

CORNER LOTS FOR LIBRARY.

That Seems to be the Idea of the Public.

Board of Trade Site Looked Up-on With Favor.

No Fancy Price Will be Paid For Property.

While it may not be an easy thing to procure the very best site for the new public library to which Andrew Carnegie has agreed to contribute \$75,000, it is easy enough to hear suggestions. Quite a number of sites have been suggested to the members of the Board, some of which would be first class, and some not good at all.

Both the northwest and the northeast corners of Hughson and King streets are mentioned. Every street car in the city runs within one block of those corners, yet none of them come nearer, and therefore would never disturb the patrons. The Peace property, at the northeast corner of John and King William streets is another that a good many people would like to see secured.

Two sites on Jackson street west have been suggested—one, the old Central Presbyterian Church corner, and the other the property on the north side, between James and MacNab, or the MacKay livery stable property.

The public choice seems to favor a corner, which is natural enough, as a corner is the best place to display a fine public building. When the question of site was being discussed before the present building was erected the old Case property, at the corner of King and Walnut streets, was one of those favored. Since that time a three storey brick store, but not a very large affair, has been built there. The corner has a good many advocates now, however, and the fact that it is a quarter of a mile east of James street, seems to be in its favor.

The Library Board does not intend to pay a fancy price for a site, and therefore will not buy expensive buildings to tear them down. If money were plentiful, the Woolley shoe store, corner of the Duncan book store corner would be an ideal place, but both are held under leases.

DIED IN JAIL

Although He Was Not an Offender, But Merely Helpless.

Thomas McNeill died at the jail yesterday morning aged 78 years. His case became famous about a year ago because of the dispute between the city and Dundas as to who should take care of him. He was helpless and without means or friends. For a time he was in the House of Providence in Dundas, but as they had no means of caring for him there, he was sent to jail. The jail officials refused to take him in, and he was sent back to Dundas. The Attorney-General's department was communicated with, and it was ordered that he should be cared for in the Hamilton jail, where he remained up to the time of his death.

An inquest was opened this morning at the jail by Coroner Hopkins. To meet the requirements of the law, the jury was composed of seven free men and seven prisoners. The verdict was "death from natural causes." Deceased had a brother in this city, and one in Glasgow, and they arranged with James Dwyer for the burial.

TWO RAIDS.

Keepers Fined \$100 Each and the Inmates \$20.

The police started out on another moral reform crusade Saturday evening and as a result of raids made two alleged keepers of disorderly houses and five inmates were lodged in the cells. Those accused were Gertrude Lloyd, 102 MacNab street north, keeper; Mable Roddley and Lottie Taylor, inmates; Edith Hamilton, 167 Barton street west, keeper; Alice Thompson, Margaret Fales and Mary McDonald, inmates. Several men were found in the places, but after their names and addresses had been taken they were allowed to go. Both keepers and inmates pleaded guilty.

"I fine the keepers \$100 each, and the inmates \$20 each," said the Magistrate.

AN INCREASE

In Normal School Case of Duborgel vs. Whitham.

The Divisional Court has increased the judgment in favor of Eugene Duborgel and A. Frewing, Hamilton, plasterers, against S. F. Whitham, contractor, from \$87.65 to \$154.43. They sued for \$566.93, which they claimed due them as balances on lathing and plastering contract for \$1,700 on the new Normal School, which Whitham had the contract for from the Provincial Government to build for \$22,050. Mr. Justice Anglin, at the trial at Hamilton on December 28 last, awarded them \$87.65. As success is divided, no costs of the appeal are allowed by the Divisional Court. Mr. P. D. Crear, K. C., represented the plaintiffs, and Mr. W. Brewster, K. C., the defendant.



MRS. HAINS, Wife of Capt. Peter C. Hains.

INTEREST REVIVES AS INQUEST NEARS.

Authorities Making Strenuous Efforts to Find Out About Miss Marion Elliott.

Will the Crown authorities searchlight pierce the pall of mystery that enshrouds Hamilton's greatest murder mystery and show to the Coroner's jury in bold relief the slayer of Ethel Kinrade?

Will the next session of the inquest develop the big sensation at which the police officials have hinted? Have the detectives some new and startling evidence to spring at the last minute?

These questions are on every lip once more, and they are invited by the fact that within four days the investigation that has already proven dramatic and sensational will be under way again, with the Crown officials pursuing the relentless probing, that at the previous session drew a fire of criticism from papers all over the country. The press across the border dubbed it "third degree in public."

Hamilton, shortly after the tragedy, was promised sensations that did not develop, and the people are skeptical now when the police hint at startling new developments. It is true that the Coroner's investigation provided many dramatic thrills, but the sensation that the public expected and tensely awaited, some evidence that would point directly and unerringly to Ethel Kinrade's murderer, was not forthcoming.

The tenacity with which the authorities have stuck to the case, the efforts they have exerted since the inquest was adjourned, the investigation they have conducted, extending over a great area of the States, and the confidence they express afford hope that the Crown examiner on Thursday night will open up a line of evidence that will solve the mystery.

The detectives have not recovered the revolver, which is considered the most important link in the chain the Crown is trying to mould. They have not yet succeeded in locating Miss Elliott, the English woman, whom Florence Kinrade so frequently mentioned. This is a point to which a great deal of importance appears to be attached by George Tate Blackstock, the Crown examiner, and his lieutenants will bend every effort between now and Thursday night to find Miss Elliott. With that end in view they are said to be looking in Owen Sound for a man, who, it is believed, can furnish them with information. A despatch from there says:

"The police are looking for an important witness in connection with the Kinrade murder at Hamilton. His name is Arthur Scott. His business is said to be that of an entertainer."

It is believed that Arthur Scott can furnish information that will be of great value.

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SMITH SWORE THAT NEVILLES SHOT HIM.

Prisoner Committed For Trial--The Case Caused Quite a Stir in Court.

A distinct stir was caused in the Police Court this morning, when P. C. Harry Smith made his appearance to give evidence in connection with the charge against John Nevilles, accused of shooting him. Nevilles pleaded not guilty and Smith took the stand.

"You were shot on March 4th" asked Crown Attorney Washington.

"Yes," replied Smith.

"What time was it?"

"About 9 o'clock."

Smith then went on to tell of the discovery of the burglar in Edward Kappelle's house, and how he, after securing assistance, entered the yard. His story agreed with those already given in the papers.

"Do you know who shot you?" asked the Crown.

"Yes," answered Smith.

"Who?"

"John Nevilles," said Smith, firmly.

"Have you ever had any trouble with the prisoner?"

"Yes."

"Did he ever make any threats against you?"

"Yes."

"When?"

"When I first entered the alley."

"Where was this when you were entered?"

"Standing near the picket gate on Ray street."

"Was there any light?"

"Yes, the light from the street corner was shining on him."

"Who was it you first told who shot you?"

"The Chief."

"When?"

"I do not remember."

Mrs. Pumphrey, who lives two doors south of the Kappelle house, and saw the burglar as he passed through her yard a few minutes after the tragedy, was called.

Nevilles was told to put his cap on, and after taking a good look at him Mrs. Nevilles thought his chin and the lower part of his jaw looked like the man she saw, but she could not swear he was.

Dr. Greenway, who assisted at the operation on Smith, gave evidence of the probing and finding of the bullets and their location.

William Stevens, who employs Nevilles' father, and was alleged to have recognized the knife that was found in the house on the night of the shooting, denied that he had told one of the policemen that the knife belonged to Nevilles.

Edward Reid then took the stand, and when shown the knife said it looked like one Stevens had.

Stevens produced his knife and Reid recognized it as the one he had seen before.

A son of Mr. Kappelle was called and when shown some of the things found in the bag identified them. He was staying with an uncle at the time of the shooting, during his parents' visit in Florida.

P. C. John Clark gave evidence of the finding of the bag and revolver near the cellar window.

P. C. Brannen testified to the finding of the knife in one of the upstairs rooms. P. C. Tuck was that he saw Nevilles at the corner of King and Park streets at 11:15 o'clock on the night of the shooting. Nevilles made the remark, "Well, I see my friend Smith got it!" On the following Monday night Nevilles was committed to jail.

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Writs Issued

Four Suits Arising Out of Grimsby Accident

Grimsby, April 19.—An echo of the recent crossing fatality here comes in writs issued by Lancaster & Campbell, St. Catharines, against the Grand Trunk Railway for damages of \$10,000 for the death of William Arthur Wilson and Melissa Catherine Wilson, against the G. T. R., claiming \$5,000 damages for the death of Mrs. Ida Alma Wilson; Emma Jane Nelson vs. G. T. R., claiming \$3,000 damages for the death of Gordon Stanley Nelson; Susannah Teeter vs. G. T. R., for \$3,000 for the death of Jennie Gertrude Teeter. The writs are issued on the ground that the deaths of all five were caused by negligence of the defendants or their servants in operating trains through Grimsby. The cases will in all probability come before the High Court in the autumn.

THE MAN IN OVERALLS

Coroner Anderson might make a little money on the side if he would charge an admission fee to the inquest. It should be worth a quarter at least to see the jury and something more to hear Blackstock's megaphonic voice.

Perhaps those trustees who object to military drill in the schools may also object to fire drill.

John street is one of the city's busiest thoroughfares, and when the Union Station comes along will be busier still. The Jolley Cut is its great feeder. It should be widened from ten to twenty feet and the grade cut down. Who will head a movement to have this great work done?

You can accustom yourself to almost anything. There's the Easter bonnet, for instance, you never think of laughing at it now.

Will young men not attending day school be allowed to attend the technical school?

So the Patriotic Fund is to be kept for the war between Britain and Germany. Was that what it was subscribed for? I guess not.

Why not sell the Beach to the railway companies and do with it?

