The Times Talks to the Buyers of Hamilton and District. It Will Pay You to Read Times Ads.

MAT ARTIST FOUND GUILTY OF THEFT.

Norman Chrysler Will be Sentenced To-morrow

Six Criminal Cases Before the Judge,

But Most of the Accused Got Off.

Judge Monck held Criminal Court this morning, and disposed of six cases. The first taken up was that of John Wintermute and William Ledger, charged with stealing twelve chickens from the farm yard of Peter Braemer, of Barton Town ship. The most important evidence wa that of T. A. Freeborn, a young lad, who met the two men carrying a couple of chickens, which they put in a yard nearby. It was then proposed that the four go and make a good haul, which they did, going to Braemer's and relieving him of ten. After taking them they handed them over to Phil Chrysler to put on the market. The chickens were put on the market and sold for \$8. Mr. A. M. Lewis, for the prisoners, stated that he could not see where there was enough evidence to convict his clients, and his Honor expressed the opinion that there was a grave doubt as to the guilt of the men, as there was only the unsupported evidence of Freeborn. They were

George Shawcross was found guilty George Shawcross was found guilty of stealing an overcoat, a pea jacket and a pair of boots from James Roberts. The history of the case showed that Shawcross had been hired by Roberts to work on the latter's farm. He worked for a short time, and, before leaving, took with him the above articles, which were found in a wood close by. His Honor found the prisoner guilty, and remanded him for sentence until to-morrow.

Richard Harner was charged with

him for sentence until to-morrow. Richard Harper was charged with stealing copper wire from the Hamilton Street Railway, within the past two months. He pleaded not guity. The evidence brought out that the copper was lying in a field near the company's barn, and that Harper, along with "Dot" Ford and Dan Geddes, had picked the wire up and taken it to White's boat house and burned the insulation off it. They then took it to Williamson's brass foundry and received \$3.70, which was equally divided among them. Mr. Geo. S. Kerr, K. C., contended there was no corroboration, and his Honor agreed and let Harper go.

Harper go.
Norman Chrysler, the well-known Norman. Chrysler, the well-known wrestler, was up on the old charge of stealing copper kettles from the factory of the Hamilton Biscuit Co. on March 2, 1907. He pleaded not guilty, through his lawyer, John G. Farmer, K. C. A Mr. Takefmann, a scrap iron dealer, was the most important witness, and gave evidence to the effect that Chrysler had brought the kettles to his place and that he had bought them. He later took them to the Police Station, where they were identified as belonging to the company. Chrysler denied that he had ever been at Takefmann's shop to sell company. Chrysler denied that he had ever been at Takefmann's shop to sell him anything. His Honor quickly found him guilty. Another old charge was brought against him, that of breaking away from an officer of the law, in the person of P. C. Tuck, on March 23, 1907. le pleaded guilty to this charge, and as remanded for sentence until to-mor-

w morning. T. A. Freeborn, the lad who confessed to complicity in the chicken thieving expedition, pleaded guilty, and His Honor said that, it being his first offence, and as he had never been in trouble before, he would let him go. His Honor believed that it was the bad company the lad was keeping that made him do what he did. His father was present and promised to look after the lad.

Ross Wallace was again before His Honor on the charge of assaulting a foreigner, and was remanded for two weeks, the Crown not being ready.

N. C. Special Pipes.

This pipe has a patent mouthpiece that is bound to smoke clean, dry and cool, with no nicotine. The Special pipes are sold for 30 cents only at peace's pipe store. 107 king street, east.

TRADERS BANK OF CANADA.

THREE CHOIRS.

Important Social Event at Galt Friday Night.

Centenary Church choir is to give a cert in Galt Methodist Church on Friday night of this week, and the affair is taking on the form of a big social fair is taking on the form of a big social event. Fully 100 will go from this city, it is expected. A special train has been secured. The choir of the Methodist Church of Berlin will also be the guests of the Galt choir, and a most enjoyable time is looked for. The Hamilton party will have a direct special home, leaving immediately after the event.

PURSE FOR ALF.

said he and a companion named Nevilles | Presentation to Popular Young Man Last Evening.

> Last evening the employees of Coppley, Noyes & Randall, Limited., met at the warehouse to bid adieu to an old employee, Mr. Alf. Schwindeau, old employee, Mr. Alf. Schwindeau, who is severing his connection with the firm to go into the insurance business. In a few well chosen remarks Mr. B. Harvey, on behalf of the employees presented him with a purse of gold, to which he made a suitable reply, stating that although he was going into a new line of business he would still remain a resident of Hamilton.

ABOUT TENDERS.

Bennett Tries Hard to Besmirch Hon. Mr. MacKay.

Ottawa, March 24.-(Special.)-R Wilkinson, of the Owen Sound Dredgng Co. was examined before the Public Accounts Committee this morn-Public Accounts Committee this morning in regard to the work at Tiffan and Midland. Mr. Bennett appeared to doubt the ability of Inspector Hacker to be present where two dredgings were working apart to restify as to how the scows were loaded, but Wilkirson could not give evidence as to that. From this Bennett proceeded to take up the question of tendering for work at Penetang and Matchedash Bay.

The witness denied that there was a meeting between Dr. Spawn, Hon. A. MacKay and himself at the Rossin House, Toronto, to arrange for tendering for this work, MacKay and witness did talk about tendering and he, Wilkinson, left for Ottawa to tender for the Matchedash Bay. He was to use his own judgment as to tendering and he finally tendered for Penetanguishine and Matchedash Bay. It appeared that there was a tender from Dr. Spawn in one of MacKay's envelopes, according to Mr. Bennett, who tried to show collusion between Spawn, MacKay and Wilkinson. The witness denied collusion and had porecollection of giving an envelope to Spawn. Neither of them got the work. Prendegast was the lowest tenderer.

TORONTO MURDER.

difference. He said it was a matter for the House, and he believed the criticism in the House, and he believed the criticism would disappear.

These ridings remain unchanged: South, Centre and North Bruce, East and West Elgin, Haldimand, East and West Lambton, Limcoln, Monek, North and South Perth, South and West Toronto, South, East and West Wellington, and Welland. "Now, I have got all the others here," said Hon, Mr. Whitney, who outlined the changes. In Brant country, Burford is simply transferred from South to North Brant. In Hastings county there are to be three constituencies, as in the past, but Huntingdon towuship is taken to the past, but Huntingdon towuship is taken to the control of the past, but Huntingdon towuship is taken to the control of the past, but Huntingdon towuship is taken to the pa

Austrian Charged With Crime Remanded Till To-morrow.

slay and kill one, Geo. Mekitich" was the formal charge read by Magistrate Denison in the police court this morning against Leonard Bakinic, the Austrian, who was involved in the shooting which followed a drunken carouse among the foreigners in the Waterworks Tunnel camp at the foot of John street last night. The prisoner was remanded until to-morrow.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES.

To rent at \$2 a year and upwards, for the storing of deeds, bonds, stocks, wills,

TORTURE KILLS WOMAN HELD IN HAYTIEN PRISON.

Haytien Officials Deny Prisoner Was Maltreated --- Foreign Gunboats Still Patrol Coast.

Port au Prince, March 24.— Commander Templin Potts, of the cruiser Des Moines and Commander Thomas Rodgers of the gunboat Dubuque, were given an audience to-day by President Nord Alexis. Mr. Henry Furniss, the American Minister, presented the commanders. The president welcomed the Americans in the customary phrases, and told them that tranquillity prevailed throughout the island. Notwithstanding the official assurances that there is no danger of an outbreak the foreign warships have made their plans for landing forces should trouble arise.

Thre is little likelihood of disturbances occurring as long as the warfships remain. The only present questions are solved in the state of the families will be persecuted.

tion, except the general international one concerning the Haytien policy, is that of the refugees at the French and German legations, who refuse to accept the government guarantee for the government guarantee for the safety.

About sixty boys for the Children's Home, Main street east, at the Dexta, arrived here this afternoon and were met at the station by Superintendent Hills and driven to the Home. Gollette, the wite of a merchant, who was arrested on March 13 on the charge of bribing soldiers, died in prison this morning for them, and they will be sent from farmers for these boys.

An Old Hat

Can be made to look just like new by using Parke's Oriental Hat Dye, a fast waterproof color that does not chip off, put up in black, brown, red, green, blue and navy blue, sold at 25c per bottle. Call and see sample colors, or colors and bleach your straw hat, taking all that and the control of th

BOLD TALK OF KOREAN ASSASSIN

Shot Stevens and is Willing to Die--- Warning to Others to Deal Justly With the Korean People.

San Francsco, March 24.-I. W. Chang, the Korean, who yesterday shot D. W. Stevens, dipo-matic attache of the Korean Government, last night, made a written statement, from which the following extracts are taken:

"This day I shot Stevens. I shot him because he was the mam factor in the Japanese reign of bloodshed and oppression in Korea and because he, as the head advisor of the regime, was responsible for deaths of our fathers, mothers and brothers in

"Stevens is the advisor of the Korean Government, paid by the Korean Government, but who is working for the interests of Japan and against hose of the nation, which looked to him as an American for justice and good rule. He has endeavored to make the people of the United States of America believe that the Japanese protection of Korea was the best thing for that nation in the present and will be so in the future. He lied when ne said that the Korean people are happy under Japanese rule. So I, for his falsehoods, shot

"If I kill him and I die it will be a warning to

ners who take his place to rule justly and deal with the people in his care with kindness and hu-manity. I will make no complaint to the punishand aid my country in struggles for freedom, I shall die nobly and well. I shot Stevens and I wish to die." ment that will be meted out to me; and should my

Tokio, Marc'. 24.-The newspapers are all issuing W. Stevens

Marquis Ito was deeply affected by the receipt of the news and said, through his secretary: nnot express my sorrow.". Marquis Ito is in feeble health.

Baron Ishii said to the Asssociated Press: "Mr evens is the last man I should expect to be as sassinated at the hands of Koreans whom he has sistently befriended. The fact that Mr. Stevens life was safe in Korea and Japan and that his as sassination was attempted in America has brought out universal comment that the deed was the result of the propaganda in America against Jap

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GERRYMANDER OF CONSTITUENCIES.

WHITNEY OUTLINED THE CHANGES BEFORE COMMITTEE.

Ottawa to be Cut in Two-Toronto to Have Eight Members-Burford to be Taken Out of Brant-List of Unchanged Constituencies.

Toronto, March 24 .- (Special) -The details of the proposed change in the old Ontario constituencies were submitted by the Hon. Mr. Whitney to the special committee of the Legislature which is considering the Redistribution Bill at its meeting at noon to-day. The committee also passed a list of 25 constituencies which will remain unchanged. In all 58 ridings have been passed unaltered. The Prime Minister announced that Ottawa will be divided practically by the Rideau Canal.

Mr. May pointed out that each of the Toronto ridings would have a population of 80,000, and would have a population of 80,000, and was to be divided.

The Prime Minister said he would be able to give satisfactory reasons for the difference. He said it was a matter for legitimate discussion and criticism in the House, and he believed the criticism would disappear.

These ridings remain unchanged:
South. Centre and North Bruce, East and West Kent, East and West Lambton, Lincoln, Monck, North and South Perth, East, Centre and West Simcoe, East, North South and West South, North and South Perth, North south and West South, North South and West South, North South and West South, North and South Perth, North South and West South, North and South Perth, North South and West South, North and South Perth, North South and West South, North and South Perth, North South and West South, North South and West South. by the Hon. Mr. Whitney to the special

West.
The only change in the three divisions of Middlesex are that Metcalf township and the town of Strathroy are taken from the West riding and placed in the North. Lobo township is taken from the North and placed in the West.

East Northumberland remains unal-

Toronto, March 24.—"That you did slay and kill one, Geo. Mekitich" was the formal charge read by Magistrate Denison in the police court this morn.

The other Peterboro constituency. boro. The other Peterboro constituency, the East, is given the village of Lake-field, in accordance with the wish of the

field, in accordance with the wish of the people of that municipality.

The changes in York county are as follows: All the village of Stouffville now partly in North and partly in Kast York, is to be included in East York. So also is the town of North Toronto, which was formerly in West York, Cardwell, a made-up comstituency, will remain. One of the townehips now in it, namely, Albion, will, however, be given back to Peel.

Leeds and Brockville have to be considered together. It is proposed to make the population even as far as possible. This leaves Carleton, Lanark, Grey and Ottawa to be considered.

Mr. Whitney remarked:

"We propose to divide Ottawa patically by the Rideau Canal."
Toronto will have eight members.

BOYS FOR FARMS.

Large Bunch Arrived at Children's Home To-day.

Boycott Japs.

Hong Kong, March 24 .- The boycott crusade is growing. Post-ere are stuck all over the walls reading: "The Japanese are a barbarous humbug. The Chinese Government does not love the people who are now weeping; the Chinese will cause a bloody boycott of the Japanese immediately, and can see annihilation, which is expected within a few years." ******************

THE MAN IN OVERALLS

There were no unemployed demonstra-tions in Ross' time.

I have heard of them stealing a hot stove, but I never before heard of anybody stealing a safe. It's not safe to leave a safe lying around at nights.

I see my two local contemporaries are busy asking easy questions at them-selves. The answers they give, although not always correct, seem to please them

Of course, it's easy to make light of the proposition to buy the electric light plant.

If the worst comes to the worst, Gordon Wilson will get a job up at the Asylum.

The ventilation of the question of school room ventilation should result in better ventilation.

The mountaineers east of Wentworth street are asking to be taken into the city. The day is coming when there will be an upper and a lower Hamilton. The trolley when it comes will hasten the

Get on to our new story to-morow night. Above the ordinary.

Charles Colline, as an independent candidate, might outrun Mr. Wilson. In fact, I think he would beat him badly.

When Sifton made that great speech of his he was siftin' the chaff from the

Good for the Spec. It holds up for the emulation of all young men-Lemieux, King, Graham and Mabee, all young and rising Grits.

So Gamey will not be here at the Con. Club on Friday next. Did anybody kick?

When talking about the economical Whitney Government, Gordon Wilson will be able to tell the people that be has increased the public debt \$1 a head in three very

"Fated to Love Her" because he could not help it. A rich but delicate love story that captivates all readers.

I think I will have to make Chief Twiss an honorary member of the Catch 'Em Alive Association. If spring were really here the crap hooters would not be far away.

The Citizens' League has not yet made up its mind whether it will abolesh the bars altogether or just close them up at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

If we are not too far north of the 17th I would like to give one more cheer for Ireland. (Cheers.) Knotty Points-To the Editor: Would

Knotty Points—To the Editor: Would you please tell me in your next issue it Good Friday falls, on a Friday this year, and oblige—A Tory Reader.

As Good Friday this year falls upon the 17th of April instead of the 17th of Ireland, and the new moon will be full at its perihelion, this being leap year, Good Friday will be held on a Friday—ED.

Our new story begins in to-mortow evening's paper. A genuine, true blue, love story that everybody likes to read. Knotty Points—10 the Eathers would you please tell me in your next issue if Good Friday falls on a Friday this year, and oblige—A Tory Reader.

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THISTLE RINK TO BE ENLARGED.

FULL SIZED HOCKEY RINK AND ACCOMMODATION FOR 3,000.

New Rink Will Be Ready for Next

At a recent meeting of the Thistle Skating Rink Co., it was decided to entirely rebuild the present skating rink. The services of Stewart McPhie, archi tect, have been secured to prepare the plans. It is the intention to extend the rink some 20 ft. back, and remove the waiting rooms from the front, to the side between the two rinks. An entirely new steel arch roof will replace the pre-sent rowf, and the posts of the old gal-leries will also be removed. The new rink, when completed, will have the full rink, when completed, will have the full size regulation hockey rink, having a skating surface of 180 x 80 feet, and will have a seating accommodation of 3,000 people, arranged in amphitheatre style, with the side walls high enough to permit of an additional upper gallery. The waiting rooms will be given the same careful consideration as the rink proper, and will be provided with spacious room for ladies and gentlemen with check room adjoining. The entrances will be made large and roomy so that the handling of large crowds will be a simple matter.

When completed, the rink will be one of the most modern and up-to-date in this part of the country.

James Reynolds, the famous long distance walker is in the city to-day. Reynolds intends walking from Port Hope to Toronto and return, on the 14th of to Toronto and return, on the 14th o June next, and is to complete the journ ey in 33 hours for a wager of \$300.

Preston, Ont., March 24.—Mrs. Tommy Burns, who has been ill at Burn's mother's home here, is improving. Burns is expected home before long.

Lincoln, Eng., March 24.—The Lincoln hire handicap, 1.500 sovereigns for outsider and started in the betting at 100 to 7.

SHOT IN THE BACK.

Did Not Know It Was Loaded-He May Die.

Brockville, March 24.- Roy Fetterly, 25 years old and married, is in St. Vincent de Paul Hospital with a bullet in his back. He was handling a rifle last night, not knowing the weapon to be

NO BANDS

Wanted With Society Church Parades on Sundays.

Toronto, March 24.—The ministers of East Simcoe have sent a petition to the Legislature asking that secret and fra ternal societies parading on the Lord's poses be forbidden to have bands and make a big display, and also that they be forbidden to hold a general dinner afterwards.

OPENING OF NAVIGATION.

URGE FINANCIERS TO ACCEPT THE OFFER.

NEW ORGAN.

Emerald Street Methodists Are Raising a Fund.

Emerald Street Methodist Church people are at work on a plan to raise funds for a new organ. The church is progres sive and prosperous, and has a strong choir, of which Mr. Geo. Goddard is leader. The money for the new instru-ment, or a large proportion of it, will be raised before the order is placed. Those who have the subscription books in hand are meeting with encouraging

65,000 SPRINGERS.

Estimate Placed on Claimants by One of Them.

Syracuse Springers and other claim ants in that city to the estate of the ants in that city to the estate of the late Baron Springer, at Wilmington, Del., said to be worth \$90,000,000, have organized, like those of Cleveland, Detroit, London, Pontiae, Mich. Toronto, Hamilton and other places, and purpose taking a hand in the fight for the money. The old baron has been dead only about 80 years, and one of the local Springer, estimates that there are now springers estimates that there are now about 65,000 claimants—more cropping up almost every day—a pretty peolific race, surely. Out in the west there—has Work Will Be Begun at Once and the His photograph could not be obtained.

FRENCH SENSATION.

Arrest of Rochette, the Financier, May Cause Scandal.

day of Henry Rochette appears likely to develop a big scandal. It is stated that several prominent politiciaus are involved in the dealings of Rochette, who threatened the examining magistrate with the name of an influential senator. A large number of brokers have suffered considerable financial loss through the arrest of Rochette. They had been instructed to buy up shares in his concerns, which showed a tendency to slump. Accordingly on Saturday they bought up \$400,000 worth, and received from Rochette cheques on the Bank of France, but payment of the cheques was refused by order of the court.

The news of the arrest caused a panic in the provincial branches of the Credit. Minier et Industriel Bank, directed by Rochette. Depositors clamored all day A large number of brokers have suffered

Rochette. Depositors clamored all day at the branches, but no money was paid

out to them.

Rochette conducted a big financial newspaper, Le Financier, at a cost of about \$30,000 a month, by means of which he was better able to dispose of stock in his various companies.

One of the directors of the Credit Minier states that Rochette's affairs are solvent. He says that Rochette has nearly \$2,000,000.

Minier states that however the solvent. He says that Rochette has nearly \$2,000,000 deposited in the Bank of France, which is sufficient to meet all liabilities, and the Credit Minier and the wish banks have the working

WILL ENLARGE IT.

Summers Co. Secures Lease of East End Mountain Theatre.

Mr. Harry Marre, manager of the Summers Stock Co., anounced to-day that his company has secured a five-year lease of the theatre at the head of the East End Incline railway, where the Summers Co. have held the boards for the past two summers, and that extensive improvements will be made at that favorite resort at once. The company will spend several thousand dollars in entarging and improving the theatre. New dressing rooms will be built and the stage will be enlarged to take in the old dressing rooms.

The work of renovating will be commenced in a week or ten days and everything will be in shape before the opening, on Victoria Day. ecured a five-year lease of the thea-

President Will Go Direct to Headquarters

And Ask That City's Of-

fer be Accepted. Aldermen Believe That

It Will, Too.

The expected happened yesterday afernoon, when the conference committee negotiating with the Street Railway ompany unanimously rejected the lat ter's proposition, and decided to stand by the city's offer, which the company has already declined, and which is to ollect 8 per cent, for two years on \$316,00 and 5 per cent, for the balance of the contract period on the increased

There is still a chance, however, of a settlement being reached, and the city officials and some of the aldermen be lieve it is a good one. They think the company will wind up by accepting the proposition it rejected several days ago on the grounds that the scheme could not be financed unless the men who were putting the money into it were

guaranteed certain things. When the result of the conference ommittee's negotiations was conveyed committee's negotiations was conveyed to Colonel Gibson he expressed disappointment that the city had not seen it to accept the otter or negotiate along that basis. Both he and Air. Hawkins, however, said that if the offer made by the city was not accepted by the company it would not be through their fault. They went to the Chicago office of the financiers when they placed the proposition before them the last time, they will go direct to headquarters in New York on this occasion, and do their best to try and get the men with the money to consent to the city's offer. There was a lively ascussion at the conference committee's meeting yeaters.

conference committee's meeting yester-day before an answer to the company was agreed on. Mayor Stewart declared himsen strongly opposed to going to the company again with the city's proposi-tion after it had been turned down once. He thought all the committee should do was send a reply that it could not en-tertain the company's offer. He second-ed a resolution moved by Ald. Farmer to the effect that "The committee cannot

the effect that "The committee cannot entertain the proposition made by the company on Marca 20, nor any proposition on the net earnings."

This was deteated on a vote of 5—4, Mayor Stewart, Ald. Farmer, Jutten and Baney voting for it, and Ald. Clark Dickson, Allan, Sweeney and McLaren against it.

The following resolution, moved by Ald. Allaren and seconded by Ald. Allen, was passed on the reverse division:

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That the committee cannot entertain the proposition of the company, made to the committee on March 20, nor can they entertain any proposition based to the committee on March 20, nor can they entertain any proposition based on net earnings, and are of the opinio that a basis of 8 per cet, on gross receipts up to 8316,000 and a decrease to not less than 5 per cent, on gross recepts over that amount (provide extensions are sufficient, with reconstruction of woole system migration before

tensions are sufficient, with reconstruc-tion of whole system; might be favor-ably received by the people."

The Mayor justified his stand to-day on the grouma that he considered it would injure the city's chances with the Railway Board to go to the company again and ask it to accept the city's pre-vious offer. "If we go before the board," he said, "and it takes the stand that it cannot force the company to do things that it has not got the money for things that it has not got the money for the board can argue that we have admitted the company has not the money when we offered to give it \$500,000." lution which was adopted took the oppo-site view. They felt that by making every possible effort at a settlement it would strengthen their case before the

President Gibson and General Manager Hawkins leave for Bermuda to-night, and will not return before the middle of

Following is the report which the conference committee will make to the Council on Monday night:
"The committee met Messrs. Gibson (Continued on page 3.)

FOUNDRYMEN WANT DUTY ON STOVES INCREASED TO 331%.

They Are Ready to Resume Operations as Soon as Wages Question is Settled.

"Nothing new," is all that the foundrymen have to say when asked about the labor situation. The shops are still doing nothing, but, it is said, some of the largest of them are ready to resume operations as soon as the pay question is settled. The men do not show any s settled. The men do not show any the bor

is settled. The men do not show any disposition to meet the suggestion of a reduction in the scale, although their enforced idleness is running into the fourth month now.

Among the men there is a feeling that the real object of the move on the part of the foundrymen is to obtain an increase in the duty. During the fiscal year 1905-6 there were imported into Canada stoves and parts thereof to the

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expostulate: he might as well have en-deavored to reason with an enraged lion of the forest. Daniel Gordon did not even The heart almost stood still in Clif-

ford's bosom when another voice fell upon his ear—the voice of Florice Austin,

"I am convinced beyond all doubt now of this man's duplicity; he was fleeing with another. Now he shall feel the yengeance of the woman whom he was duping. Bring him back to the village, good Mr. Gordon. It will be my turn when you have done with him."
"Florice!" exclaimed Clifford Carlisle, in intense agitation; "I can explain all this to your satisfaction if you will but allow me to do so—if you will only listen for one moment to my side of the story."

allow me to do so—if you will only listen for one moment to my side of the story."

