could not in this instance agree upon between the parties, and we desire to put upon record some of the reasons why we came to this conclusion.

"We thought, under the present conditions, that the offer of the company in the matter of decrease of wages was all that could be justified. There are many considerations entering into the question. In our view, there is the right of the men to receive a living wage, and that right is paramount. The workman is entitled to get a fair day's wage for a fair day's work. What, however, seems to be the right of the employer is that he should be able to pay the least possible wage consistent with the necessities of the business. There is the right of the men to receive a living wage, and that right is paramount. The workman is entitled to get a fair day's wage for a fair day's work. What, however, seems to be the right of the employer is that he should be able to pay the least possible wage consistent with the necessities of the business.

"But there is also to be considered the position of the man who advances the money to enable the undertaking to be carried on, which gives employment; he, too, is entitled to receive a return for his money and his risk. A hundred millions of the capital stock of the Grand Trunk Railway receives no dividend whatever. If such dividends on the preferred stock are now being paid are still further reduced by the wages bill increased, what must necessarily follow? The company cannot obtain further money for expansion, for it can be more remuneratively employed in other undertakings. This certainly would be a disadvantage to the vast number who find employment on railways. The public for the betterment of the service and equipment for increase of facilities, the betterment of the roadbed and general improvement in this accommodation. This can only be obtained where the parties are able to advance their claims some possibility of return for the advance.

"Our experience on a number of these boards has led us to the conclusion that there seems to be an oversight on the part of the public of two things: First, that there is a continual demand for an increase of expenditure upon the part of the company for facilities, and second, a continual demand for the reduction of the wages bill.

SAYS PROHIBITION FAILS

Cardinal Gibbons Believes in High Licenses and Few of Them.

New Orleans, Feb. 8.—Cardinal Gibbons, who is visiting this city, in an interview on prohibition published today said: "I am persuaded that it is practically impossible to put prohibition in effect in any large community, and the best means, therefore, to moderate temperance is to limit the number of saloons by high license. I would be in favor of inflicting severe punishment on the proprietors of saloons who violate the law. In the first instance, and in the second instance of violation I would withdraw the license altogether.

"In the country places I would suggest local option as an excellent means for the repression of intemperance. If in the judgment of the majority of the voters, the sale of liquor should be entirely eliminated.

"Laws like prohibition that are certain to be violated had best not be made, for incessant violation draws upon them disrespect."

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PERIL AHEAD FOR BRITAIN

Revolt and Sedition Promised By the Astrologers During This Year.

London, Feb. 9. — If astrologers, especially those who foretell the happenings of a year before its birth, really believe their own predictions, they must have none but the gloomiest of outlooks for the year 1903, and must, indeed, be miserable men.

Decrease in trade, increase in the price of money, wars and rumors of wars, sedition and revolt, political up and down, earthquakes, international troubles, disease, and other troubles, are all predicted for the coming year. The price of wheat will be high, says an astrologer, and there will be a failure of root crops.

"Sephaniel," editor of the "Forecast," and a new weekly, "Futures," was asked yesterday to calculate a special horoscope for the year, and some of the more interesting of the predictions are given below.

"The year 1903 is likely to prove one of the most fatal in the history of England. Three major planets, Neptune, Uranus and Saturn, will hold cardinal signs, and be responsible for the development of great political crises. On the 2nd of January there will be a total eclipse of the sun in the sign of Capricorn. This falls close to the position of Mars in the Royal horoscope, and as Capricorn rules India, we may look for an outbreak of sedition and revolt in the peninsula.

Uranus continues in the sign of Capricorn, and in opposition to Neptune in Cancer during the next two years, the result being that New Zealand and British South Africa, India and Egypt will perhaps be the scenes of sedition and revolt.

"The position of the Government will be tremendously assailed and effectively undermined in the spring of 1903. Joseph Chamberlain will effect some signal success in July, and given a continuance of the present improvement in his health, I judge that he will be a most prominent figure in the administration of affairs. Saturn will then be stationary in the horoscope of the present Government."

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St. Petersburg, Feb. 8.—The Russo-Turkish relations have entered upon a menacing phase. Alarmed at the unchecked Turkish penetration of Persia, and the mobilization in Armenia, the Russian Government has decided to execute a formidable military demonstration in reply on the Turkish-Bosnian frontier, dispatching there a compact expedition of 60,000 select troops from Central Russia, with full war equipment, and it is acting with uncommon rapidity, with a view to overawing the Turks by a decisive exhibition of force.

The war office has drawn up plans of the expedition, and intended them hurriedly for legislative enactment to the Duma on Friday. The committee on national defense assembled in a virtually closed session. A representative of the war office briefly and impressively outlined the Russian preparations, of which Russia is fully informed, and asked for an open credit for the maintenance of an army of 60,000. He met the possible arguments of economy by saying that Russia had expended blood and treasure in Manchuria in vain, owing to the initial backwardness in armament. The empire's prestige in the middle east, he said, is now also in the balance, and Russia must be prepared to defend it.

M. Guchikoff, leader of the Octobrist party, in a speech, said that the majority in the Duma were Russian patriots, and willing to part with their "last shirt" to defend the fatherland. The committee, in a high pitch of patriotism, passed the appropriation unanimously. At the same session the war office obtained sanction for a further item of \$10,000,000, to create floating batteries along the Baltic coast, which, owing to the weakness of the navy, is at the mercy of Germany.

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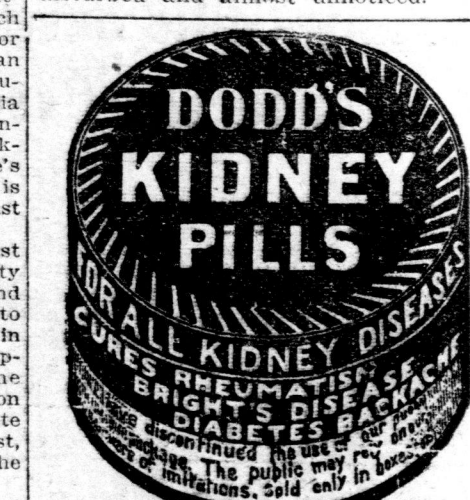
Turns Over Sir Henry MacLean and Goes Back to Wilks.

Tangier, Feb. 8.—Sir Caid. Harry MacLean, who has been held in bondage for the seven months past by the bandit Raisuli, has been officially turned over to the British charge d'affaires here in accordance with the agreement between Raisuli and the British Government, under which Raisuli is to receive \$100,000 as a ransom and a guarantee of protection for himself and family. MacLean is in good health, but he seems to be weaker and older than before his capture. He says he will rejoin Abd-El-Aziz at Tabat.

When Raisuli arrived outside the walls of Tangier with MacLean he sent in a demand for permission to enter the city accompanied by 500 of his soldiers.

Sir Mohammed Ghabias, the Moroccan Foreign Minister, finally agreed to allow him to do so, and Raisuli as the result of inducements by the British Government and three domestics.

When MacLean had been officially turned over to the British authorities Ghabias released the imprisoned Raisuli and Raisuli then departed undisturbed and almost unnoticed.



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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS.

DEATHS.

COURTENAY—On Friday, Feb. 7, 1908, at the family residence, 141 Duchess avenue, South London, William J. Courtenay, beloved husband of Margaret Courtenay, aged 67 years.

Funeral from above address on Tuesday, Feb. 11, at 2:30 p.m.; service at 2 o'clock.

WILLISIE—At Belmont, on Saturday, Feb. 8, 1908, Anna Willisie, relict of the late William Thomas Willisie, aged 85 years and 7 months.

Funeral on Tuesday, Feb. 11, at 2 p.m.; service at Methodist Church, Belmont. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

BENNETT—In Chicago, on Feb. 5, 1908, Mrs. C. H. Bennett (Lillian Mathers), daughter of Harvey Mathers, con. 3, Delaware.

Funeral notice later.

CARTER—At the residence of her son, Lewis Carter, 508 Talbot street, on Feb. 10, 1908, Mrs. Catherine Carter, in her 85th year.

Funeral strictly private.

SKIMIN—In this city, on Sunday, Feb. 9, 1908, at her late residence, 523 Richmond street, Mrs. Anna Skimin, aged 92 years.

Funeral private. Interment at Brantford.

CARROTHERS—Suddenly, at his home, 311 Horton street, George E. Carrothers, beloved husband of Mary Carrothers.

Funeral from his late residence, 311 Horton street, on Wednesday, Feb. 12, at 2:30 p.m.; service at 2 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

KENNEY—In this city, on Feb. 10, 1908, Margaret J. Kenney, beloved wife of William Kenney, in her 45th year.

Funeral from her late residence, 258 Thames street, on Wednesday, Feb. 12, at 2:30 p.m.; service at 2 p.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

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GRAND BENEFIT BALL TO BE GIVEN by F. G. Myers at the Big Bell Restaurant, Wednesday evening, Feb. 12, in aid of the city poor. Everybody welcome. Gentlemen, 50 cents; ladies free. Grand march, 8:30. Outside donations thankfully received.

UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE London Alma Daughters a concert will be given in the Auditorium, Tuesday evening, Feb. 11, by the Belmont Concert Company (Mr. and Mrs. Galbraith, Miss Isabel Wilkie and Miss Jean Robb). Admission, 50 and 25 cents. The reserved seat plan opens this morning at the Auditorium.

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A REGULAR COMMUNICATION OF Union Lodge No. 380, A. F. and A. M., will be held this (Monday) evening in Masonic Temple, 301 Queen's avenue. Visit of the D. D. G. M. Visitors welcome. James Dean, W. M.; J. Ward, secretary.

LAUREL CAMP NO. 25, W. O. W. meets every second and fourth Monday, in Sherwood Hall, 8 p.m. Visitors welcome.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Western Ontario Bible Society will be held in the Crown Hall on Tuesday, Feb. 11, at 8 p.m., to receive the report of the directors and select officers for the ensuing year. An illustrated lecture will be given by the Rev. Jesse Gibson, of Toronto, on "Bible Work From Cape to Cairo," and the Rev. B. J. Bowen, late of the Yukon, will also speak. Singing by the Cathedral choir. The public cordially invited. Collection in aid of the society's work.

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"Ah, here he comes!" cried Mr. Williams as he went down, at a great rate for a man of his cumbersome proportions, toward the vehicle, and at once began to help to bring in the luggage. Recalled to his former doubts, St. Quintin noticed again how heavy some of the packages appeared to be, as the driver of the omnibus, assisted by Mr. Grey, the owner of the cottage, piled it up in the little front sitting-room on the left hand.