The proposal to illuminate the Gore and remove the fence has again raised the question as to the propriety of moving one of the street car tracks to the south side of the Gore. What's your opinion?

Dr. Lyle in his crusade in favor of the Art School is hitting straight from the shoulder. I don't blame him.

There is not much independence in a newspaper that takes the Tory side of a question ten times out of twelve.

We have often heard that the King can do no wrong. But we did not know that that was also true of Whitney.

I can excuse a man who forgets himself and uses some strong language when he is mad, but for the chap who habitually interlard his conversation with profanity I have no use and no excuse.

The trustees of the Patriotic Fund must be hard up for an excuse for hanging on to the money when they give the war scare for the reason. There are Boer war veterans in town who would be glad to get a share of the fund and who deserve it.

The city needs an inspector of signs. I hope the city improvement section of the Greater Hamilton movement will do something to bring about an improvement. Do you ever take a look along King or James and see the awful muddle they make?

Are you going to move next month or are you going to stay for another year and just put up with the inconvenience? Oh, yes, most landlords are the same, and some of the landlords are worse.

Of course, Maud, you know how to step off the cars properly yourself, but when your country cousins come to the city, do give them a drill before taking them out.

The Gospel of Thrift preached in Wesley Church last night by Dr. Samson is one that appeals to sane and provident men. Pity that more men did not live up to it; there would be less misery and crime in the world if they did.

It is pretty hard these April days to manage to sandwich the watering carts between showers.

Have you made your fortune in gold, silver, copper or zinc stocks forced on you by benevolent Westlanders, and when are you going to cash in? Hope your ventures will not have an Ennis & Stopanni ending.

Pure Virginia Cigarettes.

Tuckett's Club Virginia cigarettes make a smooth sweet smoke, and are guaranteed absolutely pure. They have cork tips, and are sold for 15 cents a box at peace's cigar store, 107 King street east.



CAPT. PETER C. HAINS, On Trial for Murder of Wm. E. Annis.

PLEAD INSANITY FOR CAPTAIN HAINS.

Flushing, April 19.—Insanity both at the time of the killing of Wm. E. Annis and since was expected to be the chief point in the defence in the trial beginning today of Capt. Peter C. Hains, jun., charged with the murder of Wm. E. Annis, on the float of the Bayside Yacht Club on Aug. 15 last.

Counsel for the defence announced that they will attempt to prove that the story of the friendship of Mrs. Hains for Annis, whether or not Mrs. Claudia L. Hains, wife of the defendant, would be called as a witness for the prosecution was not certain, and much depended on the decision on that point.

Fifty witnesses were summoned for the defence.

Counsel for the defence said today that if the strain was not too great

Capt. Hains would probably testify that his brother T. Jenkins Hains, who was acquitted of a similar charge, was expected also to be called to testify.

The selection of a jury began before Justice Garretson in the Supreme Court at the opening of court.

Captain Hains was brought over from the Queen's County jail in Long Island City. He looked pale and worn, and showed a heavy dark beard, which he has grown while in prison.

District Attorney Dewitt said before court opened that the prosecution would have about 25 witnesses, and had retained three alienists to combat any insanity plea which the defence might introduce. The district attorney said he had no formal promise from Mrs. Claudia Hains, the defendant's wife, that she would testify for the people, but that she had left Boston and would probably be accessible if wanted.

SUNDAY STABBING THAT LOOKED BAD.

Victim's Ante-Mortem Statement Taken, But He is Much Better To-day.

Alleging that he had, an hour before, while in the grip of his jealous passions, and under the influence of liquor, rushed into the boarding house of his brother-in-law, Ross Wallace, 22 Hunter street east, yesterday morning, and stabbed him over the heart with a large pocket knife, the police arrested Thomas Simpson, 152 John street south. The officers' theory is that, tossing the knife hurriedly to one side, he ran from the house to his own home, where he was arrested about an hour later by Sgt. Finch, and T. H. & B. Detective MacDonald. According to Mrs. Simpson, the stabbing was the result of a quarrel she had with her husband. She and her two children were down town on Saturday evening, and when they returned, about 11:30 p. m., they found the door locked. Being unable to get in, they went over to her brother-in-law's place and asked him to put them up for the night, which they did. Early on Sunday morning Simpson went around to the Hunter street house and asked for his wife. After talking with one of the

boarders for a few seconds he went away. At 10 o'clock he returned, and without waiting to knock at the door, he is alleged to have shoved his way in, and rushed up the stairs into his brother-in-law's room. A fierce altercation took place, and those outside could hear the men quarrelling, then came the sound of blows, and a few seconds later Simpson hurriedly left the house. Wilfred David, one of the boarders, rushed into the room, and was horrified to behold Wallace standing in the centre of the apartment with his hand held tightly over his heart, and his shirt covered with blood. "Are you injured?" he asked. "Yes, but not much," replied Wallace. "I will get a doctor," said David, leaving the room. Dr. A. E. Wickins was sent for, and upon arriving upon the scene, dressed the wound and left the house. As soon as he got back to his office he telephoned the police, informing them of the affair and asking that the ambulance be sent up so that the injured man could be conveyed to the City Hospital. Upon the arrival of the ambulance Wallace was put inside and taken to the Hospital. Sgt. Finch, who went up in the wagon, gathered up the knife.

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BELL'S PLAY

Will be Called "The Heart of a Charlatan."

With reference to the titles submitted by theatregoers for the play by C. W. Bell, recently produced at the Savoy Theatre, it has been decided that no title is as likely as the author's own, namely: "The Heart of a Charlatan," has been submitted. Negotiations are now in progress for a big production of Mr. Bell's play across the line, and "The Heart of a Charlatan" will be the title used. The competition, however, brought out some very good titles, among them the following: "The Salvation of Dr. Maywood," "Nemesis," "The Crucible," "The Recantation of Maywood," "By Force of Circumstance," "The Measure Ye Mete," "Even a Charlatan." One or two of these titles, particularly "The Measure Ye Mete," are in all probability better sounding than the author's own, but for practical purposes come short of the same.

FOUND HER.

Missing Toronto Girl at Her Uncle's in This City.

After having their attention called by Assessment Commissioner MacLeod to the likeness of a newspaper picture of Celia Lass, a thirteen year old girl, missing from Toronto since last Tuesday, to that of a child who sat in police headquarters on Friday night appealing to the authorities to find her uncle, Morris Goldberg, the detectives this morning found the girl and discovered that she was the one wanted in Toronto. She was living with her uncle, Mr. Goldberg, in rear of 199 King street east. Her Toronto address is 3 MacDougal lane.

She was working at the home of Mrs. Benjamin, Elizabeth street, Toronto, but it is presumed that she did not like the place and ran away. The girl discovered that she went to four or five places that day in search of employment. She said nothing to her friends about coming to Hamilton.

Elimination

Of poisonous matter from the system means health. The kidneys and liver do a great deal to eliminate the waste material of the body. You can help these organs in their work by taking a teaspoonful of Parkes' Lithiated Fruit Granules in a half a glass of water every morning before breakfast. They keep the stomach sweet. 25c per bottle. Parkes & Parke.

Mr. W. Bullough, of this city, leaves on the Campania on Wednesday for a trip to England.

FINDLAY GOT 15 MONTHS.

The Would-Be-Burglar Who Was Caught by Mr. Fox.

John Hogan Gets Six Months For Stealing Watch.

Other Cases Before Police Magistrate This Morning.

For attempting to enter the house of Sidney Fox, 308 Locke street south, a week ago last Friday night, and maltreating the owner, Alexander Findlay was sentenced to fifteen months in prison by Magistrate Jelfs this morning. Findlay took the sentence very calmly and seemed even relieved that it was not heavier. The circumstances will be easily recalled. Mrs. Fox heard a noise around her house on Locke street; Fox went out to investigate; found Findlay with a cellar window opened, and, although the would-be-burglar was much larger than he and made a motion as if to draw a revolver, Mr. Fox gave him a hard running fight, and kept him at bay until the police arrived, after he (Fox) had been pretty badly used. Findlay pleaded guilty of the charge when arraigned in the police court, and was remanded until this morning for sentence.

Thomas and Robert Murphy were this morning committed for trial by Magistrate Jelfs for attempted aggravated assault upon Walter Obernesser. The trouble began in Obernesser's hotel at the corner of Hunter and Hughson streets. Obernesser's side of the story was that Murphy entered the bar on Thursday afternoon, and when he, the bartender, was walking through the bar Murphy threw a glass at him. It grazed his nose and broke against the wall. Obernesser telephoned to the police, and then proceeded to hold Murphy until the police arrived. Thomas Murphy was in the billiard room while the fight was on, and when he entered the bar-room Obernesser had his brother down on the floor. Thomas, witness said, tried to interfere, but was warned to get out. The charge against Robert Murphy was at that time, drunkenness. A short time later Thomas Murphy had Obernesser summoned on a charge of assault. Obernesser followed this up with a charge against the two brothers of aggravated assault. Both pleaded not guilty, but the evidence was so complicated that the Magistrate decided that it was a case for a jury.

John Hogan, of Dundas, who was remanded for sentence on Saturday, after pleading guilty to a charge of stealing a watch from Thornhill's jewelry store on Friday, was sentenced to six months in Central Prison by Magistrate Jelfs this morning.

"Make it four months, Your Worship," said Hogan, jumping up; "I have a wife and family to support."

"You should have thought of that before," replied the Magistrate, with a wave of his hand to indicate that the case was closed.

With a blush of shame Harry McDonald admitted that his capacity for drinkables had proven smaller than his desire for the same. "I am sorry," said the Magistrate, nonchalantly.

The best that William Robinson could show in the way of previous good record was a dry period of five months just passed. As twelve months is the recognized standard of sobriety in the Police Court, he was sentenced to three months in Central Prison for a second offence. "Guilty, your Honor," said Bill Thornton. He had been unable to resist an inclination to toss off too many of the kind that thrill, and was charged \$2.

