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HIS RACE RUN.

LONDON, Feb. 14.—George Wallace, once champion sprinter of the world, died today at Newcastle.

THE CRATHIE'S OWNERS SUE.
BREMEN, Feb. 14.—The North German Lloyd Steamship Company has brought an action at Rotterdam against the owners of the British steamer Crathie for the loss of the Elbe.

RETURNING TIDE OF GOLD.
LONDON, Feb. 14.—The White Star Line steamer Majestic, which sailed from Liverpool yesterday, took £288,000 in gold for the United States. On Saturday \$742,000 gold will be shipped from here.

CHOLERA IN CONSTANTINOPLE.
CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 14.—The health authorities report that between Feb. 5 and Feb. 12 61 cases of cholera occurred in this city, and during the same period there were 29 deaths from the disease, which is still spreading.

THE PROPOSED PACIFIC CABLE.
LONDON, Feb. 14.—In the House of Commons today Mr. Sidney Buxton, the Under Secretary for the Colonies, replying to Sir George Baden-Powell, said that the negotiations for the Pacific cable were still in progress, but it would not be in the public interest to at present make a detailed statement.

WILL ASK THE GOVERNMENT.
LONDON, Feb. 14.—Sir Thomas Roe, member of Parliament for Derby, has given notice in the House of Commons that to-morrow he will ask the Government what information has been received in reference to the imposition of a death sentence upon W. H. Rickard, a British subject, for the alleged participation in a revolt in Hawaii.

OSCAR WILDE'S NEW PLAY.
LONDON, Feb. 14.—George Alexander produced at St. James' Theatre this evening "The Importance of Being Earnest," a new play by Oscar Wilde. He was strongly supported, especially by Rose Leclerc. "The Importance of Being Earnest" is an excellent refined farce. It is received with almost incessant laughter. Few farces of recent years have been as successful.

GOT HIS FEATHERS BACK.
TIEN TSIN, Feb. 14.—The Emperor has conferred on Li Hung Chang the yellow jacket and the peacock feather and all the honors of which he had been deprived. His Majesty has summoned him to proceed immediately to Peking, where he will be given an audience by the Emperor. Thence he will proceed with all haste to Japan to arrange terms of peace.

GHAZALLY TROPHIES.
TANGIER, Morocco, Feb. 14.—A detachment of Moorish cavalry has arrived at the town of Casa Blanca, a seaport of Morocco, on its way to Fez, with two carloads of human heads which had been obtained during the recent punitive expedition against the Rahamans rebels. They have been salted in order to preserve them, and they will be presented to the Sultan in that condition. They will afterwards be exhibited on the walls of Fez.

ROYALTY ON ICE.
LONDON, Feb. 14.—A match game of hockey was played on the lake at Buckingham palace today between the Sandringham team and the House of Commons team. The Sandringham team was captained by the Prince of Wales, and the House of Commons team was managed by Mr. Francis Milmay, assisted by A. J. Balfour, both of whom were in excellent form. The Prince of Wales acted as "back," and the Duke of York was "forward" in the Sandringham team. Both showed good skating powers and had several heavy falls, but neither was any the worse for his shaking up. Among the House of Commons team falls were numerous, but none of the players were injured. The match was won by the Sandringham team by a score of 8 goals to 5. The Princess of Wales and daughters and the Duchess of York witnessed the game and enjoyed the spectacle greatly.

ON TO PEKIN!
LONDON, Feb. 14.—A dispatch from Shanghai to the Central News says the Japanese troops are reported to have arrived at a point 50 miles south of Che Foo.

LONDON, Feb. 14.—The Standard's correspondent says: When Peking shall be seriously threatened the Chinese Emperor will return to Peking, in Mongolia. When Peking shall be captured Prince Kung will be authorized to conclude peace. Japan has altered her terms, and declines to inform the powers yet of her views, but suggests that the foreign diplomats ascertain what indemnity China is willing to pay and what territory she will cede.

The Central News correspondent in Shanghai says that after the surrender of the last forts and the Chinese fleet at Wei Hai Wei Admiral Ting and the Chinese general committed suicide. The Central News correspondent in Shanghai says that after the surrender envoys have arrived there from Nagasaki. The Peking correspondent of the Times telegraphs under today's date that the Foreign Ministers had audiences with the Emperor today.

HOUSE OF COMMONS.
Sir E. J. Harland, member for North Belfast, asked if the Government would cause urgent representations to be made at Washington against any of the provisions of the Morgan-Nicaragua bill which were detrimental to British shipping interests. He also requested the Government to make representations favorable to the creation of a joint Nicaragua Canal commission.

tary, said that it was not usual to make representations in reference to bills which were pending in foreign legislatures. The Government, he said, had the whole matter under consideration and there was no reason to suppose that the United States Government would not fulfill its treaty obligations. Gibson Bowles (Conservative), member for Lynn Regis, made a motion in the House this evening hostile to the new rules of the sea adopted at the Washington conference. Prof. Bryce, president of the Board of Trade, said that as most other countries had agreed to these rules it was not desirable to reopen the subject. Nevertheless, he was willing that a special committee be appointed to inquire into the objections of the conference. Mr. Bowles eventually withdrew his motion. Mr. Clancy's motion introduced yesterday to reconsider the sentence imposed upon Irish political prisoners was rejected by the House of Commons by a vote of 299 to 111.

NOT REMARKABLY ROSEATE.

The Complexion of Canada's Business Situation

Commented Upon in Dun & Co's Weekly Statement.

TORONTO, Feb. 14.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly statement of business in Canada says: The week has been a quiet one in Montreal wholesale circles, owing to the abnormal atmospheric conditions that have prevailed. Trade at interior points is badly demoralized by the impassable roads. Railway freight traffic has been seriously interfered with. Remittances have been affected from the same cause, and are generally described as poor. Wholesale trade at Toronto is without special feature. The more moderate weather tends to improve the general feeling and the distribution of merchandise will be facilitated. Merchants speak with more confidence regarding the outlook for spring trade, but there are no indications of enhanced prices for leading staples. Complaint of heavy stocks, with a limited demand from the trade. The movement of country produce has been restricted by the heavy fall in many sections of the Province, and in consequence higher prices are quoted for barley, oats and peas. There is practically no wheat coming out, which gives rise to the feeling that there is no more of this cereal in the country than will supply domestic requirements. This accounts for the relatively higher prices in Ontario than in the United States, and the mills throughout the country being run only on part time accounts for the scarcity and higher prices of bran and shorts.

Business on the stock exchange has been quiet this week, with some irregularity in prices. The earnings of railways continue poor, those of the C. P. R. showing a decrease of \$38,000 for the first week in February, as compared with the corresponding week of last year, and those of the G. T. R. a decrease of \$45,000 for the same week. The failures for the week are 51, as against 60 for the corresponding week last year.

NARROWLY ESCAPED.

A Commercial Traveler's Family Turned Out by Fire—Carriage Factory Burned—Other Casualties.

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 14.—The house at Lakewood, near Halifax, owned by Alexander Robertson, and occupied by Charles Stirling, commercial traveler, was burned this morning. Mr. Stirling was in the city and did not hear of the fire till this afternoon. Mrs. Stirling and her three children and Mrs. Robertson escaped in their night clothes. Loss on building, \$1,500.

MILLBROOK, Feb. 14.—The work shops of the Clarris carriage factory were burned today. Most of the carriages in the building were saved. All the tools and a great quantity of material was destroyed. Mr. Clarris' loss will be heavy, partly covered by insurance. The buildings were worth about \$1,800.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Feb. 14.—Fire last night destroyed buildings and merchandise to the extent of about \$100,000. The principal losers are A. C. Smith & Co., Lipman, Wolstein & Co., and Samuel Levy.

PATTERSON, N. J., Feb. 14.—Doherty & Woodward's silk mill was destroyed by fire tonight. The loss is estimated at \$300,000. There was an insurance of \$240,000 on the building, machinery and material. There were 400 people employed in the factory.

TWENTY MINERS INJURED.

ODIN, Ill., Feb. 14.—An explosion occurred in the coal mine here at noon today in which twenty men were injured. Several of them may not recover.

TRUANTS FROZEN TO DEATH.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Feb. 14.—Two boys, aged 10 and 12, sons of John Caulfield, of Johnstown, ran away from the school to go skating on the Tugue river as the weather warmed. They wandered along the Pennsylvania Railroad track, and were found frozen to death yesterday.

THE CREW DROWNED.

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 14.—The brigantine Nelson Rice, 352, built in 1891 at Weymouth, and owned in that vicinity, went ashore, as already reported, on Feb. 8, at Isle of Man, and became a total wreck. The crew were drowned. There was \$5,000 insurance.

SURPRISE FOR HOUSTON, TEX.

HOUSTON, Tex., Feb. 14.—For the first time in many years snow began falling at 8:30 last night. At 11 o'clock this morning it was still falling with no signs of abatement. It is over two feet deep. All the trolley cars have stopped running.

PUTS AND CALLS DISALLOWED.

CHICAGO, Feb. 14.—A notice was posted on Chicago here that the directors of the Board of Trade had passed a resolution making purchases or sales by any members during trading hours originating in puts or calls a dishonorable act, and punishable accordingly.

BRUSSEAU'S DEFENSE.