He went down to offer his assistance and was given the portmanteau marked "A. L." to carry indoors, while the others were busy with the rest of the parcels. When the omnibus was gone Mr. Williams thrust his hand through the young man's arm, and told him he was dying for a drink.

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see him back again, either very angry or very disappointed, at about midnight.

But it was a few minutes after 10 when he slipped out of the fly from Doncaster about a quarter of a mile from Densley, and telling the driver to wait there, went quickly into the village, and ascertained that neither Williams nor Leblanc was at the cottage. For there was no light in the front, and Miss Grey who was in her kitchen at the back, told him the gentlemen were busy removing some of the luggage to the inn.

"Mr. Williams' luggage," she explained. "He isn't going to sleep here. We've only room for Mr. and Mrs. Leblanc and the young lady."

"Oh, all right," said St. Quintin. "Perhaps I can help them."

And he went into the front room, where the luggage had been left, and found that the four parcels which had seemed so heavy, and which had had no initials on them, had disappeared. St. Quintin left the cottage, and, armed with a box of matches, went in the direction of the grassy park. He noticed that the grass was trampled upon, and he hoisted himself over the wall into the park, and went carefully and cautiously in the direction of the pond, with a well-developed suspicion in his mind.

When he got to the edge of the water he listened, and, hearing no sound, felt pretty sure that he was alone. Then he struck a match and looked down at the pond, and an exclamation burst from his lips. The green surface of weed which had covered the water had been broken up, and on the slimy edge were plainly to be discerned the marks of something heavy having been dragged along to the brink.

Just as he was stooping to look more closely at the broken weed a slight rustling among the trees behind him attracted his attention and made him hold his breath.

CHAPTER XIX.

St. Quintin stood still and listened. There was a slight but very distinct sound of cracking branches, and his rustling of dried undergrowth, and he was sure that some living thing, whether man or beast he could not tell, was moving stealthily not far from him.

He was near enough to the brink of the slimy pool to be cautious in his movements, for the edge of the bank was slippery and smooth and the water deep in some parts, as he knew.

There was absolute stillness. He felt nervous and ill at ease, and something had disturbed the evil-smelling waters of the pond since he saw it that afternoon. Then it had a smooth surface of dark green weed, even as a tablecloth, treacherously still.

But the lighting of a match had shown him the surface broken up and uneven, and little flecks and patches of dark foul water in between the torn masses of the weed.

What was it that had broken up the weed and made the edge of the pond more slippery than before?

His imagination suggested an answer. Those heavy packages of Monsieur Leblanc's, which he had seen in the front room of the cottage, had disappeared. But all the rest of the luggage was still piled up there against the wall. Was it possible that there was something in the trunks and boxes that Monsieur Leblanc wished to get rid of?

And had he chosen the deserted, foul pond as a convenient hiding-place for his mysterious unmarked luggage?

St. Quintin, while he put these questions, dared admit, even to himself, what his suspicions were in regard to those packages. But he was quite certain that he would not leave the neighborhood until he had probed the mystery of the broken weed and until he had made the minute investigation by daylight of the pond and its contents.

In the meantime, dark as it was, and gruesome as were his imaginings in the desolate hollow among the trees, with the unhealthy vapors rising to his nostrils from the stagnant water, and the constant fear of attack in his mind, he felt that it was impossible for him to leave the spot until he had made some attempt to satisfy himself as to whether the mysterious trunks and boxes had really been thrown into the dark pool below him.

So when he had waited some minutes, standing quite still and listening intently, without hearing any more sounds among the trees behind him, he groped his way to the fence of stakes which he had already robbed that afternoon, and finding a long, strong pole, he turned to the rest, and returning to the edge of the pond, he began to probe through the slimy, rank vegetation to the mud at the bottom of the water.

And then, while the pole was diving into the depths, through a mass of tangled weed and rot and fallen branches, making a little splashing noise and stirring up a nauseating vapor from the decaying mass, there came again to St. Quintin's ears the slight sound he had heard before, and afraid of being taken by surprise and attacked suddenly by unseen assailants, he withdrew his pole quickly from the water, with a louder splash than his, and retreating from the brink of the pond with the weapon in his hand, peered about him and awaited events.

Then there was silence again. It was uncanny, disconcerting, for he was absolutely unable to tell whether the sounds he had heard were caused by a rabbit scurrying from its hole, or a bird, or a human being.

In this ignorance he thought his best plan lay in making his way round the pond, so as to put the space of water between him and the unseen creature among the trees. Cautiously, therefore, and still holding his pole in his right hand, he made his way round the edge of the pool until he was on the open space, which had once been a smooth and well-kept lawn.

Here he felt safer, since there was open ground all round him, and he decided not to try to find his way out of the park by getting over the wall where he got in, but to go round the house again as he had done with Leblanc that afternoon, and to make his way down the drive to the lodge, where it might be he would find a man who would help him in his investigations. (To be continued.)

DEATH REPORTED.

An old offender that hung on for years. Nothing touched his stony heart, but Putnam's Corn Extractor, and out he came root, stem and branch. All corns cured just as quickly when Putnam's is used. Try it.

C. P. R. TO PUT ON FINE NEW BOATS

They Will Be Such Splendid Vessels as To "Put Other Fellows To Sleep."

Montreal, Feb. 9.—In an interview with the Standard's representative, Sir William Van Horne this week spoke disparagingly of the All-Red scheme. "Why should millions of dollars in subsidies be asked for in the connection?" he asked. "The C. P. R. made the Pacific trade. It did not take it from anyone. It became influential. It was created, and became influential and profitable. That trade is so large that other and larger boats will have to be put on the Pacific. I am not the spokesman of the C. P. R., understood. There can only be one spokesman, but there is no harm in saying that the Pacific fleet will be augmented."

"The Empresses, which are now on the Atlantic, will be transferred to the Pacific; the boats which are now on the Pacific may be used for the Australian trade; and the C. P. R. will build new boats for the Atlantic which will put the other fellows to sleep."

"Not necessarily the fastest boats on record—but something new—entirely new, something attractive, which will further popularize our own route. The latter, owing to the settling up of the Empresses, has become more and more desirable to travelers from all parts of the country. They have had to be engaged months in advance. People have come from the far West, from the south, in order to use our boats on the St. Lawrence route. The C. P. R. has built up this trade off its own bat. It will still further increase it. Why should any new project be sprung upon the public in the connection?"

Prophets of Years Ago. Sir William mentioned that years ago, when he made a proposition to the public men in connection with the establishment of a certain character of boats for the Canadian trade, he was informed that the child was unborn that would see boats of 9,000 tons on our route.

The C. P. R. has put 16,000-ton boats on the route, which had been eminently successful, and was contemplating a new departure which would afford further accommodation, and make the prestige of the Canadian route.

"There is a kind of complaint that I like," said Sir William, "and that I frequently hear when I am traveling. The complaint is that the Pacific boats are full of dirty reds, and have obtained two and three months in advance; that our transcontinental trains are so full that people have to sit close to find room. I have heard that complaint in connection with certain gentlemen who desired to come across from China in our steamers, but who were told that they must order two months ahead, and who, when they did reach Vancouver on our boats, found that as they had not ordered their sleepers they could not be provided with the same. No doubt, the gentlemen were angry, but it is a pretty good indication of the state of business. To try to set up a second All-Red route, which would involve the paying of millions of dollars in subsidies, while the C. P. R. thoroughly covers the area of operations, would not only be a shame, but it would be nonsensical in the highest degree."

The Tariff Question. "An ounce of work is worth a ton of protest," the American is close. He is right at his elbow. He has his immediate representatives on the spot. The British firms are not represented here in the close way in which the American manufacturers are. The consequence is that, in spite of the preference, the increase of British imports is slight."

Sir William spoke animatedly on the tariff question, as it affected our own manufacturers. Tariff fluctuation prevented, in many cases, that monetary support which would otherwise be forthcoming and slipped in the bud many promising enterprises.

Sir William's idea was a graduated tariff. For instance, let the tariff be, say, 35 per cent to start with. Let it be gradually reduced until it the end of five years it would continue on a ten per cent basis. There would need to be such security as that a manufacturer could look and plan ahead for twenty years. He would thus know what he had to meet.

BRITISH

Subscriptions to the Veterans' Relief Fund now amount to £11,000. Lambeth Guardians decided to emigrate thirty pauper children to Canada.

The city corporation voted £105 to the provision of meals for children fund.

A London firm proposes to run motor cabs in Newcastle at an early date.

Aged 78, Thomas Bentham, a Criméan veteran, has died in Preston workhouse.

Robert Scottick, an Indian mutiny veteran, died at Boston, Lincolnshire, aged 75.

A Spelling boy, while working in a brewery, fell into a vat of hot beer and was drowned.

Two porpoises—one over five feet long—have been washed up on the beach at Lowestoft.

Fatal accidents to the number of 1,156 occurred last year in coal mines in the United Kingdom.

Mr. Dickens, K.C., recorder of Matdstone, and son of Charles Dickens, celebrated his 59th birthday.

Over 54,000 men have been helped by the Soldiers' and Sailors' Aid Society in the past four years.

The Islington borough council has decided to expend £116,520 in extending the electric lighting plant.

At the National Eldestdoff, which is to be held in London in the summer of 1909, £2,000 will be offered in prizes.

Be Here Early Tomorrow It's the Last Day Of the White Sale

Tomorrow is your last chance to buy Undermuslins and other Whitewear at prices much under real worth and regular value. The exercise of promptness and foresight now means worth-while savings in wearables which you need now or will soon need.

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Come tomorrow with the purpose of completely filling your needs. Here are a few of the choice specials which will be eagerly snapped up tomorrow:

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late of the Bengal Artillery, died at Jersey. He served in the Indian mutiny.

Great Yarmouth's town council conducts the annual races at that town and made a profit of £1,818 from them last year.

In Shorelitch the borough council has, by a majority of votes, decided to provide free breakfast for necessitous school children.

A block of bath stone containing a number of bees was found at Exeter recently. The bees were inclosed in the solid stone.

Copper wire valued at \$1,000 has been stolen from the National Telephone Company's line between West Ham and Coudon.

Forty-seven persons who were arrested in a raid on the Bank Hall Social Club were brought up at the Liverpool police court.

Mr. E. A. Goulding was adopted as prospective Conservative candidate for Worcester, where a by-election is expected at an early date.

The Lord Mayor of London has unveiled a bronze tablet to 125 men of the Royal Fusiliers who lost their lives in South Africa.

On behalf of the King, the usual Eulphany presentation of gold, frankincense, and myrror was made at the Chapel Royal, St. James.