She laughted a hard, bitter laugh.

"What my eyes behold, that I shall believe!" she cried. "You can make a fool of Florice no longer. Listen, every body!" she cried, raising her voice to a still, high key: "I denounce Clifford Carlisle as the worst of frauds! I saw him force Mrs. Barrison, on her deathbed, to sign that will which he offers to the world as the genuine article. My price of silence was that he should make me his wife, sharing with me the ill-gotten fortune. Ay, and worse! He systematically swindled the old lady out off money for years, pretending that hinvested it in a gold mine had no existence save in his own brain, Ay! and his rascality does not even end there," she went on, with growing rage: "our handsome, dapper gentleman is a high wayman as well!"

"Floriest" cried Clifford Carlisle, livid in herror, "you are mad! Say no more, if you expect me to fulfil my plelge of marrying you. You will bitterly rue all these tales you are telling about me. Can you not realize that?

T never thought that it would be you who would try to ruin me."

Again she laughed that horrible, bitter laugh that made the blood run cold in his veins as he answered:

"Marry you! Why, I would as soon think of throwing myself before this train. I shall never marry a man who would deceive me—ay! and willfully desert me for another. I can hate a thousandfold more bitterly than I can love, and this I say to you, Clifford Carlisle. I am your mortal foe, and all I want is revenge—and I have it in this hour.

"It was he," she wildly continued, who made away with the young express Mgent for the money he had with him. I

revenge—and I have it in this hour.

"It was he," she wildly continued, who made away with the young express agent for the money he had with him. I was an eyewitness to it; I followed him that night because I was suspicious that he intended visiting some village maid, and I repeat that I witnessed the robbery and the tragedy.

The effect of those words on the growd which had gathered was electrical, they would have hanged him to the gravest tree but for the stern decision of Daniel Gordon that he must be taken to the village and the truth of the woman's assertions clearly proved:

This was accordingly done, a jerring crowd following.

It was not didtil Norme-was taken to the town hall and they had worked over her for some time that consciousness was restored to her.

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was restored to her.

Who shall attempt to describe the contement that followed when she told of the safety of Joe Brainard from death, but of the accident he had met with, and that he lay on the mountain road in the greatest pain awaiting help, which was despatched to him without an instant's delay.

Norine was as much amazed as any of them when she was told of the attempted abduction, and size thanked Heaven indeed for the timely interference through which she had been so merelfully saved.

*Finding that fate had closed in around

mercifully saved.

**Finding that fate had closed in around him, and his wicked career was brought to an untimely end, Clifford Carlisle confessed everything from the forging of the Barrison will to the attempt to make away with the young express agent—for the thirty thousand dollars in cash which he had about him—and promising to make full restitution if they would but set him free and let him go his way.

go his way.

*After much deliberation, this they concluded to do, though most of the inhabitants of Hadley were for punishing him to the fullest extent of the law for nearly bringing a massacre upon

Resching the deput, he cautiously stroys around to the where side of the nutfing trails, and was just about to board it with the still unconsci aus figure of Norfice clasped closely in his arms, so it is a strong to the strong of the strong the rage of the Pawmens.

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Straight Talk on Danger of Colds

Let your cold gain headway, and your can't keep it from running into Catarrh. Catarrh never stays in the same

tarrhozone, which instantly reach- Crime Bears All the Earmarks of Sicilian

CHARGED WITH FRAUD.

He Had a Meteoric Career-Starting as Messenger Boy, He Founded Two Banks and Nine Other Undertakings.

Paris, May 23.—A sensation has been caused at the Bourse and among the public by the arrest of a prominent financier of the name of Rochette, who is charged with swindling and fraudulent company promoting. Rochette has hitherto borne an excellent reputation for integrity and inexhaustible energy. Though only 32 years old, he has founded two banks, nine other financial undertakings and had become one of the wealthiest of the younger members of the Bourse. The public have invested about 80,000,000 francs in his various enterprises. Paris, May 23 .- A sensation has been

in a railway restaurant, he inherited 500 francs. With this money he apprenticed himself to a bank and learned all about the banking business. Then he entere the office of a company promoter, ar five years later raised en start a mining bank, which rapidly became known through France as the Credit Minier. Within two years he employed 400 clerks in Paris and had 67

From that time Rochette became . a sort of financial wizard. He floated sort of financial wizard. He floated company after company, dealing in coal, copper, silver and gold mines, South American lands, railways, etc. His other benk, La Banque Franco-Espagnole, employed 300 clerks. The stocks of his various companies, which were of good reputation, slumped disastrously at the Bourse immediately his arrest became known.

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MIDNIGHT TRAGEDY AMONG FOR-EIGNERS IN TORONTO

SHOT DEAD.

Joe Milowitch, a Native of Slavonia, Murdered in a Shack-Police Made Sixteen Arrests—Row Preceded the Sudden Crime.

The man who tells ce most coherent story up to the time immediately preceding the fatal shooting was Joe Lewis, the negro foreman. He came up out of the shaft at half-past 10, and hearing a row among the Austrians and Slavs went to their hut. He saw a man with a shovel in his hand, who told him he was going to break in the door and kill someone. "No," he said: "no use kill-ing." They quieted down for a little then: Soon afterward he saw a man then. Soon afterward he saw a man shoot twice into the ground. He then went to the door of the shack, but he was driven away with cries of "It's nonof your business." Out of the dark he saw three spurts of fire from a revolver and these shots were evidently those now showing in the roof of the partment in the shack in which the ome six and a half feet from the ground. Lewis then ran to a telephone and called up the police at Eather street police station. While he was there he heard three more shots, and when he back the big Austrian

A MONK MURDERED.

out of your system while you BODY GOUND IN DINGY NEW YORK TENEMENT.

Vendetta-Man Probably Lured to the Room and Deliberately Slain.

New York, March 23 .- Another of in New York and bearing the earmarks when the body of Vincenzo Bonano, a

when the body of Vincenzo Bonano, a former Franciscan monk, who came here from Sicily in 1891, and has since lived in the Italian colony of Mulberry street, where he had a reputation of having accomplished many faith cures, was found in a darkened rear apartment of a dingy cast side tenement.

The man's throat was cut from ear to car, and there were gashes and bruises on the head and face. The victim's feet were tied together, showing that he had been taken at a disadvantage, but great splashes of blood and gory finger marks about the apartment indicated that the man had given up his life only after a desperate struggle. A blood-stained razor and, hatchet were found in the fireand hatchet were found in the fire

The police, after hours of investiga-on, declared themselves baffled, so far clues to the murderers were concern-They say it is clear that the victim was lured to the place, and they believe the murder was one of revenge.

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CHINA

Japan Asks Her to Prevent Boycott.

Pekin, March 23.-Japan has asked China to take such steps as may be ne-cessary to prevent a boycott on Japan-ese goods in China, and to put an end to the anti-Japanese agitation growing out of the Tatsu Maru incident. The native of the latest ward incont. The native guilds and the press are giving promi-nence to sensational reports of the Can-ton demonstrations against Japan, indi-cating a widespread attempt to use the Tatsu Maru case against the Pekin Govrnment as well as against Japan.
It is believed that a dozen or more of

It is believed that a dozen or more of the men recently taken into custody on the charge of agitating for reform have been executed, the particular allegation against them being that they trafficked in Governmental secrets.

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IN THE ROOSTER'S CROP.

New Jersey Girl Found Diamond Her

Mother Had Lost. New York, March 23.—Mrs. John T. Wilkins, wife of a farmer residing near Great Notch, N. J., lost a three-carat diamond last fall. The stone was found by her daughter yesterday in the crop of a young rooster while she was preparing it for Sunday's dinner.

The girl thought it merely a piece of glass, but her mother noticed it. When she tried it in the setting of the ring it fitted perfectly.

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OLD FASHIONED TEA

Wesley Church Had Enjoyable Affair Last Night.

the ladies of the church to the congregation. It was very largely attended, and showed an enthusiastic spirit in the affairs of the church by many of the members. Tea was served in the Sunday school room at 6.30, and all the good things were provided. Everyone present possessed a good appetite, and things disappeared with great regularity. The congregation then adjourned to the church where an excellent programme the ladies of the church to the congrega-

Daughters and Maids of England

Entertain.

Last evening the Daughters and Maids of England (Princess Maud Lodge, No. 2) gave an entertainment in the Sons of England Hall, which was a decided success in every respect. The chair was occupied by Miss Gadsby. A good programme was given, as follows: Piano solo, Miss Wilson; song, Tom Bowker; recitation, Olive Hannaford; recitation, Mrs. Bowker; solo, Marjorie Revell; dialogue, "Child's Philosophy," by Misses Hannaford and Heatly; solo, Ethel Bland; duet, Myrtle and Gladys Hannaford; recitation, Myrtle Foster; recitation. Vera Hackbush: solo, Myrtle Hannaford; recitation, Rhoda Hackbush; recitation, Ivy Hannaford; recitation, Olive Hannaford; dialogue, "The Seasons"; recitation, Joe Weston; solo, Tom Bowker. At the conclusion of the programme refreshments were served by the ladies of the concert committee, under the

supervision of Mrs. Bland, secretary Great credit is due to the ladies for pro-viding such a pleasant evening.

HAMILTON LEGAL CASES.

The old fashioned anniversary tea was given in Wesley Church last night by the ladies of the church to the congrega-

disappeared with great regularity. The congregation then adjourned to the church, where an excellent programme was given by the members of the choir. Miss Estelle Carey, Miss Annie Sutherland and Mr. W. O. Pettie favored with splendid solos, and the choir sang an anthem. During the evening Dr. Tovell introduced Rev. R. Whiting, Rev. J. K. Unsworth and Rev. W. H. Sedgewick to the church, and each spoke in a congratulatory tone of the success of the work in the church. Each of the speakers was warmly received. Dr. Tovell was the chalrman.

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MEDDITT CETTIEMENT

MERRITT SETTLEMENT.

An announcement was made in the Merritt Settlement news about two weeks ago, to the effect that "Mr. Ernweeks ago, to the effect that Mr. Elmest Merritt and Miss Grace Lynch, of Smithville, were married." The statement was based upon mistaken information and was wholly incorrect. The Times greatly regrets the annoyance the parties have been subjected to.

Even Guns Are Useful. Even Guns Are Useful.

Victoria, B. C., March 23.—In connection with the trouble in the Fifth Regiment, which has led to the resignation of the officers, the Colonist this morning says: "The Militia Department has written to ask why the Fifth Regiment wants guns. We would have supposed that even an official of that department would know that an artillery regiment wants guns to wear as bouquet holders, and to make ice cream in."

On a charge of criminal negligenee Gilbert Nelson, a Toronto motorman was placed on trial at the Sessions there

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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST

Homestead Regulations

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An application for early or cancellation. An application the Agent by the Sub-agent, at the expense of the applicant, and if the land applied for is vacant on receipt of the legram such application is to have priority and the land will be held until the nacessery papers to complete the transaction are received by mail.

In case of "personation" or fraud the applicant will fornest all priority of claim of if entry has been granted it will be sumbart. An application for cancellation must be smade in person. The applicant must be elimated in person.

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Applicant for cancellation must state in what particular the homesteader is in default.

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DUTIES—A settler is required to perform
the duties under one of the following plans
(1) At least six months' residence upon
and cultivation of the land in each year ourinst the term of three years.
(2) A homesteader may, if he so desires,
perform the required residence duties by livinst on farming land owned solely by him
not less than eighty (86) scree in extent, in
the vicinity of his homestead, Joint ownership in land will not meet this requirement
(3) If the fanner (or mother, if the father
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5: A homesteader intending to perform his residence duties in accordance with the above while living with parents or on farming land owned by himself must notify the Agent for the district of such intention. Before making application for patent the settler must give air months' notice in writting to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at: Citiawa, of his intention to do so.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTAWEST

MINING REGULATIONS.

cents per ton shall be collected on the mer-chantable coal mined.

QUARTZ.—A person eighteen years of age, or over, having discovered mineral in place, may locate a claim 1,500 x 1,500 feet.

The fee for recording a claim is 35.

At least \$100 must be expended on the claim each year of paid to the mining ye-corder in lieu thereof. When \$500 has been tog a survey made, and upon complying with other requirements, purchase the lang at \$11. per sere.

The patent provides for the payment of a royalty of 2½ per cent, cu the sales.

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Toronto, March 24.-Gilbert Nelson was found guilty yesterday afternoon in the Court of General Sessions, of criminal negligence. The jury made a strong recommendation for mercy, and Nelson was remanded on his own bail

Nelson was remanded on the for sentence.

The convicted man was running the street car that ran into a cab friven by John Goodall, on Oct. 16 last, on King street. As a result of the collision Goodall was thrown to the ground and two days later died at his home from fracture of the skull

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PROPLE'S STORE, 81 John Street South, Hamikon. Open to 5 p. m.

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A CCOMMODATION FOR TWO EAST CEN-tral. Terms \$3.50, private, first class laundry included. Address Box 16, Times.

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DR. DEAN, SPECIALIST, DISEASES OF men. 39 Carlton St., Toronto. D.R. COPLAND GIBSON, VIOLET RAY IN treatment of SKIN and CATARRHAL diseases, rheumatism, nervous diseases, and diseases of women. Office hours, 2—4 and 6—8. Phone 56, 170 James North.

DR. JAMES RUSSELL, CONSULTANT IN mental and nervous diseases. 168 Main street West, Phone 760.

F RANK D. W. BATES, M. D. EYE, EAR, Nose and Throat Specialist, has removed his office to Room 305, Bank of Hamilton Building. Hours 9 to 12 and 2 to 5. Telephone 724. Dr. Bates has opened an office in Detroit, and from now on will spend from the 1st to the 22nd of each mounth in his office here, and from the 23rd to the end of the mounth in Detroit.

DR. T. SHANNON McGILLIVRAY HAS removed from the corner of King and James attrets to his residence, 164 James south. Specialist in heart and nervous discuss. Telephone 140.

JOHN P. MORTON, M. D., F. R. C. S., "Edia." James street south Surgeon— Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. Office hours 9 to 12, 2 to 5, 7 to 8. Telephone 1872.

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129 Main Street West. Telephone 255. R. McEDWARDS, SPECIALIST, Eye, ear, nose and throat, corner Kin and Bay Streets. Office bours—9 to 12 a.m. 2 to 5 p. m.. 7 to 8 p. m. Telephone 829.

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M RAYMOND, PIANO TUNER, (FROM John Brondwood & Sons, London, (Eng.) Address orders to 134 Hannah Street East. Phone 1978: or to Mack's Drug Stor

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

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Solid Brick Detached Modern

Conveniences is for sale at \$3,500. SMALL CASH payment; balance monthly

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O RENT OR FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL home; Lake Rossesu, Muskoka, near indermere; house contains nine rooms, concept furnished; eight foto verandah on ree sides of house; two boathouses and at; fine wharf where large steamere can !! Apply to Mr. B. F. Barber, 250 Bay reet south.

50 ACRE FARM FOR SALE. APPLY 158-F OR SALE, CHEAP, NEW FRAME building, corner Locomotive and York

JOHN M. BURNS, REAL ESTATE AND Insurance, 30 King street east, agent for Atlas and Caledonia Fire Insurance Co. and Dominion Guarantee and Accident Insurance Company.

TO LET 1 O RENT-HOUSE; MODERN IMPROVE-ments. 179 Catharine South.

W ELL FURNISHED HOUSE; GOOD LO-Apply to Box 26, Tim

ROOMS AND BOARD

OMFORTABLE ROOM FOR TWO GENT-lemen boarders; all conveniences; cen-

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R WOODILL, D. V. D., V. S., WOULD contract services, etc. Phone 941. Residence, Ferrie East, near James.

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DR. A.B. C. DANDO, SPECIALIST IN arthodontia, which is commonly known as "atraightening crooked teeth". Office 44 Federal Life Building. Phone 2712.

DENTAL) R. BRIGGS. DENTIST. WILL RESUME practice Saturday, Aug. 10, at 28½ King Street. West.

DR M. F. BINKLEY, DENTIST, PRICES that appeal to the working classes. An extension of the working special consideration. MATERIAL AND WORKMAN. SHIP no better to be had at any price. Office 1th King Street East, Hamilton.

DR. JAMES F. McDONALD, DENTIST, Grossman's Hall, 67 James Street north.

FIRE THE LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY CRERAR & BURKHOLDER

Stocks and Bonds

42 FEDERAL BUILDING.

The material in sites issues as U. 1., Stock Yards were 38 car loads, composed of 715 cattle, 33 sheep, 34 caives and over 100 horses.

The quality strong in London and reports that the General Electric plant at schenectady has returned to full operation was well received. The most important factor at the present time is the Minnesota decision of the United States Supreme Court, which promises to nullify many of the laws passed against railroads during the past year or more.

Emnis & Stoppani.

The following quotations are reported by A. E. Carpenter, stock broker, 102 King St. NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.
Railroads.

Open 1.15 p. m.

Milkers and Springers.—A few milk-

tailroads.

I. & S. F. ...
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Rapid Transit Erie
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Sloes Sheffeld S. & I.
United States Steel
Sales to 1 p. m. 1968,408

THE UNEMPLOYED.

To the Editor of the Times:
Sir.—In last night's paper there was a statement to the effect that the larger portion of men who gathered outside the City Hall yesterday were not unemployed, but went there out of curiosity. This morning over 400, to say the least, assembled in the basement of the City Hall to register their names for employment.—Truth.

BEULAH SURVEY LOTS SELLING

Take a stroll over the survey and you will be convinced that we are offering superior value in "Beulah Lots," and you will also agree that we are justified in advancing the price \$2 per foot May lat. A word or two about rectifications: The purchaser is not compelled to build, but should he desire to do so, then he must erect a dwelling with a cash valuation of at least \$1,300. The wall of house next to street shall be 14 feet from street line, and 4 feet from northenly line of lot, this restriction giving a uniform building line on each street, also permitting lawns on south side of every house. Not more than one dwelling shall be built on each lot, thus ensuring sunshine and a healthy surrounding. We think these wholesome restrictions will appeal to "Home Builders" in preference to a "Lone Lot" with no restrictions.

Precent prices \$12 to \$15 per foot. Terms—To suit purchaser.

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MARKETS and FINANCE

Tuesday, March 24.—The markets were rather dull this morning but hogs are on a steady rise now. This morning the price touched \$5.25 in some places around town and none were sold less than \$5.25\$, \$5.50 was touched at one time in the morning but the price was for exceptional quality. Spinach at \$1 a bushel was on hand and other greens were could polarity, Boring lamb at \$7 9 1-2 to 9 5-8 per lb.

were equally plentiful. Spring lamb at \$7 to \$8 was in demand.

Vegetables.

Lettuce, bunch
Curly cale, each
Curly cale, each
Celery, per dox.
Potatoes, bag
Turnips, white, basket
Cabbage, dozen
Beets, basket
Carrots, basket
Onians, large, basket
Green Oulons, bunch TO RENT-WINONA PARK SUMMER botel resort. R. Martin, 32 Hughson

Boef, No. 1, cwt.
Beef, No. 2, per cwt.
Boef, No. 3, cwt.
Live hogs, per cwt.
Pork per cwt.
Venl, per cwt.
Mutton, per cwt.
Spring lamb, each

TORONTO MARKETS. Live Stock Market. Receipts of live stock at the Union Stock Yards were 38 car loads, compos-ed of 715 cattle, 33 sheep, 34 calves and

so nul.

5 to \$6.25, the bulk going at \$5 to \$5.15
more.

Butchers—Prime picked lots, \$4.80 to \$5.10 met ewt.

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London.—London cables are steady at 10 1-4 to 12 1-2c per pound, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 91-2 to 95-8c per lb.

Yards this forenoon. The butchers were out strong, and trade was brisk, with the prices of cattle a shade lower than the prices of cattle a shade lower than of the hold of

New York Sugar Market.

Winnipeg Wheat Market.

The Fruit Market. \$2.75 to \$3.25; marmalade oranges, \$2.25; Mexican oranges, \$2.25. Lemons—St. Nicholas brand, per box, \$3; Statue of Republic, \$2.50; Liberty brand, \$2.25; California lemons, \$3.25. Bananas—Jamaicas, bunch, \$1.50 to \$1.75; do., Jumbo, bunch, \$2 to \$2.25. Onions—Spanish, large case, \$2.50; do boxes, 90c. Cranberries, barrel, \$9; do per box, Cranberries, barrel, \$9; do per box.

Cranberries, barrel, \$9; do per box, Celery-Florida, 3, 31-2, 4, 6 and 8

doz., case, \$3.75. Potatoes—Sweet, hampers, \$3. Pineapples—24's, \$5.50; 50's, \$4.50. Cucumbers—Per dozen, \$2.25.

Financial Items. Copper in London is 12s 6d higher

o-day.

New York banks gained \$211,000 day, said that the patient was in exheroid sub-Treasury operations since cellent condition, considering his in-New York to-day all grades copper metal were held 1-8c higher.
London fortnightly settlement begins

Wednesday.

Reported President favors revision of Reported Frestagen layors revision of tariff at special assiston of Congress meeting March, 1909. Charles H. Keep resigns from Public Service Commission to head Knicker-bocker Trust, which will reopen Thrus-

bocker 11 us., Solar day.

Slow, but steady, improvement reported in general business situation.

Anthracite output this month so far 33 per cent. behind last year.

Thirty roads for second week March show average gross decrease 12.36 per cent. cent.

Moderate demand for stocks in loan

BOLD TALK OF KOREAN ASSASSIN.



COUCHES Cheap, Cosy, Comfortable

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old ancestry have come under the domination of the barbarous savage islanders, the Japanese.

"They have abdicated our Emperor, destroyed our villages, killed our brethren, robbed our land, seized our benefits and are the enemy not only of Corea, but of all the world—for they have violated the peace of humanity.

"Compatriots, we must unite and consecrate ourselves to our land and restore our independence. We are sure our God will kelp us. We all must do our best to kill all Japanese, their spies, allies and barbarous soldiers.

"The Japanese may compare the rising

and barbarous soldiers.

"The Japanese may compare the rising of our righteous army to the attempt of an insect to move a big tree, but right is on our side, and we are confident that in the end we shall be victorious. We will sacrifice our lives to their

guns until our vow to exterminate Japanese or die has been accomplis "(Signed) E. Yie Lin Yung, "Gen. Corean Righteous Army."

Dated, 4240 after Tan Koon." Met Betrayer's Fate.

I. W. Paik, National President of the Corean Reform League, in commending the action of the conspirators, is quoted as follows: "Stevens met the fate that comes to all betrayers," he said. "He came into Corea from America, which we have always regarded as our best friends among the nations. He betrayed us. He told us that the nation we most hate must be accepted as our master, and he told us that the two Coreans most despised in their own land were the ones to lead us as we should go. But we were not fools nor dogs to submit."

"Who are the Coreans most hated in their own land?" Mr. Paik was asked.
"Yee Wan Wong, the Prime Minister, who also is a Japanese spy, and Song Pung Chun, the Minister of Agriculture," he replied. Stevens met the fate that comes to

rung Chun, the Minister of Agriculture," he replied.

"And they will be laid low, too," he added.

There are said to be 700 Coreans in the two revolutionary leagues here, and these are working with a million more who have fled into Siberia and Russin to rouse their countrymen. Japan from their land, which the

juries.

riots here say is being robbed and pil

laged by the conquerors.
Dr. F. H. Zumwalt, who made an ex-

ICE IN ERIE. Colchester, Ont., March 24.-There is onsiderable solid ice in Lake Erie in the vicinity of the Pelee Passage. It is likely, however, that the prevailing warm weather will change the conditions with-

n a short time.

JEWEL ROBBERY. Wyoming, Ont., March 24.—Thieves broke into the jewelry store of A. Brittain here last night and took a large quantity of jewelry, etc., from the show cases. The safe containing the most valuable goods and customers' property was untouched.

at a special booth, at which will be sold novelties, and candies specially made by ladies of the church.

"Rastus, I hope you are doing something to provide for the future." "Yes, Mr. Blankley, I surely is. I got married yesterday."—Town and Country.

URGE FINANCIERS TO ACCEPT OFFER.