Stanley George, 71 York street, got on a spree on Saturday night, and succeeded in having four charges laid against him. He was accused by the Hamilton Bus Company of breaking windows; Fanny Bayles accused him of assault and doing willful damage; the police accused him of being drunk. He pleaded guilty to the drunk charge, and was fined \$2 for that. S. B. Thompson appeared for the Bus Company, and said that the damage, which amounted to \$10, had been paid, and that the company was willing to drop the charge. The complainant in the other cases did not appear.

WRITS ISSUED.

Saltfleet Woman Suing Because of Accident in Butcher Market.

On February 13th last Mrs. Mary Williams was seriously injured by a falling marble slab in the butcher market, and the tendons of her leg were broken. She has instructed Mr. S. D. Biggar, K. C., to issue a writ against the city for unstated damages for alleged negligence in having the slab placed in such a dangerous position. Mrs. Williams lives in Saltfleet.

Stanton, O'Heir & Morison have issued a writ against E. Webb & Company, of Toronto, for A. E. Carpenter, of this city, for \$5,000 damages for the alleged wrongful conveyance of 45 shares of common stock of the Dominion Coal Company.

An injunction has been issued by Judge Snider on behalf of the Manufacturers' Natural Gas Company to restrain the Holmes Gas Company from interfering with the pipe line of the former company. Stanton, O'Heir & Morison are acting for the Manufacturers' Company.

Acting on behalf of the Petrie Manufacturing Company, Mr. S. D. Biggar, K. C., has issued a writ against H. Mumford, of Trenton, Ont., for the value of three cream separators, which it is alleged were wrongfully converted to the defendant's use.

Gibson, Osborne & O'Reilly have issued a writ against the Grand Valley Railway for the price of power supplied by the Cataract Power Company for three months, amounting to \$1,963.

The ice jam in the Niagara River raised the wharf which the Turbina docked at two seasons ago about twenty feet.

The Earl's Mistake

Suddenly he heard some one stumble down the companionway and struggle to the door. It was Williams, the skipper. "For heaven's sake, come on deck, sir," he shouted—there would have been little use in whispering in such an uproar. Gerald Moore closed the door after him, and staggered on deck, and Williams seized his arm. "We have lost our rudder!" he shouted in Gerald's ear. "We are drifting on the rocks. The vessel is lost! Lost! Look!" and he pointed to the shore, as a flash of lightning lit up the scene with a lurid gleam. Gerald Moore saw the white foam breaking on the rocks in front of them—saw in the one instant they were drifting from the harbor line, saw, in a word, death grinning in front of them. The men saw it too, and a deep groan seemed to burst from their very hearts, but not a word of complaint or fear. "The boats!" he shouted. The skipper shook his head. "No good, sir; they couldn't live a minute! Ah! the lady, sir—the lady!" Gerald had thought of her long since. "Get the long boat ready!" he cried in the man's ear; then he went below. She was sitting up, her face white and strained, but with a strange look of calm in it. "Zenobia!" he cried, "come on deck; don't be alarmed—be calm, for heaven's sake! There is danger!" She smiled an awful smile. "I know it! You have come to tell me we are lost! I should die. Did I not tell you I knew I should die?" "No, no!" he cried desperately. "Come on deck!" And, half carrying her, he took her up the stairs. "No time—not a moment!" shouted Williams, seizing her. But she clung to Gerald's arm with a clutch of steel. "I will not go! I will not leave you!" The vessel lurched, Gerald holding the mast and clutching her, remained with her on deck, but Williams was washed overboard. By a flash of lightning they saw the long boat break away from the ship's side, saw the men in her pick up the skipper, then all was dark. "Leave my arm free!" he cried in an agony. "Let me bind you to this spar! Zenobia, are you mad? I can save you yet." With a wild cry that rang above the roar of the waves, she clung to him still more tightly. One awful moment of waiting, one awful, dreadful instant that seemed like years, and then, with a crash, the mast was overboard, with the two helpless creatures clinging to it. CHAPTER XXXIII. The crowd grew thicker on the shore. For three hours the storm had raged as it had not been known to rage on that coast for years. Amidst the pealing thunder could be heard the resounding clang of a voice, a voice, the firing of rockets, the shrieks and yells of excited men and women. Every living soul in Sandgate stood on the shore, and every eye was strained upon the ship that lay heaving its heart out against the treacherous rocks that in fair weather lay hidden under the smiling sea, but now gaped out upon the doomed ship like beasts waiting their prey. In the midst of the crowd stood the group from the hotel; a little way apart Philippa, Willie and Lord Cecil, and even Carrie, wrapped in a thick shawl, and clinging to her arm. Every now and then, as they could hear the doomed vessel beating her ribs against the rocks, a shudder ran through the crowd, and a voice would gasp up, "She's gone—she's gone!" But once more she rose, but to dash with greater force on the white breakers. "Ah," sobbed Carrie, "how dreadful! Think, think, dearest, if any one we knew or cared for were in her!" Philippa was silent; no one as yet had mentioned the name of the ship, and yet a horror was growing upon her. At last, illumined by a flash of lightning, the moment came. With a sound like the tearing of iron from wood, roar from afar, the doomed vessel broke in two, and was flung, a shattered mass, almost at the feet of the spectators! Almost at the same moment the long boat, with the skipper and the crew, was tossed on the beach, and a roar of thanksgiving and relief rose from the excited crowd. But suddenly it changed to a shout of dread. What were those two figures still in the trough of the waves? A yell went up, and a hundred men, women and children dashed down the beach, and, spite of the fierce raging waves and blinding spray, some of the men rushed into the water. As they did so, repulsed again and again, a cry went up, "They have got them! They have got them!" And moved by an irresistible impulse, Carrie dragged Lord Cecil's arm. "Come, Cecil, come! I must go and see! Come!" He went, Philippa following, and there on the beach lay a man and a woman. Her white face was upturned in the light of the lanterns swinging in the hands of the men who surrounded them, and, with a cry, Lord Cecil saw that it was Zenobia. Her hand was clinched on the coat of the man, and could not be released even when they turned him over to see his face; it was Gerald Moore. They were both dead, but from beyond death Gerald Moore sent a message to the girl he had loved and so nearly ruined. They found in his pocket the note he had written in the morning, and brought it to her, and with her hand in Lord Cecil's, her head on his shoulder, she read it. "Forgive me! Deep as my love was, great as was my temptation, my punishment will be deeper and greater. Once more, forgive me, and when in the future you shall, from the safe haven of your husband's arms, give a thought to Gerald Moore, pray to heaven that he may have learned to forget! Farewell!" (To be Continued.)

TIMES PATTERNS.



Home Dress for Misses or Small Women.

Nos. 8380-8378.—Composed of misses' waist pattern No. 8380, and misses' skirt pattern No. 8378, both cut in sizes for 14, 16 and 18 years. The waist has a shaped front, opening over a tucked chemise or shield. The fullness is arranged in tucks over the shoulders. The sleeve may be finished in elbow or full length. The skirt has a plaited front panel and is plaited at the sides and back. Brown cashmere with trimming of green soutache and green and brown covered buttons and with chemise and lower sleeve portions of net, was here combined. A pattern of this costume will be mailed to any address on receipt of 10 cents for each pattern in silver or stamps.

Address, "Pattern Department," Times Office, Hamilton.

It will take several days before you can get patterns.

SALOON MURDER.

GEORGE B. M'KINNON KILLED AT ST. CLAIR, MICH.

Shot Down by Capt. Ralph Pringle, a Well-Known Lake Captain—Pringle Accused McKinnon of Flirting With His Wife.

Port Huron, Mich., April 18.—George Birell McKinnon, aged thirty-one years, of Mooretown, Ont., was shot by Capt. Ralph Pringle, of St. Clair, in the latter town shortly after midnight this morning. McKinnon died this afternoon at 4 o'clock, after remaining in an unconscious condition almost until the last.

According to eye-witnesses, Captain Pringle entered the saloon known as the "Hole in the Wall," and seeing McKinnon flirting with a woman, who he declared that the town was not big enough for both of them. The two men entered a side room, and an instant later three shots were fired and McKinnon fell to the floor unconscious.

Before breathing his last at the hospital McKinnon said that Pringle had flirted with his wife three years ago, and that he had vowed to get even. Neither of the men were intoxicated at the time. Captain Pringle is a well-known lake captain.

This year he expected to sail the steamer William A. Young. McKinnon had sailed for two years as a first mate. Last season he was on the steamer Rose Mount, of Montreal, and this year he had agreed to sail on the steamer Adriatic. Before breathing his last at the hospital McKinnon said that Pringle had no reason for shooting him. He would have said more, but he was too weak. He died before he could be revived.

Pringle is a son of Captain J. C. Pringle, and is one of four boys, all of whom are sailors. The Pringle family is well known. Mr. McKinnon was a son of Dr. W. McKinnon, of Courtwright.

WOMAN'S SUICIDE.

Mrs. Edler, of Pilkington, Wanders Away From Her Home.

Elora, April 18.—During a temporary fit of insanity Mrs. George Edler, of the township of Pilkington, near Bethel, wandered from her home on Saturday last. A futile search for her was made until to-day, when it was found she had been drowned in a creek which runs through the Edler farm. The body was discovered by a neighbor, Mr. Moses Auger. There is every reason to believe it was a case of suicide. She leaves a husband and family of five, the youngest being about ten years of age.

GANDER ATTACK.

Little Girl's Neck Broken at Munroe, Mich.

Windsor, April 18.—Hearing his baby girl scream out in the yard while he was eating supper, William Winkelman, of Munroe, Mich., rushed out and found the child lying motionless on the ground, with a large gander standing nearby. Investigation showed that the child's neck was broken, and it is believed the gander had beaten the little one with its wings so severely as to cause the injury.