During last year 15,319 cats were received into the London Institution for Lost Cats, Camden Town, as compared with 13,314 in 1906.

During December the weight of meat delivered at the London Central markets was 37,214 tons. At Billingsgate 1,593 tons of fish arrived.

John Williams, a South Wales miner, known far and wide for his heroic behavior at the great mine disaster at Ferndale years ago, is dead.

The death has occurred of Mr. W. Ambrose, K. C., who represented the Harrow Division of Middlesex, in Parliament from 1885 until 1893.

The Hensley borough council has abandoned the plan for erecting model dwellings at Hightgate at a cost of \$38,000. The site will be sold.

Three men were fined at Atherton, Warlockshire, for attacking a Birmingham football referee named Charles Lutwyche after a football match.

MINORITY CURRENCY BILL

Washington, Feb. 8.—What will be known as "the minority currency bill" was introduced today by Representative John Sharp Williams, of Mississippi, the Democratic leader of the House, who drew the measure today.

The bill provides that the total liabilities of any national bank shall not exceed one-tenth of the bank's paid-in and unimpaired capital stock and one-tenth of its unimpaired surplus fund.

No national bank shall loan the aggregate more than several times the amount of its paid-up capital plus its surplus.

It is understood that the allowance of time within which the collection was to be returned having expired and no duty having been paid the Government found it necessary to take possession of the paintings.

The collection is said to include some of the best examples of Russian art, and that among the paintings is one owned by the Emperor, taken from the palace in St. Petersburg, and loaned to the collection for the sale of the collection.

The order for the sale will not be believed, be actually carried into effect until there has been further correspondence concerning the collection between the Russian authorities at St. Petersburg and the treasury department. The paintings are packed in 48 cases, and no statement concerning their value has been obtained.

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unimpaired surplus. Any national bank may keep 50 per cent of its reserve in United States bonds or in the bonds of states or in acceptable bonds of certain municipalities.

The acceptability of such bonds as reserve-security shall be passed on by the attorney-general of the state in which the municipality is located; and these bonds shall be known as "interconvertible bonds."

The elasticity currency feature of the bill is contained in a section which provides that these interconvertible bonds may be deposited in the "nearest treasury" and the depositing bank shall receive in lieu thereof "United States emergency treasury notes."

When the bank feels that the emergency has passed, and the loan notes are no longer needed, it may redeem them with actual money. These notes shall be legal tender.

For the creation of a fund of \$15,000,000, for the payment of deposits of failed banks, there is authorized the imposition of a tax of one-sixteenth of one per cent on the deposits of banks which consent to be so taxed.

The bill also provides that no officer shall make a loan for the purpose of stock gambling, and fixed as the penalty for violation a fine in the amount of the loan, or imprisonment.

CZAR'S PAINTINGS SEIZED

U. S. Customs Department Seizes Collection Sent to St. Louis Fair.

New York, Feb. 8.—The official Russian collection of paintings, that was brought to this country for exhibition at the St. Louis Exposition, has been seized by the customs authorities, and an order for the sale of the collection.

Permission of the Emperor of Russia was secured to allow the paintings to be sent out of Russia, it was stated today, and a bond of \$50,000 was given to the United States treasury department as a guarantee that the collection would be returned to Russia within a certain period after the exposition.

Collector of the Port Fowler declined today to give any information concerning the seizure.

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Watch The Stomach.

If you have either variable appetite, a faint gnawing feeling at the pit of the stomach, unassisted hunger, a loathing of food, rising and souring of food, a painful load at the pit of the stomach, checking sensations in the throat, headache, and dulness of spirits, are you gloomy and miserable?

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BATTLE FLEET IN FIGHT WITH GALE

A Steamship Captain Reports Evans' Boats Going Against Fierce Winds.

Punta Arenas, Strait of Magellan, Feb. 9.—The Pacific Navigation Company steamship Orita, which arrived here this morning, reports having passed the American fleet in the strait at 6 o'clock last evening twelve miles east of Cape Pillar. The Chilean cruiser Chacabuco was leading. The weather was stormy.

The captain of the Orita said he sighted nineteen vessels in the fleet, these being the sixteen American battleships, the Chilean cruiser and two others, probably colliers. He did not sight the American torpedo boat flotilla which accompanied the battleships from this port, but which turned north at Smyth Channel, thirty miles from the western end of Magellan Strait, to proceed through this passage to Telchahuano.

Owing to the heavy weather, the warships were spread out over a considerable stretch, but all seemed to be making splendid progress in the face of the strong wind.

Rear Admiral Evans' fleet of battleships left Punta Arenas about midnight Friday, accompanied by the torpedo boat flotilla. The Chilean cruiser Chacabuco, with Admiral Simpson and a delegation of representative Chileans aboard, led the battleships out of port and through the strait.

Lieut. Commander Rozas, of the Chilean navy, acted as the pilot for the torpedo boat flotilla, but it was intended that his services would be chiefly requisitioned in the passage of Smyth Channel, the entrance to which lies thirty miles to the east of Cape Pillar, through the inner passage to the Pacific Ocean and along the jagged coast of Telchahuano, 2,130 knots from Punta Arenas.

The sighting of the American fleet by the steamship Orita indicates that it made a favorable voyage through the strait, for it was then only twelve miles east of Cape Pillar, the most westerly point of land on the Magellan Strait.

Evidently the intention of the American commander to make the passage of the strait from Punta Arenas to the west coast without a stop has been successful. Cape Froward, the southern extremity of South America lies nearly in the middle of Magellan Strait and the fleet passed this point early in the morning, thus having almost the full daylight in which to make the more dangerous reaches through the western entrance to the Pacific.

The battleships once having cleared Cape Pillar and the Evangelists, will steam directly north to Callao, which is the next stopping place. They are expected to arrive at Callao about the twentieth. On the way up the coast, however, they will run in close to Valparaiso.

BLACK HAND CHIEF DEAD

Italian Barber Shot to Death May Be Head of Gang.

New York, Feb. 8.—Col. Calogno, an Italian barber, who was shot to death in East One Hundred and Sixth street last Monday, may have been the head of the Black Hand organization in the United States. Detective Wm. Atkinson, of Baltimore, after seeing the body yesterday, said he was convinced the man was the chief of the Black Hand in this country.

Calogno was not his real name, Atkinson said. He was a Sicilian, however, and said that the body is that of the man who, when known as the leader of the Black Hand organization, dynamited a house in Baltimore several years ago, and who at that time was being sought on a charge of having shot and killed a prominent man in Pittsburgh.

The local detective bureau will make an effort to verify the identification. Calogno was about 27 years old.

A RUN ON HUNGARIANS

Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt Reported Engaged to Count Hadik.

Berlin, Feb. 8.—The Tagblatt today publishes a dispatch from its Budapest correspondent, purporting to confirm the reported engagement of Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt to Count Alexander Hadik. The correspondent says the count already has notified his family that the wedding will take place immediately. Count Alexander Hadik was born in 1866, the correspondent continues. He was at one time very rich, but his fortune has been greatly reduced. He is a member of the imperial council, and is well known on most of the racetracks of Europe, and he belongs to the jockey and other exclusive clubs of Budapest.

Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt has declined to make an statement concerning the reported engagement to Count Alexander Hadik. Friends of Mrs. Vanderbilt do not believe the report. The count is said to have been present at the wedding of Mrs. Vanderbilt's daughter Gladys to Count Szechenyi on Jan. 27.

FRANK GOULD SUICIDES.

Moline, Ill., Feb. 8.—Frank W. Gould, president of the Union Metallic Iron Company, and the president of the board of trustees of the Western Illinois Hospital for the Insane at Waterville, committed suicide in his bedroom today by shooting himself in the mouth. The suicide was brought about by heavy financial difficulties through unfortunates personal investments. These difficulties had nothing to do with the Union Metallic

Ironworks, nor with the Western Hospital for the Insane. It is believed that his mind was temporarily affected by his misfortunes, for there seems no doubt that he could have obtained ample financial help. He was a son of Judge John M. Gould, and 55 years of age.

DAY STILL AT IT.

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 8.—Chancellor Jas. R. Day, of Syracuse University, guest of honor at the annual meeting and banquet of the New York State Bankers' Association at the Ten Eyck Hotel tonight, in a speech again denounced those who would create class hatred and prejudice, and cause distrust and suspicion of business men, "whose genius and money turn the wheels which give employment to millions of laboring men and women. Representative Charles N. Fowler, chairman of the house committee on banking and currency; State Controller Martin H. Glynn, and Edmund D. Fisher, of the Flatbush Trust Company, Brooklyn, also delivered speeches.

DRIFT 752 MILES IN GRAND CANYON

Two Miners Tell of Experience in Awful Rapids of the Colorado River.

The Needles, Cal., Feb. 9.—Charles S. Russell and E. R. Monett, who came all the way through Grand Canyon of the Colorado in a 16-foot rowboat, reached here Saturday. Not since 1889, when Robert B. Stanton landed here after a successful fight of 752 miles in the river, has anyone made the perilous voyage.

In telling of the trip ended today, Russell said: "The river below Bright Angel for 150 miles was so rough that I never expected to get through alive. If Niagara is worse than Diamond Creek rapids it must be more than the rocks and water. After the damage to the boat in Hermit Creek rapids we did not dare try to lower a boat through this fall. Monett managed to climb down the side of the long rapids, but I shot them."

"The boat capsized half way through, and I was unable to crawl out down to the big eddy at the bottom. Monett helped me get the boat ashore and we found it was all right."

"Monett carried all the exposed camera plates and thus saved our photographs. We ended the trip with about two days' supply of provisions—pretty close figuring."

Russell refused to tell what success he had found in the way of mineral in the second granite gorge—where it is generally supposed the richest ore in all the length of the canyon exists.

Starting on Sept. 20 at Green River, Utah, the men have covered 752 miles in 141 days. The last 332 miles, from Bright Angel, they made in 33 days.

A WALL STREET SUICIDE

Says He Was Fleeced Through Duplicity and Ends His Life.

New York, Feb. 8.—Declaring that he had lost a fortune in Wall Street through duplicity, E. C. Brooks, who came from the west a wealthy man a few years ago, killed himself in an annex of the Produce Exchange today by drinking poison. He was found unconscious on the floor by a clerk of the exchange and died before a physician arrived.

A bottle, which contained the poison with which Brooks ended his life, was found lying by his side. In his pockets the police found several notes, among them one in which he named several men, whom he charged with being responsible for the conditions which caused him to end his life. Another note read: "In case of my death my name is Edward C. Brooks, No. 124 East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street. Communicate with my brother, Clifford Brooks, 13 Week Road, Hempstead, England."