His Counsel Will Urge the Hypnotic Theory.
Wm. Brasseur, the self-confessed murderer of Dr. Horace E. Pope, was hypnotized by Mlle. Charcot yesterday at the Detroit jail. She had no trouble in getting almost complete control over him, and he obeyed her commands implicitly. Dr. S. Donohue, Brasseur's attorney, will make his defense on the theory that his client was hypnotized at the time the murder was committed, and hence was not accountable for his actions.

Foster Afraid

To Face the Music in His Own Constituency.

Hon. Mr. Pugsley Will Do the Fighting in His Place.

South Perth Patrons Nominate McDonald, of Downie—The Matter of Dissolution to be Settled Saturday.

FOSTER GOES BACK ON HIS CONSTITUENCY.

HAMPTON, N. B., Feb. 14.—The Conservative convention met at 11 o'clock today. After preliminaries George W. Fowler moved a resolution asking Hon. George E. Foster to reconsider his determination to retire from Kings. This was carried. Mr. Foster, in reply, thanked them one and all, and said it was with regret that he had to inform them that in accordance with advice he had received from the best doctors in London he would be unable to contest this county in the coming election, as it would require more physical vim than he could put in. Mr. Foster said that he would have to look for a constituency that would be able to elect him without the fight that he would have in Kings. He spoke at considerable length about the position of the Conservative party. Delegates were then chosen to nominate a successor to Mr. Foster, when Hon. Mr. Pugsley received 11 votes and Rev. Dr. McLeod (Prohib.) 11. Dr. McLeod moved that the nomination of Mr. McLeod be made unanimous. This was ruled out of order, and Mr. Pugsley's nomination was declared unanimous. Mr. Pugsley accepted.

NEW BRUNSWICK PROHIBITIONISTS.

HAMPTON, N. B., Feb. 14.—The prohibition convention was assembled here at a o'clock this morning failed to agree, some favoring a third candidate, while many objected to it. Hon. Mr. Foster was present by invitation. Rev. J. W. Smith opposed Dr. McLeod, as he believed it would result in a victory for the Liberal candidate. Mr. Grant said there was nothing to be hoped for from either political party. He would endeavor to defeat the candidate the Government now intended to put in the field. It was now after 11 o'clock, and there were howls from all parts of the hall. The meeting adjourned to the Conservative convention, which was called for 11. Mr. Foster asked that the meeting decide whether it was best to put a third man in the field, or to support the candidate of the Conservative convention. The meeting got so disorderly that it was impossible to do anything. After the disturbing element had left the hall, Mr. Grant collected his followers, and passed a resolution offering the nomination to Dr. McLeod. The meeting then adjourned.

SOUTH PERTH PATRONS.

SEBINGVILLE, Feb. 14.—The Patrons of South Perth met here today, and after a hot discussion nominated Mr. Donald, of Downie, as their candidate for the Conservatives.

THE MATTER OF DISSOLUTION.

(United Press Dispatch.)
OTTAWA, Feb. 14.—A meeting of the Cabinet will be held on Saturday, and the question of dissolution will be finally settled one way or the other. The Ministers have been notified.

NOTES.

St. John, N. B., Liberals will meet in convention on Feb. 25.

The Reform Association of Kent elected officers, Mr. J. B. Rankin being chosen president.

A convention of the Liberals of East Peterborough will be held at Norwood on Tuesday, Feb. 26, to nominate a candidate for the Commons.

Hon. Thos. McGreevy, ex-member for Quebec West, will again be a candidate for the Commons.

The name of Hon. Joly de Lotbiniere is mentioned as Mr. McGreevy's opponent.

At the annual meeting of the West Elgin County Association, Patrons of Industry, held last week at Dutton, it was resolved to ask the Provincial Association to make prohibition a plank in the Patrons' platform.

Two big Liberal meetings were held at Hamilton on Wednesday, at which Mr. McMullen, M.P., Dr. Macdonald, Mr. Paterson, M.P., and Mr. Guthrie were the speakers. A Young Men's Liberal Club was organized, and the visitors were entertained at a dinner.

At Wednesday's meeting of the Kent Reform Association Mr. T. L. Pardo, M. P. for West Kent, returned his thanks to the Reformers for the sweeping victory they gained for him at the last Provincial elections, remarking that while he was brought out by the Patrons of Industry, he was not a member of the party, and that he would not be able to support him.

Late Canadian News.

A Montreal Farmer's Bad Speculation in the Smuggling Line.

W. J. Patterson has been elected as president of the Ottawa Trades and Labor Council.

There is no foundation whatever for the story that Gov. O'Brien, of Newfoundland, has resigned.

A laborer named John Biddow had a leg broken on Wednesday at the Globe mine, Toronto, by a derrick falling on it.

A. A. Allen, the well-known Toronto wholesale furrier, was thrown from his sleigh on Wednesday and had his shoulder dislocated.

Mrs. Ann Huxley, aged 66, was picked up Wednesday evening on Yonge street, Toronto, in a faint. She was taken to the general hospital, where she died in a few minutes.

At Chubbly Center a shocking accident occurred on Thursday afternoon. A young child of Mr. Charles Grant fell

on a hot stove and was frightfully burned. Slight hopes are entertained for its recovery.

Mrs. Roberts, wife of a clergyman, recently arrived from Liverpool, died suddenly on Tuesday at Winnipeg while her husband was absent at the post-office. The cause of death is yet unknown, but it is supposed to have been apoplexy.

Six of the bodies from the wrecked schooner Clark Friend were buried at Brooklyn, N. S., on Wednesday, and were followed to the grave by a large number of citizens and fishermen from vessels in port. Three more bodies were recovered late on Wednesday afternoon.

The Montreal revenue officers arrested a farmer on Thursday morning from St. Jacques Lechigan, named Leblanc, with 400 pounds of tobacco. He was fined \$50, or two months, and costs, and the tobacco, worth 45 cents per pound, with the pony and sleigh, were confiscated.

George Waite, aged 60, the well-known produce and commission merchant, of Montreal, died there on Thursday morning, after an operation performed on him for cancer. He had long been connected with the Board of Trade, Corn Exchange, and St. George's Lodge, A. F. and A. M.

IN LABOR CIRCLES.

More Than Twenty-Five Thousand Sicilian Miners Idle.

A Coal-Hopper Fire Knocks Out 900 Men—A New Editor for the K. of L. Journal.

PALERMO, Feb. 14.—The discontent and distress in Sicily have been increased by the closing of many sulphur mines. More than 25,000 miners have been thrown out of work.

JOHN, Ohio, Feb. 14.—The Marries Coal Company mine hoppers are burning, and the loss will reach \$50,000. These hoppers were probably the largest in the world, and their destruction throws 900 men out of employment.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 14.—The general executive board of the Knights of Labor in secret session have decided to retain eminent counsel and combat the issue of President Cleveland and Secretary Carlisle as unauthorized and illegal. The board discussed the adoption of a new degree to be known as the primary degree, and will promulgate the work during the present session. New organizers are constantly being appointed, nearly 400 having been chosen during the present session.

J. G. Schonfaber has resigned the editorial chair of the Knights of Labor Journal, and Master Workman Sovereign will assume the chair of the paper, and will remain in this city for a number of days.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 14.—The conference committee of the seceding miners from the General Assembly of the K. of L., after an all-night session, today issued an address to the members setting forth their reasons for secession, referring to the New Orleans convention, and commenting in general terms upon the management of the affairs of the organization during the past year. The constitution of the new general assembly formed by the seceders has been revised in such a manner as to take all the powers possible from the general officers. Complete self-rule in trade matters is given to national trade assemblies. The organization was completed by the election of the following officers, and will be known as the Independent Order of the Knights of Labor: General master workman, Wm. B. Wilson, Blossburg, Pa.; worthy foreman, James L. Michael, Pittsburgh, Pa.; secretary-treasurer, Charles R. Martin, Tiffin, Ohio; general executive board, W. E. Laffy, Albany, N. Y., and A. W. Simpson, Chicago.

It is believed that the formation of the new organization will disrupt the old, as it is said there are now only 15,000 members to support the Sovereign-Hayes faction, while the newly organized order will have a membership of 45,000.

SEE OUR

\$5,000 SOLACE

Claimed for a Young Man's Lacerated Heart.

A Breach of Promise of Marriage Case in Elgin County in Which a Young Farmer is the Plaintiff.

(St. Thomas Journal, Feb. 14.)

Breach of promise cases in which the one who asks for a golden balm to soothe the pangs of a lacerated heart is a member of the sterner sex are so rare that when one does occur the sufferer from the pangs of unrequited love at once becomes an object of general interest, and the public want to know all about him and all the details of his case, as well as of all the interesting details. Such a case is likely to come up for trial at the approaching spring assizes, but the Journal, out of regard for the feelings of the parties concerned, will refrain from mentioning names or giving anything more than a brief outline of the alleged facts until the case comes up for trial.

The party with the lacerated heart, and the plaintiff in the action is a young Bayham farmer. The defendant is a charming young married lady living in the city, who is the fortunate, or unfortunate, possessor, as you will, in her own right of cash and property amounting to about \$8,000. The plaintiff paid attentions to the young lady, and alleges that he proposed and was accepted, and that the date was fixed for their marriage. Moreover, he says he was preparing the cage to put his little birdie in, but he never got the little birdie. His hated rival—there is always a rival in these love affairs, and he generally plays the winning card—got in ahead of him and married the young lady, leaving him to repine, while, as the story books put it, his rival and the lady he lost live happily together ever afterwards. The alleged jilted lover could not overcome his sorrows unaided, and consulted his solicitors, Messrs. Stevens & McIntosh, of Aylmer, and the result was that an action was entered against the young lady, claiming \$5,000 damages for breach of promise of marriage. The action was entered on Dec. 3, 1894, and should come up in the ordinary run of things for trial at the coming assizes.