(Continued from page 1.)

and Hawkins, who pointed out that with the present by law and the amounts pay-able under it to the city, it was impos-sible to make the improvements and extensions required by the city in the

system.

"After this interview with Messrs. Gibson and Hawkins a sub-committee of Ald. Sweeney, Allan and McLaren was appointed to continue negotiations, and this committee has had a number of conformation of the committee of the continue of the continue

Frame, heavy steel angle, spring close coil woven wire, suspended with oil tempered helical springs. Width, open, feet 2 inches; width, closed, 2 feet 4 inches; length, 6 feet.

Can be made into separated couches by raising at centre and separating when extended. They are the perfection of comfort, both as a bed at \$5.50 our price.

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THE HOME'S WAY

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Opp. Terminal Station

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submitted a counter proposition on March 18.

"This proposition was considered by your committee, and your committee being of the opinion that it was not favorable to the city, it was refused. The company submitted another proposition under date of March 20. This also was refused, and your committee report that they have advised the company, under date of March 23, as follows:
"That the committee cannot entertain the proposition of the Hamilton Street Railway Company made to the sub-committee on March 20th, nor can they entertain any proposition based on the net earnings, but are of the opinion that a basis of 8 per cent, on gross receipts up to \$316,000 and a decrease to not less than 5 per cent, on gross receipts over that amount (provided extensions are sufficient with reconstruction of whole system) might be favorably re-

over that amount (provided extensions are sufficient with reconstruction of whole system) might be favorably received by the people."

"The sub-committee waited on Messrs. Gibson and Hawkins on the afternoon of the 23rd inst., and laid this decision et the committee before them, and explained that the committee would not recommend a change in the by-law in the matter of repairs, etc. Messrs. Gibson and Hawkins, while regretting that the city would not go further in the matter of concessions, promised to lay the proposition before their financial agents and give their reply as early as possible.

possible.

"Your committee report that Messrs. Gibson and Hawkins are leaving for Bermuda at once and will not be back until about April 15th.

"Your committee recommend that in the event of the company accepting the proposition of the committee and the details being satisfactorily arranged between the two parties, the matter be submitted to the qualified electors for their approval."

Mayor Stewart declared to-day that he was prepared at once to finance a deal for the sale of the Street Railway to a new company if Colonel Gibson and his colleagues would consider a proposition to sell. "But they won't," he said, "I had Ald. Sweeney ask him on Thursday in reference to this, but the answer was that no one could get the railway." The Mayor says he is prepared to get a compan, of local men who will put \$705,000, the amount of the capital stock of the company for the road. The company takes the stand that it has held the road all the time that it was losing money and now when there is a

losing money and now when there is a chance of getting something out of it the men who have money in it want some return for what they have invest-One thing the company during the negotiations asked to be the repairs. It wanted the city to take this over entirely. The aldermen absol-utly refused to listen to the proposition or interfere in any way with this part

of the by-law.

FOR Y. W. C. A. FUND. The bazaar and carnival of seasons to be held in the First Congregational Church, in aid of the Y. W. C. A. building fund, promises to be a big success Each of the seasons will be represented at a special booth, at which will be sold novelties, and candies specially made by ladies of the church.

TRACE THE MURDERERS

Italian's Body, With Head Almost Severed, Found by New York Police.

BY THE FINGER PRINTS.

New York, March 24.—The body of a man, evidently an Italian, with the throat cut from ear to ear, so that the head was almost severed, was found in a dark apartment this afternoon on the ground floor of a tenement house at 235 East 29th street. From the nationality of the victim and circumstances surrounding the crime the police believe they have uncovered another Black Hand murder.

There was an ice pick, on which the blood was hardly dry, lying on the floor close to the dead man's head, and numerous finger prints on the woodwork of the apartment, which it is thought will serve to run down the murderers—for the police believe the margain.

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general of the "Corean righteous army," of 12 and is in part as follows:

"Manifesto: Unto all Coreans in all parts of the world:

"Doyalty to his nation and fealty to his parents is the primal law of man's nature. The right to live and the right to die for duty is also the rule of nature.

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THEHAMILTON TIMES

TUESDAY, MRACH 24, 1908.

TURNED OFFER DOWN At its meeting yesterday afternoo civic sub-committee on the street railway negotiations decided to reject the latest offer of the company. The opinion was held that the city should ot enter into an agreement with the company on a percentage basis of re ceipts such as outlined in the latest of The committee decided to abide by its former offer of 8 per cent. and 5 per cent. Mr. Gibson, it is understood, will lay the matter before his financial backers when he is in New York, and on the result of this meeting will no doubt largely depend the course of any future negotiations. We are not surprised that the aldermen came to the conclusion to reject the proposition made by the company, although it seemed possible to frame terms that should be mutually fair, and should secure to the city the street railway service desired. It is not at all to the point to declare, as does a contemporary, that "the company is in no need of financial aid from the city.' The question in which the citizens are more vitally interested is, now to secure extended and improved street railway service, without undue pecuniary sacr fice. For many years the street railway has not paid; now it has arrived at a period when the shareholders may look some return. We do not think that the Hamilton public will begrudge them their long-delayed dividend. What they do want is more and better street rail way service, but they want it on terms that are just to the city, and they will approve the course of the aldermen in working to that end. There is no need haste in disposing of the matter, which should be decided on purely business grounds. The alternative of agree is a continuation of a limited and inferior service. We cannot afford to sacrifice the city's rights in this street railway matter, and throw away the revenue, present and prospective, accruing from the present agreement; but ither can we afford to leave the Hamilton of the next 20 years without greatly extended and improved street railway service. The people are not inclined to unreasonable. They know that such a deal must be a matter of give and take; but they will not approve of any arrangement which provides all turkey for the Street Railway Company and all buzzard for the city. They are willing to deal fairly, liberally, with the mpany. The aldermen's principal difficulty with the latest proposal arose from the fact that the element of futurity entered so largely into the propositions. A friendly consultation of the two par ties and the Railway Board, which will be the arbiter in event of disagreements, would, we think with some of the alder men, be likely to lead to good results. It would, at least, enable the city to place itself in a good position, no matter what the outcome of the negotiations night be. If no progress be made along present lines, we hope the Railway Board will be asked to look into the prop made, in a friendly way, and see if some

---FIRE WASTE.

cannot be arrived at.

agreement to so before the ratepayers

From time to time the attention of our readers has been called to the public tender, after proper advertising, enormous waste of fire and to the and according to the regulations made enormous waste of fire and to the urgent need of measures calculated by the Conservative Government in 1889 lessen it. "Origin of fire un- and adhered to ever since? In the case known," and the use of "spontaneous about which Mr. Ames made so much combustion" as explanations are far ado it was shown that there were seven too frequently met with, and there are, it is to be feared, many cases in which \$31,575, the successful tenders. There of incendiarism is is no evidence in that of sacrificing the the suspicion warranted, but in which no careful circumstances. A recent article in the Monetary Times deals with this subject, and strongly approves of the fire mar- ial for a scandal it resorted to the cry shal laws in force in some of the that there should have been an inquiry They censure (by inference) the Dominfrequently made reference, and which tenderers. Of this carping criticism the have in operation led to the detec- Winnipeg Free Press says: sion and punishment of many incen-Massachussets led in the crusade, but Ohio has perhaps the nost efficient organization and under it our contemporary says, the numher of fires has been lessened and the proportion of fires of unknown origin has become wonderfully small-Only 1 in 16 cases of the fires are now described as from "unknown to be 1 in 6.

winnipeg Free Press says:

That is to say, the principle of sale by auction to the highest bidder, after a public call for bids, is not sufficient for the safeguarding of the public interest, but there should be some sort of inquisitorial discrimination between tenderers, in regard to their financial standing, their personnel, in the case of firms or companies, their business record, or what not. It does not require very prolonged consideration of such an idea, to make manifest its utter and entire absurdity. Nor is any more than one guess necessary as to what the attitude of the Opposition would be in regard to a case in which the Government should decide, after due inquisition, to award the limit to some other than the highest bidder. As Mr. Sifton said, in discussing this whole subject in Parliament a few weeks ago: "All the Government can do is to call for tenders, and give the limit to the highest tenderer. Every citizen has a perfect right to tender, and every man who tenders has the right to have his tender accepted, if it is the highest. So far as I am concerned, I entirely repudiate any responsibility whatever as to who the tenderer was the was known to own the limits after they have been sold by public auction." Seven millions per annum has been the annual average fire waste of Ohio. But it is being reduced by the intelligent working of its fire marfires. 91 persons were in one year arrested charged with arson, 76 of them indicted, 36 convicted and 9 committed to asylums. Out of 689 incen-diary fires traced in 1903, no fewer than 468 were set to defraud insurance companies, 110 out of revenge or malice, 64 by mischievous boys or in toxicated persons.

That is a work that must have ar excellent educational effect; and it is sound economy. It makes for mor careful construction of buildings, by keeping before the people the danger of fire from various causes which may be guarded against. When it is remembered that the fire loss of this continent for the last twenty years has averaged 150,000,000 a year, every dollar of which represents that much sweat and toil and deprivation to its people, the demand which the Monetary Times makes—which we have time and again made—that Governments should bestir themselves to endeavor to minimize the loss, and deal sternly with those guilty of eximinality in connection therewith, live to be told from the platform of a may follow, or not. ** not vet decided.**

Call in the knives.

Chief Justice Meredith has quashed the Toronto Liceuse Reduction by-law on a very fine technicality. As drafted the number of licenses to be issued to 110 in any one "year." His Lordship construes this use of the word year, in full bloom.

Now that navigation is again open on the Coal Oil Inlet a cry has gone up for more disinfectants.

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not seem to be unreasonable. a work which municipalities night attempt with hopes of good It is as much their duty as is the protection of property against thieves. But they prefer to neglect it? it, and devote their energies to costly wasteful schemes of "ownership operation." Why is it? Is it and operation.' because they offer greater opportun ity for graft?

EDUCATION IN ENGLAND.

So much has been said about the dificulties of the Education question England that to Canadians a brief statenent of the principles contended for and mbodied in the new Education bill must prove surprising, because of their nanifest reasonableness. Such a statenent of the views of those who demand reedom from denominational control of the schools is presented by Sir George White, M. P., in the current Contem orary Review:

All Elementary Schools receiving All Elementary Schools receiving public money must be State schools; such schools must be free, and sufficient accommodation must be provided within a reasonable distance of every child of

school age.

2. Every State school must be under elective local control of a representative character, and, by preference, elected by

irect vote.

3. All teachers in these schools, being employed by the State, are civil servants, and must therefore be free from any denominational tests, as also must

vants, and must therefore be free from any denominational tests, as also must be the managers.

4. No Secondary School, Training Col-lege, Hostel, or institution of a sectarian character should be subsidized from pub-

and the trackless motor car. This is simply a declaration for local Chicago has set out to raise a million ontrol and freedom from State direction of religious teaching in the schools paid dollars for Y. M. C. A. extension. A for by all the people. The author says prominent merchant hes offered onethe principles contended for are necesenth of the amount as an inducement to alike for the efficiency of educaothers to subscribe. This should be an tion and for religious freedom. His idea, incentive to some one to come forward however, is not that Bible teaching with \$10,000 for the Hamilton institushould be excluded, but he would have only "the elements of Christianity" taught to the pupils, to which, he thinks, nobody should object. We fancy that A few days ago, it was believed that the Government would not be able to just here difficulty would be encounecure Mr. Justice Mabee for the Domnion Railway Commission, and Tory ortered. As soon as it is proposed to go beyond the reading of the Scriptures gans were lavishing praises upon him for and authorize "teaching" even the "ele his sense of propriety in declining it, ments of Christianity" as a state work, and complimenting him as being po-

it must be surrounded by important

A FUTILE HUNT.

are chattering about the sale of timber

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found that it had failed to find mater-

who was known to own the limts after they have been sold by public auction.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

pay a yearly rental and the price of the

the door is opened for trouble. That ed of superior virtues and abilities. he proposes to abolish "dogmatic reli-What will they say now that he has gious teaching" would hardly meet the been induced to accept the position? objections of many who would scent in the provision to teach "the elements of he called the Crow's Nest Pass "scan Christianity" to their little ones a grave dal" the other day, was neatly exposed uree of danger and an insolent intru by Hon Mr. Paterson, who pointed out sion by the State into a realm in which should have no authority. As Mill that, as was the case in many other of the so-called "scandals," about which has made clear. State education is not ideal; it is fraught with many the Tories prattle, Mr. Foster and his voted for that very Crow's culties, and, if it respect religious liberty,

restrictions. Compromises are possible Vice President Clouston, of the Bank science; and as long as the State pro-Montreal, remarks upon the security poses to deal with religion as within its felt by capitalists in investing money in rview as a matter of education, the Mexico, and draws comparisons none problem of public schools will remain to too flattering with the feeling produced narass it and to try the patience of in some parts of Canada by the wave of statesmen. If we could only all agree Socialistic sentiment and legislation se noticeable at the present time. The in crease of this tendency has an ominous significance for the prosperity of our How many of the Tory organs which

Nest subsidy! Even slander-manufac

Tory convention that he is "a necessary

fly that renders the party ointment mal-

odorous! Will you stand that sort of

thing, Chub? Rather a "foul fly," isn't

G. C. Wilson seems to be in a position

Was it W. K. Snider, the touter of the

Tory machine, who put up that job or

Mr. Collins at the Tory convention at

A lot of money could be saved if the

members would follow Mr. Fielding's example in his budget speech. He cut it into half the length of former budget

A good many of the North Wentworth

Tories are evidently inclined to regard

G. C. Wilson as the farmer does the

shoat-better after they have put their

One John Duff declared at a Toront

Tory meeting the other night that all

the counties within reach of Toronto

took their inspiration from that city.

Heaven help the counties that derive

In considering the percentage increas

of the street railway receipts during

the next quarter of a century do not

forget the inroads that may be made up-

on the traffic by the aeroplane air line

their inspiration from such a source!

knives into him than before. And

knives are being sharpened.

Collins

rub it into Collins now.

is treated as a rank outsider.

speeches.

tolerated by his party-the dead

In the last 11 years of the Tory re-Account, and of this amount the Tories had to borrow \$62,000,000 and charge up to the debt. In 1134 years of Liberal rule, \$127,000,000 has been expended on apital Account, only \$5,000,000 of which was borrowed, and that for the uilding of the National Transcontinental Railway, which will be a revenue tenders received, ranging from \$6,057 to

Ontario Government in cold cash, as subsidy, nearly \$2,000,000. The same Tory organs which denounce the Liberal Government's expenditures as extrava gant, do not attempt to conceal their de. light at seeing the amount of the subsidy increased by \$790,000 last year, ing it.

The Toronto World intimates that contracts have been made with a large number of places for power from the Hydro-Electric Commission, Hamilton being stated as ordering 15,000 horse-power. This is premature. Hamilton has not ordered any power, and is awaiting the promised contract form which was to be sent to the municipalities, but which promise, for some unexplained reason, the Hydro-Electric Commission has not yet implemented.

The Supreme Court of Vermont has to its credit a judgment which might stand as a model declaration of the rights of the individual, and which, if it were followed. Electric Commission, Hamilton

the individual, and which, if it were followed by the courts generally, would avoid much confusion. It asserts; "The principle upon which the cases, English and American, proceed is that every man has the right to employ his talents industry and capital as he pleases, free from the dictation of others, and if two or more persons combine to coerce his choice in this behalf it is a criminal con-

Chief Justice Meredith has quashed

The delay in license reduction is of little consequence. City Cour sel Fullerton says the form of the by-law has been in force for 20 years, and in a case under it, five or six years ago Chief Justice Meredith upheld its validity. But a lawsuit is about as uncer tain as a horse race. What will be next judge's decision?

OUR EXCHANGES

Queer Logic (Toronto News.) Not all the Liberals of Great Britain are free traders. Lord Rosebery would prefer protection to socialism.

Get Ready.

(Brockville Recorder.) The Liberals should be on the alert. All signs point to the Provincial election being sprung at the close of the present session of the Legislature.

Bowser's Opera Bouffe Legislation. (Vancouver Colonist, Tory.)

Temporarily Mr. Justice Morrison has administered a coup de grace to the Immigration Act passed at the last session of the Legislature, and we cannot honestly say that we are sorry.

The Guilty One.

(Belleville Ontario.) The trouble with Mr. Foster seems to be that everything which he charges against the Government he was himself guilty of when in office. No wonder that his diatribes are disregarded by the

Thompson the Man. (Brantford Expositor.)

(Brantford Expositor.)

Mr. G. C. Wilson, of Dundas, has been again nominated for the Legislative Assembly by the Conservatives of North Wentworth. The Liberal candidate, it is safe to say, will be Mr. R. A. Thompson, the present able and conscientious representative, and the result of the contest it is not difficult to predict.

A Much Libelled Man.

(Montreal Gazette.) (Montreal Gazette.)

Mr. Maedonald, editor of the Toronto silobe, told an nudience at Buffalo, that in six years he had become the object of thirty-one libel suits. This is a big record. Mr. Maedonald came nto journalism from the pulpit. Perhaps the enemy that is fought from that vantage point is less vindictive than those the man in the editor's chair has to struggle with. chair has to struggle with. ..

A Boost Club. (Montreal Herald.)

The Toronto Boost Club considers it essary in the interest of Toronto's ogress to go about singing this beau-

a-bing-bang-boost! and-a-bing-bang-boost!

bang-boost!
With-a-bing-and-a-bang! and-a-boost!
boost! boost! boost!
With Boosters all around—O
The best on top of ground—O!
We're the Jopti-mis-tic, cu-lo-gis-tic
Boost Club-of To-ron-to.
Hip-hip-hip! | Hurrah! Hurrah! Hurrah and-a-Boost—O!
Toronto's case must be rather hopeless.

A SUDDEN DEATH.

James Thomas Passed Away Unexpecte ly Yesterday.

James Thomas died quite suddenly yesterday, after a very brief illness. He retired on Sunday evening, apparentlin his usual good health. About 'clock yesterday morning he awoke an found dead. Heart failure is believed to was born it The funeral will take place

The funeral of Mrs. Pitt took place was largely attended. Rev. F. E. How-itt conducted the services and the pall-bearers were friends of the deceased.

of this city, passed away last evening the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. G. Askew, 459 Bay street north, in the p son of Mrs. Elizabeth Nicholson, rel of this city, passed son of Mrs. Elizabeth Nicholson, relict of Richard Nicholson. Deceased had not been enjoying the best of health for some little time past, owing to her ad-vanced age. She was in her 88th year,

down and two sons survive. The funera will take place on Wednesday at 1 p. m from his late residence, Passmore's Lane, Mountain Top.

FANCY SKATING.

Prof. Davidson's Good Exhibition at Britannia Rink.

A large crowd was at the Britannia tin Roller Rink last evening, to witness the performance of John F. Davidson, the

Wednesday, Mar. 25, 1908

Special Sale of Spring Coats

Women's Skirts at \$3.95

Made of splendid plain cloths in all the popular shades of brown, navy, green, tan, and black, also some nice greys, pleated all round and trimmed with popular self-fold. No store sells these at less than \$5.00; our price

Women's Suits \$10

Dress Goods at Popular Prices

54-inch Venetian Cloth, brown, green, wedgewood, navy and black, the best value we have seen in the trade, at

Black Panamas in the most durable finish and grand quality, at per yard 59, 65, 75, 89c and \$1.25

Rich French Poplins, made of the very finest wools and ermanent finish, per yard 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25

Silk Moirette for 50c

SHEA'S

Royal Worcester Corsets \$1.25 to \$3.00

Special Trimmed Hats at \$4.50 Special line of trimmed Hats, in rustic and Mohain braids, lavishly trimmed with flowers and ribbons, ab-solutely perfect in style, and most becoming, special a

Tailored Hats at \$2.95

Hamilton's Biggest and Best Blouse

Department Lace Waists at \$3.75

New Mull Waists

Elegantly fine quality of Mercerized Mull, tucked and trimmed with Val. laces and insertions and embroidery, every one perfect fiting and in best styles and all less than you will get them for at other stores \$1.25 to \$5 New Lawn Waists at \$1.50

A special lot on sale all this week in a number of different styles, lace and embroidery trimmed, long and \$\frac{4}{8}\] sleeves, open or closed back; worth up to \$2.25, on all for each \$1.50

New Wash Goods-Very Reasonable

with stylish white dot, special at in Scotch Zephyrs, large broken plaid des

New Prints, New Ginghams, New Chambrays, all fas colors and correct shadings and patterns; special values a New Prints, New Ginghams. New Chamber of values at colors and correct shadings and patterns; special values at 12½, 18½ and 15c

SCOTCH CONCERT.

Successful Event at Grimsby on Thursday Evening.

Grimsby, March 23.-The Scotch cial held at the residence of James smith on Thursday evening last under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of St. John's Presbyterian Church was a grand success in every sense of the word. The attendance exceeded that of any other similar event around Grimsby, there being over 200 present. A splendid supper was served from 5.30 to 8 o'clock. The ladies more than unled the resultation for setting 5.30 to 8 o'clock. The ladies more han upheld the reputation for setting 1 good table, and showed that they were equally as good at Scotch baking is at anything else. After tea an ex-cellent programme was given by Ham-elton talent. A most pleasing feature t programme was given by Ham-talent. A most pleasing feature programme was the dancing of in Flett, especially in the "Sailordon Flett, especially in the r's. Hornpipe." The ability of Miss fargaret Bonner as an elecutionist swell known to Grimsby people and he did herself-honor. Miss Jessie Joutts, soprano, has a very fine voice and her rendition of old Scotch songs was very pleasing indeed. Her duet with Mr. Thos. Davenport was very fine. Mr. Davenport supplied music from the bagpipes and it goes without saying that he did his part admirably. Mr. Ernest Layton, violinist, an artist condensation of the same delighted his hearers

Chorus, "A Little Light"; recitation. Robbie Westen; recitation, Harry Peacock; song, three girls; recitation. Irene Beck; recitation. Emily Hendershott; solo, Rose Hexamer; dialogue, Frank and Bessie Gilrie; recitation. Marion Begg; solo and chorus, "Little Sunbeams.

The second part was given by the scholars of the main school, and was:

Reducing the Waist Line in Both Sexes

Line in Both Sexes

Men and women with heavy, pendudia blooks abdomens who wish to reduce them quickly, and safely, are usually advised to go in for certain tiresome twisting and bending exercises that, as a matter of fact, they should carefully avoid, as being dangerous rather than beneficial. A far better plan is to use the following three simple household remedies, which can be obtained of any druggist at small cost, viz. ½ ounce Marmola, % ounce Fluid Extract Cascara Aromatic, and 4% ounces Syrup Simplex. These are mixed together at home and taken a teaspoonful after men's and at bed-time.

These shree make a mixture that is not only perfectly harmless, but actually quite beneficial to the system, regulating the diggestion, purifying the blood, and blotches, Its chief and surprising benefit is in the rapid, natural manner in which beautiful lines of a fine physique, it reduces the fat person to the normal, beautiful lines of a fine physique, it is in the rapid, natural manner in which beautiful lines of a fine physique, it is in the rapid, natural manner in which beautiful lines of a fine physique, it is in the rapid, natural manner in which is in the rapid, natural manner in which beautiful lines of a fine physique, it is in the rapid, natural manner in which is in the rapid. Mathematical to a fine physique, it is in the rapid, natural manner in which is in the rapid. Mathematical to say, neither in the rapid of a fine physique, it is in the rapid. Strange to say, neither in the rapid of a fine physique, it of the station will be occupied this week.

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AI BERTON

Mrs. Elmer Dyment and the Misses yment, of Lynden road, were guests t Mrs. David Kelly on Thursday of last

ohnson. Mrs. T. Lane, who was ill last week, Mrs. Sager is slightly recovering. worse.

and vicinity. Dyment, Jerseyville.

Alex. Robertson, Hamilton, spent Sun-

The presentation of an address and pupropriate gift to Mr. ani Mrs. James cott on the eye of their departure from The second part was given by the scholars of the main school, and was piano solo, Gertie Perry; recitation, Joe Weston; dialogue, Miss Week's telass; vocal solo, Marion Towers; recitation, Bella Weston; recitation, Vocal Land Hossack; dialogues, Mr. Penher's class; recitation, Arthur Badwell, boys' chorus; piano solo, Percy Farrell; ball drill, twelve girls; vocal solo, Reta Carey; recitation, Gladys Johnstone; dialogue, Miss Dunsmore's class; scarf drill, by the girls.