Entries in a diary showed that Brooks had sustained severe losses. One record showed losses aggregating \$20,000 in a single day in Wall street.

Little was known of Brooks around the Produce Exchange. It was said that when he came from the west a few years ago he appeared to have plenty of money. He was unfortunate in speculation, however, and of late had been on the verge of poverty. Within the past two days he had made application at the exchange for employment, even asking to be put to work as a porter or a laborer. He was about 50 years of age.

CHARGED A HOUSE

Big Engine Went Down an Embankment Towards Residence.

Goderich, Ont., Feb. 8.—An accident occurred here on the Grand Trunk line about 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, a snowplow and two engines getting off the track. The snowplow and three moguls started from Stratford about 11 this morning. Everything went first-rate, and the plow had just cut through the last drift in a cutting at the outskirts of the town, when it got off the track. The snowplow went off the west side of the track, and the engines swung it completely round, and the foremost engine rode down the embankment on the east side, making straight for a small dwelling near the track. The engine stopped when but a few yards from the house, and the inhabitants got a bad scare. The engine was brought back by the rails. No one was hurt, but the engineer and fireman jumping, but the plow was somewhat injured.

FROM PRISON TO A PALACE

A Notorious Italian Convict Inherits a Rich Estate From an Aunt.

Como, Feb. 9.—After spending half his life in prison or under police supervision, the convict Gerolamo Pasquale, at the age of 94, now finds himself, through the death of an aunt, the owner of a great fortune, and the proprietor of villas at Como and at Gravedona.

Pasquale was born at Milan, and came into the hands of the police at an early age. He was frequently arrested, and got his last sentence, one of four years' imprisonment, in 1906. While he was working in the prison colony on the Island of Lampedusa in April, news came of the death of his aunt, Guiseppeina Pontiggo, to whom, it was found, he was direct heir. The woman died intestate, and Pasquale, though he was her pet aversion, inherited the estate after other relatives had tried in vain to prevent it.

Pasquale has been released, and will not have to finish his term, which ordinarily would not have ended until 1910. He has married a widow with one son, and passed the first days after his marriage luxuriously in Como. Soon, however, he became homesick for Lampedusa, where he returned and passed the winter of his honeymoon in sight of the place where he had toiled as a convict.

When he received the money, one of his first actions was to buy a clock, a great clock, which chimed the hours. The prisoners, he says, found almost unbearable on occasions, the dark, unbroken silence of the nights of captivity, and would have been greatly relieved if they could have known how many hours had yet to pass before daylight.

His plans for the future are modest. He intends, he says, to live on the revenues of his estate as an Italian gentleman, with his wife and stepson.

IDLE ARMY TO BESIEGE THE KING

London, Feb. 9.—What promises to be a practical besieging of King Edward by a small army of the unemployed is the odd problem confronting the authorities.

These men want homes and farms, and they propose to get them in the Royal Park surrounding the King's castle at Windsor.

Manchester has furnished the band of idle men who evolved this novel scheme, and that the movement is most serious is certain. The men started afoot from Manchester some days ago and began the last lap of the long trip today.

Tomorrow, unless the authorities take radical steps to stop the march, the little army will reach Windsor.

All that the demonstrators want is a section of the great park on which to settle and raise the necessities of life. They intend to divide it up into farms, build cottages and settle down permanently as close neighbors of their ruler. It is the hope of the marchers that they will obtain their desires peacefully, and on arriving before the castle they propose to send in a person to King Edward asking him to give an example to the land-owners of the country by granting them the use of 50 acres of the park for experimental purposes.

There is little or no land in England now that can be secured for agricultural purposes, most of it being taken up with great estates and game preserves. This situation is becoming more serious each year, and those who would own and cultivate the land are rapidly being routed from their farms and thrown into the ranks of the wage-earners.

BOSTONIANS DESIRE BUNKER HILL CANNON

Making an Effort to Buy Back Trophy Now on View at Quebec.

Hartford, Conn., Feb. 9.—There is more than a possibility now that the famous little Bunker Hill cannon, about which the guide descants pleasantly to visitors to the citadel in Quebec, will soon be welcomed by the Ancient and Honorable Artillery of Boston, and be placed with its fellows in Bunker Hill Monument.

It isn't much of a cannon to look at, with its decaying wooden carriage, and its two split wooden wheels, as it stands there in the citadel, a platform surrounded by mortars of but Americans always have wished they could see it under other auspices.

Once or twice attempts have been made to purloin the cannon, but no one ever got it further than the granite wall. After the last attempt a few years ago, the garrison kept a closer watch on it. Indeed, it has been impossible for anyone to get a picture of it until recently, when William C. Gompf, of this city, made an effort which was crowned with success. At the time of the World's Fair in Chicago a request was made for a loan of the gun, but the royal authorities had their fears and refused it.

Negotiations are now afoot for an exchange of it for some historic relic in Massachusetts, the unusually cordial feeling between the two countries, making it a particularly favorable time. It is felt that altogether an occasion could be made, which would cement friendly relations, while delighting antiquarians, and which would incidentally make visits by Americans to the Quebec citadel cheerful.

The cannon is simply but effectively inscribed, "Captured by the British Army at Bunker Hill, June 17, 1775." Its previous history is a bit tangled. The general court of Massachusetts bought four brass cannon in 1766 for the use of the Boston Artillery. Two of the pieces were affectionately named the Hancock and the Adams. The one in question, if recovered, will probably be christened the Warren. The fourth one has been lost.

Queen Tsaitu, consort of Menelik, is an elderly and dignified woman, good looking according to the Ethiopian point of view, and a great stickler for etiquette.

The Big Event--The Lang Liquidation Sale

Today We Start the Greatest Sale of Homefurnishings That Has Ever Been Held in Western Ontario. We Must Clear the Whole Stock in Sixty Days, as the Building Has Been Sold, So We Have Made the Prices So Astonishingly Low That All Who Come Will Be Eager to Snap Up the Bargains

NEVER WERE DOLLARS SO ELASTIC

Never have the dollars stretched so far. Never have you been able to buy such big values as your dollars will purchase at this great sale. Some people will say this is "sensational advertising." And they're right. But, please remember, this is a sensational sale, with

BARGAINS THAT WILL OPEN WIDE WITH ASTONISHMENT THE EYES

Of all who are familiar with the real value of the high-class goods which comprise this stock. The H. P. LANG & CO., Limited, have only been in business since last May, so that

EVERYTHING IS NEW, RIGHT UP-TO-DATE \$40,000 WORTH OF ELEGANT MERCHANDISE

The finest, most stylish stock of homefurnishings that was ever offered as a sacrifice for the benefit of the Western Ontario public. Nothing in the store reserved.

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All must go. This sale is the one great chance of a lifetime. It will be the talk of the town for years to come. Don't you want to be one of those who will be fortunate enough to participate in it? One of those who will take pleasure in telling about the immense bargains picked up at the Great Liquidation Sale? Read below the partial list of the savings. Then you will have some idea of the golden opportunities that await you here.

Big Savings in Lace Curtains

50 pairs Lace Curtains, including Brussels, Renaissance, Irish Point. Former prices, \$15 and \$18 per pair. To be sold, commencing Monday, at, pair.....\$10.00

500 pairs Irish Point and Cable Net Curtains. Former prices, \$7 and \$8 pair. Sale price.....\$4.50
1,000 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains. Former prices, \$1.50 and \$2.00 pair. Sale price.....\$1.00

Furniture Bargains Just a Few of the Many Snaps

One only solid Mahogany Bedroom Suite, colonial style. Former price, \$275. Sale price.....\$208

One only Solid Mahogany Dinner Set, colonial style, consisting of buffet, cabinet, dinner wagon, round extension table, one arm and five small chairs. Former price, \$189. Sale price.....\$135

One only Lady's Circassian Walnut Writing Cabinet, finished in highest possible style. Former price \$40. Sale price.....\$30

One only Solid Mahogany Writing Cabinet, Chippendale style. Former price, \$33.50. Sale price.....\$25

One only Solid Mahogany Pedestal. Former price, \$9.50. Sale price....\$6.25

Mission Furniture
Large stock of Solid Oak Pieces. Chairs with leather cushions. Reduced correspondingly with prices quoted for other furniture.

One only Solid Mahogany Buffet, colonial style. Former price \$80. Sale price...\$55

One only Antique Oak Buffet, Elizabethan style. Former price \$60. Sale price.....\$40

One only Vernes Martin Louis XV. Cabinet. Former price \$85. Sale price...\$55

One only Mahogany Cabinet, bent glass. Former price \$48. Sale price...\$35

One only Chippendale Extension Five o'Clock Tea Table. Solid mahogany, inlaid. Former price, \$18. Sale price.....\$10

One only round Mahogany Table, inlaid. Former price, \$28. Sale price...\$20

One only Round Mahogany Five o'Clock Tea Table with glass tray. Former price, \$18. Sale price \$12.50

One only Solid Mahogany Tea Tray, brass-trimmed. Former price, \$12. Sale price.....\$8

Save on Draperies

1,500 yards double-faced Velours. Former price \$2.50 yard. Sale price...\$1.75

800 yards single-faced Velours. Former prices, \$1.25 and \$1.50. Sale price...\$85¢

1,000 yards Linen Taffeta. Former price, \$1.50 and \$2 yard. Sale price....\$1.00

150 yards All-Silk Furniture Coverings. Former price \$6.50 yard. Sale price \$3.75

1,200 yards Colored Madras. Former prices, \$1.25 and \$1.50. Sale price...\$75¢

1,000 yards Colored Madras. Former prices, 75c and 85c yard. Sale price...\$50¢

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Thousands of yards of Draperies to be sold at HALF-PRICE.

Carpets and Rugs

Note These Huge Savings

3,000 yards Brussels Carpets, with borders and stairs to match. Former prices, \$1.25 and \$1.35. Sale price.....\$75¢

2,000 yards Brussels Carpets, with borders and stairs. Former prices, \$1.50 and \$1.60. Sale price....\$1.00

2,000 yards Axminster Carpets, with borders to match. Former prices, \$1.85 and \$2.00. Sale price \$1.25

2,000 yards Fine Wilton Carpets, with borders to match. Former prices, \$2.00 and \$2.25. Sale price \$1.35

47 Wilton Rugs, large room sizes. Former price, \$35 each. Sale price...\$24

82 Axminster Rugs large room sizes. Former price \$38. Sale price.....\$28

65 Brussels Rugs, large room sizes. Former price, \$18. Sale price.....\$12

100 Wool Art Squares, large room sizes. Former price, \$10. Sale price...\$6

800 yards Union Carpets, yard wide. Former price, 50c yard. Sale price....\$25¢

BE SURE AND BRING MEASUREMENTS OF ROOMS.