The defendant, who, by the way, was married only a short time before the writ was issued, denies that she ever promised to marry the plaintiff, or was ever engaged to him.

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HEAR W. CAVEN BARRON, PIANIST Miss Ter-Williger, pianist, at 16:10. Music, Friday evening, March 1. Matinee.

CENTRAL AVENUE RINK—THE COMIC and fancy dress carnival of the season on Tuesday evening; six prizes; everybody 15c.

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HAYDON'S IMPERIAL, LATE OF HER Majesty's Opera, will sing at "London Choral Society's concert, Thursday, Feb. 21, 1917.

SIGNOR BALDANZA, LATE OF HER Majesty's Opera, will sing at "London Choral Society's concert, Thursday, Feb. 21, 1917.

FRANK FIRTH WILL SING AT LONDON Choral Society's concert.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—MONDAY, FEB. 19, London's big musical event, Thomas G. Scarborough and his opera company and orchestra, in his newest success "Grand Viceroy"; 70 people; elaborate costumes and the 20th century hit "Swim out O'Grady." Prices: First two rows, \$1.50; balance lower floor, 50c; balcony, 25c. 50c, 75c. Matinee prices, adults, 35c and 50c; children, 25c. Plan opens Thursday, 19th.

GRAND MASONIC CONCERT—REASON'S event. Keep disengaged, Friday evening, 1st March.

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QUEEN'S AVENUE RINK—HOCKEY event of the season—London vs. Spalding champions of America, 1916-17, and hockey combination of Chicago, Monday evening, Feb. 11.

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THE CHOR OF DUNDAS STREET Methodist Church will meet for rehearsal on Saturday evening at 7:45 o'clock in the Congregational Church, Dundas street. After this week arrangements will be made for a Friday evening meeting.

ALL MEMBERS OF MUSICAL SOCIETY are requested to meet at Opera House, Saturday 10th inst., 7 p.m.; business. C. R. TUNSTON, sec.

EVANGELISTIC SERVICES WILL BE held in City Hall, Feb. 16, 18:45, at 8 o'clock p.m., conducted by J. C. Appel, formerly traveler of this city, assisted by Mr. Anderson, gospel singer, Moody Institute, Conductor, and S. Grice, lay workers and others. All are invited. S. Grice, chairman.

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(One time, 15c.; three times, 30c., for 15 words.)

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DETROIT, Feb. 15.—Emma and Mary Novak were tried in the recorder's court yesterday on the charge of selling whisky on a beer license. The officers testified that they went into the saloon and bought the whisky. The alleged whisky was sampled by the jury, but the taste was so bad that they doubted it to be the genuine article, and brought in a verdict of not guilty.

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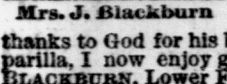
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Tussle for the Tankard.

Results of the Bospiel in Simcoe Street Rink.

Forest City Curlers Defeated by the Wroxeter Rinks.

Slosson Fined for Sunday Billiard Playing—Various Sporting Events.

CURLING.

CURLING FOR THE TANKARD.

The winning clubs in the various Western Ontario groups of curlers arrived in the city yesterday to play off the finals in the Western Ontario Tankard. The two city teams—Forest City and London—were in the field for the finals, and the visiting teams were from Wroxeter, Paris, St. Marys and Thamesville. Each team was represented by two rinks. The play commenced in the Simcoe Street Rink sharp at 1 o'clock on a magnificent sheet of ice. In the draw—Wroxeter, Forest City, St. Marys and Paris won the ice, and London and Thamesville were given the ice. The last two will play the winners of yesterday afternoon's matches—Wroxeter and Paris—this morning, and the two winners of the morning matches will play off for the tankard in the afternoon. The play consumed the whole of the afternoon and lasted until 7 o'clock in the evening. A large crowd of spectators watched the proceedings and took almost as much interest in the matches as the players themselves, although they were naturally cooler and not quite as excited. A number of ladies viewed the roaring game from behind the office windows, and watched that none of their patent methods of using the broom were infringed by the men. The proceedings were a trifle mysterious to two young misses, and after watching a couple of ends they gave it up and concluded they would go.

"You know," one was explaining to the other as they left the rink, "I can understand them wanting to sweep the ice to make it nice and clean, but I don't see the object in showing those spittoons from one end of the rink to the other."

"Yes," assented the other. "I don't like it a bit. I don't see why that old fellow always hollered for soup every time the other fellows started to sweep."

"I just think Charley put up a game on us when he told us it was interesting," added the first speaker. And the door banged after them.

The sight of the curlers on the ice certainly was a queer one to the uninitiated, but it had a great deal of attraction to those who knew the game. No curler seems too old or dignified to use the broom vigorously, and "scoop scoop" comes from every part of the rink. "Let her die!" somebody else shouts, and the sweepers desist. Nobody is killed, however, the intention only being to stop the progress of the stone.

Only to think of it! Forest City defeated by a little country club. How the spectators lamented it, and the players accounted for it. The "ifs" that were used after the game!

"They played a splendid game and earned their victory," said Mr. Strong. St. Marys lost by only two shots. It was simply a case of lack of judgment at a critical time, or the game would have been theirs instead of Paris'.

Perhaps the pleasantest portion of the day's programme was the "beef and greens" to which the London curlers treated their visiting brethren at the Tecumseh House after the work of the day was over. It was a very jolly evening; the Londoners were splendid entertainers and the strangers were capital fellows.

The game by rinks was as follows:

FOREST CITY. WROXETER.
Dr. Logie, First Rink, T. Pauls
G. H. Gillespie, T. Brock
D. McDonald, W. Robinson
H. Reid, jun., skip, 18 T. B. Sanders, skip, 23

Second Rink.
D. B. Dewar, R. Black
C. W. Davis, R. Ross
R. Inglis, R. Black
W. T. Strong, skip, 21 T. Wray, skip, 21

Total, 39 Total, 40
ST. MARYS. PARIS.
C. Myers, H. O'Neill
G. Grant, J. Thompson
T. O. Robson, J. Christie, jun.
W. Andrews, skip, 13 J. Carnie, jun., skip, 22

Second Rink.
J. D. Taylor, J. Fair
G. H. McIntyre, John Adams
J. Oddy, John Atkins
E. Sparring, skip, 25 James McKay, skip, 18

Total, 38 Total, 40
The Thamesville team consists of Geo. Shivan, Jas. Ferguson, John Howat, D. McFarlane, R. Ferguson, M. Truesdale, C. Mayhew, W. Wray, Alex. Nickle and E. W. Moran.

BEEF AND GREENS.
The visiting curlers were treated to "beef and greens" (Scottish for a curlers' meal).

banquet at the Tecumseh House after the match. The chair was occupied by Mr. Geo. A. Somerville, president of the London Club. He was supported on the right by Mr. Robt. Reid, sen., one of the founders of the London Curling Club, and probably the oldest curler in Ontario. Mr. Dan Regan occupied a seat on the president's right, while scattered among the visitors were Messrs. Maurel, W. T. Strong, J. W. McIntosh, R. J. Young, J. B. McKillop, Dan Dewar, G. H. Gillespie, Fred Henry, Bert McBride, Robt. Reid, jun., Robt. Henderson, Dr. Logie, Thos. A. Brown, Thos. Gillespie, Ald. J. W. Jones, Sam Grieg, C. M. Andrews, Robt. Ferguson, M. P. P. Thamesville, responded to the toast of "The Royal Curler's Association," of which he is an ex-president. He made a very humorous speech and referred to the thing nearest to the heart of all present at that time—curling. He spoke of the game in Scotland and in Canada, and made everybody laugh with his witty stories.

Mr. Harry Baston sang "Then You Will Remember Me."

"Sister Clubs" brought replies from Messrs. Andrews, Moore and Robson (St. Marys) and Mr. Robinson (Wroxeter) and others. The visitors all praised London's hospitality, and while all disclaimed being public speakers, many wished they were in order that they could do honor to the occasion. They were all sorry that St. Marys had been defeated, and spoke well of their exceeding generosity in keeping the tankard in competition.

Mr. Wray, of Wroxeter, sang a Scotch dialect song entitled "Cronies of Mine," and Mr. W. J. McIntosh sang a couple of Irish songs. The gathering dispersed about midnight.

DETROIT DOWN THE CHATHAM. DETROIT, Feb. 14.—Two rinks of the Detroit Curling Club paid a visit to Chatham yesterday, and were victorious with a majority of 17, the scores being: Detroit 48, Chatham 29.

KINGSTON WON. KINGSTON, Feb. 14.—The Central Ontario bospiel was concluded today. In the final for the tankard Kingston defeated Pembroke by 10 shots.

FOR THE GOVERNOR'S PRIZE. MONTREAL, Feb. 14.—The curling match to decide who should play the Heather Club for the Governor-General's prize was played this morning between the Ottawa and Caledonia clubs on Montreal ice. The match was won by the Caledonians by six shots.

WINNIPEG, Feb. 14.—Manitoba won the international curling trophy this evening by defeating Nettleton and McCullough, of St. Paul, and two rinks from Duluth.