Mr. J. H. Turner occupied the chair.

your cld friends for your continued, prosperity and happiness.

The address, which was signed on behalf of the neighbors, was read by Mr. N. B. Card, and the presentation was made by Mr. W. Mason, after which a dainty supper was cerved and all left feeling they had a most enjoyable time together.

Miss Ella R. Forsythe, formerly of

WONDERFUL MOVING LINE

One of the Most Interesting of Ant Phenomena on Record.

Near the bank of the Guadalupe River I saw something green upon the ground, and, hurrying forward, found a lovely vine with leaves smaller than those of week.

Messrs. J. Bradshaw and W. Drake,
Cainsville, spent Sunday with relatives

vine had its root about five feet from Lamsville, spent same the trunk of a towering visit for Nosil and Mrs. Dyment and children, tree, and spread out on the ground four tree, and spread out on the ground four or five inches wide, becoming a little sickle were Sunday visitors of Mrs. L. narrower as it approached the tree. I could see no atems nor tendrils, so thick the county and as I drew close to was the growth; and as I drew close to the tree I saw that the vine branched just above the ground and went climb worse.
Several of her friends spent a pleasing up the great trunk and that afternoon with Mrs. Allan Baker on branches. It grew more and more slen

Friday.

Mrs. Dora Vanderlip and Islay Ross, with W. Anderson, West Flamboro, visited Sunday with friends in the village cate, graceful vine, I became aware that and vicinity.

Mrs. L. Johnson returned Friday from motion. Then I saw that the individual few days' visit with her sister, Mrs. leaves were not stationary. Picking a twig from the ground, I touched on of the leaves and found to my amaze

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Reason Enough.

"Jackie," said the boy's mother, 'your face is fairly clean, but how did you get such dirty hands?" "Washin me face," said the boy.

Nell—Has Jack ever proposed to you?

Belle—Yes: I've turned him down six
times. Nell—You'd better be careful or you'll lose that fellow yet.



Clever clothes for little fellows of whatever size.

Every garment made by the Sanford Co.-many exclusive

novelties. Norfolks for school boys with plain knickers and bloo Priced at \$2.50 to \$10. bloomers.

Oak Hall

10 and 12 James Street North

iment. Sisters Beardsley, a pair of natural blondes, did a dainty song and dance turn and Fields and Wooley, Genan comedians, gave an amusing sketch, entitled "A Trip in an Air Ship." New motion pictures completed the bill, which altogether was a pleasing and satisfactory one and one that should attend his work.

Those who want to see the T. M. A. show at the Savoy on Thursday afternoon will have to view it from the gal-

look after the seating arrangements.

At Bennett's Theatre.

which almost terminates in a duel be tween the two besiegers develops much merriment. Albert Reed, as the society

man, does some very clever character work in the little comedy, and the act ends in a whirlwind of laughter and ap-

The George Summers Stock Company closed for the season at Fort William on Saturday. Mr. Summers and his talented wife have returned to the city. Manager Mars is also back on the

her absence was not noticed much.

To replace one of the acts obliged to lay off this week on account of illness Manager Appleton has secured Annie Abbott, the Georgia magnet. This is one of the biggest novelties in vaudeville Abbott, the Georgia magnet. This is one of the biggest novelties in vaudeville and will lend additional strength to this week's splendid bill. One of Miss Abbott's best feats is a challenge to any ten men to lift her off the stage. Miss Abbott appeared at the matinee today. Society did not turn out in very large humbers last night at the Grand to see the society play, "The Climbers," written quite a number of years ago by Mr.

Clyde Fitch. There was only a fair-sized audience present, but it was a sympathetic one, and Miss Amelia Bingham was given a warm reception. The noon will have to view it from the gallery unless they were fortunate enough to have their seats reserved yesterday. The rush at the box office when the plan opened beat all records. By noon the entire lower floor, boxes and balcony and two rows of the gallery were gone. By last night over half the gallery was sold out. Fully three-quarters of the gallery seats already reserved are for ladies who were disappointed at not being able to get seats down stairs, but who declared they would not miss the show under any circumstances. The hist to have their seats reserved in the gallery were four well known society fadies. The management is having the gallery thoroughly renovated, the aisles carpeted and a large staff of ushers will look after the seating arrangements. play, which is considered by many to one of Mr. Fitch's cleverest satires on the smart set, is strong in many ways, but it did not "go" as well as some other society plays seen here in recent years. Its comedy may be termed clever and the satire rich, but the social philosophy is not up to date. It is not strong either, in emotional climaxes. Even the suicide act was quiet in method.

There is really no stellar role in the play, but, of course, the eyes of the critically inclined were turned on Miss Bingham, who appeared early in the play, and was on the stage during most of the piece. While Miss Bingham's work was satisfactory and was equal to the demands of role, of course she did not affect the poise of the drama, as several of the female roles seemed to be of equal strength. Miss Bingham appeared to much better advantage in the comedy parts than in the emotional effects, but never for a moment did she lose her grip on the audience. She was recalled after the first three acts.

The character work of Misses Jane Gordon, Angela McCaull and Adelyn Wesley was also very good. Byron Douglas, as Edward Warden, was the strongest of the actors. J. Gordon Edwards, as the weakling, made the most of the trying role.

Miss Bingham will be seen to better advantage to-night, no doubt, in the role of "The Frisky Mrs, Johnson," her part being stronger in comedy.

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At the Savoy,

There are two really good sketches on the bill at the Savoy Theatre this week, but they are of widely different nature. One of them is exceedingly funny and the other has a strong line of pathos running through it. The humorous sketch is entitled "The Vaudeville Exchange," and is presented by Watson, Hutenings & Co. There is some clever and funny dialogue in the playlet and some of the situations are exceedingly ludicrous. Some clever character actsome of the situations are exceedingly ludicrous. Some clever character acting was done, the people being performers of ability. As a "Dutch office boy," Harry Watson kept the audience in roars of laughter. Alice Hutchings, as the presiding angel of the exchange, and an actress, did very good work others were equal to the task im on them.

The other sketch is entitled "The Benediction," and was exceedingly pathetic, the interest being centred in "Grandpa," an aged Grand Army veteran, who spends his meagre pension each quarter by distributing it among the children of the village, and as he says later, the investment has earned him the best interest in the love of the children. The scene shows a sitting room in the domicile of John Strong, who is running for office, and who never shows any love for his family, because of his deep interest in business. The father of Mrs. Strong, who loves her children, drinks and swears some. Mr. Strong fearing that his influence will corrupt their children, forces the old man to leave their home. A staunch friend of the old sketch is entitled "The Benhome. A staunch friend of the old man happens to be in at the time, and invites Grandpa to live with him. The old man accepts, and just before leaving he pronounces his benediction upon him, which, for unexpectedness, cannot be equalled. The playlet is presented by clever people, the work of Francis Owen, as Grandpa, electing louds applause. Shin Mckee, as the hard-hearted husband, and Minnie Hoffman, as his wife, did good work.

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d good work. Will Hagan and Evelyn Wescott did

Rialto. Richard Carle's splendid musical number, 'The Mayor of Tokio,' will be the attraction at the Grand on Thursday night. Mr. John L. Kearney is the leading comedian, and his nimbleness of toe is a prime feature of his work as the comic Marcus Orlando Kidder, the stranded theatrical magnate. Seats are now on sale. Symptoms of stranded theatrical magnate. Seats are now on sale. The Grand Opera House stage will be a busy place on March 31, for it takes nearly 36 hours to set up the increate mechanism for the great automobile run in "The Vanderbilt Cup," that opens there for one night's engagement, on Tuesday, March 31. "The Phantom Detective" will be presented here for the first time at the Grand on Friday and Saturday. The play deals with numerous localities in various climes, and tells of a very mysterious case that is worked out by a chap, Frank Folsom, the Phantom, who has the power and eleverness of disappearing and reappearing in a very sudden and unexpected manner; always, of course, at the right time. Leslie Harris Coming. Nervous Exhaustion

Sleeplessness.

Impairment of memory.
Despondency and gloom.
Palpitation of the heart.
Inability to stand exertion.
Tendency to fear and anxiety.
Vertigo, faintness and dizziness.
Inability to concentrate the mind.
Muscular weakness and trembling.
Twitching of the muscles and nerves.
The above symptoms are infallible signs of the "nervous wreck," whose life has been "all work, no play." The development of nervous exhaustion is slow, as is the treatment, Electrical, massenge treatments, cold plunge baths are excellent to alleviate this disease, but a nerve restorer such as Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is absolutely necessary.
Mrs. A. Ward, 219 Dundas street, Woodstock, Ont., states: "I could not sheep at all well and was very nervous and troubled with frequent headach." I found Dr. Chase's Nerve Food very helpful to me, as it seemed to steady my nerves so that I was able to sleep and rest well, ard the headaches have entirely disappeared. I can strongly recommend Dr. Chase's Nerve Food as a splendid system builder and nerve restorer." 30 cents, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto, Writs for Dr. Chase's 1908 Almanns.

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Leslie Harris Coming.

It will be good news for the music lovers of Hamilton to know that Mr. Leslie Harris, the eminent English piano entertainer, has been engaged to give one of his inimitable programmes in Hamilton on Thursday. April 16th, in Association Hall. Mr. Harris has scored lines and troubled with frequent headache. I found Dr. Chase's Nerve Food as a splendid system builder and nerve restorer." 30 cents, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toron

Suffered 20 Years



Chronic Constipation of the bowels, and I could get no medicine to cure me. 1 tried doctors and very known purgative no better. Sometimes, if I did not take tract big houses this week. On account of illness, Minerva, was unable to leave her apartments at the Cecil Sotel, but without any action of the bowels. Dur ing all this time I was weak and suf

> fered from Indigestion constantly. About a year ago a friend advised me to try "Fruit-a-tives," as they had helped her. I began taking "Fruit-a-tives" and from the outset I began to feel better, and inside of a month the pains were almost gone and the Constipation relieved. In two months I was perfectly well again, no pains, no constipation and my complexion had lost all that sallow complexion.

(Sgd.) Mary A. McDonell. (Sgd.) Mary A. McDonell.

"Fruit-a-tives"—or Fruit Liver Tablets—are the only remedy known to science that actually cure Constipation. They do this by making the liver healthy find active—thus causing more bile to flow into the bowels.

"Fruit-a-tives"—or "Fruit Liver Tablets" are sold by dealers at 50e a box—6 for \$2.50—or will be sent on receipt of price. Fruit-a-tives, Limited, Ottawa.

between Queen and Wilton avenue, are convinced that four five-cent show houses are quite sufficient for that district, and they petitioned the City Council this afternoon not to issue any more licenses for moving picture shows in that part. They believe that imposing a higher license fee would do no good, and ask the city to use its power to "regulate" these places by limiting them to the present number.

At Bennett's Theatre. "Another good show" was the verdict of the first nighters at Bennett's Theatre. This week's bill is well up to the standard set on the first of the year by Manager Driscoll, and it was greeted by a large audience. The headliners are Francesca Redding and company in an amusing farce, entitled "Her Friend from Texas," in which the efforts of an army officer and a society top to capture the hand and fortune of a western widow, which almost terminates in a duel be-BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA.

Splended Statement Presented at the Annual Meeting.

In another part of this issue will be work in the little comedy, and the actends in a whirlwind of laughter and applause. The Vassar Girls put on an entertaining combination of artistic musical numbers and some very pretty dences. Among the former are a delightful wood septette and the famous saxaphone sextette from Lucia. The electrical effects in the floral ballet make the finale of the Vassar turn one of the most brilliant spectacles of the season. Black and Jones, colored entertainers, who open the show, have a dance turn that is hard to beat. Their foot work approaches the marvelous, and their efforts were warmly applauded.

The Ralto male quartette made good in a number of capitally rendered vocal selections, the tenors being particularly successful in their solos. Harry Breen, who has been seen here before, a comedian and impersonator, is especially elever in the latter role, furnishing, in rhyme, a running comment on the appearance and actions of individuals in the audience, that elicited many a laugh. Duncan, the ventriloquist, puts found the annual report of the Bank of

rhyme, a running comment on the appearance and actions of individuals in the audience, that elicited many a laugh. Duncan, the ventriloquist, puts on a pleasing act, in which he displays wonderful voice control. In place of the Irish jaunting car scene which was to have been put on by local amateurs, the management had engaged Selbrini and Grovini, who gave a combination of acrobatic work and juggling.

For next week Manager Driscoll has secured "the Motor Girl," heralded as the puzzle of the age, and in addition to a strong variety bill, as a special attraction Wormwood's monkey show.

"Gay New York" To-morrow.

The attraction at the Grand to-morrow afternoon and evening will be the merry musical comedy "Gay New York," The company is a large one, and the production is highly spoken of, and at the prices should give a splendid entertainment. The piece had a long run in the big cities. Novelty and originality

In Hamilton the Bank has its head

sible direction. The result was pro-nounced satisfactory.

In Hamilton the Bank has its head local branch on King street, opposite the Gore, a branch at the corner of King street and Victoria avenue, and another at the corner of Barton street and Westinghouse avenue.

CRIBBAGE CLUB.

Only four tables played in the Hamilton Cribbage Club's weekly game at the Liberal quarters last night. The

contests were	generally keen, however.
The scores:	
Even.	Odd,
Omand.	Hyslop.
Walker	6 Jarvis 2
Wessler.	Marshfield.
Buller	4 Stevenson 4
Hill.	Rabbitt.
Whitting	4 Wente 5
Morgan.	Choate.
Pender	4 Yarcel 4

WHAT IS POWER

Nature supplies force. Wind turns the wind-mill. The brook turns the water-wheel. Coal runs the engine and food runs the man. Some things contain little force, some things much.

One substance full of power is

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Nature put the power there. It is a wonderful flesh-producer. This is not only a matter of nourishment but of new vigor and activity in the tissues.

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PERJURY CHARGE WAS DISMISSED.

TROUBLES OF M'KINLEY FAMILY AIRED IN COURT.

Some Witnesses Blamed It to Liquor, Other Said Dope-Another \$5 Fine

Mrs. McKinley, 19 Case street, was up a charge of being drunk and disorderly yesterday morning, in Police Court, and who swore she never touched a drop of liquor, was indicted on a charge of perjury this morning, as investigation on the part of the police seemed to warrant it. She pleaded not guilty and elected for a summary trial. Her husband swore that she drank and said that on

swore that she drank and said that on occasions she was so drunk and created such a row that he had to hold her down on the floor till she solered up.

Rev. H. J. Leake, of St. Phillip's parish, was present. He said he had heard rumors of trouble in the McKinley house, but that he was quite sure that Mrs. McKinley did not touch liquor. Mrs. McKinley sid anghter also swore that her mother never touched liquor and a neighbor, Mrs. Myers, said she thought the prisoner was a dope fiend. A son-inlew of the prisoner was a dope fiend. A son-inlew of the prisoner stated that at times she via very nice woman, but at other times was vice versa. He attributed her trouble to laudanum. The Magistrate dismissed the case and told the husband hat probably there was trouble on both 'hat probably there was trouble on both sides of the house, but that if anything else occurred to mat the domestic quiet, to leave or else have her arrested again. Fred Morris, pleaded guilty to cutting the corners at King and James streets

a delivery wagon and was assessed e usual \$5. the usual 85.
For being drutk and disorderly last evening Thomes Ellis, Princess street, and James Merrill, Kingsville, each 83.
E. C. Friend, Brant and Niagara streets, did not contest two claims for wages brought against him by Joe Williams and John Fairham, for 89 and 86 respectively, and judgement was rendered.

Jennie Melville, no address, paid \$2 for being drunk.

Uncle Allen.

"Facts may be stubborn things," mor-alized Unote Allen Sparks, 'but I've not-iced that a lie is a good deal harder to kill off."—Chicago Tribune.

LAYMAN MOVEMENT.

Church of England Men Are Quite Enthusiastic.

A joint meeting of the central com mittee and the chairmen of the various parish committees of the Church of Engnight at the house of the chairman, Mr. Geo. C. Coppley.

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The meeting was a most enthusiastic one; splendid reports were presented by each parish, showing that all were taking the question up in a practical way, and that the laymer's movement is assuming a definite shape in each parish. Some are forming Men's Mission Clubs, and bringing prominent laymen from other dioceses to address them; others have had laymen to address their congregations, and others again have undertaken a self-denial period during Lent. All expect great results during the next church year, which begins immediately after Easter. Laymen are also canvassing for subscriptions and pledges towards ing for subscriptions and pledges towards the support of the movement, so that it is confidently expected that the mission-ary funds of the diocese will be largely mented as the result of their combin

The committee has been asked by the onary meeting, to be near f April.
Laymen from a distance will be invited to address this meeting.

\$30,000 THIS MONTH.

A special meeting of the Y. W. C. A. Building Committee was held this morning in the Association's parlor. The collections for the past week amounted to \$700; which brings the total to over \$26,000; the ladies hope to raise \$30,000; by the end of the present month.

One hundred years ago at Wilkesbarre, i.a., Judge Jesse Fells discovered that anthracite would burn, thus starting the great anthracite coal trade. Sixteen years ago "Salada" Teawas placed on the market. Canadians have discovered that for rich, uniform, deliciously-flavored tea "Salada" satisfies the demand. One out of every six Canadians drink it and this number is steadily increasing.

There is generally more discord in a



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March Sale Values In

Dainty Lace Curtains

offers in Lace Curtains are fully recognized by Hamilton housekeepers. Added to the most liberal values obtainable we offer a variety of designs and a range of qualities that is most comprehensive and planned to suit every

Immense shipments are ready for those who have yet to buy for spring, but where "specials" are quoted would strongly advise an early selection.

Nottingham Curtains at 59c pr.

25 pairs only of pretty Bobbinette Curtains, very dainty, for use in bedrooms. These have wide insertion let in and a deep lace edged frill to match, worth regularly \$1.50 pair, choice on Wednesday at \$1.19

Cable Net Curtains at \$2.29 200 pairs of Cable Net Curtain Cable Net Curtains at 36.29
200 pairs of Cable Net Curtains, guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction for wear. Net is made of double thread throughout, and with careful laundering those curtains should last for many years. Worth regularly \$3.00 pair, Wednesday price.

\$5.00 Curtains for \$3.98

A limited quantity of very ndsome and effective real Irish Point Curtains, also some pretty designs in Battenberg Finished Curtains, with cable net centre, worth regularly \$5.00 pair, Wednesday for ...\$3.98 No" ham Curtains at 99c pr. 125 pairs of Strong Nottingham Curcanis, all fully 3½ yards long, in a variety of good patterns, some with plain centres, worth regularly \$1.35 and \$1.50 pair, choice on Wednesday pair .. 99c

Muslin Curtains at \$1.49

Pretty Curtains made of pure white muslin and trimmed with lace. These have a wide frill, will wear well and launder easily, worth regularly \$2.00, very special sale price on Wednesday at ... \$1.49

Nottingham Curtains at \$1.39

Fine Nottingham Curtains in good wide widths and full 334 yards long, in an excellent range of the newest designs, both in plain and allover patterns, all edges are properly cross stitched, worth regularly \$2.00 pair, Wednesday sale price \$1.39

\$6.50 Curtains for \$5.00

A few pairs only of very rich looking Irish Point Curtains, extra wide width, suitable for big parlor windows, some have double horders, others have small floral patterns allover, regular \$6.50 pair, on sale Wednesday at .. \$5.00

Two New Arrivals in **Fawn Covert Coats at**

That Command Attention for To-morrow

An offering that should call forth considerable enthusiasm among spring buyers will be the sale of a couple of very choice new lines in Women's Fawn Covert Coats at the price of \$7.50. Considering the qualities of these Coats, the up-to-dateness of the material, the smart cut and air of high class tailoring, these Coats rank with the very best values of the season, and no woman in need of a Spring Coat should overlook this sale.

One style comes in smart check and stripe, Fawn Covert Cloth, made with the new shaped box back effect, single breasted coat collar, fell sleeves, with fancy self cuffs, very stylish, well 'tailored and perfect fitting, unexcelled value at the material to small women's fell sleeves, with stitched cuffs, four patched pockets, especially adapted for misses' and small women's wear, choice to enorrow at

One style comes in smart check and stripe, Fawn Covert Cloth, made in a two-button cutaway style, shaped back with vent, coat collar, one top pocket, full fect fitting, unexcelled value \$7.50

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THE INLAND WATERWAYS.

(Chicago Tribune.)

Entirely apart from the recommendations of President Roosevelt on the matter of development of the inland waterways his emphasis of the possibilities of the future is calculated to awaken thought.

A study of the geography of the United States is always suggestive of what might be done in this direction. The examination of the map is far more interesting when a few significant statements by a public official are taken into account.

The report of the waterways commission says that there are 25,000 miles of mavigable rivers in the country. An equal amount may be made available by improvement.

In addition there are 2,500 miles of navigable canals and more and provided in the present time because of the enormous wealth of this character it has possessed. The trend of thought in recent months indicates the opportunities for national growth resulting from improvement of waterways.

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RACE AND **RELIGION CRY**

Dr. Sproule Wants to Know Creed of House and Senate Staffs.

Mr. Graham Characterizes It as Returning to Past Ages.

Debate Was Adjourned on Premier Laurier's Motion.

Ottowa March 23.-After an unusual ly quiet and peaceful day in the House, dealing with private bills and motions the serenity of the chamber was ruffled just at the last by the introduction of a omewhat heated debate on the race creed question, arising out of a motion by Dr. Sproule, with an amendand nationalities of members of the bringing up a question fraught with much danger in a country like Canads was shown in the tone and temper Hon. Messrs. Fielding, Graham and Aylesworth strongly deprecated action which would revive the old and unfortunate feuds. On motion of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the debate was adjourned, in the hope that wiser counsels

might prevail after maturer reflection.

Mr. Boyce asked whether it was the intention of the Government to extend the distribution of seed grain to any portion of Ontario.

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Sir Wilfrid Laurier said no repreentations had been made by any of
he Provincial Governments cast of
saskatchewan, asking that distribution
hould be extended.

Replying to Mr. Borden, Mr. Fielding
aid the civil service commission report
was not yet quite complete.

Objections to Bills.

When the House went into committee on the bill to incorporate the Institute of Architects of Canada, Mr. Blain sug-gested that the bill involved an interfer: ace of the member in charge of the bill was allowed to stand over.

A bill to incorporate the Shuswap

Thompson River Boom Company, re-ported by the Private Bills Committee. net with opposition, the chief objectors being Messrs. Lennox, Blain and Copp. would give the company a monopoly of the control of Shuswap and Thompson Rivers. Messrs. Ross (Yale-Cariboo). Galliher and other Liberal members pointed out that the whole question of protecting the rights of the public or other lumber companies had been fully discussed in the Private Bills Committee. discussed in the Private Bills Committee, and maintained that every consideration was shown in the bill for all the interests involved. The objectors wanted a clause inserted providing for free navigation, but the members supporting the bill declared that such a provision would render the bill nugatory.

Messrs. Lennox and Blain succeeded in holding the bill until 8 o'clock.

Discussion was resumed at 8 o'clock, when, after the question of tolls had been considered, objection was taken to the company being granted a perpetual franchise. Eventually at 9.40 the bill was reported and now stands for third reading.

Dr. Sproule Raises a Breeze.

After the passing of a number of contentious motions of returns, a non-contentious motions of returns, a breeze sprang up, just at the last, on a motion of Dr. Sproule for a return showing the names, salaries and creed, whether Protestant or Roman Catholic, of the Commons and Senate staff.

Mr. Talbot (Bellechasse) moved that the return also show the nationality of each employee, and include also the employees of all the various departments of the civil service.