Windows, etc., as we will not have time to take measurements during this sale.

China and Japan Matting

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Have You Winter Dysentery?

In summer, when abundance of green or unripe fruit is eaten, bowel troubles are exceedingly common. Almost as prevalent in dysentery in the winter, the cause being congestion due to cold. Physicians say it is not a difficult matter to cure dysentery and bowel disorders if a suitable remedy is employed. Probably nothing affords such relief as small doses of Nervine, repeated every hour or two. If there is pain, relief is immediate—stomach is strengthened, warmed, comforted. The cause of the distressing condition is removed and the patient feels at once the benefit of Nervine. Those who know, say there isn't an ache or pain inside or outside, that Nervine won't cure. This explains why hundreds of thousands of bottles are sold every year—it does good.



The Sporting World

Hockey, Basketball, Curling, Bowling.



New Yorkers Are Longboat Crazy Advertise the Indian at Every Meet

The Redskin at Present Chasing Cottontails on Caledonia Reserve.

The New York athletic meet promoters have taken hold of the name of "Tom Longboat" like a teddy bear and, nearly every meet held in the Eastern States this last few weeks has advertised the appearance of the Indian, when it was a well-known fact that Longboat would not be present. The latest fish story in connection with the Indian appeared in yesterday's New York American, as follows:

"Tom Longboat, the famous Indian distance runner, failed to run in the games of Company H, Tenth Regiment, of Mount Vernon, last night. Longboat was billed to show his speed in a three-mile exhibition, but he received the tip that he would not be allowed to run, so stayed away from the meeting.

"When the Mount Vernon soldiers announced that the Indian would run they were promptly informed that Longboat was disqualified by the A. A. U. The soldiers at first said the Indian could run anyway, despite the rules of the A. A. U., but then the Military Athletic League, which is allied with the A. A. U., got busy and the Mount Vernon warriors were made to see the error of their way. Had Longboat given the scheduled exhibition, every athlete who ran last night would have been disqualified.

"The controversy over Longboat competing at this meet for a time threatened to disrupt the A. A. U. and Military Athletic League. It was said at the armory last night that the Indian was in New York in tow of Arthur Duffy, the former amateur champion sprinter, who as now regarded as a professional by the A. A. U. authorities."

It is self-evident that the demand for the Indian is pretty keen, and before long some one of the many clubs eager to have him appear at their meets will take the bit in their mouth and defy "Czar" Sullivan and his association for the sake of the handsome gate proceeds which Longboat's appearance would mean.

At present Longboat is chasing rabbits on the Caledonia reserve with Hilton Green, and incidentally preparing himself for his race in Boston next Thursday, when he will attempt to lower the ten-mile record made there by Alfred Shurub some weeks ago. He will run against a team composed of Percy Sellen, Claude Pearce and Bill Cumming, each of whom will take a 2-1/2 mile relay. This will be the Indian's first appearance in the States since he won the Boston Marathon last year. The team will leave for Boston on Monday, the Indian being expected in from the reserve today.

Tommy Ryan Middleweight Champion



TOMMY RYAN.

With the exception of foxy "Kid" McCoy, no cleverer boxer ever donned a padded glove than Tommy Ryan (Joe Youngs), of Syracuse.

Ryan still is nominal champion of the middleweights, but may possibly never appear again. Ryan has often of late, been accused of having been a fakir, but the fact remains that he has defeated practically all of the best men that ever crawled through a set of ropes in his class and made big as to be worth while. Ryan laughed when he read the letter and at once accepted. It looked like a pie, and Tommy neglected to train for the battle. McCoy came into the ring for the fight of his life, and gave Ryan the worst beating he ever sustained in the squared arena. Tommy Ryan was born March 31, 1870, Redwood, N. Y. Height, 5 feet 7 1/2 inches. Weight, 148 1/2 pounds. Color, white. Nationality (another English, father French).

EVERYTHING WAS HARMONIOUS AT EASTERN LEAGUE MEETING

How Stallings Hoodwinked Mr. Burnham in Selling the Newark Club.

Toronto, Feb. 10.—"We had a great meeting, and I am perfectly satisfied with everything that was done," said President J. J. McCaffery of the Toronto Baseball Club Saturday, when seen by a reporter in regard to the Eastern League gathering at New York. "The session was characterized by the utmost harmony, nothing discordant cropped up, and it was all smooth sailing."

Stallings Was Ticked.

"There was no more tickled man in New York than George Stallings when he succeeded in landing the Newark franchise. It was only by the exercise of the cleverest kind of diplomacy that Burnham was circumvented. Had he known that it was Stallings who was the man behind the gun, it is not likely that there would have been any sale. All the negotiations were made by President Farrell, of the New York Americans, and it was not until the last moment that the ex-owner of the Sellers became aware of the identity of the real purchaser."

Not on Good Terms.

"Stallings and Burnham have always been on bad terms, and the latter would go almost to any extreme to get a crack at Stallings. To tell the truth, George himself would not be backward in doing likewise. In buying the Newark Club, Stallings considers that he is getting one of the best properties in the league, and I quite agree with him. Properly managed, Newark should develop into a gold mine. Burnham was never popular with players or public, on account of his Shylock methods, and though he made money, he did not get as much out of the club that he should have."

New Pitcher Signed.

Manager Kelley has added another pitcher to the staff of the Toronto Club, in the person of Matt Kilroy, of last year's Minneapolis team. He is a right-hander, and is touted as a real cracker, having won 20 out of 30 games last season in the American Association. The purchase price, it is reported, was in the neighborhood of \$1,500, but Mr. McCaffery believes that the outlay was not at all excessive, in view of the high opinion held of the pitcher's ability by Manager Kelley.

Gettman Satisfied.

"Not a chance in the world," was Mr. McCaffery's comment when asked if the story emanating from Newark, and published in last night's News, to the effect that Stallings had practically completed a deal for Gettman, was true.

"Gettman will stay here. He is one of the best in the business, and, furthermore, is greatly pleased with the prospect of wearing a Maple Leaf uniform. He was not satisfied with the conditions of affairs in Buffalo and was only too glad to get away. Stallings would do almost anything to get him, I know, as it is his intention to place an entirely new team in the field. All the Newark players will be sold or released, probably to Montreal. Newark, from indications, will develop into a New York farm."

Will It Be Simcoe, or Will It Be London? That is the question which every hockey fan in the city is asking himself, and others, today.

To dope the question out is perhaps impossible, but a few figures should prove of interest.

In the first place, the Simcoe Intermediates have not been defeated this season, having won eight straight games over Niagara Falls, Port Colborne, Welland and Dunnville.

In glancing hurriedly over the files, the following scores were noted: Simcoe 12, Welland 7; Simcoe 16, Welland 8; Simcoe 9, Dunnville 3; Simcoe 6, Niagara Falls 5; Simcoe 16, Niagara Falls 11.

On the playing ability of Simcoe as compared with London we have had no line. However, it is known that district No. 5 was faster than No. 4. London has lost one game this season, but it was at a time when an inferior line-up was on. In all, London has scored 60 goals to its opponents' 18.

It is almost as hard to pick a winner from two apparently evenly-matched hockey teams as it is to pick the first horse in a turf event. However, here is saying that the team that can go to the home of the Carling Cup holders, the Parisians, and trim them by 4 to 3, and then repeat the performance by a very margin a few nights later, is good enough—or ought to be—to hold its own with anything that they can send forth from Simcoe.

It must also be remembered that in the matter of close schedules London had the worst of the deal all the way, and that the contest at Paris took place the night after the Tillsonburg slaughter, which though won by an overwhelming score was a hard one on account of the very soft ice.

Then again the two Ingersoll contests must be considered as having been clever victories, for the porkpackers are about as good as they make them in this region, at least.

In connection with tonight's big struggle, the following from the Simcoe Reformer should prove of interest.

The O. H. A. has ordered Simcoe to play in London Monday night and London plays back here next Wednesday, Feb. 12. The majority of goals in the two games counts in these semi-final fixtures. London has been picked by many to win the O. H. A. championship. This will be the "best yet."

Standing of Intermediate O. H. A. Group No. 4 to date:

	W.	L.	T.P.
*Simcoe	8	0	0
*Port Colborne	3	3	2
Niagara Falls	2	3	3
Welland	2	3	3
Dunnville	0	6	2

*Simcoe won one game from Port Colborne by default.

IF LONDON WINS TONIGHT'S BATTLE THE TRAIN WON'T BE BIG ENOUGH TO HOLD THE CROWD that will take in the excursion to Simcoe Wednesday night. And even if the locals lose it is very probable that a good-sized crowd will take in the trip, for the reason that London has played better away from home all season than it has on its own stamping grounds.

It must not be forgotten that it is total goals which count, and that even if London loses here by a small margin—which is not probable—that it has a chance to come back when the teams get together at Simcoe.

The fare to Simcoe will be \$1.60, and the game should be well worth the money.

THE DATES OF THE BREEDERS' HORSE SHOW AT TORONTO have been changed to the 26th, 27th, 28th of this month, but the date of meeting of the breeders remains as previously announced.

BASKETBALL.

In the Intermediate League at 6:30 o'clock tonight at the Y. M. C. A., the Shamrock II. meet the Beavers in the first game, and the Bulldogs meet the Growlers in the second game. Judging by the names of the teams, the second game should be a pretty scrappy affair.

Mr. Colin Duffield will be the referee.

In the Class League at 9 o'clock, Haylock meets Crosbie in the first game, and Henderson meets Brady in the second. A great number of the men have been up against a harder game, in the form of la grippe, and severe colds, during the present epidemic, and some of the teams have suffered considerably from a short-

age of men. The teams are scheduled to line up as follows:

Haylock (captain), Mulvin, Jackson, Luedeman and Mann.

Crosbie (captain), Walton, Aiken, M. Mann and Sweeney.

Henderson (captain), Leggett, McKay, F. Wright and Purdy.

Brady (captain), Marsh, Weeks, Patterson and McCormick.

THE TURF.

SATURDAY'S WINNERS.

At New Orleans—Marsé Abe 3 to 2, Al Miller 16 to 5, Goldproof 13 to 5, Old Honesty 15 to 1, Jack Atkin 6 to 2, Orly II, 4 to 5, Dr. McCleure 5 to 1.