BILLIARDS. SLOSSON FINED \$105. NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—In the court of special sessions today the case of Geo. E. Slosson, the billiard hall proprietor, who was arrested for keeping open on Sunday, was decided by Presiding Justice Hogan, who imposed a fine of \$105. The fine was paid under protest. An appeal is to be taken by Slosson to test the case.

WINTER TROTTERING. AT HAMILTON.

HAMILTON, Feb. 14.—There was today a much better attendance and decidedly better sport at the second day's winter meeting of the Hamilton Trotting Association and the world's ice record was lowered in each of three heats in the 216 class. Yesterday the Canadian ice track record was lowered by the Yankee entry, E. Lake's (Fulton, N. Y.) br. g. Phelps bringing the mark down from 2:25 to 2:24 in the 216 trot. Summary:

216 trot—Purse \$300.
G. Moore's (Wellsville, N. Y.) Sheriff, 1 1 1
A. Proctor's (Toronto) Dick French, 2 2 2
Ch. g. (Hamilton) St. Michael's, 3 3 3
Joe Martin's (Montreal) St. Michael's, 4 4 4
Joy, br. g. (Hamilton) St. Michael's, 5 5 5
Core Suisse, br. g. (Hamilton) St. Michael's, 6 6 6
Wilkes, blk. s. (Hamilton) St. Michael's, 7 7 7
Time—2:24, 2:24, 2:22.

250 trot—Purse \$350.
P. Curran's (Buffalo, N. Y.) Duke, 1 1 1
P. Curran's (Buffalo, N. Y.) Duke, 2 2 2
A. H. Baker's (Ellicottville, N. Y.) Duke, 3 3 3
E. James' (Hamilton) Roy B. H., 4 4 4
G. B. Leslie's (Toronto) Jimmie S., 5 5 5
K. Knapp, b. g. (Hamilton) St. Michael's, 6 6 6
P. Folman's (Hamilton) St. Michael's, 7 7 7
M. M. (Oakville) Jack M., 8 8 8
M. M. (Oakville) Jack M., 9 9 9
Time—2:23, 2:24, 2:23, 2:23.

In the unfinished local race for \$100, open to Hamilton horses, two heats in which was trotted yesterday, Olmstead and Smith's Frank Scott won first money; Wm. Gowland's Russell second, G. Barrie; Wm. Tom third and Z. Wall's Barney Scott fourth. Best time 2:36.

ATHLETICS. LARKIN VS. CANNON.

LONDON, Feb. 14.—The Australian wrestler, Larkin, defeated the Englishman, Cannon, in two bouts out of three at Bradford this evening. The match was refereed by Ross, of America, who subsequently challenged the winner.

A HIGH JUMPING RECORD. WORCESTER, Mass., Feb. 14.—The world's indoor high jump record was beaten by M. R. Sweeney, of the Xavier Athletic Club, of New York, yesterday. He jumped 6 feet 3 1/2 inches.

FOOTBALL. H. B. Sloan, of the Detroit College of Medicine, is in correspondence with football enthusiasts in the neighboring Canadian towns with a view of establishing a football league. Walkerville, Windsor, Chatham, Essex Center, Leamington and Detroit are the towns considered for representation.

THE TURP. SCUMPERING OVER THE SNOW.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 14.—The unprecedented sight in this locality of racing over a track covered with several inches of snow was witnessed here this afternoon. A storm began about 11 o'clock this morning and continued throughout the day. Not in fifteen years has the same amount of snow fallen and laid on the ground in this city. About 1,500 people attended the races and a good programme was decided.

HOCKEY. AT PETROLEA. Thursday—Petrolea 13, Alvinston 1.

A LADY SKATER'S FATAL FALL. NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., Feb. 14.—While skating on the rink in the Queen Victoria Park, Miss Maud Morse, a young lady living in Drummondville, fell her head struck violently on the ice, fracturing the skull. She is now lying in a precarious condition at her home.

SUICIDE OF A CHATHAM LADY. CHATHAM, Feb. 14.—An unusually sad death occurred yesterday at the residence of Mr. Walter Savage, Lorne avenue, it being that of his wife, who had a very painful and sudden end from taking a dose of arsenic. It is supposed. For eight or ten years Mrs. Savage has been subject to fits of melancholia, and when in this state she twice attempted to take her life.

NO RELIEF FROM CONGRESS.

Financial Schemes of the Government Voted Down.

Talk of Jobbery and of Impenchanting the President.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 14.—Another day's debate on the financial question but serves to emphasize the fact that no legislation affecting the financial situation is to be expected from the 53rd Congress. Today, by the decisive vote of 187 to 120 the House declined to authorize the issue of \$55,000,000 three per cent gold bonds with which to replace the 3-4 per cent bonds syndicated in payment for the purchase of \$5,000,000 of gold coin. The consideration of the joint resolutions for this purpose occupied all of the session of 6-2 hours, and the discussion attracted an attendance of spectators which overflowed the public galleries and encroached upon that reserved for the diplomatic corps and other distinguished visitors. The debate followed in a general way that of the Senate, but the opposition today was much more aggressive than on that occasion.

Mr. Hopkins asserted that the President was not animated by patriotic motives in sending his last message to Congress, but by a desire to unload upon that body the responsibility for a transaction, negotiated by his former law partner, that would net the syndicate represented by him \$25,000,000.

Mr. Bryan declared the scheme proposed in the joint resolution to be but another step in the accomplishment of the conspiracy to stockpile gold, and solemnly assured the House that so serious did he consider it to be that were there any probability of its passing, and the forfeiture of his life would prevent it, he would gladly lay down his life in the behalf.

Mr. Cannon (Republican, Illinois), hinted at an impeachment, and Mr. Hepburn (Republican, Iowa), said that the Republicans who favored the measure had proposed a new policy—a repudiation of all the declarations of the party in the past and the institution of a new policy that called for a new following.

The question "Shall the joint resolution be engrossed and read a third time?" the result being as stated—yeas 120, nays 167. "The bill is dead," officially declared the Speaker, and the House adjourned.

In the course of his speech in the House today Representative Hatch (Missouri) said: "Now, mark what I say, the inexorable law of cause and effect has not been expunged from the statute book of the Almighty, unless a halt is called very soon you may expect to see the horrors of the French revolution put on the American stage with all the modern improvements, and that within the next decade, Nor am I alone. That gentleman, Astor, who went to England some time ago, bought him a place on the island and became a British subject, say what is coming as plainly as I do, so he took time by the forelock and skipped out when there was not such a rush for state rooms as there will be after awhile. He knew possibly that he would be in command as you and I have seen them for some years past the time was not far off when there would be such a crowd of his class of people hurrying aboard every one of our ships, and he might be shoved off the gangplank."

TWO SHIPWRECKED CREWS.

Brought Into Port at Baltimore by a British Steamer.

BALTIMORE, Md., Feb. 14.—Two shipwrecked crews were brought into port this afternoon by the British steamship Queensmore, from Liverpool. The men had suffered terribly, and two died from exposure before the rescuers arrived.

On Monday night at 10 o'clock Capt. Howkett, of the Queensmore, when within about 190 miles of Cape Charles, saw signals of distress, and running alongside found the schooner Alma Cummings, from Port Royal, S. C., for Boston in command of Capt. Cummings with a crew of seven men. The boat was leaking badly, and had been kept afloat for two days only through the unceasing efforts of the crew at the pumps. They had gone without food, and most of the men had their hands and feet badly frostbitten. They were completely exhausted when taken from the sinking vessel.

On the following morning the Queensmore found 100 miles from Cape Charles a small boat in which were six men and two corpses, the crew of the schooner Marion P. Spriggs. The Spriggs was bound from Lambert Point for Boston, with a cargo of coal, in charge of Capt. Ira W. Hatch. The heavy ice cut her through, and she struck on the rocks of the Chesapeake Bay almost before the small boat could be launched. There was no time to provision her, or to save the crew's effects. The boat was blown out to sea, and for 40 hours the men battled with the waves, the biting winds and the pangs of hunger and thirst. E. W. Patterson, of Chelsea, Mass., and Chas. Urban, of Philadelphia, died of exposure.

THEY NEVER RETURNED.

Two Steamers Whose Non-Arrival Creates Anxiety.

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—Considerable anxiety prevails in shipping circles concerning the British steamer Salisbury which left Gibraltar on Jan. 17 for this city. The average time for the Salisbury to make the run from Gibraltar is about seventeen days, taking into consideration the winter weather, and she has now been 29 days out. The Salisbury is quite an old steamer of 1,200 tons burden, and is commanded by Capt. Charles Holdier.

NEW YORK, Feb. 14.—The steamer City of St. Augustine, from Jacksonville, Fla., lumber laden, for New York, is now ten days overdue. She has not been heard from since she was seen by the schooner Ida Lawrence, on Feb. 5, off the coast of North Carolina. The captain of the St. Augustine is J. H. Gaskill and the Chief Engineer Peter Murphy. Her crew numbers eighteen men, including officers.

Insurance Rates Raised.

TORONTO, Feb. 14.—The Toronto board of fire underwriters, at their annual meeting, decided upon a change which will mean an increase of rates to retail stores of over \$5,000 a year of ground rent. Such stores are to be specially rated by the secretary, Mr. Robt. McLean, subject to the approval of the board. Mr. P. H. Sims, of the British America, was chosen president, Mr. Alfred Wright, of the London and Lancashire, being chosen vice-president, and Mr. Robt. McLean, secretary.