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John Love, a Toronto contractor, is dead.

AT R. MCKAY & CO'S. TUESDAY, APRIL 20, 1909

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Reg. 25c New York Dress Muslins for Tuesday 15c Yd.

Another shipment of pretty Muslins on sale to-morrow, consisting of white ground effects, very popular this season, with hair line stripes and overchecks, lovely sheerness and will make up very effective summer dresses; good values at 25c; Tuesday sale price 15c yard.

A splendid purchase of new patterns in White Vesting enables us to make this splendid offer for to-morrow. Fill your Summer Shirts waist needs here to-morrow and save; worth regularly 22c, sale price 15c yard.

Watch and Wait for Clover Day

Bear this in mind, it is important to you. We will announce the date in to-morrow night's issue of this paper.—R. McKay & Co.

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Manufacturers' Stock of Rich Quality Black Silk and Wool Dress Goods; Worth Regularly Up to 89c Yd.

Possibly this store has never offered a finer collection of lovely Black Dress Goods, consisting of a London manufacturer's lot who caters to the best trade on sale to-morrow at a price that is bound to cause a flutter in our Black Dress Goods Section to-morrow. In the lot you will find beautiful dress lengths of Silk and Wool Voiles, Eoliennes, Crepines, etc., in plain, shadow stripe, ribbon stripe and many other fancy designs, new and up-to-date in every detail; just the kind of material for rich Summer gowns at a most extraordinary sale price; worth regularly up to \$1.75; sale price 89c yd.

Special Values Here for Tuesday

Nainsook 18c Huck Toweling 20c

42-inch Union Nainsook, soft, silky finish, thoroughly shrank, worth 25c, for 18c. 21-inch Huck Toweling, heavy, absorbent, worth 20c, for 15c.

Bleached Damask 67c

72-inch Bleached Damask, fine satin finish, choice designs, worth \$1.00, for 67c.

Nearlino 20c Tea Towels 12 1/2c

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We will put on sale Tuesday morning balance of French Hand Embroidered Waists, worth regular \$3.50, Tuesday for only \$1.49

Floor Covering Bargains

Splendid Reductions for Tuesday

Tapestry Room Rugs

\$7.00 Tapestry Rugs for \$5.00, \$8.50 Tapestry Rugs for \$7.00, \$10.00 Tapestry Rugs for \$8.00, \$11.50 Tapestry Rugs for \$9.50

Brussels Room Rugs

\$15.50 Brussels Rugs for \$10.50, \$15.50 Brussels Rugs for \$12.00, \$20.00 Brussels Rugs for \$14.50, \$22.50 Brussels Rugs for \$18.50

Velvet Room Rugs

\$15.00 Velvet Room Rugs for \$12.00, \$20.00 Velvet Room Rugs for \$16.50, \$24.00 Velvet Room Rugs for \$19.75, \$26.00 Velvet Room Rugs for \$22.50

Wilton Room Rugs

\$25.00 Wilton Room Rugs for \$20.00, \$30.00 Wilton Room Rugs for \$24.50, \$35.00 Wilton Room Rugs for \$29.00, \$40.00 Wilton Room Rugs for \$33.50

Tapestry Carpets

55c Tapestry Carpet for 45c, 80c Tapestry Carpet for 62 1/2c, 95c Tapestry Carpet for 72 1/2c, \$1.00 Tapestry Carpet for 80c

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\$1.00 Brussels Carpet for 82 1/2c, \$1.25 Brussels Carpet for \$1.00, \$1.35 Brussels Carpet for \$1.15, \$1.45 Brussels Carpet for \$1.30

Velvet and Other Carpets

\$1.35 Velvet Carpet for \$1.00, \$1.65 Wilton Carpet for \$1.00, \$1.85 Wilton Carpet for \$1.45, \$1.75 Axminster Carpet for \$1.45

Inlaid Linoleum

90c Inlaid Linoleum for 75c, \$1.10 Inlaid Linoleum for \$1.00, 55c Printed Linoleum for 45c, 60c Printed Linoleum for 50c

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CONVICTS BUILD ROADS.

Western States Use Them in Making Great Highways.

The list of States now using convict labor on the highways is too long to mention in detail, says Popular Mechanic, in Colorado, New Mexico and Wyoming are using such labor to construct a great highway which will run through the three States, and Washington, Oregon, North Carolina and Georgia, as well as several other States, have gangs at work.

The convict road gang at work in the southern part of Colorado numbers eighty-eight men. They wear no distinguishing badge in the way of clothing, and no armed guards are to be seen anywhere. If a man wishes to escape from such a camp it is conceded that he can easily do so, but that he may be overtaken elsewhere follows as a matter of course, and the penalty—dreaded by any convict who has had a taste of open work—means that his activities will from then on to the end of his term be confined within the prison walls.

ALAS, THE POOR BURGLAR!

He Lost His Plunder by a Bit of Bungling.

London, April 17.—There was a dramatic little incident in a London bus a couple of days ago. A working woman who was carrying a brown paper parcel, sat next a man similarly equipped. The woman left the bus and on arriving home and opening the parcel that she thought was hers found that instead of soap it contained jewelry and other valuables worth over \$2,000. She took her find at once to Scotland Yard.

The police are now anxiously searching for the loser, whose omission to come forward is explained by the fact that the jewelry was immediately recognized by the police as the proceeds of a recent burglary. The feelings of the burglar when he got home and opening his parcel found it to contain only soap may be left to the imagination.

DIMINUTIVE FARMS.

Those in Portugal Cut Up Into Very Small Portions.

The Portuguese are an extremely conservative people. Every man follows rigidly the methods employed by his father and grandfather in every part of the country the old wooden plows are used.

When a man dies instead of one of the heirs taking the whole property and paying the remaining heirs for their parts the whole property is divided into as many parts as there are heirs. More than this, each separate part of the property is thus divided.

This is a property consisted of ten acres of pasture land, eighty of vineyard and ten of grain land, and there were ten heirs, each heir would receive one acre each of grain and pasture land and eight acres of vineyard. This process has been going on for a very long time, so that now in the most fertile part of Portugal the land is divided into incredibly small portions.

The immediate result of this, according to the United States Consular Reports, is that the product of the land is barely sufficient at best to sustain its owners. South of the River Tagus, on the other hand, there are enormous tracts of excellent land lying unused, but it has been found impossible to induce the farmers of the north to move into this region and take up large holdings.

Canada Pushing to the Front.

Paris, April 18.—The annual report of the British Chamber of Commerce calls attention to the extent to which the trade of Canada was hampered during the past year, prior to the ratification of the Franco-Canadian treaty, to which great importance is attached as showing how the Dominion is coming into the forefront in the battle for the world's trade.

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The popular steamer "CANADA" is also again scheduled to carry three classes of passengers. While the fast steamer "OTTAWA" and the comfortable steamer "DOMINION" as one-class cabin steamers (called second class), are very attractive, at moderate rates. Third class carried on all steamers. See class and rates at local agent's or company's office.

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It will pay you to use the Want Column of the Times. BUSINESS TELEPHONE 363.

Dragged by Runaway Horse.

Kingston, April 17.—An automobile frightened a horse driven by Mr. John Lawless, of Dufferin, Pittsburg township. It bolted, upset the rig and threw Mrs. Lawless against a barbed wire fence. She was dragged along the road for some distance. Great gashes were torn in her face, requiring thirty-one stitches. She is now in the Hotel Dieu. Her husband escaped serious injury.

Poor Old Noto.

"I have concocted an anecdote about a mean man, but I don't know of any mean man to hitch it to."

"Hitch it to Emperor Nero. He has no friends."—Louisville Courier Journal.

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INTEREST REVIVES AS INQUEST NEARS. (Continued from Page 1.)

greater assistance to the police than anything that has yet developed. Arthur Scott is supposed to have lived in Owen Sound during the winter of 1907, taking part in a number of concerts as a vocalist. He is not remembered here by that name, and may possibly have been using a professional name. From the tone of the communication, it is believed that Scott knows the Miss Elliott who was mentioned so prominently in Miss Kinrade's evidence at the inquest.

The Owen Sound police have communicated with the officers at Watton, as it is believed he is better known there. Whether the communication came from the provincial detective department or from the crown counsel is not known. The new evidence that the authorities have gathered will not in itself solve the mystery. A sledge hammer investigation before the coroner's jury that will make all the witnesses tell all they know may be said to be the one hope of the detective first began.

There are rumors that Luke Copple, who was employed as a delivery man at Hunt's grocery store, where Florence Kinrade ran to give the alarm after leaving Mrs. Hickey's house, might be able to tell something. The gossip says the police have heard of reasons for Copple's dismissal, but they know nothing about the evidence he may give. The Times called Mr. Hunt up this morning and asked him the reason for Copple's discharge, especially if it had anything to do with the Kinrade murder. He said, "On the afternoon of the tragedy I was down town talking to Magistrate Jelfa. We walked up King street, and the ex- cept before the murder were on the street before I reached home. After sup- per a customer came into the store and Luke kept talking with the party. I did not like the way he was acting and ordered him out of the store. We have not spoken since. It was not on account of anything he said I discharged him. Copple was employed at Hunt's gro- cery store for nearly seventeen years.

A Richmond, Va., despatch says: In quest of clues that may unravel the detective murder mystery an officer of the attorney-general's department of Ontario has been in Richmond, Va., and Man- chester several days trying to learn something of the history of Florence Kinrade, sister of Ethel Kinrade, who has murdered in her home in Hamilton, Ont., February 25. The crown officer learned that she did sing for some time in a Portsmouth choir, that she was for six weeks in Manchester, though she did not sing there, and now he is trying to discover if she was ever known in Rich- mond. Her own story about the crime has never been disproved and there have not been established any other clues on which to base another theory. The the- ory was advanced that Ethel was mur- dered by some one who had followed Florence from Virginia. Every clue is being worked to find that man or even to establish the existence of such a man.