Percy Ingram, the young English homesteader who was severely frozen near Lloydminster recently, is dead.

HOUGHTON EXPECTS TO DOWN DULUTH

Copper Country Intends To Get Back the Hockey Championship.

Houghton, Mich., Feb. 9.—The Houghton hockey team is expected to win the championship of the Copper Country Amateur Hockey Association when it plays the Northerns at Duluth, the champions of the northwest, Tuesday night. The Houghton team will have the strongest lineup ever sent out of the copper country. There are some who question the ability of the Houghton team to trim the Duluth aggregation, because of the long schedule played with the other copper country teams, and constant and unlimited practice.

Last year the Northerns trimmed the Houghtons in two games, but the copper country team this year is stronger and heavier than the new men on the team, four of them, are all better and faster than the ones whose places they have taken. If the Northerns win they will have a tour of the east for the championship of the states and will return home by way of some Canadian cities for games with a few of the Dominion intermediate teams.

The trip will include the copper country towns, Houghton, Lake Linden and Calumet, Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.; Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.; Detroit, Cleveland, Buffalo, Pittsburgh, Toronto, Pembroke, Ont., and Thessalon, Ont.

SATURDAY NIGHT'S HOCKEY SCORES

E. C. H. A.
Montreal 3, Shamrocks 9.
Ottawa 11, Quebec 5.
Independent.
Glencoe 9, Bothwell 3.
O. H. A.
Junior.
St. Michaels 8, Parkdale 3.
Markham 10, Upper Canada 8.

ICE TROTTING AT THE CAPITAL

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 10.—The result of the ice races on Saturday were as follows:

Named race, purse \$500; unfinished:
Johnny, b. g., Hunt & Coulter, 2 1/2 3 3
Lyle Sand, b. g., C. Garrow, 1 2 2 5
Jun, Pembroke, 1 2 2 5
Judge, b. g., John Murphy, Canton, N. Y., 5 3 1 2
Peta, Miller, b. g., B. Stevens, 5 3 1 2
North Bay, 5 3 1 2
Gypsy Girl, gr. m., J. McDowell, 4 4 5 4
Time—2:22 3/4, 2:22 3/4, 2:22, 2:23.

2:28 pace, unfinished; purse \$500:
Andra, blk. m., F. Mac, Wy, Syracuse, 1 1 2 1
City Queen, b. m., L. Bennett, 2 2 1 2
Port Hope, 3 3 3 3
Honest Billie, b. g., J. Gilks, 3 3 3 3
Barrie, 3 3 3 3
Dock Dash, b. g., J. Dagenais, 4 4 5 4
Ottawa, 5 5 4 5
Jonah, b. g., J. B. W. G. Gilks, 5 5 4 5
Bessie Girl, ch. m., L. G. Goulet, 6 6 dr
Time—2:22 3/4, 2:23, 2:22 3/4, 2:21 3/4.

Free-for-all, stakes \$1,000:
Lady May, b. g., Burns & Shepard, Toronto, 4 1 1 1
John McEwan, b. g., Nat Ray, Toronto, 1 2 2 2
Miss Syracuse, b. g., Frank Matty, Syracuse, N. Y., 5 3 3 5
Davy K, b. g., A. Brown, Leamington, 2 4 5 3
Dinky, blk. g., A. Proctor, Newmarket, 3 5 4 4
Time—2:19 3/4, 2:18 3/4, 2:17 3/4, 2:19.

Friday's events were:
2:18 pace; Russell House stake, purse \$1,000:
J. B. Wilkes, br. g., Moore Bros., Sarnia, 1 1 1 1
Shadow, b. g., W. Allen, Harrisburg, 2 2 8
Dan K, b. g., R. Kennedy, Ottawa, 7 3 5
Johnnie K, b. g., Aid. Sam McBridge, Toronto, 3 4 4
Gypsy Girl, ch. m., Jas. McDowell, Ottawa, 8 8 3
Roan Hal, rn. g., George Moore, Watkins, N. Y., 4 5 7
Topsy Dillard, br. m., R. Mackay, North Bay, 5 7 6
Pauline, g. m., C. H. Putnam, Ottawa, 6 6 5
Time—2:22 3/4, 2:23, 2:22 3/4.

2:23 pace, purse \$500; unfinished:
Andra, blk. m., F. Mac, Wy, Syracuse, N. Y., 1 1 3
City Queen, b. m., L. G. Bennett, 2 2 1
Port Hope, 3 3 3 3
Honest Billie, b. g., J. Gilks, 3 3 3 3
Barrie, 3 3 3 3
Dock Dash, b. g., J. Dagenais, 4 4 5
Ottawa, 5 5 4 5
Jonah, b. g., J. B. W. G. Gilks, 5 5 4 5
Hull, 6 6 6
Bessie Girl, ch. m., L. H. Goulet, 6 6 6
Time—2:22 3/4, 2:23, 2:22 3/4.

SATURDAY BARGAINS

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PAPKE HAS EARNED OVER \$15,000 IN A SHORT CAREER

New York, Feb. 8.—Bill Papke, the western cyclone and present claimant of the middleweight championship title, is certainly making plenty of money out of the fighting game. If success sticks to him he ought to come very near having a swell bankroll when he retires from the game.

Bill first began fighting Nov. 26, 1905. In the fifteen months that he has been a professional pugilist he has made \$15,500 out of his battles, including the wagers he won on himself. The smallest amount Papke ever received for boxing was \$10, which he got for engaging in a limited round fight with the "Mexican Wonder." He made short work of the "Mexican Wonder" putting him out in four rounds. This victory gave him confidence, and he started out to make his living as a pugilist. His next battle was with "Red" Morrissey, whom he put away in three rounds. Since then Papke has been going right along the line meeting all the fighters that were willing to take him on.

The largest amount which Papke has drawn down out of a battle was \$2,888. He received this sum for his 10-round fight with Hugo Kelly, at Milwaukee, which was declared a draw although the majority of the spectators and fight critics claimed that Bill should have had the decision.

His other fights have netted him from \$700 to \$1,000 for his end. He has also had a few weeks' theatrical engagements, for which he received \$500 for each week. Besides these engagements he has also taken part in three exhibition bouts and got \$100 for each bout.

Since Papke began fighting he has engaged in twenty-six battles, eighteen of which he has won by knockouts. He has fought four draws and was awarded the decision in four others. Bill is at present at Hot Springs, Ark., where he is taking a rest. He intends to make a trip to Texas and Mexico and then will return home to Peoria, where he will begin training for his coming ten-round fight with Hugo Kelly, of Chicago, which is to be fought at the Hippodrome, of Milwaukee, under the auspices of the Milwaukee Boxing Club, on either March 16, or 18. If successful in this fight he will go to California, where he will meet the winner of the Stanley Ketchell-Mike "Twin" Sullivan contest for the middleweight championship of the world.

THE LATEST GOSSIP OF THE TURF

Although Jockey Walter Miller has amassed a fortune of over \$250,000 during his career in the saddle, his mother has been a consistent loser, letting his mounts. She has played a fixed \$10 wager on the horses ridden by her son for 25 years, regardless of price, and she is \$5,200 behind. She frankly confesses that the system is a bad one; and that she is going to quit speculating.

Impossible to Beat Them.

If it is impossible to beat the game by following Miller, it is out of the question to beat the horses by playing any other jockey. Miller is earning \$5,000 a month, and his mother says that this is enough of revenue to be derived from the racing game without taking chances.

Colin Looks Good.

Trainer Charles Hughes, who handles H. M. Ziegler's horses, has come out with the bold statement that James R. Keene's Colin can win any of the big eastern handicaps this year, in spite of the fact that these events have always attracted a more formidable lot of race horses than ever before. Hughes is not the only trainer who holds this opinion.

Jockey Mountain in Los Angeles.

Jockey George F. Mountain, who was warned away from the New Orleans track, has arrived in Los Angeles for a visit with his brother, who is in business there. Mountain is not at all sure that he has the temporary banishment from the turf, but declares that he did nothing at the Southern track to warrant the judges' action against him. He will remain in Los Angeles till spring, when he declares he will return east, and make a determined effort to clear his name.

Has Won \$996,043.

According to authentic figures compiled recently, James R. Keene in the last five years has won \$996,043 in stakes and purses on the Jockey Club tracks. In 1902 his horses cleaned up \$50,150, but since that time the yearly earnings have been several times greater. The \$400,000 mark being reached last season. His expenses for training, transportation, jockeys, help, equipment, feed, entry fees and the conduct of his famous Castleton stud in that period of time are estimated at nearly \$700,000.

Sydney Paget Second.

The figures place Sydney Paget second, with \$423,785, more than half of which was won in 1904 and 1905, when Paget had a lease on the running qualities of J. B. Haggin's horses. H. P. Whitney is third with \$395,916, which does not include \$700,107 won by his horses in H. B. Duryea's colors during the season of 1904.

BURNS A TEN-TO-FOUR FAVORITE

With the International heavyweight battle between Tommy Burns and Jack Palmer, the English latter, only a few hours off, the absorbing topic of conversation just now in England among the fight fans and sporting men is the approaching contest. Both fighters are trained to the minute for the battle, and, although Burns is the favorite in the betting at odds of 10 to 4, Palmer is confident nevertheless that he will win. Palmer expects to enter the ring weighing 195 pounds, while Burns expects to tip the scales at 190.

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Jimmy Britt must think that Battling Nelson is all in or else he would not have agreed to take him on in a ten-round bout before the Pacific A. C., of Los Angeles, Cal., on Feb. 25, and be-

sides consent to allow him an extra 5 per cent of the gross receipts. Jimmy gave Nelson an awful walloping in a 20-round bout at San Francisco on July 21, 1907, and figures that he can beat him again in this short contest.

Fitzgerald and Lewis.

Harry Lewis, the clever Quaker City welter-weight, and Willie Fitzgerald have been matched at last. They have been engaged by the matchmaker of the Edgewood A. C., of New Haven, Conn., to try conclusions in a 12-round battle at the show to be held by the club on the night of Feb. 27. They will battle at 142 pounds, weigh in at 2 p.m. If the men really try it ought to be a slashing fight.

Welsh Offered Bout.

Jack Gleason, the San Francisco fight promoter, has offered Freddie Welsh, the clever English lightweight, a match with Rudolph Unholz for twenty rounds, providing, of course, the South African champion will consent to take him on. Gleason offers 50 per cent of the gross receipts and the weight to be 123 pounds, weigh in at the ring side. Welsh says he will accept the offer if Packey McFarland declines to offer him at Milwaukee.