Mothers give Dr. Seiger's Angostura Bitters to their children to stop colic and looseness of the bowels.

A Maine woodchopper recently cut down a tree containing a peck of buckwheat which had been stored for years. In Eastern Bengal a will cannot be made in favor of a man, and the property only descends through the woman.

Live News in a Line.

The United States Minister to Mexico, Mr. Gray, died Thursday night.

Wm. Mees, the oldest captain on the great lakes, died at Muskegon, Mich., Thursday morning.

The New Zealand Government has published a decree forbidding the export of arms and ammunition to Samoa.

Uncertainty in regard to financial legislation still holds business in abeyance in all departments of the New York Stock Exchange.

The fishing smack Fortuna brought to Lowestoft Wednesday morning the body of A. E. Lockhart, who was a saloon passenger on the Elbe.

Henry D. Polhemus, one of the best known men in Brooklyn, died of pneumonia on Thursday, aged 68. For years he was president of the Brooklyn Club.

Hon. E. Carlton Sprague, a distinguished lawyer of Buffalo, died on Thursday, aged 72. Mr. Sprague was at the time of his death chancellor of the University of Buffalo.

Gen. James Nell Bethune, a distinguished Georgian, who was the owner and for many years the manager of "Blind Tom," the famous negro pianist, died at his son's residence in Washington, D. C., Wednesday, aged 91 years.

Convicted Armenians.

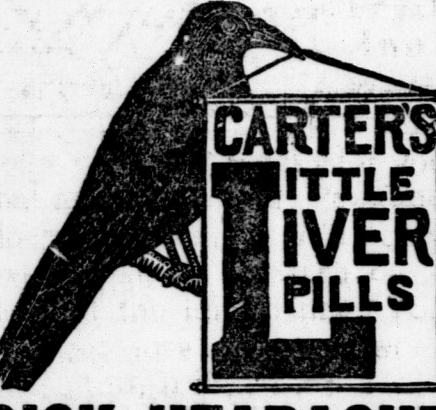
CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 14.—Authentic news has been received at the British embassy here that the Armenians convicted at Erzinghan on Nov. 15 last, twenty were sentenced to death, six to imprisonment for life, and 21 to other terms of imprisonment. The British Government has been assured that before these sentences are carried out the court will have a careful revision of all the proceedings. The judgment was confirmed by the Court of Cassation here on Jan. 28. After the hearing at Moosh is over the Turkish commission will visit Sassoun and investigate outrages there.

THIRTY MILES LONG!

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14.—The polyglot temperance petition, 30 miles long, is in the guardianship of the Adams Express Company here. It arrived from Chicago last night. The following invitation has been sent out:

"The President and the members of the Cabinet, Senators and representatives, are especially invited to be present on Friday evening, Feb. 15, to listen to addresses by Miss Frances E. Willard and Lady Henry Somerset in the interest of the polyglot petition signed by 4,000,000 of people, addressed to the heads of the Governments of the world, praying for the withdrawal of their protection from the opium and liquor traffic wherever legalized."

A NOVEL and beautiful winter charity festival took place in Brussels a few days ago. Several sculptors got up in the public park an exhibition of works of art executed in snow. There were scenes and groups and single statues in the greatest variety, from portrait statues of well-known persons to the figure of a sleeping drunkard. Every possible combination to command admiration or excite mirth was wrought, and bands of music, colored fountains and skating matches added zest to the snowy exhibition.



SICK HEADACHE

Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They Regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable. Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

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Going East.

DEPART—
London..... 4:15 a.m. 8:30 p.m.
Windsor..... 5:00 a.m. 9:15 p.m.
Galt..... 6:00 a.m. 10:15 p.m.
Guelph..... 7:00 a.m. 11:15 p.m.
Toronto..... 8:00 a.m. 12:15 p.m.
Peterborough..... 9:00 a.m. 1:15 p.m.
Kingston..... 10:00 a.m. 2:15 p.m.
Ottawa..... 11:00 a.m. 3:15 p.m.
Montreal..... 12:00 p.m. 4:15 p.m.

Trains arrive from the east at 11:25 a.m., 8:30 p.m., 11:40 p.m.

Going West.

DEPART—
London..... 11:30 a.m. 7:30 p.m.
Windsor..... 12:30 p.m. 8:30 p.m.
Galt..... 1:30 p.m. 9:30 p.m.
Guelph..... 2:30 p.m. 10:30 p.m.
Toronto..... 3:30 p.m. 11:30 p.m.
St. Louis..... 4:30 p.m. 12:30 p.m.

Trains arrive from the west at 4:30 a.m., 4:25 p.m., 6:45 p.m.

TICKET, R. PARKER, City Ticket and Passenger Agent, 161 Dundas Street, southwest corner Richmond and Dundas.

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172 DUNDAS STREET.

WE HAVE A BARGAIN FOR YOU IN

Ladies' Vests TO-DAY.

Cleared a jobber's lot of 20 dozen at a rate on the dollar.

Selling at 40C Worth 75C.

SEE IT!

BAYLEY'S,

RAILWAY

TIME TABLES

ERIE AND HURON RAILWAY.

Trains South.

Stations. No. 1 No. 2 No. 3
Sarnia (G. T. R.)..... 7:00 a.m. 7:30 p.m.
Courtright..... 7:42 a.m. 8:12 p.m.
M. C. R. Junction..... 7:57 a.m. 8:27 p.m.
Chatham (C. P. R.)..... 8:12 a.m. 8:42 p.m.
Fargo..... 8:27 a.m. 8:57 p.m.
Blenheim..... 8:42 a.m. 9:12 p.m.

Trains North.

Stations. No. 2 No. 4 No. 6
Blenheim..... 8:25 a.m. 8:55 p.m.
Fargo..... 8:40 a.m. 9:10 p.m.
Chatham (C. P. R.)..... 8:55 a.m. 9:25 p.m.
M. C. R. Junction..... 9:10 a.m. 9:40 p.m.
Courtright..... 9:25 a.m. 9:55 p.m.
Sarnia (G. T. R.)..... 9:40 a.m. 10:10 p.m.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY

LONDON TIME.

Canada Southern Division—Going East.

Stations. Leave London. Leave St. Thomas.
American Express (daily except Monday)..... 9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m.
Atlantic Express (daily)..... 9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m.
Mail and Accommodation (daily except Sunday)..... 9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m.
New York and Boston (daily)..... 9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m.
Special (daily)..... 9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m.
Fast Eastern Express (daily)..... 9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m.

Canada Southern Division—Going West.

Stations. Leave London. Leave St. Thomas.
North Shore Limited (daily)..... 9:30 a.m. 10:40 a.m.
Fast Western Express (daily)..... 9:30 a.m. 10:40 a.m.
American Express (daily except Monday)..... 9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m.
Mail and Accommodation (daily except Sunday)..... 9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m.
Pacific Express (daily)..... 9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m.
Boston, New York and Chicago special (daily)..... 9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m.

[NOTE.—No trains to or from London on Sundays.]

JOHN PAUL, City Passenger Agent, 385 Richmond Street.

LONDON & PORT STANLEY R.Y.

Taking effect Tuesday, Nov. 19, 1894.

Leave London..... 8:45 a.m. 1:10 p.m. 4:40 p.m. 7:10 p.m.

Arrive London..... 8:45 a.m. 1:10 p.m. 4:40 p.m. 7:10 p.m.

[NOTE.—Trains leaving London at 10:05 a.m. and 4 p.m. only run to St. Thomas, and trains arriving in London at 2:35 p.m. and 11:10 p.m. run from St. Thomas.]

GRAND TRUNK—Southern Division

CORRECTED Nov. 18, 1894.

MAIN LINE—Going East.

Stations. ARRIVE. DEPART
Lehigh Express (th.)..... 4:02 a.m. 4:07 a.m.
Atlantic Express (th.)..... 4:15 a.m. 4:20 a.m.
Accommodation..... 4:30 a.m. 4:35 a.m.
Atlantic Express (A)..... 4:45 a.m. 4:50 a.m.
Wabash Express (A)..... 4:55 a.m. 5:00 a.m.
Mixed (C)..... 5:05 a.m. 5:10 a.m.
Detroit Express..... 5:15 a.m. 5:20 a.m.

MAIN LINE—Going West.

Stations. ARRIVE. DEPART
Chicago Express (A)..... 2:15 a.m. 2:20 a.m.
Accommodation..... 2:30 a.m. 2:35 a.m.
Lehigh Express..... 2:45 a.m. 2:50 a.m.
Wabash Express (A)..... 2:55 a.m. 3:00 a.m.
Accommodation..... 3:10 a.m. 3:15 a.m.
Pacific Express (A)..... 3:20 a.m. 3:25 a.m.
Mail..... 3:30 a.m. 3:35 a.m.
Accommodation..... 3:45 a.m. 3:50 a.m.

Sarnia Branch.

Stations. ARRIVE. DEPART
Lehigh Express (th.)..... 4:02 a.m. 4:07 a.m.
Atlantic Express (th.)..... 4:15 a.m. 4:20 a.m.
Accommodation..... 4:30 a.m. 4:35 a.m.
Atlantic Express (A)..... 4:45 a.m. 4:50 a.m.
Wabash Express (A)..... 4:55 a.m. 5:00 a.m.
Mixed (C)..... 5:05 a.m. 5:10 a.m.
Detroit Express..... 5:15 a.m. 5:20 a.m.