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Hon. Mr. Fielding thought that both the original motion and the amendment proposed by Mr. Talbot might well be withdrawn. It was not wise to classify members of the civil service along religious lines, and, in any case, there should be no such division made as the one suggested. There was no religious denomination known as Protestants. If there was to be any classification as to greed, then there must be a fair deal all round, and the classification should be as to the number of Roman Catholies, Methodists, Presbyterians, etc. The first part of the motion, calling for names and salaries, was quite proper, but he asked if the motion for the religious classification was not prompted by a little incident with regard to some of the information he asks for. He has a right to have the names and salaries of the permanent and sessional employees of the Senate and House of Commons. The discussion that has arisen has simply been in regard to baving a statement of the regard to having a statement of the reduction of the selection of the selection of the selection of the delate, and the thought it would be better for the public life of Canada for both parties, and to the credit of the House of Commons, if the motion were allowed to drop.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier—It would be a misfortume if we had a division on a motion of this kind. My hou, friend is an assistant on the permanent and sessional employees of the Senate and House of Commons. The discussion that has arisen has simply been in regard to baving a statement of the result of the motion of the religious denominations of these employees. If my hon, friend will permit me I will move the adjournment of the delate, and then perhaps we can come

a little incident with regard to some strictures made in the Senate on a press report of Dr. Sproule's speech at Mount Forest. He suggested that the latter's purpose had already been served, and the motion for the return should be

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Dr. Sproule's Object.

Dr. Sproule declared that his object in moving for the return was simply to verify statements he had made, and which had been questioned in the House. The only way they could be verified was by getting an official return. He had been offensively called to task for making the statements referred to, before the complainants knew whether or not the press report of what he said was correct. A similar return had been made in the Commons before, and no objection had then been taken to it. If what he had stated was incorrect, no one would more readily withdraw or correct it than himself. It had been said, he continued, that Orangemen did not want to do justice to Roman Catholics, but such a statement was utterly untrue. Orangemen believed Roman Catholics were entitled to their full share of all privileges and rights in the country. But when it had been asserted that Roman Catholics were not getting their fair share of offices in the Commons, he had simply refuted that statement by declaring the proportion of offices held by Protestants. Roman Catholics were about 40 per cent. of the entire population of Canada, and were entitled to 40 per cent. of the entire population of Canada, and were entitled to verify that statement.

A Former Charge.

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A Former Charge. Mr. Talbot interrupted to say that some three or four years ago Dr. Sproule had asserted that the Catholic clergy of Quebec were loaning money at a low rate of interest to a fund designed to buy up the farms of Protestants and drive the latter out of the

been withdrawn.

Dr. Sproule explained that he had said the fund in question was used for buying the lands of Protestant farmers who were willing to sell out, and that the clergy supplied the money therefor. His authority for the statement was the Huntingdon Gleaner, and he thought he was justified in making the statement on that authority. Mr. G. H. McIntyre.

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Mr. McIntyre (Perth) regretted the bringing up of a question which would lead to considerable hard feeling in the country. The stand taken by Hon. Mr. Fielding was the correct one. The motion of Dr. Sproule was not brought up on any question of principle, but merely because some one had challenged the correctness of his statements. Mr. McIntyre called attention to the fact that Ottawa furnished a large proportion of the civil servants, and that in the matter of the distribution of religious denominations and nationality the capital differed from many other parts of the Dominion. Moreover, in. the Commons, in which the French and English languages were on a parity, it was natural that most of the employees should have a knowledge of each language. Since the French-Canadians were, as a rule, the best equipped in that regard, it was not surprising that the proportion of Catholics on the sessional staff should be large. be large.

Hon. G. P. Graham. Hon. G. P. Graham.

Hon. Mr. Graham thought they had better not go any farther with either the mcision or the amendment. The necessity for Dr. Sproule verifying his statement would not have arisen if he had not made the statement he had.

Dr. Sproule—I made the statement in answer to objections that were raised in regard to myself and the society to which I belong.

hich I belong. Hon. Mr. Graham—My hon. friend has

a perfect right to make the statement, but I am just pointing out the coinci-Dr. Sproule-But the hon, gentleman ught to be fair enough to point out ne reason why I was compelled to

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Hon. Mr. Graham did not know that Dr. Sproule had been compelled. He had made the statement, and he (Mr. Graham) thought it was unwise for a prominent man in Canada in this age to make a statement which would lead to such a result as they had seen tonight. Civil service reform would be impossible if they had to line up every person and ask him where he went to church; not whether he had passed the civil service examination or whether he was fit to perform the duties assigned to him, but where he worshipped. It was no more necessary to know where shipped, so far as the performance of his work was concerned, than it was to

Going Back Into Past Ages.

The country was big enough for all classes, and in public affairs they ought to have come to a time when they should cease to make a dividing line between people as to either their nationality or Frank Merritt, resident of this place, their creed. In Canada, while they were descendants of French, Irish, Scotch, English or other nationalities, they had reached a time when, above everything clse, they were citizens of Canada, and they were going back to the past ages when for any purpose whatever they tried to make capital out of the fact that any nationality or creed had a preponderance in the public service over any other.

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not a leading man or a leading party that had passed the resolution. He was speaking of men who were prominent in the affairs of the Dominion endeavoring to make capital one way or the other in regard to the denomination or creed of public officials. The Dominion of Canada was big enough for them all, and he thought it would be better for the public life of Canada for both par-ties, and to the credit of the House of Commons, if the motion were allowed to

debate, and then perhaps we can come to some conclusion as to what course to

public are entitled to particulars concerning it.

A prominent physician states that the excellent results that have been obtained from the use of the mixture are due to its direct action upon the kidneys, assisting them in their work of filtering all poisonous waste matter and -cids from the blood and expelling same in the urine, and at the same time restoring the kidneys to a healthy condition.

He further states that anyone suffering from afflictions of this nature will find it to be very beneficial, and suggests that it be given a trial.

Hon. A. B. Aylesworth.

Hon. A. B. Aylesworth, who spoke with some feeling, declared that the debate of the past few minutes showed how dangerous it was to bring up a question bearing on any creed or racial animosities in the Canadian Parliament. In the Parliament of Great Britain all religious tests had been wisely abolished, and the only possible result asked for would be to institute comparisons to the detriment of one class or another of the community. Nor was it the part of wisdom, he said, to divide the population into two greeds, Roman Catholic and Protestant. The effort to see if every denomination was Hon. A. B. Aylesworth. Roman Catholic and Protestant. The effort to see if every denomination was getting its fair share of offices was a new and improper thing to introduce in the House.

Dr. Sproule—It is not a new thing, a similar return has been brought

own before.

Mr. Aylesworth—It is unfortunately Mr. Aylesworth—It is unfortunately an old cry—too old—something which has come down to us from the feuds of the world, and which should have been buried long ago. I am not a Roman Catholie myself, but I walked to school along with many other bare-legged boys, Roman Catholies, and of all creeds, and I have found myself all the better friends with them because of that close and equal association. I would be sorry, indeed, if we were ever to apply the principle that any applicant for a position in ciation. I would be we were ever to apply the principle that any applicant for a position in that any applicant for a position in the civil service must state whether not he belongs to this or that creed

nationality.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier's motion to journ the debate was then carried. Provincial Supply.

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Hon. Mr. Fielding announced that the Commons will be asked to-morrow to pass a provisional supply bill, amounting to one-quarter of the total estimates on the consolidated fund account, in order to provide funds for

BEAMSVILLE

6aaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaa Walter L. and Mrs. Culp, also Mr. ulp's mother, Mrs. Warner Culp, are

company.
On Thursday evening a very pleasant gathering assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Karr, on Ontario street, where an enjoyable time was spent in

died on Friday morning. after a long confinement from paralysis. The late Mr. Merritt was born in the city of St. Mr. Merritt was born in the city of St. Catharines and was 35 years of age. The Juneral took place last Saturday aftermoon at 2 o'clock, Jean his late residence to Mount Osborne Cemetery. The pall-bearers were A. J. McArthur. A. McEnteeer, Thomas Wood, M. Teeter, Robert McCauley, A. B. Tufford. Rev. D. C. McIntyre, of the Presbyterian Church, officiated.

To cure a cold in one night—use Vapo-Cresoline. It has been used extensively dur-ing more than twenty-four years. All drug-gists.

BARTLETT'S BODY FOUND

Young Man Who Disappeared From Lon-

London, Ont., March 23,-This more London, Ont., March 23.—This morning Mr. John Chambers, a Muncey farmer, while going around his farm watching the rapid rising of the river, discovered the dead body of a man on "The Flats," about forty rods from the M. C. R. tracks. It was lying in the long grass, the appearance of the clothing and flesh indicating that it had been under the snow for some time.

The body showed no signs of violence, and appeared to have been in the water several months. He had it sent to Mount Brydges, where an inquest will be held.

held.

The body was identifed to-night as that of Harry Bartlett, the young Engfrom his boarding house three months ago. The body was badly decomposed, but the clothing was easily identified as that worn by Bartlett when he was last

seen.

The murder theory is the one accept
ed here, for three days after his dis
appearance a man named Alfred Brown
presented what is now believed to be
forged order at the waterworks office
and drew Bartlett's two weeks' pay
Brown has never been seen or heard of
since.

an inquest.

STRUCK BY FLYWHEEL.

Thomas G. Vanston Killed at Grenadier

Island.

Brockville, March 23.—Thomas G. Van. ston, aged 25 years, son of W. W. Vanston, a well known farmer of Escott, was the victim of a fatal accident at Grenadier Island to-day. He was operating a circular saw, when the fly-wheel of the gasoline engine flew off, striking him with terrible force on the hip and lower part of the body. The injured man was brought to St. Vincent de Paul Hospital this afternoon, but succumbed fifteen minutes after his admittance.

ANY BUT THE VERY WORST.

Mr. J. Obed Smith Speaks of Immigrants . Canada Will Accept.

London, March 23.—The Telegraph publishes Mr. Bruce Walker's "remarkable" report on emigration societies verbatim. It says such criticism of the foremost English societies will be received with considerable surprise. The facts do not justify the condemnation or point to the necessity of a restriction in emigration.

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

Bank of British North America

Presented to the Proprietors at their Seventy-Second Yearly General Meeting.

The seventy-second yearly general meeting of the Bank of British North America was held on Tuesday, March 3rd, at the office of the corporation, 5 Gracechurch Street, E.C., Mr. E. A. Secretary (Mr. A. G. Wallis)

having read the notice convening the meeting and the auditors' report,
The Chairman said: I will not oc-

accounts; interest-bearing deposits in Canada actually showed an increase compared with the previous year. Fou are already aware that throughout the year, and particularly towards the end of the year, there was a very keen demand for money in Canada, and not in Canada alone, but throughout the world, and under these conditions we consider it most satisfactory that our deposits have held their own so well. In studying the annual reports sent home by our branch managers, I find the decline in deposits repeatedly explained by the attractions of sound investments, which owing to the financial stringency, were to be purchased at most favorable prices, and also to the opportunities of lending money in the West upon mortgage at high rates of interest. Notes in circulation show a decrease of 187.000. At no time during 1907 did the circulation expand to the level of 1906, owing to the condition of the harvest in the West, to which I shall refer later on. Bills payable and other liabilities, including provision for contingencies, show a decrease of 5601,000. This is an important reduction, due chiefly to the contraction of business in the United States during October. November and December, to which I shall have to make further reference later on. On the other side of the account cash and specie show an increase of £12,000. The cash and specie namuniting to £1,118,000, was equivalent to 53 per cent of our immediate mabilities—that is, deposits payable on demand and note circulation—a percentage which shows an unusually strong position. Cash at call and short notice show a decrease of £757,000. Investments show the following changes. In the interim balance sheet to June 29th you have already been informed that the sum of £6,000 had been taken from the profits of the halif-year with the object of writing down our holding of Consols to 83, at which figure they now stand in the balance-sheet. Dominion of Canada bonds show an increase of £15,000, and may are able to repeat the statement in the report of £20,000 from the profi

To Liablity under guarantee in respect of which no claim is anticipated ...

To Profit and Loss Account—

Belance brought forward from 30th
June, 1997

Dividend paid October, 1997

Net profit for the half-year ending this date, after deducting all current charges, and providing for had and doubtful debts . . .

Balance available for April Dividend and Bonus...

322,173.43 146,000.00

536,746.66

225,200,47

\$45,434,339.60

which imperatively demand either new premises, or substantial extensions of existing premises, the cost of which, apart from the requirements of Central Canada and the usual incidentals at other branches, will absorb the whole of this sum, and more.

As already stated, by the addition of £20,000, the reserve fund has been increased to £480,000. Good progress has been made in recent years in building up the reserve fund, but still there is much to be done, and we hope to be able, year by year, to make substantial additions to it. As to profits, again we have the satisfaction of reporting to you that the bank's business during 1907 has shown satisfactory profits, although just falling short of the profits earned in the preceding year. The actual net profits for 1906 were £129,016, and for 1907. £122,617, showing a decrease of £6,339. We are still able to repeat-exactly the distribution of this time last year by payment of the usual dividend at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, with the addition of a bonus of 1 per cent. making in all 7 per cent. for the year. We again suggest to you that you should kindly recognize the services of the staff, of which we cannot speak too highly, by granting them a bonus of 5 per cent. upon their salaries, which will absorb about £4,000. We shall then carry forward to the new account £24,014, compared with £19,610 at this time last year. Some of the changes to which I have referred are larger than fall within our usual experience, and they are chiefly due to the great disturbance of credit which we have recently witnessed in the United States. The decline in our bilts payable is due to this cause alone, and means that our exchange business in New York banks, coupled with the resumption of cash payments since the beginning of the year, but we should feel more confidence in the future if there were some clearer evidence that the lessons of the crisis will not be allowed to pass unheeded, and, therefore, we continue to act cautiously, waiting to see what the after-effects may be unon

THE BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA

BALANCE SHEET, 31st DECEMBER, 1907.

Dominion of Canada Bonds, £157,000 1,442,918.00 at 97

By hills receivable, Loans on security, and other ac-

counts
By Bank premises, etc., in London, and at the
Branches
By deposit with Dominion Government required
by Act of Parliament for security of general
Bank Note Circulation

NOTE—The latest monthly Return received from Dawson is that of the 30th November, 1907, and the figures of that Return are introduced into this Account. The balance of the transactions for December with that Branch has been carried to a suspense Acc., pending the receipt of the December acco

GEORGE SNEATH.
NICHOLAS E. WATERHOUSE.
Auditors

Of the Firm of Price, Waterhouse & Co., Chartered Accountants.

investments

By Cash at call and short notice ...

our loans as little as possible, but still from time to time, in the ordinary course of our business, it was necessary to make calls, and when this occurred the borrowers never failed to respond. In Canada, fortunately, contraction had commenced long before the time of trouble in the United States, a contraction which was by no means voluntary on the part of the community, but which was enforced by the banks. After some years of prosperity there had been the usual tendency to advance more rapidly than even the favorable conditions of the country justified, and even before the end of 1966 this had been evident to those whose business it is to preside over the banking institutions of the Dominion. The demand for money was keen before the close of 1906, and as the months passed on in 1907 there was a general stringency felt in every department of business. The resources of the banks throughout 1907 were employed up to the limit of safety, and they found it necessary to refuse additional advances, and strictly to hold their customers within limits. This was indeed fortunate, for the result was that when the storm burst in the United States, Canada found herself in a safe position. The stringency of money continued, and even increased, with a consequent depreciation in the value of securities and a decided check to mercantile business; but this condition of affairs did not come to them suddenly, and so, happily, athough the trouble was very night at hand, to mercantile business; but this condition of affairs did not come to them suddenly, and so, happily, although the trouble was very nigh at hand, the people remained calm and faced the situation with most commendable good sense. At no time was there any trace of panic in Canada. The banks did their utmost to supply all the legitimate needs of their customers, and the customers recognizing the gravity of the situation, reduced their requirements in every possible direction. The result must be regarded as eminently satisfactory by all concerned, and especially by the Dominion Government, which has now seen its banking system, originated with much care and skill, and subsequently elaborated with the assistance of the Bankers' Association, put to a most severe test, and emerging from it with complete success. The occasion may serve to litustrate the value of close and intimate consultation between the Government and the Bankers' Association, thus working harmoniously together for the good of the community.

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The wheat crop was a disappointment. Owing to the length and excessive severity of the winter 1906-7, the crop was late and consequently exposed to early frost. It was at one time estimated that, nowithstanding the damage thus done to the crop, the results of the season to the farmer would be as good as in the preceding year, owing to the greatly enhanced price of wheat. This hope can no longer be entertained, for there is no doubt that in many districts the damage done by frost was so extensive that even the wheat. This hope can no longer be entertained, for there is no doubt that in many districts the damage done by frost was so extensive that even the high price ruling for good qualities could not compensate for the loss thus sustained. But, notwithstanding this disappointment, there is still considerable value in the wheat crop, and disappointment, there is still considerable value in the wheat crop, and disappointment, for it has been stated recently by the High Commissioner that the acreage under crop in 1908 will exceed that of 1907 by no less than 1,000,000 acres, and up to the present time the season has been open and favorable. The mineral production of British Columbia for 1907, according to an approximate estimate, shows an increase of three-quarters of a million dollars over that of 1906, which must be considered satisfactory when it is remembered that the Boundary mines were shut down for about two months. The total value of the mineral production in the province was \$25,730,000, compared with \$2,880,000 in 1906. It must be remembered that for the greater part of 1907 the price of copper, which is the largest product of the mines, was exceptionally high, and far above that ruling today. At Dawson, however, the production of gold continued to decline, and in 1907 barely reached \$2,000,000, compared with \$2,500,000 in 1906. It is anticipated the production of gold continued to decline, and in 1907 barely reached \$2,000,000, compared with \$2,500,000 in 1906. It is anticipated the production of gold continued to decline, and in 1907 barely reached \$2,000,000, compared with \$2,500,000 in 1906. It is anticipated the production of gold continued to decline, and in 1907 barely reached \$2,000,000, compared with \$2,500,000 in 1906. It is anticipated the production of gold continued to decline, and in 1907 barely reached \$2,000,000, compared with \$2,500,000 in 1906. It is anticipated the production of gold continued to decline, and in 1907 barely reached \$2,000,000, compared with \$2,500,000 in 1906. It is anticip events. There was one statement reouently made, both in this country and
Canada and repeated openly in the
Press, to the effect that Canadian
hanks were greatly hampered because
their resources were so largely employed in New York. Speaking for ourselves alone, I am glad of the opportunity of most definitely correcting this
statement. We employ part of our call
money in New York—we have always
done so—and when the recent panic
broke out we had a considerable sum
employed in this manner. It is only
due to our many and valued friends
with whom we do business in New
York to state that in no single instance did this bank fail to obtain renayment of call loans when we wanted
the money. Naturally, we disturbed

great Ditch will not be ready for the 1968 season.

Since December 31st—the date to which the accounts are made up—we have fest it our duty to join with the other leading banks in Canada in giving a guarantee for the Sovereign Bank, which has gone into liquidation. We were invited to join in the guarantee on the extent of \$300,000, and having regard to the fact that all the circumstances had been carefully weighed by the leading banks in Canada and that the proposal to wind up the Sovereign Bank was approved by them with the best means of information at their disposal, we felt that it was our duty to join with them in taking the steps necessary to prevent the suspension of payment. At the same time we feel that it is an open question whether it is wise for other banks thus to intervene and ward off the consequences of unsound banking. This is the second time within fifteen months that we have been invited to take our part in rendering such assistance, and though we have consented to do so under guidance from strong local opinion, we are not convinced that such intervention, thus repeated, is sure to weaken the sense of responsibility amongst those who direct and manage banks everywhere, and also that It must tend to encourage carslessness amongst depositors and the community generally. who direct and manage banks everywhere, and also that it must tend to
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And now, before I conclude, you will
expect me to say a few words respecting our future prospects; and
this is the mest difficult part of my
task. The influences which we must
consider do not have their origin in
Canada we have still to consider
the after-effects of the crisis in the
United States. There are apparently
some on the other side who consider
that those effects are merely temporary, and that industry and commercy
will suffer no set-back, and although
we do not share this opinion—and the
evidence of decreasing railway traffice and increasing failures is distinctly opposed to it—it may yet be
justified by the strong recuperative
power shown in the past by that great
country. If, on the other hand, there
follows, as we ourselves expect, a
period of duliness, or even of depression in trade, in the United States,
this can hardly fail to affect business
in Canada, for the trade relations between the two countries are close and

tivity in the business of the whole country.

I must not omit to refer to the opening of the Canadian Mint on January 2nd, when the first coin ever minted in Canada was struck by Earl Grey, the Governor-General, who sald:—"As a representative of His Majesty, I have much pleasure in declaring the Canadian branch of the Royal Mintopen." More recently—on February 6th—Mr. Fielding, Minister of Finance, replying to a question in the Dominion House of Commons, said that the Mint would shortly be turning out gold coins of the value of \$2.50, \$5 and \$10. In the course of the year Mr. Tomkinson, at the request of the court, paid a visit to the New York and San Francisco agencies, and to the branches of the bank in British Columbia and the Central Provinces; and Mr. Mayne Campbell, on his return to Canada in the summer, kindly made arrangements, at the request of the court, to visit some of Provinces; and Mr. Mayne Campbell, on his return to Canada in the sumer, kindly made arrangements, at the request of the court, to visit some of the branches in Ontario which had not previously been brought within the irinerary of a visiting director, and we feel much indebted to both of our colleagues for their most valuable services. I beg now to propose that the report and accounts be adopted. (Applaines.) 14,570,123,41 2,677,740,69 27,271,638.98

Mr. Richard H. Sweet and that.
The resolution was then put and carried unanimously.
The Chairman: The following directors retire by rotation, and offer themselves for re-election:—I have to gut my name, proposed by Mr. G. D.

put my name, proposed by Mr. G. D. Whatman; Mr. G. C. W. Tomkinson is proposed by Mr. H. J. B. Kendall, and Mr. J. H. Mayne Campbell is proposed by Mr. J. H. Brodie.

These hominations were formally approved.

approved.
On the motion of Mr. Powell, seconded by a shareholder, Mr. George
Sreath and Mr. Nicholas E. Waterhouse were re-elected auditors. The Chairman: That concludes the usiness before the meeting.

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Mr. Powell: I think we ought to
pass a vote of thanks to the directors and staff. They have served us
extremely well during the year.
The resolution was carried unanirously, and the Chairman having
acknowledged the compliment, the proceedings terminated.

PACKERS SAY THEY ARE HANDICAPPED.

London, 22nd February, 1908.

SOME OPINIONS OF THE NEW DO-MINION MEAT INSPECTION ACT.

Does It Go Far Enough?-That is the Question With Some Firms Interviewed-No Check Upon the Small Packers, It is Claimed-Loss in Con-

Packers, It is Claimed—Loss in Condemned Hogs.

Toronto, March 24.—The working of the Dominion meat inspection act is the subject of comment among packers doing an export trade. The act, which we tinto effect last September, makes it incumbent upon packing houses doing an interprovincial trade or exporting outsiness to have all the animals killed in their factories subjected to inspection. An inspector is allotted to each factory, and whenever there is an appearance of disease in an animal the carcase is destroyed. As the act is a Dominion one it does not apply to pack.

Toronto, March 24.—The working of the packing product will not be accompanied with any large degree of success."

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ers doing a local or Provincial trade, and, therefore, the animals slaughtered in these packing houses are not inspected. According to several authoritative opinions, from two to three per cent. of the hogs inspected are condemned, and these packers claim they are under a considerable handiage in competing for the home business with those who are not under inspection. The packers claim that attempts to get farmers to assume a part of the loss have not been successful owing to the readiness of the uninspected packers to take the hogs without requiring any guarantee as to bealth. "The act is a step in the right direction," said Mr. Andrew Gunn, of Gunns.

We have examined the above Balance Sheet with the Books in London, and the Certified Returns from the Branches, and find it to present a true statement of the Bank's affairs.

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741,144.63 493,678.03

to stamp out disease and raise the standard of the packing product will not be accompanied with any large de-gree of success."

have been received here of a tornado which swept through East Feliciana Parish, Louisiana, early to-day. At the town of Norwood, fifty miles north of here, on the Yazoo and Mississippi Valhere, on the Yazoo and Mississippi Val-ley Railroad, a man named Rollins is reported to have been killed and many persons are said to have been injured. Much damage has been done by the wind and rain, especially to telephona and telegraph wires, and communication with points in the damaged section is very poor.

A GALICIAN MURDERED.

Women's \$1.25 Wrappers at \$1.00

NEW Wrappers made of heavy quality, fast color, good washing print. Full front with frills over shoulder; trimmed with featherstitched braid. Skirt part made with deep full flounce. Navy, red, grey, black and white grounds with neat patterns. Value \$1.25. To-morrow \$1.00.