MAN DROWNED. Cleveland, Ohio, April 19.—One man drowned and three persons had narrow escapes from death when an electric launch overturned in the Cuyahoga River yesterday. The rescues were effected by river men. Milton Teasdale had taken the party, one of whom was his daughter, for a pleasure trip. He steered the launch too near the freight- er the Northern Light, and the waves which swept out from the bow of the large boat struck the launch, overturning it.

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Ireland's Immunity from Crime. I quoted the other day some facts from the Ulster Guardian showing, on the authority of the Judge's charges at the spring assizes, how free from crime Ireland has recently been. A Crown Prosecutor now writes to me from Dub- lin further pointing the moral by giving the exact figures. He shows that in 32 counties (excluding the cities of Dublin, Belfast and Cork, where crime was of a very normal type) there were only 138 indictments, mostly of a very ordinary character. This number works out at only four a county, or thirty-five to each million of the population. My cor- respondent triumphantly asks, "Do the records of any country in the world exhibit such immunity from crime?"—London Daily News.

Boston Schoolgirl's Wish. A Boston school teacher received rather a shock the other day when she got an insight into the mind of one of her little scholars. The teacher had asked the children to write an answer to the question, "What do you wish to be when you are grown up?" One little pale-faced girl, with a pre- maturely old face, wrote this single sentence: "I want to be an old maid."—Boston Record.

VESSEL FOR U. S. Amsterdam, April 19.—The ship Halve Maan, which the Netherlands will present to the United States on the occasion of the Hudson-Fulton celebration, was launched Saturday. She will be completed and sent to New York in the early part of July.

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POET MISSING. Suffering from Cancer and Financial Troubles. London, April 19.—There is no trace of John Davidson, the poet, who has been missing from his home at Pensance since March 23, and his family have now given up all hope of seeing him alive. A search of the poet's papers has re- vealed a document, in which he wrote: "The time has come to make an end." After reference to financial difficulties and ill-health he concludes: "I cannot put up with cancer."

TELEPHONE CITY. Grand Valley Railway Improving Its Road Bed. (Special Despatch to the Times.) Brantford, Ont., April 19.—The Grand Valley Railway Company has sixty men at work between here and Paris, cutting down curves, re-grading and re-lining, making a much safer and better road. Ten minutes will be cut off the time between these two points. Superintendent Kellatt states that the work will be completed by about the first of June.

HEATHER BOWLING CLUB—No Illegal Fishing. (Special Despatch to the Times.) Brantford, Ont., April 19.—The Heather Bowling Club met and appointed sub-committees for the season. The mat- ches of holding a tournament open to all comers was discussed, and met the ap- proval of the committee, and in all probability one will be held. The first matches of the season will be held on Victoria Day.

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A FAKE STORY. Report That Kaiser Swallowed a Fishbone. Vienna, April 19.—A private despatch from Vienna received by the to-day, said that Emperor William was seriously ill as a result of swallowing a fish bone. The local newspapers issued extra editions, and the rumor caused great uneasiness.

NO ILLEGAL FISHING. Fishery Inspector Johnson is keeping a close watch on the river at present, picketed being out of season. The inten- tion is to preserve the fish, and the In- ternational Fish and Game Protection Society will aid in the enforcement of the law.

RACE FOR LIFE. The Dufferin Rifles will play in the city parks for this summer. Tenders for the improvement of the Court House were opened on Saturday. Shea, the Peterboro' catcher, will re- port to the Grand, Shapley & Muir team in a couple of weeks.

County Constable Kerr was in Hamilton on Saturday to secure witnesses for the trial of Ed. Hall for alleged horse- stealing, which takes place to-day. A syndicate has been formed to drill for gas at Waterloo.

ALFONSO'S SALARY. Madrid, April 19.—A compilation of the moneys paid to the members of the royal family of Spain shows that King Alfonso receives a salary of \$121,638.

STEEL BRIDGES SHORT LIVED. The late George S. Morrison, one of the foremost American engineers of his day, claimed steel bridges are built to last fifty years, but they usually last hardly half this time. This condition is due to insufficient of entire absence of maintenance, says Cement Age (N. Y.). A certain highway bridge in Wisconsin had to be repaired after only eight years of service. Of course, this is an exceptional case. Steel bridges over railroad tracks where locomotive gases can produce their full destructive effect, have been known to last just about the same period. A well-known authority cites an example of a girder erected in 1886 and found with its web entirely eaten away at many points in 1907. A conservative deduction from the fore- going, and many other observations, would lead to the conclusion that ordi- nary highway bridges should not be assigned an average life exceeding 20 years at most, and 15 would be a really better period to which to limit the life of steel highway bonds. Railroad bridges usually receive better care, and their life may be considered as some- what longer, except that from time to time they must be strengthened in order to make them safe for increased loads.

MINISTER DEAD. London, April 19.—The Rev. James Harrison Bigg, the well-known Wesley- an Methodist minister, is dead.

OVATION TO JOSEPH. Vienna, April 19.—Fully 7,000 persons crowded the grounds of the Imperial palace at Schoenbrunn yesterday to pay homage to Emperor Francis Joseph for his safeguarding the Empire's peace.

FOUR KILLED. Grand Rapids, Mich., April 19.—Four men were reported killed in a wreck on the Grand Trunk near Berlin, Mich., this morning.

LYNCHED HERE. Fort Worth, Tex., April 19.—Three white men are reported lynched to-day at Ada, Oklahoma. One of the number was Jim B. Miller, of Fort Worth, a prominent stock man and known as "Bad Man." The mob is reported to have stormed the jail.

THE HAMILTON TIMES MONDAY, APRIL 19, 1909.

THE GOSPEL OF THRIFT.

The moral and economic value of thrift to a community or the people of a country has ever been rightly regarded as exceedingly great. It means industry, temperance, independence, confidence, hopefulness in the future, and cultivates in the individual the finer graces of true charity and helpfulness. Unthrift lies at the root of much of the criminality which afflicts society. No person who has taken a large view of the subject and its importance to morals and economics will fail to appreciate the wisdom of Government devoting its energies to schemes for the promotion of thrift, and the eminent fitness of such a subject to be dealt with in the Christian churches of our land. Dr. James Sampson's address in Wesley Church last evening was one which touched a subject affecting the life of every man and woman. It was teaching to right living, to avoidance of an old age of poverty by the exercise of that God-given forethought which is, unfortunately, not too generally exercised by the average man and woman in the days of their strength and hopefulness. Old age and death are not to be avoided, and the capacity of the toiler to earn and to hold his own in the struggle of life, gives way to advancing years. Even if some provision for the future has been made, many contingencies may arise in which it may be swept away. The Old Age Annuities system, which Dr. Sampson so eloquently set forth, is not a charity scheme—a something-for-nothing arrangement which promises to idleness and profligality an easy old age at the public expense. It teaches self-help; it encourages industry and providence. It strengthens, instead of weakens, character. It cultivates manly independence instead of breaking down that self-respect which would earn rather than beg.

Dr. Sampson has been a lifelong student of morals and economics. He comes of that sturdy Scottish stock whose belief in the duty of self-reliance is strong, and which would rather wear its fingers to the bone than seek to sponge upon society or friends. He sees the intimate connection which exists between social economics and national and individual morals. His heart is in the work of bettering conditions among his fellow-men, and this Old Age Annuities scheme appeals strongly to him as a means of uplifting the young and middle-aged, and providing against the dreariness and poverty of the late years of the masses. Dr. Sampson is an educated man, a man of striking personality, and a powerful and magnetic platform speaker. His efforts to bring the advantages of the annuities system before those to whom it offers so much benefit should be productive of good results.

The annuities scheme was conceived by Sir Richard Cartwright in the interest of the masses who can hardly look forward to laying up fortunes. Its principal features are that any person may, by payments spread over a series of years, make provision for an annuity of from \$50 to \$800 a year. This annuity cannot be seized for debt, and cannot be forfeited. Payments may be made in any sums desired, from 25c upwards, monthly, quarterly, half-yearly, or yearly. Payment may be made in one lump sum or additions may thereafter be made. Provision may be made for wife and children, and joint annuities may be provided for husband and wife. Immediate annuities may be provided for where it is desired to do so. If a person die before attaining the annuity age, his fund will go to his heirs with 3 per cent. compound interest. Provision is made that on reaching the annuity age a person may insure his annuity for a certain number of years so that it will accrue to his heirs. All cost of management is paid by the Government which guarantees the investment, and the annuity fund accumulates interest at 4 per cent. per annum. There are no lapses, interruption of payment by sickness, loss of employment or other cause, involves no loss.

It is obvious that such a scheme is eminently calculated to encourage thrift, and to brighten the prospects of the evening of life for the toiler. It should be widely utilized by the Canadian public. It is bound to have its effect upon the national character.

MORE DECEPTION.