London, Huron and Bruce.

Stations. ARRIVE. DEPART
Express.....

Great Clearing Sale OF FALL AND WINTER GOODS.

Denton & Deeks,

Merchant Tailors and Importers,
have decided to clear out their
superior stock of Fall and Winter
Scotch Goods at cost to make
room for their spring and summer
importations.

DENTON & DEEKS
384 Richmond Street.

Her Life's Love

"Dell! How could I be! I was only
thinking."

"I have been thinking, too; only I would
not tell you till I was quite sure of myself,"
said he, as he sat down beside her. Silence.
I do really believe your husband is not such
a goose as he seems. Black says so; and
Black, though an oddity, is by no means a
bad fellow."

Silence. She had oftentimes
battled against her husband's dislike to the
honest man, whose roughness "rubbed him
up the wrong way," as he said, even worse
than Mrs. MacLagan. Now under the rough
and he had discovered the pleasant kernel.
Things had evidently righted themselves.

"He objected to me strongly at first be-
cause I was a gentleman, which was as great
a delusion in his way as my setting him
down a booby because he wore a rough coat,
and had manners to match. Now, we both
understand one another better. I have been
working with him at the mill for fourteen
days, and what do you think is the result?"

He spoke with buoyancy of tongue and
manner such as Silence had not seen in him
for weeks.

"Something is going to happen—that is,
if my wife does not object, which, being a
very sensible woman, she will not. I mean
will, I am actually going to earn my daily
bread."

She turned around—her lips quivering.
"Now, don't begin to cry about it, Mrs.
Jardine; dear! it isn't breaking stones
upon the road, or anything very dreadful;
and the bread I shall earn will not be too
luxurious—only two pounds a week—one
hundred pounds a year, which is my precise
value just at present. 'Flattering'—but it is
something. I am rather proud of my
position as a bread-winner—I, that never
earned a half-penny in all my days."

He spoke a little fast, and with a flushed
cheek. She put her hand upon his and held
it, with a soft firm hold.

"Tell me all."

"There is not very much to tell. You
know how fond I always was of machinery—
indeed, once I begged to be made an
engineer, but my—my father (he never
named his mother now) thought the pro-
fession was not genteel enough, and it is too
late now, Black says. But he does say, as
a mill owner, I might find my turn for
mechanics extremely useful. I could watch,
examine, perhaps even invent; indeed,
during these two weeks I have made a
suggestion to him, which he has pleased to
consider admirable. 'Mr. Jardine,' he said
to me this morning, 'if you were a capital-
ist and could start a mill, or a working-man
who required to earn your bread as over-
seer or foreman—yes, that is the point, as
by telling him I was a working-man, and I
did require to earn my bread; and if he
thought I deserved foreman's wages, I
would take them gratefully, and—Why,
Silence, my darling! Not crying!"

But she was, though she dried her tears
at once. "Oh, Roderick! and this is done
for me!"

"For you and—it," he whispered, and
then there was a long pause of speechless
pain.

"I don't wish to make myself out a
martir, not the least in the world," said
Roderick at last. "I like my work—I like
all work, indeed, but this especially. And
Black is by no means a bad fellow to work
with when you only know him. There is
that great difference in our ages which pre-
vents jarring—and then, he has such a
veneration for the family."

"Yes, that is it. But there, too, lies the
difficulty. To be foreman at a cotton mill!
You, a gentleman and a Jardine! Have you
considered?"

"It is because I am a gentleman and a
Jardine, that I do not need to consider," he
answered, with that slight air of hauteur
which, whether it was right or wrong, his
wife loved, could not help loving, for it was
a bit of himself. "No, dear, in my worst,
that is my worst days, I never was so foolish
as to think there was any disgrace in work,
any dignity in idleness; and now, when I
have to earn my bread by the sweat of my
brow, like old Adam and all the rest of us,
to poor Grandfather Paterson, I'll do it, and
not be ashamed of it either."

"Nor I. Nothing that my husband did
could make me ashamed of him, except his
doing something wrong. But now—"

She stopped, her voice choking; and again
weak-minded little woman that she was,
she cried—they both cried. Then they
talked over their courage for the new life
which began the next Monday morning.

It might have been—possibly any person
more worldly-wise than these young folks
would have said it was—that this two
young men, so important to them, came
out of the softest bit in old Black's heart,
rather than his full and usually tightly shut
purse; seeing it would be some months be-
fore an ignorant 'gentleman,' however
capable, could be equal in value to an ex-
perienced working man, even as foreman at
a mill. But they did not know this, and
without another word both cheerfully
accepted the new life which was to begin the
next Monday morning.

The hardest bit of it was the long hours—
the separation from the dusk of the morning
till after nightfall. Sometimes Roderick
came in so tired that, instead of talking, he
would just throw himself down—not on the
sofa, that he always left for her, but on the
rug at her feet—and fall asleep till bed time;
while she, anxious to use her busy fingers to
the last available minute, sewed silently,
wishing him the while. If he had seen
that watch! Does a man thoroughly com-
prehend how a woman loves him?

But, the working days done, there were
the blessed Sundays, he never knew how
passed, he said, till he became a work-
man. Church over, his wife sent him to
take a long stroll over the hills, while she
gathered round her for an hour the little
class of mill girls, taught for so many years
by Miss Jardine. Roderick sometimes

grumbled at this, but she said, gently, "We
each do our work. I think this is mine; let
me do it." And by the time he came to tea
it was done, and the jealous fellow had his
wife to himself for the evening.

Those sweet Sunday evenings, when, "the
rain was on the roof"—for winter set in by
that year—how comfortable they were! The
two, shut in together, had to learn the great
secret, and go through the hardest test of
married life—even such young married life
as theirs—constant companionship, not
love, not passion, scarcely even affection—
for all these can sometimes exist without it,
at least for a long time—but simple com-
panionship, that priceless friendship which is
"love without sin, wisdom without grief."

"Suppose you had been a goose, Silence,"
he said one day. "Suppose you had ex-
pected me to be always making love to you,
instead of talking to you like a sensible
woman; suppose you had not cared for the
things I care for, but wanted something
totally different—say dressing and dancing
and going out of evenings—what in the
world would have become of me?"

She laughed merrily. "And suppose you
had been a man of the world, who liked
good dinners and brilliant society, and was
ashamed of his poor little wife because she
was not clever?"

"None of these!" she repeated, with a sweet
decision. "After the fashion that is called
clever; nor beautiful, nor grand; but
brought him no money and given him no
possession—I don't speak often of this, but I
know it all. Suppose, Roderick, you had
been different from what you are; I wonder
what would have become of me! No, no!"

And her gayety melted into an almost sad
seriousness. "Whatever the future brings
we have the present. Let us rejoice in it,
and—let us thank God."

In his old life Roderick had seldom
thought of this. Now, whenever night be-
came, his wife knelt down by her bedside, and
he had come instinctively to kneel beside her,
"saying his prayers" as the children do; or
rather, since with her always near him there
seemed nothing left to pray for, his prayer
permeated his heart. "Thank God!" As he
did now—say, and many a time in the day,
in the midst of his work, which was not too
pleasant sometimes. But it grew pleasant
and easy when their hands crossed his mind
the vision of the sweet face at home—no
longer the ideal mistress of his dreams, but
the dear wife of his bosom, always at hand
to lighten his burdens and divide his
care.

"Poor old Black!" he said one day—
rather right—when, after toiling, soaked
through, up the steep braise, he sat down a
few minutes after, dry and warm, by the
bright fire, holding the little child who had
served him so lovingly. "Poor Black,
whom I left in his large, handsome, empty
house! I am quite sorry for all old bache-
lors."

"Thank you, dear."

"Though he told me once, in a confi-
dential moment, that his life had been so hard
he was often glad there had been no one to
share it."

"I think he was mistaken," Roderick
said, pressing his lips to the smooth brow
and grave eyes, that looked on life utterly
without fear, so long as it was a life with
love in it. "I cannot believe that any man
is the weaker, but the stronger, for having
a woman to help him. Only he must be
able to choose a woman who can help him—as I
did."

(To be Continued.)

A Humorous Fact
About Hood's Sarsaparilla—it expels bad
humor and creates good humor. A battle for
blood is what Hood's Sarsaparilla wins every
fight, and it is always victorious in expelling
all taints and giving the vital fluid the
quality and quantity needed for health. It
cures scrofula, salt rheum, boils and other
blood diseases.

Hood's Pills act easily, yet promptly and
efficiently on the bowels and liver. 25c.

One of Philadelphia's New Year's
masks assumed the character of a girl
and laced herself so tightly that he
fell in a faint on the street.

Among the pains and aches cured
with marvelous rapidity with
Thomas' Electric Oil is earache. The
young are especially subject to it, and
the desirability of this Oil as a family
remedy is enhanced by the fact that it
is admirably adapted not only to the
above ailment, but also to the hurts,
disorders of the bowels, and affections
of the throat, to which the young are
especially subject.

A country editor out on the central
branch, near Atchison, Kan., last week
printed a column of compliments paid
him by the inmates of an insane asy-
lum upon the occasion of his visit to
the institution.

Cause and Effect.
Neglected colds cause coughs, throat
troubles, bronchitis and consumption.
These troubles can only be cured by the
prompt use of Norway Pine Syrup, the
best throat and lung remedy in the
world.