"HAMILTON'S FAVORITE SHOPPING PLACE"

\$1.35 dressing jackets at \$1.00

MADE of fine sheer Swisses in two-tone overchecked effects; fitted back finished with belt; Dutch neck finished with lace, insertion and ribbon; full sleeve, also trimmed; pretty blues, greys, pinks and mauves. A very dainty jacket. Value \$1.35. To-morrow \$1.00.

What will a dollar buy at the Right House---a whole page of answers

Dollars will be out on a busy shopping campaign Wednesday---some remarkable bargains

TO-MORROW will be DOLLAR DAY at the Right House. Anything advertised on this page may be bought for a Dollar. Think of that! A whole page of Dollar Bargains! Just read carefully if you want to know about some of the greatest Dollar offerings you ever heard of--offerings that allow you to save twenty-five cents, fifty cents and even up to seventy-five cents on each purchase. And the goods involved are new spring and summer kinds that everyone is thinking about buying right now. Bring your dollars to this store to-morrow and each one will do the duty of more than a dollar. Sounds interesting doesn't it? But just as the poof of the pudding is in the eating so the test of this sale is in the buying. Test it yourself to-morrow. Look for the dollar signs all over the store. Here are details:

Beautiful new "Sapho" silks \$1

COMPARE them with \$1.25 to \$1.35 qualities elsewhere. Every yard of these beautiful "Sapho" Silks is guaranteed. A firm, rich, mellow weave, but what will strike most women first are the beautiful spring colorings. Copenhagen, mid and dark navy, tan, leather, fawn, mid brown, light and mid grey, mauve, myrtle, old rose, sky, pink, ivory, white and black. An excellent silk for blouse and dress wear Right House price \$100 wear. Right House price \$1.00.

Three pairs huck towels at \$1

ALL Linen Hemmed Huck Towels with colored or self borders; good useful sizes and a heavy absorbent weave. These good towels are very specially priced at 6 for \$1.00.

CHRISTY'S CELEBRATED ALL LINEN BATH TOWELS-Nice large size and a very thirsty make. Very especially priced for to-morrow at 3 for \$1.00. Better lay in supplies for the whole season now.

Women's \$1.50 nightgowns \$1

NIGHT Gowns made of nainsook; chemise neck finished with Val. lace insertion beading and ribbon; sleeves finished to match. Good full sizes; cut in perfect proportion. Value \$1.50. Wednesday rush price \$1.00.

\$1.25 corset covers \$1 Dainty full front styles with yoke back and front, of Val in-sertion; finished at arm and neck with beading, ribbon and lace, fronts and backs are neatly tuckmaterial is a fine Nainsook, ue \$1.25, Wednesday Rush spec\$1.35 underskirts at \$1

Women's White Underskirts, made of fine soft English Cottons. Deep lawn flounce is trimmed with three rows of Torchon lace insertion and finished with lace, nice full, dainty style. Real value here \$1.35 each, Wednesday Rush special \$1.00.

The new French Venetian suitings at \$1 yd.

\$2 white lawn blouses at \$1 each to-morrow

Dainty White Blouses at half of regular worth. Think of that! Hundreds of them are in the sale. Fresh, crisp, new Blouses made of mulls and lawns. Some trimmed with embroidery insertion in V-shaped yoke design and edging of Val. lace. Others have dainty lace yoke finished at each side with alternate rows of embroidery insertion and lace. Still others have wide panels of embroidery down front with narrow insertions to finish. Some are solid pin-tucked. Dozens of dainty, practical styles will be laid out ready for you. Select the spring and summer blouses now and your dollars will do double duty. Value two dollars each. To-mor-

DOLLARS are seldom laid out to such good advantage in Blouses as they can be to

A CCORDING to present conditions and to the prices most stores ask, a dollar a yard for these rich Venetian Suitings represents a saving of 25c the yard-that means about \$2 on

the spring costume. Right House buying power was never better proven than in the quality of this fabric that we offer for a dollar a yard to-morrow.

All wool chiffon finished Venetians that are rich in finish and coloring. They are woven of long thread wool yarns and give wonderful wear. New spring shades of Copenhagen, delft, cadet, light, mid and dark navy, reseda, myrtle, light, mid and dark brown, mode, champagne and grey. Full 48 inches wide. Correct for spring tailored wear.

\$1.15 Brussels carpets \$1.00

EVERY piece of Brussels Carpets in the store marked at \$1.15 will be \$1 for Wednesday. Scores of pieces for selection. Many patterns and beautiful colorings.

The Right House is fam-



ous for Carpet values and this hardwearing Brussels from a famous English maker was considered extra special quality at \$1.15, but our Carpet buyer wanted to make a big dollar day offer, so you may select among them to-morrow at just \$1

the yard.

For long service, for beauty of coloring and design, for perfect satisfaction—buy one of these "hard to wear out" English Brussels Carpets. Persian, Indian, floral and small conventional designs in dainty resedas, new fawns, rich crimsons, exquisite presen and rich crimsons, exquisite greens and practical blues. Suitable for any room in the house. Borders and stairs to match. Our regular spe-cial \$1.15 quality. Wednesday cial \$1.15 quality. Wedner rush special \$1.00 the yard.

Save on embroideries \$1.50 to \$2 sailors \$1

JUST as an out of the ordinary value in the Embroidery Section for dollar day, we offer these pretty flouncings for children's dresses and women's wear at much less than

Beautiful, 27-inch Embroidered Ruffled Skirtings and Flouncing, 27-men Embroodered Kuffled Skirtings and Flouncings, for children's dresses or women's wear. Good quality Swisses and Batistes, with scalloped edges that will stand the wash. Very pretty embroid-ered patterns. Regularly 59, 69 and 75c the yard, Wed-nesday Rush Special, 2 yards for \$1.00.

HOME milliners couldn't ask a better selection. A dollar bill will certainly get a very smart new spring shape to-morrow. \$1.50 to \$2 values. Wednesday rush price \$1.00.

One hundred smart, new, stylish Shapes, in Sailors and other spring styles, that are extremely popular. New spring shades. This offer in connection with the sale of trimmings now in progress enables one to have a charming Spring Hat at an extremely small cost.

Remarkable quality in dollar kid gloves

FULLY equal to our special \$1.25 lines of last season—and that is saying much. Good qual ity soft pliable kid in white and correct spring tones of tan, brown, myrtle and grey. Wrist length; two dome fasteners; French cut and made to fit in perfect style. Value at \$1.25. Special Right House price \$1.00 the pair.

THOMAS C. WATKINS

8 yards of good flannelette \$1

B EST English make—that means, fast colors, neat patterns. good wear. These soft nappy, yet firm English Flannelettes would be sold in most stores at 14c to 15 the yard. Full 33 inches wide; neat stripe designs in pink, blue and grey with white. Very soft nice finish. They will be on sale tomorrow morning at 8 yards for \$1.00. Better secure 16, 24 or 32 yards for future use.

8 yards good English prints \$1

A S any woman can instantly tell by the feel, 8 yards for a dollar means extra value for these good fast colored English Prints. They are soft in finish and splendid to wear. Women will want them for morning dresses, waists, wrappers, aprons and children's wear.

Pretty spots, stripes, checks and floral designs on good navy, cadet, lilac, brown, black, white, pink and red grounds. A whole dress length-8 yards for \$1.00 to-morrow.

Children's wash dresses \$1.00

MOTHERS simply have no idea with what magic power a dollar bill will be invested for buying dainty Dresses for the little girl to-morrow. Dainty white muslins for girls of six to fourteen years; prettily trimmed with embroidery and Laces. Neat Gingham Dresses in small check effects for girls of five to fourteen years; good washing assorted colors; trimmed with strappings and pleats. Practical yet dainty Print Dresses in pretty polka dot and stripe designs. Styles? Well there's nearly every dainty sort you can think of-French effects, jumpers, sailors, etc. Scores to select from. Wed-

\$1.25 lace curtains at \$1.00

DAINTY sorts that you'll like on bedroom and other windows. Dollar day is bringing some phenomenal offerings and this is not one of the least of them. Small neat scroll designs with hard to fray out overlock edges. They measure squarely up to Right House \$1.25 quality standards. Wednesday rush special \$1.00 pair.

\$1.25 to \$1.40 quilts \$1.00

Good White Bed Spreads join the Dollar Day procession. Honeycomb and Marseilles patterns in full double bed and single bed sizes. Fine, neat styles in easy washing qualities. Value \$1.25 to \$1.40. Wednesday Rush special \$1.00.

Bed pillows \$1.00 pair

Clean, pure and odorless, lofty, light down filling in well filled sateen finished ticks. These good desirable bed pillows are an interesting addition to the Dollar Day parade. Special Wednesday Rush price \$1.00



NEW SCHOOL ON OLD SITE. alarm gong in the main hall. 4. That a door be placed in the east wall of the kindergarten room with steps from door to the ground (a distense from door to the ground).

Dundas Board Wants \$16,000 From the Conneil.

A Scheme at Last Receives Unanimous Approval.

Teacher Resigns But Will Remain Until Place Is Filled.

Dundas, March 23 .- A special meeting of the Board of Education was held las evening. The members present were: H. G. Smith, John Douglass, T. C. G. N. McPherson, W. H. Knowles, Thos Reid, and Chas, E. Dickson.

Thos. Reid presented the report of special committee re new High School building. It recommended a new building, directly in front of, but about 33 t distant from, the present building, and that the Town Council be requested to furnish for the purpose \$16,000. The report was, after considerable discussion. ously adopted, and the commit tee instructed to wait upon the Council in support of the application for the

grant.

The Property Committee's report reprotection for pupils in case of fire was presented by Chairman H. G. Smith. It consisted of ten clauses, and was discussed at considerable length, clause by clause, and was adopted without amendment. The report recommended as follows:

l. That a fire-proof, sliding door be laced at the bottom of the stairs lead-

be installed connecting each school PEANUT MEN

of a few feet).

steps from door to the ground ta distance of a few feet).

5. That spring fasteners be placed on the lower sashes of all windows not already provided with weights.

6. That coils of rope, fastened with rings, be placed in the first and second forms, and in the science room of the High School, alongside of each window.

1. That eight hand firs extinguishers be secured for halls and furnace room.

8. That ceiling over boiler in furnace room be covered with asbestos.

9. That a door be placed at the north end of corridor, on second floor, opining out upon an iron platform 31-2 feet wide, and extending east and west a sufficient distance to take in two windows.

That wood walk on east side of

dows.

10. That wood walk on east side of building to outhouses be replaced by a cement one.

The committee was instructed to carry out its recommendations, and to consider the advisability of furnishing foot mats at each entrance door, as Janitor Hobson complained of the large quantities of mud carried into the school on the boys' feet.

Miss Lemon tendered her resignation as first assistant High School teacher, owing to her own health not being good and the death of a relative making it necessary for her to take charge of two small children. It was stated that although she was anxious to be relieved as soon as possible, she would continue on for a time if there was difficulty in securing another teacher. This offer was much appreciated by the Board, and her resignation was accepted on such condition, and sympathy expressed for her in her bereavement. Another teacher, a specialist to teach classics and English, will be advertised for at once. Richard Douglass, of Markdale, was calling on friends in town yesterday.

Nothing Succeeds Like Success

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1. That a fire-proof, sliding door be blaced at the bottom of the stairs leading from the furnace.

2. That two lights of glass be placed in door at top of stairs leading to furnace.

3. That an electric lire alarm system

Except Laxa-Food. The manufacturers know of no case where it has failed to relieve constipation and independent of the ratio of the constipation and independent of the ratio. It and the properties it. Leading grocers or A. W. Maguire & Co.

CITY WILL PERMIT THEM TO CON-TINUE BUSINESS.

Will Not Attempt to Regulate Establishing of Rag Shops- A Stylish Team for the Patrol.

The peanut men will continue to do susiness this year under a license from the city. George S. Kerr appeared on their behalf before the Markets Comnittee last night, and suggested that an arrangement might be reached whereby they could be permitted to continue business without becoming a nuisance. business without becoming a nuisance.
"The peanut was hardly known here
until they came, and now almost everybody eats them," said the lawyer, jocularly. A sub-committee was appointed
to deal with the matter.

A sub-committee which has been trying to devise some means of regulating
the establishing of rag shops so that
they will not interfere with residential
property gave it up as a bad job. The

they will not interfere with residential property gave it up as a bad job. The best it could do would be to regulate limits in which rag shops could not be established. Ald, Lewis pointed out that if this were done there would be complaints from the other districts, and the aldernen agreed to take no action. Chief Smith and Chairman Nicholson the aldermen agreed to take no action. Chief Smith and Chairman Nicholson are quite proud of a spanking new team of horses secured for the patrol wagon at an expenditure of \$450. "They can't be beat in this part of the country," said the Chief.

"The drunks will have a fine ride now," added Ald. Bailey.

The open patrol wagon will be renovated and the chairman was authorized to sell the old horses.

The chairman and Ald. Howard will arrange to have the City Treasurer's office kalsomined.

The new carpet in the Mayor's office, of which Chairman Nicholson is so proud, is being ruined by muddy feet. On Ald. Bailey's suggestion, a mat will be purchased and placed outside the entrance.

THE GALICIANS.

ARE NOW SAFE. Interesting Lecture by Rev. Saitzeff at Knox

> F. N. Saitzeff, the Galician from York ton, Sask., lectured in Knox Church last evening before a large audience, on the conditions of the country in the North west, where about 1,000 of his Galician brothers are toiling for a living. Missions were being opened up in plenty there, he said, and he had charge of them all. A large number of the Galicians were Catholics until the influence of his teaching and their friends exhortations had won a great number of them over. Only lately had the Catholic Church taken an active part in the religious work in the Northwest among them. He said that often he had to travel 50 or 60 miles in a wagon drawn by horses to preach to some of his congregation who needed him. The one drawhack to the work was the large territory that had to be covered. Mr. Saitzeff speaks excellent English and only a significancent can be traced. He expressed himself fluently and altogether his lecture was much enjoyed. brothers are toiling for a living. Mis

LEAGUE VISIT.

First Methodist Visited Simcoe Street Last Night.

The members of the Epworth League of First Methodist Church, provided the programme at the League of the Simcoe Street Methodist Church last evening. The subject of the address was "Influence." Mr. Frank Shepard was the chief speaker. He pointed out the importance of good living so that one's influence would be for the uplifting of others. Other speakers were Miss Hardman and Miss Campbell.

The meeting was presided over by Mr. Bryers, of the Simcoe Street League.

Argument was heard yesterday be

Argument was heard yesterday before Mr. Justice Britton in the motion to quash the by-law of the town of Collingwood fixing the license fee at \$2,500.

HARRY ORCHARD WON'T HANG.

PENALTY WILL BE OMITTED.

Subject-Orchard Testified Fully and Fairly-Governor Gooding Re-

Boise, Idaho, March 24.—Governor Gooding will to-day receive official notice as is required by law from Judge

fence.

"This right has been declared to be a part of our judicial system by the Supreme Court of several States.

The right, however, to such recom-

A LAST YEAR'S PROPOSITION.

To the Editor of the Times: Sir.—I notice by your issue of Sat-urday, March 21st, that the Street Rail-Co. have made a new offer to the why in his case the DEATH and in this connection I would like to and in this connection I would have refer you to a letter which appeared in your issue of Tuesday, August 6th, 1907, page 5, signed by Finance, which sugrested a similar solution of the gested a similar solution of the difficulty, except that it outline greater precautions for the protection of the city, and it struck me that have a tender. if this letter was reproduced it would have a tendency to broaden the discussion as it contains a number of important suggestions which the aldermen

Freemont Wood of the sentence of Harry Orchard, the self-confessed murderer of former Governor Steunenberg. Judge Wood, in speaking of the matter yesterday said: "By the statutes of Idaho the common law is made the rule of decision in all cases not inconsistent with the legislative laws of the United States, and of the State.

"At the common law, when the court or Magistrate accepted an accomplice as a witness against a co-defendant, the law implied a promise on the part of such court or Magistrate to recommend such accomplice to the merciful consideration of the Crown, provided the accomplice thus accepted as a witness was subsequently convicted of the same offence.

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the road can be made to pay the interest on all bonded indebtedness, together with a sinking fund sufficint to wipe out that portion of the bonds guaranteed by the city when matured, also pay the mileage and percentage as at present fixed, any surplus to go to the Company; the road to be hauded over the Company; the road to be hauded over the ase may be—if it is found that the road cannot be made to pay the fixed charges as outlined above, then the city is to forego the mileage tax, also the percentage, and take over the road at the same stated period if it sees fit in order to protect the city's interests. In the meantime the Power Company to operate the road (which it would likely do to the best of its ability having so much at attake), the city to have the right to put one good man having railroad experience, and a good financier with high executive ability, on the Board to act as Commissioner for the city, all of his

by the city, having authority to exam-ine all books and accounts, check all ma-terial purchased and used, to see that they are properly applied, to check the time and remuneration of all joint officials and employees, in order that the expenses may be properly apportioned, all receipts to be deposited in the bank all receipts to be deposited in the bank and payments to be. made by voucher only, duly certified to by him. The price of electric power to be fixed in the agreement, subject to readjustment from time to time so that the road will

from time to time so that the road will get power as cheaply from the Dominion Power Company as it could be procured from any other source.

One word of warning and I am finished—Let the agreement be submitted to the Provincial Railway Broad so that its intents and purposes may be fully canvassed and irrevocably decided before being executed.

HAPPILY WEDDED.

A pretty wedding ceremony was performed by Rev. H. J. Leake, M. A., St. Philip's Church on Monday the 23rd inst., when Ellen Muir, daughter Frederick Harry Hindle, late of Harrow, England. The bride and groom were attended by Elizabeth Bell, sister of the bride, and Geo. Monk, of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Hindle will reside at Kilbride.

INOUIRIES COST ONTARIO DEARLY.

INTERESTING RETURNS PRESENT. ED TO LEGISLATURE.

Expensive Three Years-Conservatives Spent Much More Than Liberals-Whitney Government Paid Out Over \$136,000 Since Coming Into Power -New Automobile Bill by Mr. Bow-

Toronto, March 24.—During the last three years the Whitney Government have spent \$136,925.73 on investigations and commissions, and during the last three years of the former Administra-tion \$50,083.76 was spent in similar ob-jects. Yesterday in the Legislature re-turns were presented by the Provincial Secretary, giving the cost of each indi-vidual commission.

vidual commission.

Mr. Bowman's bill provides that per Mr. Bowman's bill provides that persons having control of motor vehicles when meeting a horse outside city or town limits are to stop at least 100 yards distant, and shall not proceed or allow the motor to operate until the horse or horses are safely passed. If necessary the persons in charge of the horses are to be assisted. Provision is also made for cases when those running motor vehicles desire to pass horses from the rear. The bill also provides that no motor vehicle shall be allowed to run or stand upon any public highway in any municipality, excepting in a city, between in the morning and 9 o'clock in the evening of Saturdays, and between 7 in the morning and 3 in the afternoon of Sundays.

Franchise to Women

bill of Mr. Smith (Peel) to am end the election act provides for the extension of the franchise to women. This is the same bill that Mr. Smith has introduced from year to year. It is being seconded by Dr. Smellie, who is by no means optimistic of its suc-

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The return asked for on motion of Dr. Preston (Lanark), for the cost of commissions during 1902, 1903 and 1904 was laid on the table by Hon, J. W. Hanna. These were as follows:

—Sept. 26, 1902—I. B. & O. Railway regarding workmen's claims; A. M. Dymond, commissioner; cost \$259.60.

March 28, 1903—damey investigation; commissioners, Chancellor Boyd and thief Justice Falconbridge; cost \$44, 826.20.

July 31, 1903—Mining disputes investigation; commissioner, Aubrey White; 99st \$47.95.

May 20, 1904—Railway taxation commission; commissioners, H. J. Pettypiece, Frof. Adam Shortt and Judge Archibald Bell; cost \$4.781.21.

June 30, 1904—Investigation regarding the granting of a license to John Bidgood, Sudbury; commissioner, James Wilmot Gordon; cost \$212.06.

April 17, 1904—Investigating charges against Frank Gagne, a Provincial constable at Sudoury; commissioner, Judge J. A. Valin; cost \$155.74.

Where the Money Went.

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The return asked for by Mr. May (Ottawa) regarding commissions since 1904 was as follows:

April 25, 1905—Dispute regarding mining location between W. G. Tretnewey and the Nipissing Company; commissioner, Aubrey White; no cost.

May 4, 1905—Investigating the conduct of the West Kent License Commissioners; commissioner, Eudo Saunders; cost \$337.55.

July 5, 1905—First Hydro-Electric Power Commission; commissioners

Power Commission; commissioners Hon. Adam Beck, George Pattinson M. P. P., and P. W. Ellis; cost \$76,

July 14, 1905-Investigation regard mining disputes in Coleman town; commissioner, Samuel Price; tost

October 3, 1905—University of Toron October 3, 1905—University of Toron-to Commission; commissioners, Prof. Goldwin Smith, Chief Justice Mere-dith, J. W. Flavelle, B. E. Walker, Lanon Cody, Rev. D. Bruce Macdonald and A. H. c. Colquinour; cost 88,625.62. January 22, 1906—Bastedo investiga-tion; commissioner, J. C. Judd; cost 84,193.

January 26, 1906-Second Hydro-Elec tric Power Commission; commissioners, Hon. Adam Beck, George Pattinson, M. P. P., and John Milne; cost \$44,

614.58.

"February 7, 1906—Investigation regarding Registrar E. C. Whelihan, of St. Mary's; commissioner, H. B. Morphy; cost \$128.73.

"July 2, 1908—School Book Commission; commissioners, T. W. Crothers, K. C., and John A. Cooper; cost \$9,992.

October 5, 1906-Investigat ing the Blind Institute at Brantford and the Deaf and Dumb Institute, Belle-ville; commissioner, A. J. Russell Snow; cast \$1170 cost \$1,170.

ville; commissioner, A. J. Russell Snow; cost 81,170.

December 10, 1906—Van Zant inquiry; commissioner, J. C. Judd; cost 82,600.

February 1, 1907—Investigation regarding Irhomas McDonald, Registrar at Morrisburg; commissioner, J. C. Judd; cost 8118,28.

February 13, 1907—Liquor license investigation, Toronto: commissioner, J. R. L. Starr, K. C.; cost 82,200.

June 23, 1907—Commission regarding consolidation of statutes; commissioner, J. R. L. Starr, K. C.; cost 82,200.

June 23, 1907—Commission regarding consolidation of statutes; commissioner, Justices Osler, Garrow, Street, Anglin, Teetzel, members of Executive Council, Hon. A. G. MacKay and A. M. Dymond. To these names were added those of Mr. Justice Mabea and Judge Smider, of Hamilton; cost \$38,303.67. Smider, of Hamilton; cost \$38,303.67

Montreal citizens on Monday passed a resolution calling on the Government to give the city direct connection with the National Transcontinental Railway.



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Fun for Times Readers



A Good Way. "John, don't let that dog jump on the couch with those muddy feet." John-Very well, dear. I'll cut them off.

No Dusty Dust. "But have you no regard for the sacred dust of your ancestors?" queried "No, they didn't leave me any," an-awered the wayward youth. "The only 'dust' I get next to I've got to raise myself."

An Imposing Family.

An Imposing Famuy.

"The Swelltons seem to keep up an imposing establishment," remarked the canned goods drummer.

"You bet they do," replied the groceryman, with a sigh long drawn out, "and I'm one of the fellows they impose on."

Playing on Him.

Percy Pink—But I know your sister thinks more of me than any one else, Tommy. Why, didn't she say I was the first fiddle around here?"

Tommy—First fiddle, eh? Oh, she was only stringing you.

marine casualties of the coast of New marine casualties of the coast of New England and British North America during the fall and winter seasons just ended shows that about 350 lives were lost. Of this number 251 persons perished in the wrecks of ten vessels belonging to the French fishing fleet of St. Pierre, Miquelon, last fall. These vessels foundered in heavy gales which swept the Grand Banks. About twenty-schools.

Mrs. Suburb (at the theatre)—1
thought this was supposed to be a real
istic play?
Suburb—And so it is, my dear.
Mrs. Suburb—But it isn't. Six months
is supposed to clapse between the first
and second acts.
Suburb—Well, what of it?
Mrs. Suburb—What of it? Why, they
still have the same cook.