The Toronto Mail and Empire shows a studied avoidance of the fact in discussing the course of Parliament with regard to the attacks of the slanderbund upon Hon. Mr. Pugsley. It pretends to consider the attitudes of governments and Parliament in the past toward proposed inquiries, saying: "No Government, until the Laurier Government came to office, has disputed the right of Parliament to make the closest and most minute investigation possible into every operation in which money is concerned." This is exceedingly disingenuous. The Laurier Government, very far from perpetrating inquiry, places before the Opposition every means provided by our parliamentary system for full investigation of every item entering into the accounts brought before Parliament. And it will be observed that, although much abuse has been showered upon Hon. Mrs. Pugsley, the Opposition has not even brought the matter before the Public Accounts Committee. The Mail and Empire does not refer to the Pacific scandal inquiry, but it has the hardihood to speak in praise of the course of the Conservative Government for conducting inquiries into the Curran bridge steal and the McGreevy scandal. It may be remarked here that no credit is due to the Government that of time for conducting these

inquiries—no more than for the inquiry into the Pacific scandal. The Government of that day was obliged to investigate. It will be remembered that in the McGreevy case, Hon. Mr. Tarte brought charges in Parliamentary form, assuming due responsibility therefor. It was the same in the Curran case. The procedure in both cases was strictly according to the rules of Parliament, and investigation naturally followed. With reference to Mr. Pugsley and the notorious Mayes affidavit, it is only asked that those who attack the Minister shall pursue the same course—make their charges in proper form, according to the rules of Parliament, and assume responsibility therefor. Mr. Pugsley has challenged his detractors and assured them that he will welcome an inquiry at any time. They do not come forward with a charge. The Mail and Empire goes so far as to say: "To demand that a charge be made is equivalent to the call for a verdict before the testimony has been presented." Could anything more absurd, more indicative of insincerity and dishonesty, be imagined?

THE INTERCOLONIAL.

At the banquet tendered him by the Reform Club at Montreal, on Saturday night, Hon. Mr. Graham, Minister of Railways and Canals, definitely stated that the Intercolonial was to be placed under a commission, consisting of Messrs. Tiffin, Pottinger, Butler and Brady. Further than to make this statement and to announce that the commission would be formed along the lines of the committee which will have charge of the Pennsylvania Railway, Mr. Graham entered into no particulars. This commission will be given an opportunity to show what it can do with the railway before anything further is attempted. Messrs. Pottinger and Tiffin are now connected with the Intercolonial and are both capable men. Mr. Butler is Deputy-Minister of Railways and Mr. Brady is a divisional superintendent of the C. P. R., and regarded as a skillful railway administrator. If Hon. Mr. Graham succeeds in putting the National Railway white elephant on a self-supporting basis permanently, it will be quite a feather in his cap.

HILL AS A PROPHET.

A story comes from Washington that J. J. Hill expresses the opinion that the price of wheat will never be substantially lower than at present. He does not seem to think Patrick's corn has had anything of a caustic effect in the present case, but rather that population is outrunning the means of subsistence so far as wheat is concerned. Hill is quite a railway man, but we decline to accept him as a prophet when such questions of economics come up. The capacity for production of even the United States has hardly been tested yet. Canada is capable of an enormously increased yield. Many other countries are yet able to double or treble their output of wheat. We shall not always go on subsidizing and bounting other industries to "encourage" them at the expense of agriculture. The world's wheat crop is, according to government and speculators' reports, short this year. But it will not always be short. It is not even certain that the reported shortage will be realized this time. If prices should remain long at the present level, a great boom will be given to wheat culture, and the result will be reflected in the markets of the world.

"MARATHON EXCESSES."

In chronicling the death of a 17-year-old athlete, of Pittsburgh, and the collapse, physical and mental, of a New York waiter, both of which resulted from the craze for long distance, or Marathon, racing, the New York Herald strongly condemns this form of excess in athletics. It says: "Marathon madness correctly describes the folly of immature boys and physically incompetent young men trying to emulate the feats of mature, strong, and carefully trained athletes. The news columns of late have chronicled the death of many of these over-ambitious and indiscreet boys and men, but for every one whose death is chronicled there are unheeded scores whose constitutions are permanently ruined. Physicians attached to free clinics in this city can tell a story about that." Great as is the evil done in the case of adults indulging in these contests, it is probable that the results are still more deplorable in the case of immature lads subjected to such physical strain. Evidence abounds to prove that it is ruinous to them; and it would be well if boys could be dissuaded from entering such trials of speed and endurance. Indeed, the laws made by society for its good in many ways interfere with youths when the reasons for interference are less obvious than in the harm done by Marathon racing excesses. Just think of the outcry that would be raised if a parent required or induced a lad to put into the sawing of wood or hoeing of potatoes the work and endurance called for by one of those Marathon contests!

BRITAIN'S NEW ARMY.

Mr. Haldane's Territorial Army of British volunteers for which he has been so severely attacked and made the object of ridicule by professional military men, is already an assured success. Less than 70,000 are now needed to bring it up to its full establishment of 310,000 men. In spite of interested opposition and the jeers and ridicule of out-of-office politicians and professional militarists, it is already acknowledged that this citizen soldiery force is destined to become one of the most powerful defensive bodies organized in any country. It was largely to cast discredit upon Mr. Haldane's plans that this naval scar-

was worked up; and the play, "An Englishman's Home," which so much contributed to it, but which has now degenerated into bathetic farce-comedy, was produced. That play is an attempt to ridicule and hold up to contempt volunteer defenders of the country, while eulogizing the professional military class who patriotically defend their country for so much per. Mr. Haldane's scheme was, however, not to be killed by ridicule; and his great territorial army will be the pride and strength of Great Britain when Du Maurier's play is only a bad memory, and when people wonder how they ever came to take leave of their senses over this absurd terror of German naval invasion.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Now we are assured that "in three or four years" Toronto may be able to sell cheap municipal light. Always in the future!

Further massacres are reported from Asia Minor, and the Young Turks are said to be threatening the Sultan. Who'd care to be a Sultan?

But those Toronto Hydro power figures will have to be hammered down greatly before they will appear attractive to Hamilton.

Joan of Arc has been beatified. The Maid of Orleans had a short and meteoric career; the virtues denied to her in her lifetime are, however, now fully conceded.

The Greater Hamilton Association will have a powerful aid to its work in the vastly cheaper power rates which this city enjoys as compared with Toronto and other rival cities.

Can Hamilton afford to withdraw her very moderate support to the Art School while organizing a movement to boom the city? Is it good business on the part of the Council to do so?

Patten, the wheat speculator, won some millions by his corn; also the curses of many thousands of bakers thrown out of employment and of the poor, whose hardships he has intensified.

Probably 500 persons were shot, inadvertently, of course, by the mutinous soldiers in Constantinople during their riotous outbreak. Now, if Abdul fed himself by these crimes, some Turk's necks would be in danger. But Abdul says nothing.

Premier Hazen, of New Brunswick, declines to give the details of the Central R. R. report upon which Hon. Mr. Pugsley was attacked in the Legislature. He replies to interrogations by Hon. Mr. Keown, the Provincial Premier declined to furnish details and carefully evaded candid answers to a number of other questions.

To-morrow will be Budget day in the House of Commons, and it is expected that Hon. Mr. Fielding will be able to announce that the revenue of the year has been sufficient to meet all ordinary expenditures, and probably a trifle more. But for the money invested on capital account in the National Transcontinental Railway and other public works, there would be no increase in the public debt, even in a year of declining revenue. No important tariff changes are expected.

A conference, called by the Detroit Board of Commerce, to consider the subject of better trade relations with Canada, will be held on Thursday next. Delegates from ten or twelve States are to be present, and addresses by prominent men are to be given. Fortunately, Canada is now in a position to sit back and wait till our neighbors come to appreciate the fact that in any readjustment of trade relations between the two countries Canada must have half the say in arranging the terms.

The Board of Conciliation, appointed to adjust the differences between the Dominion Coal Co. and its employees, reports that the refusal of the company to "recognize" the United Mine Workers of America is fully justified, and says: "Foreign officials sitting in Indianapolis should not have the power to decree that Nova Scotia miners, even when without a grievance, must stop work and thereby cripple a great Nova Scotia industry." A clause in the organization's constitution provides:

The international officials shall at any time they deem it to the best interests of mine workers in a district that is idle, for just and sufficient reasons, order a suspension of work in any other district or districts that would not, in any way impede the settlement of the district affected, provided that such action would serve to the best interests of the U. M. W. of America.

The Conciliation Board takes strong objection to placing in the hands of any foreign body such a power as this assumes to give it.

THE IDOL IMPEACHED.

(Canadian Courier.) There is much talk in various Canadian cities concerning the advisability of doing away with elected councils and boards of control and substituting paid permanent commissions. Even in Port Arthur and Fort William, where all public utilities are owned and operated by the municipalities, there is grave dissatisfaction with the present methods and results. The people are talking seriously of government by commission and of leasing the joint street railway to a private company. All this simply proves that municipal success is as difficult of attainment as private and personal success. Every form of human enterprise seems to have its difficulties.

The Toronto City Hall tower was struck by lightning and slightly damaged.

CUR EXCHANGES

GALT MAN'S BLUNDER. (Galt Reporter.) The Last Shot Fired in Defence of Free Trade on this Continent will come from the Blunderbuss of the valiant Hamilton Times.

A MISCONCEPTION. (Toronto Star.) A Hamilton church is to be fitted with an elevator, other and more spiritual means of giving the congregation an uplift having evidently failed.

A WIFE BEATER. (Toronto News.) Dr. Arthur Jukes Johnson joins Warden Gilmour, Mr. Dewar and the late Judge McDougall in advocating the whipping of wife-beaters and other assaulters of women.

THE SCORCHER. (Brantford Expositor.) The police authorities should insist on the discontinuance of bicycle scorching on local pavements. Under present conditions serious accident are inevitable.

HIS SUNNY WAY. (London Advertiser.) The Optimists' Club of New York has elected Sir Wilfrid Laurier a member. The New Yorker had probably heard of his sunny ways.

SIT DOWN. (St. Catharines Standard.) Are the ordinances against allowing people to stand in the aisles in public halls in this city being observed? Better to say something now than to wait for a fire panic.

JOE MARTIN. (Toronto Telegram.) England is a wonderful country in her indifference to the nationality of its candidates for Parliament. Joseph Martin must have found a nomination for Parliament awaiting him when he stepped off the steamer.