A Topeka man made one set of phy-
sicians think he was falling so in health
that he needed an increase in pension.
He was so weak that he was a good risk for
life insurance.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego
Cal., says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the
first medicine I have ever found that would
cure me any good." Price 50c. Sold by W. T.
Strong.

A Washington postoffice department
girl is suffering from a cold, due to the
effects of hypnotic suggestion. The jan-
itor washed her window, and the next
time she looked at it she thought it was
open.

Mr. Thomas Ballard, Syracuse, N. Y.,
writes: "I have been afflicted for near-
ly a year with the most-to-be-dreaded
disease—Dyspepsia—and at times
was worn out with pain and
want of sleep, and after try-
ing almost everything recommended, I
tried one box of Farnham's Vegetable
Pills. I am now nearly well, and be-
lieve they will cure me. I would not be
without them for any money."

Calico roads come next. At Martha's
vineyard the road commissioners are
spreading cotton cloth over the road to
prevent macadam from sinking into the
sand.

A Comfort Sometimes.
When health is far gone in Consump-
tion, then sometime only ease and com-
fort can be secured from the use of
Scott's Emulsion. What is much bet-
ter is to take this medicine in time to
save your health.

William Cox, of Monticello, Ky., ate
his New Year's dinner at a table and
which sat three of his living wives,
two of whom he had divorced.

Give Holloway's Corn Cure a trial. It
removed ten corns from one pair of feet
without any pain. What it has done
once it will do again.

The ravages of the wolf cost Russia
no less than \$10,000,000 a year.

SILHOU'S CURE is sold on guarantee. It
cures incipient Consumption. It is the best
Cough Cure, only one cent a box, 50c,
and \$1 per bottle. Sold by W. T. Strong.

BOOKS AND MAGAZINES.

The Latest Novelties for the
Reading World.

"Peter's Wife" is the name of the
latest novel by Mrs. Hungerford, the
author of "Molly Bawn." It is a very
entertaining love story, and is sure to
have a very large sale in Canada. The
binding is attractive. London: Geo.
Bell & Sons. Toronto: The Copp Clark
Company (limited).

"Recreation" for February is full of
attraction for lovers of outdoor sports
and amusements. Prominent in the
table of contents are "The Vulnerable
Spot," by Dr. J. N. Hall; "Trouting in
Alaska," by Major John Brooke, U. S. A.;
"Goat Hunting in the Cascade," by J. S. Stangroom; "A
Bear in Camp," by Prof. F. V. Yeager;
Howard Eaton describes "A Frontier
Funeral"; H. C. Wilcox tells a camp-
story in a style that might well be
copied by the best writers. 216
William street, Toronto.

"The Canadian Photographer" was
burned out in the great fire in Toronto,
but Geo. W. Gibson, its editor and pub-
lisher, has revived it in an even more
attractive form. It has come to stay,
no matter how much fire there is.

In the March number of Frank Les-
lie's Popular Monthly the wonderful
story of the life and inventions of Thom-
as Alva Edison is set forth in an art-
icle by Henry Tyrrell. The paper is deli-
cious, with some interesting illustra-
tions, including new portraits of Ed-
ison, of his parents, wife, children, and
scientific collaborators. Other inter-
esting contributions to this unusual full
and interesting number of Frank Les-
lie's Popular Monthly are M. V. Moore's
striking account of "The Great Salt
Lake and Mormondom"; a delightful
paper on "Cameos and Cut Gems," by
Theo. Tracy; "How Bronze Statues
are Cast," with the latest works of Am-
erican sculptors, by S. Millington Mil-
ler; "Bulgarian Village Life," picture-
scape, by Celia E. Ladd; Personal Reminiscences of
Charles Reade, by Howard Paul, and of Anton
Rubinstein, by Mrs. W. K. L. Dickson;
a practical article on "Dogs and their
Training," by S. H. Ferris. There
are good short stories and poems by
many well-known authors.

The February number of the Metho-
dist Magazine has for its initial article
a well-illustrated sketch of "Evan-
gelism's Land," including the Annapolis
Valley, the "Basin of Minas," and the
"Little Village of Grand Pre." The ar-
ticle is by Mr. H. D. Young, Rev. Dr.
Withrow has one of his instructive arti-
cles—the record of personal acquaint-
ances—"Every-Day Life in Bible
Lands." Another article of note is one
on the work of the celebrated Pastor
Wichern, under the title of "The House
of Prayer." The purely literary part
of the number is well up
to the average.

A. F. Hunter, B.A., of Barrie, con-
tributes to the Canadian Magazine for
February a brief but readable sketch
of an interesting but neglected episode
of the war of 1812-15. Dr. John argu-
ment, has in the same number a
trenchant paper on "False Insurance
Methods." Allan Douglas Brodie writes
on "Canadian Short Story Writers," an
attractive theme well handled. "The
General Military College of Canada" is
the subject of a symposium of enthu-
siasts who favor the institution. The
symposium is to be continued. There
are a number of good illustrations.

Another of the handsomely gotten up
readable books issued by the Arena
Publishing Company of Boston is the
"Chronicles of Break o' Day," by E. E.
Howe. It is a story calculated not
only to entertain but to elevate the
reader.

The close friendship that existed be-
tween Robert Louis Stevenson and An-
drew Lang invests the latter's article
on the dead novelist which appeared in
the North American Review for Feb-
ruary with a unique interest.

The delineator for March is the great
spring number. All the departments are
unusually well filled, and the fashions
have an increased value through being
the first authoritative pronouncement
of the spring modes. The chief feature
of the literary matter is a most com-
prehensive chapter on "Cards, Their Uses
and Etiquette," by Mrs. Roger A. Pry-
or, this being the first of a series en-
titled the "Social Code." There is also
a very interesting first article on the
"Experiences of Life at a Training
School for Nurses," with an introduc-
tion by Mrs. Frederic Rhinelander
Jones, and many other articles that
will interest housewives and their
societies. Published at 33 Richmond
street west, Toronto.

Jenness Miller Monthly for February
contains an animated description of the
New Year's reception at the White
House, which was as a full to friends.
Jenness Miller's keenly intellectual ar-
ticle on "Law, Order and Art in Dress," Mrs.
Miller's work alone could not but insure
the popularity of her magazine, but the
publication is crowded to overflowing
with so many good things of a social,
literary, domestic and hygienic nature
that all the wants of the household and
its inmates are abundantly filled, the
Monthly being in reality a small but
comprehensive library in itself. Bits of
choice fiction and poetry adorn the
pages. The editorial notes are novel
and entertaining.

MIDDLESEX.
Charles Deo, cheesemaker, has been
appointed postmaster of Dorchester Sta-
tion at a salary of \$400 per annum.

The annual meeting of the West Mid-
dlesex Teachers' Association will be
held at Strathtay on Thursday and Fri-
day, Feb. 21 and 22.

Hamilton Bailey has been appointed
tax collector for 1895 by the West Ni-
scour council. The council will meet
on the first Tuesday in each month.

Richard Tooley, ex-M.P.P., while
driving from London the other day was
thrown against a telegraph pole
through his horses running away at the
Meadows Hill, near Nibleston. He was
considerably hurt.

At the last meeting of the McGillivray
township council the bylaw appointing
Joseph Witherspoon assessor at a sal-
ary of \$65 was confirmed. Messrs. Alex.
Smith, James Miller and John Ferguson
will comprise the Board of Health, and
Dr. James Sutton will be medical health
officer.

Peter Ward succumbed to a paralytic
stroke at the family residence, Glad-
stone, on Friday, in the 75th year of his
age. The deceased was a native of York
State. He settled in North Dorchester
in the year 1815, and lived continuously
there, taking rank among the primi-
tive pioneers, confronting the priva-
tions and vicissitudes of pioneer life.
A beloved wife and two sons survive
him. Jefferson, living on the paternal
homestead, and John, a resident of East
London.

AYLMER.

("Advertiser" Agents, C.J.Gundy & Co.)
Feb. 14.—The Sons of England ban-
quet, which was to have been held on
Friday evening, Feb. 15, in connection
with the dedication of their new lodge,
has been postponed indefinitely.

Mrs. Rachel S. Crocker died at the re-
sidence of Mr. Henry Ball, on Satur-
day, after a long illness, at the age of
71 years. The remains were interred
on Wednesday in the Orwell Cemetery.

Sarah, the beloved wife of Mr. Jessy
Kenney, died at her home on Wednes-
day morning in the 82nd year of her
age. She was born in Ireland, and came
to this section with her parents in 1819,
having lived here ever since. Had she
survived until next July she would
have celebrated the 55th anniversary
of her wedding.

Edgar Scott, miller, died very sud-
denly on Wednesday at the residence
of his father, Mr. Asa Miller, Talbot
street east. Deceased was in the 33rd
year of his age.

Dr. M. B. McCausland, brother of
John A. McCausland, of this place, died
at Ingersoll on the 12th inst. The fun-
eral took place on Thursday from J. A.
McCausland's residence, Aylmer, to the
Centerville Cemetery.

The latest reports regarding the small-
pox in Aylmer point to the fact that
Mr. Rustling's trouble is simply the re-
sult of vaccination, and not smallpox
at all. Mr. A. Meline, of the board of
health, visited the house on Wednes-
day evening, and found Messrs. Rust-
ling and Titus perfectly happy and con-
tented, with a box of cigars, oranges,
and plenty of reading matter, and hav-
ing a good time.