Could Not Make Hartwick Appear Laid on Floor and Refused to Move

**Squire Chittick Then Remanded
Him for a Week—History
of the Hartwicks.**

The county constables struck a snag this morning, when they attempted to bring James Hartwick, the accused murderer of his wife, before Squire Chittick, in order that the formality of a remand might be gone through.

In account of the exertions entailed in his almost constant ravings since being placed in the jail, and the fact that he has eaten almost nothing, Hartwick was too weak to leave his cell, and when an effort was made to have him walk, he lay flat on the floor on his face, and held his body rigid.

Stood the Treat.

Dr. MacArthur, the jail physician, then ordered that Hartwick be given a strong dose of whiskey.

Governor Carter then produced a pint bottle of the liquor, and Hartwick swallowed what was allowed him with a vim.

Even then he refused to get off the floor, and seeing that it was impossible to get the man up stairs without carrying him, Squire Chittick went through the formality of remanding him for one week, as the prisoner lay on the floor.

It was stated at the jail this morning that the only food Hartwick has eaten since being placed in confinement a week ago was a small piece of toast, a small piece of meat and a potato. In addition to this food Hartwick has partaken of perhaps two quarts of milk.

Crowd On Hand.

Early this morning a fair-sized crowd of young men had gathered in the hallway of the courthouse with a view of catching a glimpse of Hartwick as he was brought up for remand.

The attending constables, however, caused it to be stated that Hartwick would not be brought up till late this afternoon, and by ten o'clock there was but one would-be spectator left.

Had a Visitor.

Hartwick this morning had a visitor in the person of Mr. Len. Paisley, who was born near the place Hartwick was born.

The prisoner, however, failed to recognize his old friend and playmate, and did nothing beyond stare vacantly into space when Mr. Paisley approached his cell.

The complete history of the accused murderer's life has never as yet been published.

This morning an Advertiser reporter met a gentleman who has known Hartwick practically all his life, and from him secured the following story:

Insanity in Family.

One of the most important facts learned, was that the two children, a boy and a girl, of Abraham Hartwick, brother of the prisoner, had at one time both been insane, and that the boy had for a long time been an inmate of the London Asylum.

Another fact gleaned was that Abraham Hartwick's wife and the first wife of James Hartwick, the accused, were first cousins.

Born in London Township.

James Hartwick was born on lot 26, concession 12, London Township, in 1834.

Both Hartwick's father and his brother were what is known as "quack" doctors, and made a business of traveling about the country, holding meetings and selling medicine.

When James Hartwick was about 24 or 25 years of age, he married a Miss Murray, the ceremony taking place in this city.

The couple then took up their residence in London Township, where Hartwick for years conducted a successful brick-making business.

From this union there were three children, two girls and a boy.

The daughters died, but the son, Mr. A. Hartwick, who is now about 50, resides at Ilderton.

The oldest daughter married an engineer named Robert Dowling, and the couple went to Winnipeg, where, however, was too severe for the young woman, and she returned to Kilworth, where she later died.

Architect Nutter Will Draw Plans For the Proposed New Fire Halls

**Work Will Likely Be Commenced
On Them in a Very
Short Time.**

The two new fire halls will be built this summer, although nothing definite has been done as yet.

Ald. Greenlee, chairman of No. 2 committee, informed The Advertiser this morning that no conclusion had been arrived at concerning the halls, but that the matter would be taken under consideration shortly.

"There is nothing for us to do now but go ahead with the halls and halls as soon as possible," said an alderman this morning. "The decision of the city solicitor leaves the matter in good shape, so that we can build the two halls, and have no difficulties afterwards. So far I have heard no objection to the new hall. They will be built as soon as possible."

Will Begin Plans.

It was stated that Architect Nutter will begin work on the plans for the new halls as soon as he has completed the isolation hospital plans.

"London has not nearly the number of halls that is needed," said a visitor to this city this morning. "Ottawa has eleven halls and a large number of men, while London has but three at this minute, with thirty men on the force. Ottawa does not

Dowling then married again, but passed away shortly afterward.

First Wife Died.

In 1881 Hartwick's first wife died, and he took up his residence in Kilworth, along with his youngest daughter, who kept house for him.

After marrying his second wife, who was a Mrs. Nelson, Hartwick moved to this city, taking up his residence on the Pipe Line road.

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Was Respectable.

It is said that previous to his second marriage Hartwick was respectable. He drank but little, and he was never known to have a quarrel with anyone. His son strongly opposed the second marriage.

The second Mrs. Hartwick was said to have been a heavy drinker herself, and quarrels were frequent almost as soon as the nuptial knot had been tied.

At present, so far as can be learned, the only near living relatives Hartwick has are his son, Abraham, at Ilderton, and a sister named Mrs. Ayworth, at Corinth.

Both Sane Now.

A peculiar feature about the insanity exhibited by the two children of Hartwick's brother, Abraham, is that today both are perfectly sane and wealthy.

William Hartwick, the son, is a prosperous merchant out in California, while the daughter is married to a prominent piano manufacturer and storekeeper in Corinth.

It was stated today that Mr. Abraham Hartwick, the son of the accused man, did not learn of the tragedy until two days or more after the crime took place.

Went To Visit Old Folk.

How long the son would have been kept in ignorance of the death of his stepmother had he not taken a notion to go out and visit the old folks on the Tuesday following the crime cannot be said. When he arrived at Thorndale he went to a livery to procure a rig to proceed to Cobble Hill in.

It was then that he was informed of the tragedy.

Came to London.

Mr. Hartwick then took the first train back to his home. The next day he came to London and visited the police station, thinking that his father would be there. Afterward he saw the father at the county jail and the latter did not recognize him.

This morning it was learned that one day last June James Hartwick came in with produce of some kind, and while here met an old friend.

"I wrote to my boy to send me \$10," said Hartwick. "But he has not sent it. Nobody thinks of the old man any more."

"Well," replied the other, "Abraham has just purchased another hundred acres, and I guess he needs all the tens he can get together."

Hartwick then turned around, and the other man followed him out, and he did not appear intoxicated at the time.

The Inquest.

The inquest will be held tomorrow at 1 o'clock at the town hall, Thorndale, but Hartwick will not be taken there.

The jail physician this morning stated that he considered the prisoner weak to stand the trip, and for the second time in the history of Middlesex crime an inquest will be held without the prisoner being present.

The other instance in question was the case of an insane man at Stratford four or five years ago. In that case the accused was sent to the asylum without the formality of a trial.

On Saturday and Sunday night Hartwick was more quiet than he has been at any time since his arrest. He appears to be growing weaker all the time, and unless he can be forced to eat something shortly he may collapse.

Dr. MacArthur has given orders that the prisoner be supplied with all the milk he desires, but the old man partakes but sparingly of it, and since Saturday night has drunk but a quart of the liquid.

MRS. RYCKMAN DEAD

Had Been Ailing a Long Time—Funeral Held This Morning.

Mrs. Ellen Ryckman, wife of Mr. Levi Ryckman, passed away on Saturday after a long illness at the family residence, 342 Hamilton road. Her husband, one son, Raymond, of this city; one daughter, Miss Bertha, at home; four sisters, Mrs. Ed O'Brien, of Glenmiller; Mrs. Oliver Tall, 282 Blackfriars street; Mrs. Charles Downing, 116 Wilson avenue; Mrs. William Morey, of Campbellford; one brother, Mr. Ernest Patrick, of Glenmiller, survive.

The funeral was held this afternoon at All Saints' Church, services being conducted by Rev. G. B. Sage, assisted by Rev. Mr. Slade. Interment was made at Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

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The dedication services in Hyatt Avenue Methodist Church, were Sunday attended by very large congregations, despite the cold weather.

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Not realizing that his hands were frozen, McDougall then went to bed.

The next morning his hands and face were badly swollen, and he was taken to the hospital, where it was stated that the hands might possibly be saved.

However, it will be several days before the outcome can be definitely determined, as inflammation is always apt to set in in such cases.

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location is much better, and that is board very soon.

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and taken to the police station.

Chapman was arrested solely upon a description wired from Toronto, and was found in the restaurant.

Chapman protested vigorously against being arrested, but was sent back to Toronto this morning.

Local Items

—Mr. McKean, of Bank of Toronto, Galt, was in town last week end with Mr. Arthur Johnson, 371 Princess avenue.

—A meeting will be held on Wednesday evening in the Hermitage Club, Masonic Temple to organize a boating club. All persons who are interested in such a club for London are invited to be present.

—The members of the Western Canadian Club, who are interested in the support of a native preacher.

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City and District

—Miss Georgie Calvert, of Walkerville, is spending a few days with Miss Logan, of Central avenue.

—At the February quarterly board of the Sylvan circuit, the pastor, Rev. C. C. Couzens, was unanimously invited to return for the fourth year.

—The Chosen Friends of Arva will hold their annual supper on Tuesday evening next at the residence of Mr. Charles Robbins (Gerald Stinson's old farm).

—The members and adherents of Adelaide Street Baptist Church meet this evening at 6 o'clock in the school-room for their annual social reunion and tea.

—King Alfonso, the beautiful orange tabby Persian cat, owned by Thos. C. Knott, has again succeeded in winning first prize over all cats in his class at the Boreford Cat Club Show at Chicago, which has just closed. King Alfonso is now a champion cat, having won the necessary points at the cat shows this winter. He has never been defeated, although in competition with the best cats in the United States and Canada.

—Hamilton Spectator, of Saturday: Rev. Father Mahony, of St. Mary's; Rev. Father Brady, of St. Lawrence; Rev. Father Cote, of St. Patrick's; and Rev. Father Englert, who went to Mount Forest to attend the funeral of the late Dean O'Connell, have not returned to Hamilton yet. There is a possibility that they may get home some time today as a train from Palmerston arrived here this morning nearly three days late. A train was dispatched from Hamilton this morning for Mount Forest, as soon as possible after the arrival of the train from Palmerston.

Horse Breeders, Attention!

The dates of the breeders' horse show at Toronto have been changed, but the annual meetings of breeders will take place on the date of already announced. The change in the horse show dates was occasioned by the severe weather. The show will now be held on Feb. 26, 27 and 28.

Late William Lister.

The funeral of the late William Lister was held from the family residence, 123 Waterloo street, yesterday afternoon, and was very largely attended. The services were conducted by Rev. James Livingstone. The floral offerings, which were very beautiful, included many tokens from railroad and railroad societies. The pallbearers were chosen from local railroad organizations.

Mr. Lang Returns Thanks.