Never Quiet.
Mrs. Gunner—Dear me! I sometimes
wish I could go on the stage, even if I
didn't have a speaking part.
Mr. Gunner—You would never last
two minutes on the stage or anywhere
else, Maria, without a speaking part.
Those Gotham Sharks.

Alias Ryetop-Back from Noo York, Alias Ryctop—Dack Irom Noo York, ch? How did you like the town, Hi? Hiram Hardapple—Got bunked, be gosh! Some smart chap said for a quar-ter he'd direct me to the Flatiron build-ing, where they made flatirons, and when I got thar I couldn't buy a flatiron to save my life, be gosh! eve my life, be gosh!

Waiting.

My grandpa notes the world's worn cogs And says we're going to the dogs.

His granddad in his house of logs Swore things were going to the dogs.

His dad, amid the Flemish bogs, Vowed things were going to the dogs.

The cave man in his queer skin togs Vowed things were going to the dogs.

But this is what I wish to state: The dogs have had an awful wait.
—Philadelphia Bulletin.

What time old winter in her lap, What time old whiter in art are,
Is lingering—
She plainly caring not a rap—
The shameless thing—
We speak of her (our joke, mayhap)
As "backward spring:"

Puck

The Poetry Crop.

The poetry editor of one of the duller and more expensive magazines took out his notebook.

"I'm compiling statistics on the way the poetry trade is trending," he said.
"Last year's crop was a good one. It totalled up to 3.916.472 pieces. I'd classify it about like this:

five Newfoundland fishermen were also VICTIMS OF THE SEA. VICTIMS OF THE SEA.

Heavy Toll Exacted on the Atlantic Coast.

Boston, March 23.—A review of the February 2, when fourteen men per-

THE OPERATION CAUSED DEATH.

BUT THE JURY WAS UNABLE TO PLACE THE RESPONSIBILITY.

Investigation Into Death of Jessie Helen Gould Concluded by Chief Coroner Johnson—Harry Saunders Did Not Give Evidence—Charge to Jury.

Toronto, March 24.- That Jessie city of Toronto, in the county of York, on March 10, 1908, as a result of a criminal abortion produced upon the said Jessie Helen Gould."

The foregoing open verdict was returned at 1 o'clock this morning, after three hours' deliberation by Chiet Coroner A. Johnson's jury, who investigated the death of Jessie Helen Gould, the hotel waitress and former Peterboro girl, who died in the Western Hospital on March 10. Dr. A. J. Ashton Fletcher and Harry Saunders, who are held in connection with the death of the girl, were taken back to jail after the inquest, which was adjourned from Thursday last, and will come up in the Police Court this morning for preliminary hearing on the charge of murder. The Crown will likely ask for another adjournment, in order that a copy of the evidence taken at the inquest may be procured. Dr. Fletcher was represented last night by Mr. J. W. Curry, K. C., and Harry Saunders by Mr. T. C. Robinette, K. C.

J. P. Haverson, a newspaper man, was the first witness called. He said he had a talk with Saunders at the last sitting, and the defendant, in answer to the question, How did you come to get into this case? said the girl threatened to shoot him if he didn't help her. Saunders, it was also claimed, told the reporter that she dared him to take poison. The prisoner, said Mr. Haverson, told him he took the girl to Dr. Fletcher's surgery, and remained in the waiting room while she went upstairs with the physician. When she came down the doctor said she would be all right again in a few days, or words to hateffect.

"Did he tell you the girl told him an operation was performed?" asked Saunders' counsel.

"Yes, he did," was the reply.

Detective Mackie was examined as to a statement made by Saunders to Inspector Duncan after his arrest and after he was cautioned. Saunders; he said, saw Dr. Fletcher, who at first wanted \$30, and then agreed to perform an operation for \$20. The prisoner told the officer he asked the girl of the physician used any instrument, and the deceased said he had done something. Detective Twigg stated that Dr. Fletcher after his arrest had denied money was ever mentioned either to the girl or Saunders. Dr. Fle

self for Saunders on the order of Dr. Fletcher.

At the conclusion of the taking of evidence, Chief Coroner Johnson said it was for the jury to say whether the testimony of Saunders was necessary before a verdict could be arrived at. It was explained that should they think so the inquest would have to be adjourned from week to week to give the young man a chance to think it over. The Chief Coroner did not think his evidence was material in view of the statements of Mr. Haverson and the police officers. With this fiew the jury agreed, and Chief Coroner Johnson went over the evidence with the jury.

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Mr. J. W. Curry, K. C., appealed to the Coroner to have it stated to the jury that both stories may be quite true and yet Dr. Fletcher may be quite innocent. "Til do nothing of the kind," declared the Chief Coroner, who said he would not allow any counsel to address the jury through him. "I want a copy of that charge," said Mr. Curry, speaking to the court stenographer, George Angus.

PROTEST TO MR. MORLEY.

A Meeting of East Indians at

Vancouver.

Mrs. Frank Bartlett, of Abingdon, spent Triesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Lester.

Miss Mabel Ridge has returned home, after completing her course at the Business College.

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Winnipeg, March 23.—The plans for the new union station of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway and the Canadian Northern Railway arrived here on Saturday, and tenders for the construction of the building will be called for at once. The new station will face Main street, opposite Broadway, and will be known as the Fort Garry Station. On the whole the building will be of massive appearance, having a frontage of 358 feet by 140 feet in depth. The structure will be built four stories above the basement, with a large dome in the centre, which will reach a hundred feet above the building proper. The work in connection with the station and terminals will cost in the neighborhood of \$2,000,000.

J. L. Haggan Acquitted of Forgery.
St. Thomas, March, 23.—Jas L. Haggan, charged with forging the dark of his nephew, Albert, to a promissory note for \$200, was discharged to-day, there being no evidence to show that he signed the note.

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Mr. R. Hamilton having sold his farm to Mr. Tom Robinson, a neighbor, is about to move to Hamilton. He had a successful sale on the 18th, and on the following evening the friends of the neighborhood paid him a friendly visit, and presented him with a morris chair and his better half with a beautiful wicker rocker, as a token of their esteem. Rev. Mr. Morris acted as chairman. A social evening was spent in speeches, recitations and singing. The Carlisle trio was much appreciated.

Mr. James Morden's two sons, from out west, are paying him a visit after an absence of some years out west.

Mr. L. English, of Hamilton, has been visiting his brother-in-law, Mr. T. Laton. The scarlatina scare in the neighborhood is getting pretty well over.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Carey, of Freelton,

Mr. and Mrs. T. Carey, of Freelton, made a call at Mr. C. Harper's.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Blair, of Aberioyle, were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Harper, and as agent for the air motor pumping mills called on prospec-

The coal oil man passed through he on wheels. He had a hard task, the on wheels. He had a hard task, the road not being shoveled out. The authorities are very slow about it. The stage driver lost a horse on account of the bad roads, which may cost as much or more than it would take to keep them passable.

Mr. Wm. Pegg, an old and respected resident of this vicinity, is seriously ill with kidney trouble.

WOODBURN

The many friends of Mrs. Alfred Whitwell will be sorry to learn that she is seriously ill at the City Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Moffatt have returned home, after spending a few days with friends at Niagara Falls.

Master Hugh Fountain, of Grimsby, is visiting his uncle, Hugh Johnson, of this place.

place.

is overlooked others in India must necessarily resent your Government's neglect."

The resolution was submitted by Uday Ram, nephew of Dr. Davischand, the first man to bring Hindus to the Province. F. E. Mody, a Parsee merchant, on the way to New York, and Radha Kishan, a teacher in the University of Calcutta, also spoke.

NEW WINNIPEG STATION.

Two Millien Dollar Structure to be Erected.

The Weekly meeting of the Literary Society of School No. 4, Glanford, was held on Thursday evening. Speeches were made on the following subjects: Glanford, by Miss G. Blarr; Cultivation of Wheat," by Mr. H. Hyslop; "Breaking Colts," by Mr. F. Weyher, "How to Make the Home Attractive, by Miss G. Harris: "Australia," by Mr. T. Sleeman. The Marshail, Miss M. Brown, Meesse. C. Marr and D. Moffett and solos by Miss G. Harris and Mr. T. Sleeman. The critic's remarks were given by Mr. M. P. Bell.

A good programme is being provided for Thursday, March 20th, when the closing meeting of the season will be held. An interesting debate will take place on the subject, "Resolved, That Heredity Has Greater Influence in Char-acter Than Environment."

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SQUARED WITH HUSBAND.

Winnipeg Eloping Couple Captured at Barwick, Minn.

Shoulta was brought to Emo and tried before a Justice of the Peace. No one was sworn, it is said, and the prisoner was merely asked if he were guilty. He answered in the negative, and the prosecutor, when asked if he had anything to say, made no answer. The prisoner was then discharged and is now at liberty. It is said that a compromise was effected between the parties immediately concerned.

Eme, Ont., March 23.—J. Shoulta, expoliceman, of Winnipeg, was arrested at the Barwick Hele, Barwick, Minn, on a charge of having eleped with the wife of W. S. Cullen, of Winnipeg, and having been a party to stealing the furniture of Cullen and removing it to Emo. Shoulta, when arrested, was living at the Barwick Hotel, with the

SAME.

TENDERS for STEEL PLATES AND SHAPES

T ENDERS addressed to the undersigned at Ottawa and endorsed on the envelope "Tender for Steel Plates and Shapes, Sorel," will be received at the Department of Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa, up to noon of the FIFTH DAY OF APRIL NEXT

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Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a cheatered bank, for the sum of \$1,500.00 to the order of the Minister of Marine and Fisheries. This cheque will be forfeited if the party whose tender is accepted declines to enter into a contract to derive the Steel Plates and Shapes, or falls to carry out the contract. If the tender is not accepted the cheque will be returned.

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F.GOURDEAU, Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries, Cttawa, Canada, 16 Mrob. 1908.

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London, March 24.-With the Olympic

games, which this year are to be decided in

usual calendar of sporting events, the coming

season should prove by far the busiest ever

known in British sporting history.

The council of the British Olympic Asso-

clation, which is almost entirely composed of representatives appointed by the governing associations of sports in Great Britain, have contracted with the Franco-British Exhibi-

contracted with the Franco-British Exhibition to erect at Shepherd's Bush, on the exhibition ground, a magnificent stadium capable
of accommodating 70,000 spectators. This was
begun in September lest and is now rapidly
approaching completion.
Surrounded by tiers of seats capable of accommodating nearly twice the whole population of a town like Dover, is a huge grass
plot some 235 yards in length and just under
100 yards in width. Round the edge of this
arena is a cinder running path of three laps
to the mile, said out under the superintendence of the Amateur Athletic Association,
and and outside this again is a cycling track,
two and three-quarter laps of which go to the
mile.

immediately in front of where the royal boxes will be placed when the structure is finished,

is an enormous swimming tank, 327 feet long by 50 feet broad. Over most of the surface of

this the water has a depth of only 4 feet 6 inches, but a square section in the middle is

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machine tests and competitions, besides which three evenings a week will be devoted

OPENING OF EASTERN RACING.

Bellwether Won the Bennings Handicap Yesterday.

Western Ontario Cricket League May Sen d a Team to Chicago-More About Montreal's Franchise in the Eastern.

Washington, March 24.—It was not a particularly auspicious opening of the racing season in the east that the Washington Jockey Club enjoyed yesterday at the Bennings track. Rain began to fall late last night, and continued throughout the day. The track was a bed of mud, but the underfooting was firm. Notwithstanding the unfavorable condition of the going, however, no more than the usual number of scratches were made, all of the events being well filled.

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The opening purse of 1908 was won by Sugarpine, which was as good as 100 to 1 in the betting, although it closed at 50 to 1. The winner ran away from his field, and was not in danger at any time.

Two favorites rewarded their backers in the six races. Priace of Pilsen, in the steeplechase, and Animus, in the last event, at 1 mile and 40 yards.

SOBELL SET DOWN.

New Orleans, March 24.—Yesterday afternoon was by far the tamest day of the Winter's season at the City Park track. The Cella stable occupied the limelight by taking two pur-

pied the inneriging as suspended for the remainder of the meeting on account of his poor ride on Dr. Logan in the short course steeplechase. Dr. in the short course steeplechase. Dr. Logan finished fourth after considerable buffeting.

B. C. IN LINE.

Athletes Organize in the Province in Far West.

Vancouver, B. C., March 24 .- The British Columbia Amateur Athletic Union, which aims to foster, control and encour age amateur sport in the province, was oractically organized at a meeting of representatives of nearly a score of prom-inent athletic clubs and leagues, held here. All the preliminary details had been agreed upon, and only the formal proceedings, such as the election of cificers and drafting of a constitution, were required to complete the work of

organization.

The new union will be a self-governing body, and will exercise entire jurisdic tion over all amateur sport in British Columbia. Track and field athleties will governed directly through the execu-

tive of the union, while other lines of sport will be governed indirectly through the leagues and associations having them under their control.

The amateur definition of the new union will be stict. It was decided to adopt the definition of the Canadian Amateur Athletic Union, which is identical with that of the Pacific Northwest Amateur Athletic Association.

At the beginning all athletes in British Columbia are to be considered as amateurs and received as such, regardless of past performances. Any who should offend the amateur rules after this date will be treated in summary fashion by the new union.

The meeting was called by the commit-tee appointed last fall to look into the

amateur situation. TRACK AND FIELD.

"Scotty" McEwan, who refused to box as drawn in the recent tournament at Massey Hall, has had his C. A. A. U. card cancelled, and is now out of the game, except in a professional way. At the benefit to the former champion. Sid Thomas, which by the way, was far from a success, Alfred Shrubb won-the four miles scratch race in 20.51. The company was not very high class, and the next man was a lap behind.

WANDERERS LOST.

Last Hockey Game at Pittsburg Was a Burlesque.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 24.—The Wain-derèrs, from Canada, having won the series, from the best of the West Pennsylvanir. League by their victory of Saturday night, did not play very hard he ckey last evening in the last game of the series, allowing the Bankers, of Pittsburg, to beat them 6 to 3. The game was in many ways a disappointment, as there was a large crowd out expecting to see fast hockey played until the end, and the tame exhibition given was rather displeasing to the crowd, and the tame exhibition given was rather displeasing to the crowd, and the home of the crowd the home than the home of the crowd in rings around the home of the crowd in rings around the home of the servers could play hockey in rings around the home of the conmunity, which not only has defence has been received here. The edition is the leading of its own, but teels did options of its own, but fell submit to the bad graces of that element of the community, which not only has defence has been received here. The edition is the players of the deficition is the leadition in the leadition in the leadition is the leadition in the leadition in the leadition is the leafting to the bad its child printed should be deficited pointion to he bad its cheft in the community, which not only has deficited pointion should be undertified pointion to discretified pointion to the popular as is so benighted as to disagrees with make a valuable supplement to any relative library. There are a dozen chapters, the champion handing out a decident professional way and able hints on the game has prov

AT OLYMPIC GAMES.

Canadian Bisley Team Will Compete In Shooting.

Ottawa, March 24.-The Executive of the D. R. A. has decided that the Canadian Bisley team will be competitors in the shooting contests at the Olympic games in London, in July.

Olympic games in London, in July.

The matches include the International, individual competition at 1,000 yards; team competition at 300 metres; and individual competition at 300 metres; team and individual competition for the running deer, miniature rifle shooting, pistol and revolver shooting. In all except the team matches there are permitted 12 representatives from each country. In the International the Canadians expect to make their strongest shooting, as it includes all the

the Canadians expect to make their strongest shooting, as it includes all the ranges from 200 to 1,000 yards.

The first man to announce his acceptance of a place on the Bisley team & Sergeant-Major Utton, R. C. R. The composition of the team will not be known definitely until the week before sailing for England, at the end of June.

ST. JOHN WON BOTH

Two Good Games of Basketball Last Evening.

Two interesting games of basketball vere played in St. John school room last night, the opposing teams representing the Dundas company of the Seventy seventh Regiment and the St. John boys, senior and intermediate. Both game were close, and the St. John teams were victorious. The teams and scores were St. John's, intermediate team—Callow-

hill, centre, Green and McClary, defence; Mitchell and Small, forwards.

Dundas—Thompson, centre: Moss and Ford, defence; Redpath and McGinty,

Half-time score, 16 to 14 in favor of t. John; full time, 40 to 30 in favor of

Gould, forwards.

Half-time score, 15-10; full time, 34

-32, both in favor of St. John.

Referee—R. Gordon, Y. M. C. A.

INDOOR BASEBALL.

St. Catharines Regimental Team to Play Here.

The indoor baseball team of A Co., 13th Regiment, has accepted a challenge rom the nine of the 19th Regiment, St. Catharines, the winners of the Niagara District League championship, and the game will be played on Thursday night at the Alexandra Rink, after the skat-ing session. The game should be inter-esting.

The first of the series of games for the city indoor championship between the Ramblers and the Nationals will be

played on Friday night at the Alexandra Rink.

The Y. M. C. A. indoor team has challenged the 4th Field Battery team.

PRINTERS WON TWO.

In the City Bowling League series last night the Printers took two games from the Fernleigh team. Chas. Aitchison was high man, with 545. The scores:

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Cassels	144	136	142	422
C. Laird	137	170	147	454
H. Hennessy	148	153	168	469
Laing	153	180	153	486
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Printers.				7
	176	181	148	505
Aitchison	193	206	146	545
Wareham	153	132	181	466
Jamieson	178	154	139	471
. Nelson	188	172	126	486
	888	845	740	2473
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BASKETBALL GAME.

The Toronto young ladies have sent out word that they have been practising hard for the game here at the Alexan-dra Rink on Gaussday evening, and as this team have been playing together for six years, they have developed a for six years, they have developed a combination that is the envy of the boys, and they are coming here full of confidence in their ability to win. The confidence in their ability to win. The Hamilton young ladies are using coached by that great little expert, Mr. Bert McKay, in the fine points of the game, and the "Oh, Joys' are certainly learning to rough it a bit, and when they cry,."Mark your man!" Bert and Fred slide across the side lines to a place of safety. There will be a special hoop dance and artistic gymnastics at balf-time, with special band acompaniment. There will be skating with special music from 7.30 to 9 p. m., and as the evening's proceeds go to the Young Women's Christian Association gymnasum fund.

THAT FRANCHISE.

According to Despatch Montreal Is Likely to Lose It.

Montreal despatch eays: The visit President Powers, of the Eastern Baseball League, to this city was with regard to the final settlement of the Montreal Baseball Club and the putting of it on a sound finan-

Half-time score, 16 to 14 in favor of t. John; full time, 40 to 30 in favor of t. John; full time, 40 to 30 in favor of t. John, seniors—Collins, centre; DorSt. John, seniors—Collins, centre; Dorwill have a chance to get it back again. Mr

GOSSIP

Powers does not want to see Montreal drop-ped off the Eastern League baseball map,

the Presidency of Mr. Jacobi. The St. Patricks, Senators, Shamrocks, Blue Labels and Erskines were represented. One point discussed was, should last year's senior City League players play with the intermediates? With few exceptions it was decided to bar them. The meeting was adjourned for one week

Pittsburg police arrested a man for handing out five dollar bills to a crowd, but he could have put the whole \$5,000 on an outclassed cart horse for the improvement of stock and furtherance of the breeding industry without the least danger of being molested. It all depends on the exact manner in which the harebrained demonstrate their insanity.—

London Free Press.

Toronto Globe:—The Bishop of London is in a fair way to bring himself into the bad graces of that element of the community which not only has decided opinions of its own, but feels the necessity of imposing those opinions on such portion of the populace as is so benighted as to disagree with them. He has been in Russia, and realized there some of the good that healthy games and sports do for the people.

"I see now," he said, in a recent ad-

SHORT LNDS.

Little Paragraphs of Sport From Far and Near.

Dublin, March 24.-Richard Croke Dublin, March 24.—Richard Croker, the former Tammany leader of New York, has instituted a suit for libel against the Manchester Sporting Chron-icle for statements published in that paper reflecting on his character as a sportsman.

New York, March 24.—Willie Hoppe defeated Jacob Schaeffer last night by a score of 400 to 92 in their 18.2 balk line billiard match. Cassignol, the a score of 400 to 92 in their 18.2 balk line billiard match. Cassignol, the French billiard match with George Sutton, by a score of 300 to 225. In the night game Sutton turned the tables and defeated Casignol, by a score of 500 to 405.

'Toronto, March 24.—'Cy: Pitcher, who in 1904-1905 was a member of the Teetimisch Lacrosse Chub, and who last year managed the Hamilton Tigers, has ro

LOG ROLLED ON HIM. Aged Chatham Man Severely Injured While Superintending Raising.

Chatham, Ont., March 23 .- H. Mur-Chatham, Ont., March 23.—H. Murphy, aged 75, a partner of the firm which owns the Chatham Bent Goods Works, met with a serious accident, as a result of which he may die. This afternoon at 2 o'clock he was superintending the raising of a number of logs, when the tacking gave way and one of the logs slipped down the slide and struck him. The log rolled up on his body as far as his chest and he was rendered unconscious. It was found that he was badly bruised and was rendered unconscious. It was found that he was badly bruised and a number of blood vessels in his legs were also broken. He is in a serious conditions and it is not thought that he will recover.

ROBBERTES ON LINERS.

Men Who Were Trying to Cash Stolen Cheques on Trial in Paris.

Cheques on Trial in Paris.

Paris, March 23.—The trial began to-day of the men who were arrested in connection with the mail robberies on board the liners La Torraine and La Savoie. The prisoners are Kohniski, who was arrested in November. 1906, while trying to cash a cheque for \$26,875 drawn to the order of Baroness Lestowitz, which was sent from New York; Rousseau, who was arrested in Boulogne, and who had in his possession \$5,000,000 worth of American railway securities, and Semelle, the third gether with certificates, besides a special challenge cup, which will be held by the win-ners until the Olympic games of 1912. Ample opportunities of seeing the stadium long before the Olympic games commence will be afforded, for many other events of way securities, and Semelle, the third prisoner, who had aided Rousseau to cash 14 cheques which were stolen from La Savoie. The actual authors of the robberies have not been caught. rangements have been made with the Finch-ley Harriers for a great athletic meeting, at

SOUTH SEA ISLE FOR DOUKHOBORS. made with cycling for May 9th, when the racing will be organized on the lines so pop-ular on the continent, and pace racing with A Proposal to France That Fanatics Settle There. motor cycles will form one of the attractions. The Polytechnic Cycling, Athletic, Swimming,

Montreal, March 23 .- M. De Struve, The Polytechnic Cycling, Athletic, Swimming, Boxing and Gymnastic Clubs will hold two great meetings, one of which will be between English and French athletes.

The Amateur Athletic Association is considering the question of holding about the end of May an all-British trial meeting for the purpose of selecting Great Britain at the game. The National Cycling Union also have a proposal under consideration with a the Russian Consul at Montreal, has the Russian Consul at Montreal, has made a proposal which is at present under consideration by the French Government, namely, that the fanatical section of the Doukhobors should be permitted to settle on one of the small unoccupied islands under the French flag, near the French dependency of Tahiti, in the Pacific Ocean.

DIED FROM POISON.

Jew Discharged for Stealing Purse Took Bi-chloride Tablets.

Bi-chloride Tablets.

Toronto, March 24.—Louis Fried, the young Russian Jew who swallowed bi-chloride tablets a week ago after he had been discharged from the Dominion Cloak Company for stealing a girl employee's purse, died in St. Michae's Hospital. When he was taken to the hospital it was thought he would recoved but the dose he had taken was so large that all of the poison could not be removed from his stomach, and he succumbed. Fried was married, and lived at 391 Queen street west. actried down 14 feet 6 inches. This part is intended for high diving competitions and a movable tower platform is to be provided for the purpose. The games, which are expected to attract the greatest athletes of the world, will be divided into two parts—the main Olympic games, commencing on July 13th, and the winter games, opening on Oct. 19th. It is, of a continual gathering of athletes in the status of the world with the winter games, opening on Oct. 19th. It is, of at 391 Queen street west.

WILL KEEP OLD MANAGEMENT.

Accident to C. P. R. Express Train Near

Chatham Averted. Chatham, March 23,-No. 5 C. P. R. Chatham, March 23.—No. 5 C. P. R. westbound express narrowly escaped an accident yesterday afternoon. Sam Fogler, sectionman, walking up the track, noticed a broken ran. he lurried for assistance, and fortunately as the train was 30 minutes late the rail was replaced by another, without interruption to trairic. The broken rail was not far from McGregors' Creek, with a 30-foot bank.