Special mission services conducted by
the Rev. Mr. McKim, of Toronto, in the
Trinity Church, are being well attend-
ed, and much good is resulting there-
from.

Evangelist Parks and wife, of Wind-
sor, are holding very successful re-
vival services in the Methodist Church
here.

The Conservative meeting announced
to be held today (Thursday) in the town
hall has been postponed for a few days.
D. Marshall, of the Aylmer Canning
Company, is in Chicago attending the
meeting of the Packers' Association of
the United States, and intends buying
a lot of new machinery for their fac-
tories in Aylmer and Hamilton.

The Aylmer Canning Company shipped
a large consignment of goods to
Belfast, Ireland, last week.

L. L. Sheldon & Son made a shipment
of the Anderson force pump, and
land this week. They are meeting with
great success there.

KOMOKA.

Feb. 14.—The Good Templars of Kom-
oka held their meeting on Feb. 12 with
a large attendance. The Templars are
still increasing there. They took in 12
new members Tuesday. A large sleigh-
load visited the council from South
London. The meeting ended with a
program and supper.

Two large sleighloads left for the
country Monday evening to visit D.
Campbell, where they danced until
springing, enjoying themselves. Mr. J.
Frydals and Mrs. W. Stewart furnished
the music.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

DIED.
CUDMORE.—On Feb. 14, 1895, Elizabeth Cudmore, in her 84th year.
Funeral on Saturday, Feb. 16, at 3 o'clock, from the residence of her son-in-law, A. Isaac, 748 King street.
DODD.—At the residence of the late W. J. Dodd, Hyde Park, Chicago, E. C. Dodd, aged 45 years.
Funeral from his late residence, 645 Waterloo street, at 3 o'clock on Friday, Feb. 15, to Woodland; services at 2:30.

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FINE, LITTLE CHANGE IN TEMPERATURE.

TORONTO, Feb. 14.—11 p.m.—Little change has taken place in the distribution of pressure since last night, and the weather has been fine and moderately cold in all portions of Canada.
Minimum and maximum temperatures: Calgary, 14° below—12°; Qu'Appelle, 12° below—6°; Winnipeg, 14° below—12°; Parry Sound, 2°—22°; Toronto, 20°—30°; Montreal, 18°—22°; Quebec, 14°—24°; Halifax, 24°—34°.

TODAY'S PROBABILITIES.
TORONTO, Feb. 15.—1 a.m.—Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region (covering the peninsula and as far east as Belleville) are: Westerly winds; fine, not much change in temperature.

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The man who sighs for the happy day When a barefoot boy he ran, Is the same old boy who, used to say: "I wish I was a man."

A life-size oil painting of Father Terean is on exhibition in Graves' window.

The missionary society in connection with the Memorial Church holds its annual meeting tonight.

The board of managers of St. Andrew's Church have placed \$5,000 extra insurance on the building.

The firemen were called yesterday afternoon to attend a chimney fire at Mrs. H. Jamison's, 150 Waterloo.

The members of the Arlington Club of this city attended the ball in Stratford last evening given by the "Social Twelve."

St. George's Society held its monthly meeting last evening, when Messrs. Irenus Lewis and Neil Cooper became annual members.

Both Chief Roe and Fireman Riddell, injured at Wednesday's fire, are improving. Fireman McDonald, though on duty, is far from well.

Among other churches which will put on extra insurance are the Aikin Street Methodist to the extent of \$2,000, and the Knox Presbyterian \$5,000.

On Tuesday morning the barns and outbuildings of Messrs. T. and J. Canning, of con. 4, McGillivray township, were burned to the ground, some stock and a quantity of hay being also consumed. The origin of the fire is not known. The buildings were absolutely new, having been erected in the place of others, burned about a year ago.

Mrs. Sylvester Campbell, a respected Lobo resident of over 50 years standing, died at Stratford on Wednesday at the age of 73 years.

The deceased had been living with her daughter, Mrs. Oliver, of Stratford, for six years. She was the mother of nine children, eight of whom are still living. The daughters are: Mrs. Oliver, Mrs. Barnes and Mrs. Healey, Stratford, and Mrs. (Capt.) Gillard, Woolwich, Eng.

The sons are: Archibald, Lobo; Sylvester, Detroit; Alexander, Toronto, and Benjamin, a brakeman on the G. T. R., residing at 290 Hill street. Mrs. Campbell was a devout Christian, having for many years been connected with the Lobo Baptist Church. The funeral takes place this afternoon at Lobo Cemetery.

Snazelle.

Snazelle appeared before a large and well-pleased audience at the Grand Opera House last evening, and fully justified the numerous flattering comments that his entertainments have received on every hand. He is literally "a whole show in himself."

Snazelle appears again tonight, and those who fail to see and hear him will miss an entertainment of rare and marvelous merit.

Arcanum "At Home."

The "At Home," under the auspices of London Council, 233, Royal Arcanum, in Pythias, Hall last night, was a very enjoyable and pleasant affair.

The attendance was very large, but everyone was made comfortable around the large hall by means of upholstered chairs and settees. Mr. D. Spry, who presided, welcomed the guests and introduced the various contributors to the evening's programme.

The latter included: Selection, harpers; song, Mr. Forsythe; song, Miss Allen; recitation, Miss Spry; song, Miss Retta Mutch; piano solo, Miss May O'Connor; song, Miss Fowler; song, Walter Shipman; song, C. H. Fawcett; song, Miss Mutch; violin and piano, Mr. Allen and Mr. W. D. Taylor; song, Mr. Forsythe; song, Miss Fowler; character song, Walter Shipman; song, Miss Allen. Dr. C. T. Campbell gave an interesting address on the benefit of membership in the Royal Arcanum.

A pleasing feature of the evening was the intermission, during which refreshments were served and a sociable time spent. After the programme had been completed dancing was indulged in in the rear hall, the Italian harpers supplying the music.

The success of the evening was due in a large measure to the untiring efforts of the committee, consisting of: A. W. Fraser (chairman), J. L. Spry, T. Bland, W. H. Morgan, J. H. Ferguson, E. W. Greaves, W. Bartlett, T. G. Davis, R. K. Cowan, A. Gillean, J. Houston, J. B. McKillop and A. B. Munson (secretary.)

Will Cost Nearly \$4,000.

At last night's meeting of the board of works, Engineer Graydon reported that the proposed changes in the City Hall, as already described in the ADVERTISER, would cost from \$3,000 to \$3,800.

The latter figure would include repapering, changing radiators, plate glass in arcade wall of the treasurer's office and plate glass in the collector's office, glass partition in the proposed assessment commissioners' office and everything complete excepting gas fixtures or electric light. The figures

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were laid over until the estimates are prepared. Thomas S. Wall's application for permission to build a switch from the C. P. R. to his premises came up again.

Mr. Wall will be required to secure the consent of three ratepayers near whose property the switch will run.

Ald. O'Meara spoke of a scheme which will meet with the approval of wheelmen and horsemen, but probably not of the council.

He advocated the remodeling of the driveway in Victoria Park, believing that if it were kept as near the boulevard all round, as it is at present on the east side, citizens would have better accommodation and more pleasure out of the resort than they have had in the past.

Mr. O'Meara also thought provision in the shape of a "small" patch inside the horse track should be made for wheeling.

He claimed the work would cost but a trifle, and so favorably did he impress the committee with the scheme that they decided to visit the park and report later.

Complaints were made by the First Presbyterian and St. Peter's congregations against the action of the street railway company in depositing street sweepings and snow in front of the churches.

The engineer and chairman will investigate. Present: Ald. W. Heaman, O'Meara, Callahan, Parnell, Nutkins, Mayor Little, Secretary Bell, Assistant Engineer Ironsides, Street Commissioner Owens. Ald. John Heaman was absent through illness.

A Big Circle.

The anniversary of Pride of the East Circle, Companions of the Forest, was marked by a concert and assembly in the East End Hall last night.

The circle has just passed its sixth birthday, and since its institution has paid out \$833 83 in sick and \$250 in death benefits.

The membership is 80, and the assets at Dec. 31 were \$460. Ex-Mayor George Taylor, in his address as chairman, referred with pleasure to the growth of the circle and complimented the ladies on their good work.

The programme was much appreciated by the large audience. It comprised piano selections by Mr. George Watts, songs by Messrs. J. A. Birmingham, M. McKeough, Henry Wright and Miss Nellie McLean; dancing, Chris Hogg, duets by Misses McDowell and Wright; duets by the Misses Rutherford, Templeton and Robertson, and Messrs. Birmingham, Connors and McKeough in funny character sketches.

Refreshments were served, and an assembly wound up the evening's entertainment.

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- III. All shades of China Pongora Silks in plain colors, worth 35c; on Saturday night 20c per yard.
- IV. 15 pieces of Shanghai Silks, rich goods and richer shades, worth 75c; on Saturday night 39c per yard.
- V. 3 pieces Pin Stripe Black and Gray Silk, worth 75c; on Saturday night 45c per yard.
- VI. Largest assortment in the city of Silk Finished Henriettas, 46 inches wide and 25 different shades for evening wear, worth 75c; on Saturday night 45c per yard.
- VII. Ladies' French Kid Gloves, with large buttons and fancy stitched back, in Tans, Browns and Black, worth \$1; on Saturday night 50c.
- VIII. Children's Corset Waists in White and Drab on Saturday night 25c.
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