A LIVING WAGE. (Kingston Whig.) Letter carrying will become a more dignified calling now that it is to be associated with a living wage. The maximum will be \$2.50 per day and a uniform which later may be cut to fit.

EXAMINER THEM. (Toronto Globe.) The relations between McAvity and Mayes are capable of a legitimate and satisfactory explanation, but the Opposition prefer to see nothing but evil in them, and no one on that side seems to be in a hurry to hear what the two principals have to say.

A VERY MEAN ACT. (Kingston Whig.) The Whitney Government appears to Hamilton to be guilty of petty meanness, which does not accord with its professed greatness. It has retired, forced out, dismissed an asylum official, the master tailor, after a service of twenty-seven years, and refuses him the usual gratuity.

UPHOLD PATRONAGE. (Victoria Times.) There are Conservative Governments in power in several Provinces of the Dominion, and in not one of them has the patronage system been abolished. It is adhered to more inflexibly and more dogmatically than in the past.

DENISON'S BAD TASTE. ("The Monocle Man," in Canadian Courier.) I am sorry that the Colonel saw fit to publish that letter from Hon. Mr. Mercier. Mercier is dead. He can neither explain nor reply. Then the date tells us that it was not written by the Hon. Mr. Mercier of Canadian history. It was penned by a sick, broken, disheartened, deserted man on the brink of the grave. His health, his mind, his body, his soul, for some time; and he was but the mental and physical ghost of the man who had been master of Quebec. The career of Mercier will never be understood by those who judge him from amid entirely false surroundings. He did not create a system; he captured one. When the explosion came, his career was over. After that he was adrift; and we would do better to think of him as the man whom Chapleau visited on his deathbed and embraced with affection, and beside whose coffin walked Sir Wilfrid Laurier. He made his mistakes. In his person, the system which gave Quebec its enormous public debt was punished. But if you will visit Montreal on all Saints' Day this year, you will see a great number of men gathered about the tomb of the fallen leaves of the autumn and you will hear inspiring oratory pronounced by those who speak in his name.—The Monocle Man.

The Street Preacher. He stepped to the curb of the street And stood where a weary hump Was struggling with a lamp, Where the pulse of a city beat. He threw down his cap on the walk, And then to a crowd such as comes From the tenements and slums Began an impassioned talk: "Oh, why will you evermore grope In a darkness as black as pitch? Money makes no man rich, And I offer you Christ and hope. "It blind lead the blind it is sure The blind will fall in the ditch, For money makes no man rich And poverty, no man poor. He was abashed, serene and wan, And the jeering crowd he faced Scuffed him and scatted in haste As the officer said "Move on." In the evident of self-content Or the one who could not share, For I was the only one there Who knew what the speaker meant. If money makes no man rich, I have thought of often since, I know well and so do you, That he stands in the highest niche. I must grope and continue to grope, Occasions like these My mind is unable to seize The philosophy of hope. As money makes no man rich, Was the man a pauper or prince; Can you tell me right surely which? BROOKLYN, N. Y. Sun.

Letting The Cat Out. "Say, grandpa, make a noise like a frog," coaxed little Tommy. "What for, my son?" "Why, papa says that when you croak we'll get five thousand dollars." Success.

TUESDAY, APRIL 20, 1909. SHEA'S New Spring Suits for Women. Made up in the very newest styles, bl. s., greys, greens, browns and navies, all beautiful pure wool materials, newest style coats and perfectly made and fancy skirts, finished with stylish braid and the most fashionable button adornments, all thoroughly well tailored. Special prices are: \$12.00 Suits for \$8.95 \$10.00 Suits for \$10.95 \$17.00 Suits for \$12.50. WOMEN'S SPRING COATS—Neat jaunty garments that cannot fail to please you. Made in loose backs, fitted backs and semi-fitted backs, the materials are all that could be desired; colors, dark and light shades of grey and fawn, lined or unlined, velvet collar. \$6.50 and \$7.50 values, on sale for \$3.95. Women's Skirt \$2.95 Plain cloths, Lusteres, Panamas, neatly trimmed with silk and self folds, finished with buttons and strapings, \$4.00 value in every one of them, sale price each \$2.95. NEW SPRING MILLINERY—Now that the Easter rush is over the wise ones will take a little time to choose their Spring Headwear. In your shopping and choosing don't overlook the Shea Millinery Department. You will find styles just as good, some better; materials the best procurable and the prices at day are Ready Trimmed Hats at \$5.00. Women's Waists \$1.25 Stylish Tailored Blouses in lawn and pique, laundered collar and cuffs, \$2.00 value, special sale price each \$1.25. Women's Colored Blouses 75c Made of good quality, fast colored, navy and black, prints, pleated front and back, long sleeves, worth \$1.00, for 75c. Women's Cambric Drawers 39c Made of splendid quality of fine White Cambric, made with wide frills, trimmed with lace and insertion; regular 50c, on sale for 39c. 3 Underskirt Specials Women's Black Skirt Underskirts, deep pleated flounces, made with drop flounce; an extra wide skirt; worth fully \$2.00, for each \$1.00. Women's Silk Underskirts, made of good well-wearing black taffeta, pleated and ruffled; full \$2.00 value, for \$1.25. White Underskirts, made of fine White Cambric and long cloths, very deep flounces, trimmed with rows of white lace insertion, finished with lace; good \$3.00 value; on sale for \$1.95. White Cambric Corset Covers Nicely embroidered, good quality of cotton, sizes 34 to 40; worth 50c; on sale for 25c.

GNAGG SURPRISED.

AS HE LOOKS UPON THE TRAPS MEN ARE CAUGHT WITH.

While He Would Not Criticize Feminine Fashions, He Can and Does Suggest Some Improvements—For One Thing He'd Let 500 Button Dresses Alone.

Mr. Gnagg, having finished dressing with Mrs. Gnagg's assistance as valet for an evening out, squats himself in her dressing room while she is making her toilet and helps her along with the following comment: "Going to put those papier mache slippers on, eh? Huh! To-morrow you'll be moaning around the place with one of those colds of yours and wondering how you got it. "How's that? They're not papier mache but suede? Well, what's the difference? All comes to the same thing. The tops of 'em reach only about half way up your toes, and your whole foot is exposed to wind and weather, especially with those tissue paper stockings you've got on, silk, eh? Well, they look like veiling to me, and you just can't help taking a chance on pneumonia or pleurisy or bronchitis or some other fool thing when you go out in that way. "Nothing about these Swedish slippers—huh's that? Oh, yes, suede—well, suede, then—nothing thing about them is that they make a woman's feet look as big as all outdoors. Your feet look as big as if you had got on a pair of regular army brogans. Even with the heels of those slippers placed right under the instep the flatboats can't be made to look small. "Dear, and desolation in those heels too, if you're asking me. Why, if a man had to wear shoes or slippers with the heels smack dab under the instep for ten minutes at a stretch he'd go nutty and run amok and bite a whole lot of people to death and then the National Guard'd have to turn out and fetch him down with a Gatling gun. "Blinks, it's a wonder to me that a woman can live twenty minutes the way she dresses. Now I can understand why you've generally got a headache and things when you go out any where with me. Look at the mousing little steps you're taking! Now I understand why you tip-toe and poke along like a cat on a hot tin roof. You're wearing those high heels and you wear it's a wonder you can walk from here to the elevator. "How's that? A woman must wear the things that other women wear? Oh, I don't know so much about that. Why must she? What for? "Just because a woman's a woman she doesn't have to be a sheep, does she? If other women want to murder themselves with that kind of paraphernalia, that's their business, but she should wear the same way about it? "How's that? Men wear the same kind of clothes? All men wear derby hats, for instance? Oh, of course. There you go, as usual. Trying to veer the thing around, won't you? "Who's talking about what men wear? The case is different with men, anyhow. There isn't anything else for a man to wear except a derby hat, is there? That is, unless he wants to wear a soft hat or a green cap or some other fool thing. "What men wear hasn't anything to do with what I'm talking about, anyhow. I'm going to buy you a dime book on logic some of these days, and insist upon your sitting down and reading a page or two of it every day. "Look a-here, I'd mean to tell me that that's all the hair of your own that you possess? Ha, ha! Well, if that isn't a joke of a crowning glory proposition, then you can search me. "I've mean to say that you can twist and distort that hair around the ten or fifteen pounds of rats and puffs and things that you wear on your hair and make folks think that the store stuff is all your own hair! What you've been doing to it—burning it off with the curling irons or something? Or, is your hair naturally falling out? Or what is it? "It that the sure enough size of your head, then? Well, if it is, you'd be able to wear about a three and three-eighths man's size derby, wouldn't you, since you're so fond of talking about derbies? Seems queer I never had a peek before at the actual size of your head. "Now that I see it, why, many things are explained that hitherto have seemed inexplicable to me. Many things are excused, now that I've seen just what the size of your head is. Honest, I oughtn't to expect that you've got room there for many ideas to percolate around. It would be asking too much. "Why don't you do something for your hair anyhow? Why don't you try some of these hair dopes that we see advertised in the cars? Try any old thing, for heaven's sake! That's an awful sight to see, that little strand of hair you've got now. "How's that? I wouldn't have to see it if I went into the sitting-room and read the papers or something till you finished dressing. Oh, don't take it so much to heart, you know. Anyhow, this

THE READING FACE

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BACK YARD GARDENS.

A Space 20 by 50 Feet Will Supply the Family Vegetables.