ABANDONED HUSBAND.

Girl From Webwood Was Stopped at BRANTFORD & HAMILTON ELECTRIC RAILWAY—TIME TABLE. Detroit.

Detroit, Mich., March 23.—Married to man whom she did not love because er mother and the priest told her she could thus save him to the church, and covering after two months of welded existence that the condition was unbearable, a young girl from Webwood, Out., presented herself at the local immigraion office for admission to the United

story frankly.

Her one idea was to come to a big Her one mea was to come to a big city, where she would be swallowed up beyond possibility of tracing. Lo-cal Inspector Frick finally coavined her that she should return to her hus-band, and she promised to do so, tak-ing the train for her home.

DUE TO NEW POSTAL RATES.

Great Increase of British Periodicals Sent to Canada.

London, March 23,-In the House of Postmaster-Gen ommons to-day Buxton stated that the number of Brit Buxton stated that the number of British publications sent to Canada every week was 170,000. Two-thirds of the number was due to the new postal rates established. The increase was greatest in the magazines of the highest class. The pecuniary loss in revenue to the Post-office was very small.

Child Burned to Death.

Chatham, March 23. — Cecilia, the four-year-old daughter of Mederic Carron, concession 4, Dover, died yesterday ron, concession 4, Dover, died yesterday after great suffering owing to an accident. On Friday the little gnl was playing by a bonfire in the yard, when her dress caught fire. Mrs. Carron ran to her assistance, and after strenuous efforts put the flames out, but the child died, and the mother herself was seriously burned, and her recovery is only hoped for.

Found Frozen in Yukon.

Vancouver, March 23.—A despatch from Fairbanks, Alaska, says: "John Patterson was found frozen to death at some point on the Tanana River. De-ceased went into the Yukon in 1898. He was formerly a resident of New West-minister, and was a well-known contracminister, and was tor in the old days.

Premier Scott's Return.

Ottawa, March. 23. —Hon. Walter Scott, Premier of Saskatchewan, was in Ottawa to-day, en route to Regina after nearly three months' abaence in Europe. He has returned with his health fully restored by a voyage through the Mediterranean to Egypt.

TRAVELERS' GUIDE

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM

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Niagara Falls, New York—2.30 a. m., 5.37
a. m., 79.00 a. m., 5.00 p. m., 1.32
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b. m., 5.00 p. m., 19.35 p. m., 17.00 a. m., 11.20 a. m., 12.20 a. m., 12.20 a. m., 12.20 a. m., 12.20 p. m., 12.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

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7.40 a. m. -For Toronto, Lindsay, Bobcayteon, Peterboro, Tweed, Kingston, Ottawa,
Montreal, Quebec, Sherbrooke, St. John, N.
6. Halifax, N. S., and all points in Maritime
Provinces and New England States, Tottenham, Beston, Alliston, Craighurst, Bala and
the Muskoka Lakes.

8.60 a. m. -For Toronto.

10.00 a. m. -For Toronto.

10.00 a. m. -For Toronto.

20.00 p. m. -

TORONTO, HAMILTON & BUFFALO RAILWAY.

HAMILTON RADIAL ELECTRIC RAIL-

HAMILTON RADIAL ELECTRIC RAILROAD—TIME TABLE.

Time Table taking effect, January 5th, 1908.
Cars leave Hamilton for Burlington and intermediate points: 6.10, 7.10, 8.00, 9.10, 10.10,
11.10 a. m.; 100, 2.20, 4.10, 5.30, 6.10 7.45,
9.15, 11.10 p. m.
Cars leave Hamilton for Burlington and
Oakville: 6.10, 8.00, 10.10 a. m.; 1.00, 2.80,
5.10 8.25, 11.10. These cars stop at Beach
Road, No. 12. Canal Bridge, Hotel Braut,
Burlington and all Stations between Burlington and Oakville:
Cars leave Burlington for Hamilton and
Intermediate points: 6.00, 7.10, 8.00, 19.10 a.
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p. m. Carb leave Oakville for Hamilton: 7,50, 9,38, 11,30 a. m.; 2,35 4,00, 6,45, 9,48 p. m. These care stop at all stations between Oakville and Burlington, Hotel Brant, Canal Bridge No. 12. SUNDAY SERVICE

Cars leave Hamilton for Burlington and Intermediate points: 8.10, 9.10, 11.10 a. m.4. 1.00, 2.30, 4.10, 6.10, 7.46, 9.15 p. m. Cars leave Hamilton for Burlington and Oakville: 8.10, 11.25 a. m.: 2.30, 5.10, 6.10, 8.25 p. m. These cars stop at Heach Road, Na. 12. Canal, Hote: Brant, Burlington and Oakville. Station: between Burlington for Hamilton and Intermediate points: 8.10, 10.10 a. m.; 12.49 1.46, 3.16, 5.10, 7.60, 8.30, 9.15 p. m. Cars leave Oakville for Hamilton: 9.50 a. m.: 1.15, 4.00, 6.45, 8.45. These cars stop at all Stations between Oakville and Burlington. Hotel Brant, Canal, No. 12.

RAIL WAY—TIME TABLE.

Commencing December 20th, 1907.

Leave Hamilton: 7.00, 8.30, 10.30 a. m.;
12.33 2.30, 4.30, 6.30, 8.30, p. m.

Leave anneaster 7.30, p. m.

1.0 m. Service of the serving performances at the different theatres.

This time table is subject to change at any time without notice.

SUNDAY SERVICE

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Leave Hamilton: 10.60 a. m.: 1*.30, 2.36, 4.30, 7.00, 8.30 p. m.
Leave Ancaster: 10.30 a. m.: 1.37 3.30, 6.34, 7.30, 9.00 p. m.

7.50, 9.00 p. m.

HAMILTON & DUNDAS RAILWAY.

WEEK DAY SERVICE

Leave Dundas-6.00, 7.15, 8.05, 9.15, 10.15,
11.15 a. m., 13.15, 1.15, 2.16, 3.15, 4.15, 5.15,
6.15, 7.15, 3.15, 8.30, 10.20, 11.15 p. m.

Leave Hamilton-6.15, 7.15, 8.15, 9.15, 10.15,
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7.15, 8.15, 9.31, 10.20, 3.95, 10.15, 4.15, 5.15, 6.15,

SUNDAY SERVICE Leave Dundas—3.30, 10.00, 11.45 a. m., 1.30, 3.80, 3.30, 4.30, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 8.30, 9.15, 10.15

HAMILTON, GRIMSBY & BEAMS-VILLE ELECTRIC RAILWAY.

VILLE ELECTRIC RAILWAY.

WEEK DAY SERVICE

Leave Hamilton-7.10, 8.10, 9.10, 10.10 a. m.,
12.10, 1.10, 2.10, 3.10, 4.10, 5.10, 6.10, 7.10, 8.10,
1.10, 10.10, 11.10 p. m.

Leave Beamsville-6.15, 7.15, 8.15, 9.15, 10.15,
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13.15, 7.15, 8.15, 9.40 p. m.

SUNDAY TIME TABLE

Leave Hamilton-9.10, 10.10, 11.10 a. m.,
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1.15

Big Brewery Combine.

Montree! March 23.—It is said that Mr. Rodolphe Forget, M. P., is enigineering the finances of a merger of all the big brewing companies in eastern Canada. The capital of the new company will be \$10,000,000, and so far only Dow & Co. have refused to enter into the merger.

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Strathroy's New Armories.

Strathroy, March 23.—Messrs, Mills & Taylor, contractors for the new Armories building, are in town to-day staking out the ground. Excavating will start to-morrow. Mr. Mills stated that the building would be rushed, and prebably be completed early in the fall. although the contract allowed them until Decembe:

NO CHANGE.

March 24.—No important the condition of Gov. Curtis, has been reported so far this

The despatch from Washington brings no joy to the followers of the bangtails. It was on the first day of the opening of racing as distinct from the winter tracks and the fact that betting has been proscribed at Bennings, would indicate that a gloomy outlook is ahead in New York State.

COMMENT

Twenty-eight horses started in the National Hunt Steeplechase at Warwick. The winner was the five-year-old Rory O'More, by Royal Meath, a son of Ascetic. The race is for maidens, and the course is a little over four miles.

Western Ont. Cricket League.

Galt, March 23.—The annual meeting of the Western Ontario Cricket League ton, of Guelph (chairman), W. Irwin, of Guelph (chairman), W. Irwin, of Grough (chairman), W. Irwin, of Galt, b. W. Brown, of Berlin, W. Grough (chairman), W. Irwin, of Galt, b. W. Brown, of Berlin, W. Irwin, of Grough (chairman), W. Irwin, of Galt, b. W. Erond (chairman), W. Irwin, of Grough (chairman), W. Irwin, of Galt, b. W. Brown, of Berlin, W. Irwin, of Galt, b. W. Erond (chairman), W. Irwin, of Galt, b. W. Erond (chairman), W. Irwin, of Galt, b. W. Erond (chairman), W. Irwin, of Galt, b. W. Cond. A discussion ensued as to the desired a decorated that Paris, Woodstock, thein the second division. A committee composed of Messres, E. C. Codling, of Galt, and F. Van Lane, of Brantford, and Galt third, Berlin-Waterloo fourth and the S. O. E. of Galt, fifth. As a first season it was all that could be desired. After some remarks by President J. P. Jaffray the meeting settled down to appoint the form the Wanders of the by-law they will not take office. William and the S. O. E. of Galt, and F. Van Lane, of Brantford, and Galt which and the S. O. E. of Galt, and F. Van Lane, of Brantford, and Galt which are the management of three committee composed of Messre from Guelph O. A. C., Brantford, Galt, Berlin and Waterloo. The report of Secretary Frank Light showed a most satisfactory state of affairs. Every scheduled winning the handsome silver cup, Brantford S. O. E. being a close second, with Galt third, Berlin-Waterloo fourth and the S. O. E. of Galt fifth. As a first season it was all that could be desired. After some remarks-by President J. P. Jaffray the meeting settled down to work for this year, the election of officers resulting as follows: Honorary Presidents, Hon. James Young, of Galt. J. W. Connor, B. A., of Berlin, Rev. Robt. Ashton, of Brantford, Dr. H. Howitt, of Guelph O. A. C., and Rev. Dean Ridley, of Galt: President, J. P. Jaffray, Galt: Vice-President, Lieut. Col. White, Guelph; Secretary-Treasurer, Frank G. Light,

An endeavor will also be made a couple of matches with the Toronto Cricket League, The meeting closed with the drawing up of a provisiona opening on May 25

and closing August 28.

decided not to travel so far afield, and

ped off the Easteru League baseball map, but, unless proper financial assitance is given to the organization, it is bound to be but a drag to the league, and it would be better without such a club.

The Montreal public have not come forward to the assistance of the latter, as had been expected.

INTERMEDIATES MEET.

The first meeting of the Intermediate Baseball League was held last night at the Sinceo Hotel. Nothing definite was done other than the re-electing to the Presidency of Mr. Jacobi. The St. Normosike Blue.

KELVIN

Rev. C. R. Morrow, of Delhi, was call-ing on friends here a few days ago. Mr. and Mrs. W. Davidson entertained a few of their friends the other evening. Miss A. McCurdy has returned to her

home in Brookton.

Miss Bell Almas has returned home from Brantford.

Miss Bell Altras has returned home from Brantford.

Mr. A. Kelly and family have moved to their new home.

On Tuesday evening the members of the Ladies' Aid Society gave an oyster supper to their husbands, and young gentlemen friends, and also the trustees of the Methodist Church and their wives. The chair was taken by Mrs. Cookman, who read a report of the ladies' work for the last year and tenmonths. The money realized in that time amounted to \$300.25. She then called on a number of gentlemen, who gave short speeches, Miss McCurdy, of Prookton, rendered some fine selections of instrumental music and songs. A vote of thanks was moved by Mrs. W. Alvas, seconded by Mrs. L. Kelley, and tendered to Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith for their kind boaystality in opening their this beautiful homes for the opening their their beautiful homes for the opening their this beautiful homes for the opening their their beautiful homes. their kind bospitality in opening their their beautiful home for the occasion, and "God be With You Till We Meet Again" was sung, and all went home smiling, and bidding farewell, for the present.

INVITES U. S. FLEET.

Washington, March 24, — China, through Minister Wu, its diplomatic representative in Washington, has extended a cordial invitation for the United States battleship fleet to stop in China on its way around the world.

WAS BRITISH SUBJECT.

Washington, March 24.—An appropriation of \$25,000 was recommended yesterday by the House Committee on claims in settlement of the damages caused by a mob in 1901 to the property in Delta, Col., of William Radcliffe, a Prittak subject British subject.

The body of a male infant was found lying on the east bank of the Don, Toronto, near the Isolation Hospi

GREAT CROWD AT CITY HALL

Hundreds of Foreigners Looking For Work.

Board of Control Bill Coming Up At Toronto.

Many Applications For Water Mains Received.

Another army of unemployed swarmed around the City Hall to-day and when the registry office in the base-ment was opened several hundred of them swooped down on it and waited for hours to get their names on the books in the hope that they would be supplied with work when the weather breaks up. From 10.30 until I o'clock a steady stream of men pour-ed through the doors. They marched in the front and left by the rear entrance after their names and addresses were chalked down. In the base-ment they were lined up a hundred deep and three and four abreast awaiting their turn. Some of them had to stand for almost two hours they reached the wicket where Relief Officer McMenemy was taking the names. Most of them were Eng-lish immigrants. There were a lot of Italians and a number of local peo-ple. Some of them were old men, but the majority were strong and able-loodied

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While the men in the City Hall were
waiting to register, Lockhart Gordon and
other Socialists were haranguing a
crowd outside. A liberal quantity of
socialistic literature had been distributed.
About two hundred men listened to
what the speakers had to say. Most of
them were there out of curiosity, and
joked while the socialistic doctrine was
being expounded. A man in the crowd
offered to buy one of the speakers, who
was declaring he had not had any work
for months, a suit of clothes if he could
not prove that he had work from the
city within a month. While one of the
Socialists was speaking, another leader
of the unemployed came along, fired
some overtions at the speakers, and took

city within a month. While one of the Socialists was speaking, another leader of the unemployed came along, fired some questions at the speaker, and took over half the crowd away with him.

A tall Englishman got another section of the crowd to follow him. "It's work we want, and not Socialism," he said. His Worship promised that by April I some work would be provided. He said the new road to be built on Garth street would be began by that time, but it was impossible to do anything until the frost left the ground.

"We have reached the limit and we must have work or bread to keep alive

must have work or bread to keep alive our starving families," said the chief

our starving families," said the chief spokesman. Another pale-faced young fellow told a pathetic story of his condition. He is the sole support of an aged father and mother. The father is a cripple and unshie to work. They have been living here several years, and he has expended all the money he was able to save during the summer paying doctors' bills. This fellow work ked down the stairs with his conveys and fell in a fit when he reached 'ye ground floor. He lay there several minutes before his companious were able to bring him around.

Reliet 'afficer McMenemy declared today that no man, no matter who he was, who applied to the city for an order to crack stones had been refused, nor had any married man with a family been refused assistance.

—The Centenary Literary Society hold its regular meeting last evening, with a full attendance, Mr. John Robinson was the leader and preceded the reading of "Julius Caesar" with a paper-of excep-tional literary merit. The characters of Brutus and Caesar were taken up for general discussion. Miss Munn rendered a vocal solo very sweetly, and Wilfrid Oaten gave much pleasure in a piano solo. The Legislation Committee appointed o look after the city's interests in con-ection with the Board of Control and ther matters to come before the House er matters to come octore use rivore it adjourns will go to Toronto morrow. The Board of Control, gramorrow of the control of to-morrow. The Board of Control, gra-vel pits and other questions in which the city is much interested will be dealt with by the Municipal Committee. City Solicitor Waddeil sooks for considerable opposition from the grapel pit owners to the law he is asking to have passed, em-powering the city to regulate the limits.

The Fire and Water Committee's pro-ramme for to-morrow night is as fol

lows:

Betimates for construction: application for water mains on Fairleigh avenue. Paradése Road, Clyde street. Beachwood avenue. Burris street and Argue
etneet; Jas. McFarlane re clock for
pump house: tenders for new fire station: Chief TenEyek re fire alarm box in
eauthwest. end. annointments and by-

Stratford has decided to take 1.500 horsepower: Preston 600 and St. Mary's 1.5000 horsepower from the Hydro-Electric Commission. The delay of these three places in applying has been used as an excuse by the commission for not proceeding with the making of the contracts. There should be something doing now.

James Someway.

THE WEATHER.

FORECASTS. Strong northerly winds, becoming much colder, with snow flurries. Wednesday, cold, with light local snow

Our New Story

"Fated to Love Her"

In To-morrow's Times

TEA TABLE GOSSIP.

The waterworks by law will come up discussion at the Fire and Water nmittee's next meeting, to-morrow

night.—Rev. S. F. Street-Macklein will lec-ture to-night in the Cathedral school house, subject, "The Church's Mission in Christian Lands."

—Mr. Joseph Craine, who lived in Hamilton when a boy, but who went to Smith's Falls in 1844, died there yester-day at the are of 79

Smillor's Fall's in 1844, died there yesterday, at the age of 79.

—Miss Houston has returned to Niagara Falis. The Dean of Niagara and Mrs. Houston will attend the great Anglican conference in London, England.

"Fated to Love Her." See the Times' new story. The opening chapter in to-morrow evening's papers. Said to be a fine story. One that all should

-Mr. Robert Allan, who has spent the

The special evangelistic servises are

scandal talk since the wo-

I. M. Gibson, James Chisholm and W. W.

nual banquet.

winter among the lumber camps of Northern Ontario, will give an address in MacNab street school room on Wed-

nesday evening.

New story to-morrow

The low area which was north of Lake superior yesterday has moved to the Gulf of St. Lawrence, and a high area, accompanied by a pronounced cold wave, is spreading quickly eastward from Mani-toba. The general weather conditions are very unsettled throughout the con-tinent, and very low temperature is again prevalent from Lake Superior westward the mountains. Washington, March 24.—Forecasts:

Eastern States and Northern New ork: Rain and colder in the interior o-night. Wednesday, partly cloudy: resh northwest winds Western New York: Snow or rain and colder to-night and Wednesday.

DUKE DEAD.

Devonshire Died of Heart Failure

Cannes, March 24 .- Spencer Compton Cavendish, eighth Duke of Devonshire, died here this morning of heart failure. He was born July 23, 1833, and was a son of the seventh Duke and Blanche daughter of the Earl of Carlisle.

daughter of the Earl of Carlisle.

The news of the death of the Duke of Devonshire at Cannes came unexpectedly to England, and has caused widespread regret. Although the Duke has been ailing since he suffered a sudden attack of heart weakness while visiting King Edward at Windsor Castle last June 1, and in spite of some alarming reports that reached London during his sojourn in Egypt this winter, the recent accounts of his health have been so reassuring that the news of his death has come almost as a surprise. Vesterday, however, the family of the Duke were aivised of a relapse, and Victor C. W. Cavendish, his nephew, and Lord Chas. Montagu went to Cannes and were present when the end came.

The death of the Duke leaves a gap in the public life of Great Britain, for although his withdrawal from the Balfour Ministry when Joseph Chamberlain launched his fiscal policy estranged him from a majority of the party, he still had a large following in the country, and as President of the Unionist Free Trade League he took an active part in the campaign against tariff reform. He nesday evening.

—It is proposed to hold a meeting at 2.30 Saturday afternoon at East Hamilton Y. M. C. A., for the purpose of forming a baseball club. All interested are invited to be present. The engagement is anounced of Mr. Beverley MacInnes, e'dest son of the late Senator MacInnes, and Miss Muriel Macdougall, daughter of the late Mr. Alan Macdougall, C. E. —John Harris, the Pole suffering with two cuts he is alleged to have received at the hands of William Randall, who is at present in jail, is reported to be progressing favorably.

being continued this week in the First Methodist Church. The pastor, Rev. R. J. Treleaven addressed a large gathering last evening, at which many decided for Trade League he took an active part in Hamilton Mystic Shriners to the campaign against tariff reform. led the Liberals during the temporary retirement of Gladstone in 1875, and was offered, but refused, the Premiership af g of that body. They will leave on the
45 p. m. G. T. R. train.

The Cataract Power Company has
the defeat of Home Rule, but he again issed Sangster, the Power

perintendent, whose wife com-The deceased Duke succeeded to the titles in 1891, having previously become well-known by his courtesy title of the Marquis of Hartington. He was first returned to the House of Commons in 1857; he was appointed a Lord of the Admiralty in 1863, and Secretary of State for War in 1866. He was Postmaster-General under Gladstone, 1868-71, and Chief Secretary for Ireland 1871-4. He was Secretary for India 1880-82, and became Secretary of State for War man's death.

The incorporators of the Nickel Copper Assets Conversion Company, the organization and objects of which were announced in the Times yesterday, are John Patterson, James Dixon, James R. Moodie, J. J. Greene, J. W. Sutherland, Osborne.

—There will be a meeting of St. Paul's Young Men's Guild to-night at 8.15 p. m. in the school room, when Rev. D. R. Drummond will lecture on the "Works of Mahomet." A full attendance of members and friends is requested, as this is the last meeting before the annual bander. became Secretary of State for War 1882-5. Since 1886 he had been an active and influential leader of the Liberal Unionists, and on the formation of a Unionist ministry in 1895 accepted the post of Lord President of the Council. He was also Chancellor of the University of Cambridge in 1892. The estate covers 186,000 acres, with minerals in Lancashire and Derbyshire. Victor C. W. Cavendish, M. P., will succeed to the title

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To-morrow is Dollar Day at the Right House-Remarkable Offerings.

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—John E. Riddell, the busy roofer, has been awarded the contract for the copper cornice work, the roofing work and metal skylights and ceilings in connection with the Bank of Hamilton building in Brantford; also the roofing and galvanized iron and netal ceiling work for the new Sunday school of Knox Church Dunday.

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—Only a few days more of the sale of colored shirts; dollar shirts fifty-nine cents, at waugh's post office opposite...

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the 9th of January, A. D. 1998, are required
to send by post prepaid or to deliver to the
undersigned solicitors for The National
Trust Company, Limited, the administrator
of said Estate, on or before the first day of
May, 1998, their names, addresses and descriptions and a full statement of the particulars of their claims and the nature of
that after the said date the administrator
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Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths which are inserted in the Daily Times also appear in the Semi-week ly Times. 50c first insertion; 25c for each subsequent insertion.

GRANT.—in Detroit, Mich., on Sunday, March 22nd, 1908, Margaret, wife of Alex. Grant, aged 41 years, 7 days.
Funeral from her sister's residence, Mrs. John Hughes, 408 Catharine street north, on Wednesday morning at 8.30, to St. Lawrence Church, thence to Holy Sepulchre Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

Funeral Friday at 2 p. m. Interment at Hamilton Cometery. Kindly omit flowers. EDWARDS—At his late residence, 4 Hilton Street, on Monday, 23rd March, 1908, David Edwards, late of Tyneside, Ont., in his Sird year. Service at the above address Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Funeral at 8.30 a. m., Wednesday, to the G. T. R. King Street Station, Interment at Tyneside, Ont.

McCALLUM-In this city on Monday, March 23rd, 1908, Alexander McCallum, aged 70

Fundamental from his late residence, 47 Mur-ray Street West, on Thursday at 2.30 p. m. Interment at Hamilton Cemetery. Private. NICHOLSON—At the residence of her son-in-law, George Askew, 459 Bay Street North, on Monday, 23rd March, 1998, Elizabeth, relict of Richard Nicholson, in her 88th Funeral Thursday at 2 p. m. Interment at Hamilton Cemetery.

POOLE—At West Flamboro on Monday, March 22, 1908, Margaret Bennett, wife of Wm. B. Poole, in her 66th year, Funeral Wednesday at 2.30 p. m. to Rock Vinw Cemetery,

Street, on March 23rd, 1968, James Thomas, aged 53 years.
Funeral Thursday at 2 p. m. to St. Matthew's Church, Interment at Hamilton Context, Friends and acquaintances will please accept this intimation.

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