Mr. John Lang, who has again been re-elected treasurer of the South London Liberal Club, wishes to thank his friends of the club for so kindly remembering him while confined to his home during his recent accident, when he presented him with a beautiful Morris chair. Also for the honor they have done him in re-electing him their treasurer, and he hopes soon to be at

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Johnstone—Hutchinson.

A very happy event took place Saturday afternoon at the residence of Mr. Samuel Hutchinson, 832 Lorne avenue, when his eldest daughter, Ida May, was married to Mr. Frederick Johnstone, of Toronto. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. J. Teasdale, in the presence of immediate relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Johnstone will leave in a few days for Toronto where in future they will reside.

NEITHER POPULAR
NOR FASHIONABLE

Is the Great Question, "Where
Shall I Spend
Eternity?"

Miss Jameson, evangelist of Rochester, N. Y., brought here by the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, occupied the pulpit of Wellington Street Methodist Church on Sunday evening.

This lady is the fortunate possessor of characteristics which render her an unusually effective speaker. Her intense earnestness and pleasing personality combine with a most melodious voice to carry conviction to the hearts of her hearers as she eloquently urges that "Now is the accepted time" to "Lay hold on eternal life." There are, said she, seventeen figurative expressions in scripture, to emphasize the fleeting nature of human life.

The subject is neither a popular nor fashionable one, but "Where shall I spend eternity?" is a question of pressing necessity to be settled now, for delay is dangerous. There is no escape from the judgment, and it is Christ himself who alludes to the "Lake of brimstone," the "bottomless pit" where the fire is never quenched. These are mere figurative terms, some aver, yet what must the torment be of which such are the symbols, and from which agony and death alone could redeem us?

All hope to enter heaven at last. Why then delay? It is worthy to give only the dregs of your life to Him "Who has loved you with an everlasting love?"

Lay hold on eternal life. How? "I am the way," says Christ. Repent. How? Change your mind, accept Jesus, and do the work he sets you instead of the evil you now engage in.

This may be the last call to some one here from Him "who was wounded for our transgressions."

The singing by the choir of special music arranged for the occasion was exceptionally good.

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Sunday was anniversary day in Adelaide Street Baptist Church. Nearly 31 years ago some members of the old York Street Church started a "mission" on Adelaide street, a few yards north of the present church. Three years ago—not long after Rev. T. T. Shields assumed the pastorate—this edifice was found to be too small for the attendance, so it was torn down, being rebuilt to over double its former capacity. Not very long afterward, more than 450 more persons, by the erection of galleries, so that there is now seating accommodation for over 1,100 people.

Rev. A. J. Vining.

Yesterday was the second anniversary of the first enlargement, and good congregations were present, the singing attendance being very large. Rev. A. J. Vining, of Talbot Street Church, preached in the morning, giving an impressive discourse on "Practical Christianity," taking his text from Luke xiv. 11 to 16—the story of Christ's healing of ten lepers while on one of his journeys to Jerusalem. While hurrying on his way—Christ was always in a hurry to do the Father's work—he heard the lepers cry for help, and at once turned aside to answer their petition. Jesus Christ did good by the way. That was his great characteristic.

"The reason why many Christians' lives are not more successful," said the preacher, "is because they do not realize the advantage of the little opportunities that come in their way to do the Master's business. 'Be thou faithful unto death and I will give thee a crown of life,' is the Lord's injunction. Don't worry about results, but go on striving to win. Success in life," said the preacher, "is making the best of our opportunities." The poor widow, who cast her two mites into the Lord's treasury, outlives in history myriads of men whom the world once called great.

Rev. Mr. Stackhouse.

Rev. W. T. Stackhouse gave a powerful discourse in the evening, from I. Chronicles, xxix. 5—"Who then is willing to consecrate his service this day unto the Lord?"

The theme was "Consecration." Consecration, he said, was not a mere religious spasm, subject to fits and starts. Consecration was more than religious exercises; consecration was more than orthodoxy, though orthodoxy was good; consecration means more than the observation of religious forms. It embodies a knowledge of God's will as revealed in His word; it embodies a knowledge of the world we live in; it means putting the best we have on God's altar, and devoting one's life to God's service. The machinery of the church, its societies and boards, were not what gave the church its power, but the enthusiasm of its members. It was the fire in the soul that impressed God's truth upon the world. No one could be straight with God who was crooked with men. It is a well-established fact that men are led to accept Christ from what they see in the lives of those who faithfully serve Him.

Regeneration found its expression in consecration, as a result of which God was working in the life of His followers and through them touched others.

Consecration embodied knowledge, and knowledge came as a result of application.

The preacher mentioned Luther, Carey and other illustrious characters to prove the marvelous power of men, who had placed themselves in line with God's will and allowed Him to work through them. Their sacrifices had invariably brought them out the victors. "God has never lost a battle," said Rev. Mr. Stackhouse, "and I believe He has never lost a man in battle."

In the Christian life sacrifice became easy and consecration joyous. Jesus Christ gave the best He had when He gave His life, and the sword in Heaven gave the best that Heaven had when He sent to earth His son.

Rev. Ernest Gregg, returned missionary from Burmah, assisted in the evening services. At the close of Rev. Mr. Stackhouse's discourse the ordinance of baptism was administered to two candidates.

The singing by the choir of special music arranged for the occasion was exceptionally good.

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Pastor Eulogized Late D. S. Perrin Great Loss To First Methodist Church

Rev. Mr. Rutledge Had Many
Kind Things To Say of the
Deceased on Sunday.

"To Whom Shall We Go?" was the theme of Rev. G. L. Rutledge's sermon at the First Methodist Church yesterday morning, in which he pointed out that although in the different ages of the world various religions had been tried, none had been found which so exactly filled the needs of everyone as that expounded by Christ.

In the course of his sermon, Mr. Rutledge made reference to the loss the church had sustained in the death of Mr. D. S. Perrin, who, he said, was beloved, and would be remembered of many, not because he had built up one of Canada's largest industries, but because of the very large amount of good he has done in a quiet way.

Skepticism Unmasked.

"Skepticism Unmasked, or an Infidel's Eulogy at an Open Grave," was the subject of a most interesting sermon by Rev. E. B. Lancelley, at Dundas Center Methodist Church, last evening.

Mr. Lancelley took his text from St. Matthew, xiv. 2: "It is John the Baptist; he is risen from the dead."

"These modern days are an age of self-deception," Mr. Lancelley said. "If men do not want to live as they believe, then they want to modify their beliefs in harmony with their conduct."

"If a man's faith interferes with his conduct, it is more easy for him to change his faith than his conduct."

"Men do not change unless there is something loose in their conduct."

"Herod was a Sadducee, a non-believer in angels or spirits, but just as soon as he heard the new preacher, Christ, he said, 'It is John the Baptist.'"

"Strange speech for a Sadducee, who did not believe in resurrection, showing that as an individual thinker his belief was as a film over his deeper convictions."

"The film burst after coming in contact with Jesus."

"Men sees what he wants to see. Col. Ingersoll delivered an address on Moses. He had never seen Moses, and he based his address on a sixteenth century picture."

"We have enough today in the foundation of Christianity to justify ourselves in putting our full confidence and trust therein," Mr. Lancelley continued. "Out of that confidence and trust will come a life, personal, domestic, and national, that will bring blessing to ourselves and glory to God."

Rev. Dyson Hague.

Rev. Dyson Hague delivered his second and third sermons on "The I Am's of Christ," yesterday, taking as his subject in the morning, "I Am the Way," and in the evening, "I Am the Truth."

Both sermons were much appreciated by the large audiences present.

In St. Paul's.

The morning services at St. Paul's were taken by Rev. J. G. Perdue, who spoke from the text, St. Matthew, xxi. 37: "Thou shalt love the Lord thy

amounted to \$8,323 11 1/2. The expenditure has been \$5,500 38 1/2, of which \$5,432 13 44 has been in the form of parliamentary party maintenance. The funds at present in hand amount to \$7,721 13 5/2.

ST. CLAIR ICE BRIDGE

People Walk From Point Edward to Port Huron—Sarnia News.

Sarnia, Feb. 8.—People are walking across the ice between Point Edward and North Port Huron.

Mr. James McLean, of Plympton, who was here today, has been organizing granges among the farmers of Moore and Sombra. He is much encouraged by the success that has attended his efforts.

A recent newspaper venture in Lambton is the Inwood News, a bright sheet, which appears to have a good share of advertising patronage.

At the regular meeting of the board of education, W. J. Kary, principal of the public school, reported as being on the roll for January, 1,230; average, 1,185; percentage, 51.

C. I. Grasswell, principal of the Collegiate Institute, gave as the total on the roll for January, 240; average, 220; percentage, 52.

Miss Esther Ann Hayes, of Brantford, and John Archibald Fairbairn, of Sarnia, were married at the residence of John Ready, brother of the bride, on Wednesday, Feb. 5. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. A. Graham. The bride's maid was Miss M. Ross, of Ottawa; J. Chester, of Sarnia, was groomsmen; and little Miss Lorine Ready, flower girl.

After March 1 Mr. and Mrs. Fairbairn will be at home in Sarnia. Mr. Fairbairn is a member of the hardware firm of Mackenzie, Milne & Co.

BOWINS IS ILL

Canadian Boy-Murderer Has High Fever in Detroit Jail.

Detroit, Feb. 2.—Percy Bowins, of Woodville, Ont., the slayer of Mrs. Cornelia Welch, was taken sick in the jail on Thursday night, and was so sick that County Physician Grimes was called.

Bowins has a high fever, caused, it is thought, by disappointment over the non-arrival of his mother. He has been moody and fractious for the past few days, and has frequently retired to his cell to cry like a child.

Attorney Kennedy appeared before Judge Phelan on Friday morning, and announced that he would make a motion to quash the information, on the ground that the police obtained the confession of Laidlaw on false inducements, and that the boy should have been given a preliminary examination in the police court. Bowins' illness may make a difference in this plan. Kennedy contends that he must have more time in which to prepare for the trial.

DIVINE HAND IN IT

Widow of Marcum Sees Him Avenged in Hargis' End.

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 9.—Mrs. J. B. Marcum, widow of the last victim of the Hargis-Cockrell feud, made the following statement tonight concerning the murder of James Hargis by his son, Beech Hargis:

"He that sheddeth man's blood by man shall his blood be shed," is aptly illustrated in this case. I feel something of a delicacy in commenting on this awful tragedy. The unusual occurrence of a father slain by a son brings to mind to anyone regardless of past feelings the thought of home and self.

"My husband was killed at the hands of an assassin. I believe and