"A space twenty by fifty feet may, under intensive culture, be made to yield fresh vegetables for a small family through half the year," says Martha McCulloch Williams in the Circle Magazine. "With 40, feet by 50, or 50 by 100, there can be a garden spelling riotous plenty. "Have the spading done as early as possible, use thoroughly rotted manure, and supplement it with some good commercial fertilizer, either broadcast and raked in or put in hills or drills. "It is a waste of seed, strength and time to plant a garden in poor soil. The seed will come up, the spading plants will be harder to work than if they were luxuriant, and the resultant crop will be mostly conspicuous by its absence. "So if it is impossible to do more, make small, rich beds, four feet wide and as long as the manure holds out, and sow them crosswise with such things as radishes, lettuce, and peas, and onions. Make the rows a foot to eighteen inches apart, or sow the radishes broadcast. "Lettuce also yields more for broadcast sowing. Pull out the thistles as soon as you can, and leave the rest to grow. Radish tops make excellent greens, something better flavored than mustard. By sowing thickly you can have dishes of greens. "Say the garden is 40 by 50 feet, this is something what the planting of it should be. Dwarf early peas, medium early and late peas, beets, early and late; beans in succession, including bush beans; carrots, radishes, tomatoes, cucumbers, peppers. "Do not adventure upon corn unless it is sweet corn planted on the pea space as a second crop, to come in just before frost. Make an asparagus bed all across one end of the plot, setting two-year-old roots, and fertilizing the bed heavily in early summer just after cutting ceases. "Peas are so hardy they may be planted before snow is past, provided, of course, the ground is right when they go in. Make it fine and light, cover the seed at least three inches deep, then tramp the earth over them, setting the feet so one track touches the other. A quart of seed will sow 100 feet of drill in 10 minutes. An ounce of seed will sow the same row length. "Cultivate your garden with a wheel hoe or use the trowel and hand-hoe—remembering Isaac Walton's adage as to the best way of using the hoe as though you loved him. As one thing you pull it up and plant something else."

SYNCHRONOUS CLOCKS.

In ingenious Device Joint Invention of Electrician and Clock Maker.

The Elektrotechnische Zeitschrift of Berlin devoted an article to an ingenious invention by Professor Reithofer and the Viennese clockmaker Morawetz, whereby clocks within a radius of 100 or 125 miles may be worked synchronously by means of wireless electric impulses from a central station. The station is equipped much as a wireless telegraphy transmission station. The apparatus consists of a pendulum swinging sixty times a minute and a cogwheel which revolves once with each swing. When sixty cogs have passed the pendulum and one minute has elapsed, the wireless impulses are set in motion by the transmission instruments. "All clocks to be synchronized are fitted with a revolving apparatus and consist only of a dial, hands and a cogwheel attachment, with electro-magnets, which, worked by the impulses from the transmission station, move around the hands of all clocks fitted with the apparatus in exact synchrony. An ingenious device prevents foreign electrical impulses interfering with the working. "A new type of riveting machine made at Oelikon, Switzerland, combines the mechanical advantage of hydraulic riveting and the economy of electric power. An expensive generating plant is necessary for pneumatic riveting while the hydraulic-electrical apparatus, which weighs 2,750 pounds, is complete in itself, is easily transported and can be suspended for operation horizontally. The hydraulic arrangement is of five-horsepower and designed for an alternating current at 240 volts. "Even when it is worn out, an ancient clock may be cherished for old time's sake."

THE BACHELOR'S SOLILOQUY.

To love, or not to love; that is the question. Whether 'tis better for man to suffer the stings and sorrows of a lonely bachelorhood Or by taking arms against a sea of troubles, And by marrying end them. To love, to marry. No more, and by a marriage to say we end The heartache, and the thousand longings That a bachelor's heir to, 'tis a consumption Devoutly to be wished. To love, to marry. For on that sea of matrimony what storms may come. Must give us pause; there's the reason That makes us loath to leave this haven; For who would bear the paying bills for the plumber's delay, the proud cook's haughtiness, The pangs of staying in at nights, the children's yells, When by himself he might be at ease In his club? Who would be lonesome And live and love a bachelor's life? But for the dread of something after marriage? The well discovered country from whose bourne So many travelers return, divorced, puzzled the will, And makes us rather bear those ills we have Than fly to others we know not of. Thus marriage doth make cowards of us all. And the lovely hue of a proposal Is sicklied o'er with the pale cast of thought, And lovingmaking of great pitch and moment. With this regard their currents turn away, And lose the name of courtship. —C. B. Heston, jun., in St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

THE CHINESE FATHER.

The Chinese father cannot leave one son more property than another. They must all share alike. Since their incorporation the Kimberly mines have produced 12 tons of diamonds, valued at \$5,000,000.



The Italian Grand Opera Company will appear at the Grand to-night in Verdi's musical romance "Aida," an opera seldom heard outside of New York, London and other large continental cities.

entertainment have ever witnessed a more meritorious performance for the price. The programme includes five thousand feet of animated pictures, illustrated songs and a vaudeville attraction.

AT BENNETT'S THEATRE. To play thirty solid weeks as a headliner in New York city and command unswerving interest throughout that long period is a feat that only one artist of the variety stage has ever accomplished.

"MRS. TEMPLE'S TELEGRAM." Miss Rose Evans, who with a company of clever associate farceurs will be seen here at the Grand on Wednesday evening, in that most brilliant of farces, "Mrs. Temple's Telegram," has scored the hit of her successful career by her clever rendition of the misguided and deceived Mrs. Jack Temple, which is conceded by all competent authorities to be one of the hardest roles to portray.



"Mother, I've a dreadful thing to confess to you. Last night, when you told me to lie down in bed, I lied down, but after you turned out the gas I ground my teeth at you in the dark!"—London Punch.

ORATORY.

L. M. Houlding Won at Victoria Avenue Church. On Friday evening the Victoria Avenue Baptist Church Literary Society held its second annual oratorical contest in the schoolroom, it being the closing night of a successful season's work under the able leadership of the President, J. M. Peebles.

HIGHER CRITICS.

Hon. S. H. Blake Issues Another Pamphlet. He Refuses to Give Up the Bible For a Fake One. Toronto, April 19.—In a pamphlet issued on Saturday Hon. S. H. Blake takes another fling at the higher critics. This latest attack is dated Easter Sunday.

FLIRTED WITH WIFE

Young Ontario Sailor Shot and Killed by Marine Captain.

Declared That the Man He Shot Flirted With His Wife.

Port Huron, Mich., April 18.—George Birrell McKinnon, aged 21 years, of Mooretown, Lambton County, Ont., was shot by Captain Ralph Pringle, aged 32, of St. Clair, in the latter city shortly after midnight this morning.

According to eye-witnesses, Captain Pringle entered the saloon known as the "Hole in the Wall," and seeing McKinnon for the first time in three years, declared that the town was not big enough for both of them.

JOAN OF ARC.

Impressive Service in St. Peter's, Rome.

Rome, April 18.—The ceremony of the beatification of Joan d'Arc took place this morning. It was conducted by Cardinals Rampolla and Martinielli and the Lord of the Sacred Rites, assisted by the Congregation of Rites.

INSANE PROFESSOR.

Nearly Killed Doctor in Matteawan Asylum.

Matteawan, N. Y., April 16.—Dr. Robert Lamb, superintendent of the Matteawan Hospital for the Criminal Insane, and who was one of the principal medical witnesses in some of the Thaw trial proceedings, had a narrow escape from death to-day at the hands of John Toptman, a professor of languages, who was sent to the institution three years ago after having killed a man during a saloon brawl.

ORGANIZED.

English-Speaking Lutherans Have Been Well Established.

The seats in the Conservatory of Music Hall were filled last night, when, after the evening service, the English Lutheran Church was permanently organized with a charter membership of 105.

PRIZES FOR FISHERMEN

Last season Mr. J. W. Nelson, the sportsman goods man, offered three prizes for the largest fish caught in Hamilton Bay—one for pike, one for perch and one for black bass.

According to the Canadian Associated Press and Ernest, the world's champion sculler, has accepted Webb's challenge to row for the championship of the world next month.

OBITUARY.

Large Funeral of the Late I. M. U. Secretary.

The remains of William Henry Ford were laid at rest on Sunday at 3.30 p. m. from his late residence, 39 Smith avenue, and was largely attended. He was 54 years of age.

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Action to Annul Marriage Adjourned at Stratford.

Orangeville, April 17.—An action to annul the marriage of an uncle to his niece occupied the attention of Mr. Justice Clute in the Dufferin Spring Assizes.

VERY SUDDEN.

Death of Dundas Man on Saturday—Triple Christening.

Dundas, April 19.—A very sudden and startling death was that of Wm. Chasels, an employee of the Grafton Co., on Saturday evening about 9 o'clock. He was taken with a stroke of paralysis, which was immediately followed by heart failure and death.

NAVAL CONFERENCE

Mr. Asquith Thinks One Should be Held.

London, April 18.—Speaking at Glasgow on the question of the navy, Mr. Asquith expressed generous appreciation of the fine spirit shown by the colonies. Speaking for himself, he declared that, if possible, it would be eminently desirable to bring together in consultation the great colonies and the mother country.

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VERY QUARRELSOME NEIGHBORS.

Names of the parties and Corns and Toes—both were unhappy till the trouble was medicated by Putnam's Corn Extractor.

PICTURES AT THE SAVOY.

The Savoy opened this afternoon as a moving picture house, and it is doubtful if that large element of the theatre-going public who patronize this class of

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MISSIONS THE THEME

In Several of the City Churches Again Yesterday.

Dr. Cleaver at Centenary—Laymen in Three Churches.

St. John Anniversary—Mr. Byers Here From India.

Implicit trust in Jesus Christ as the only way to salvation was the dominant note of an inspiring discourse by Rev. Dr. Cleaver, of Toronto, in Centenary Methodist Church last night. The thought he emphasized was summed up in his text, "It is not by might or power but by My Spirit" said the Lord of Hosts. Reciting the experiences of the Israelites, when they abandoned the God of their choice, linking themselves with idolatry, Dr. Cleaver pointed out that it was not until they re-established their faith in Jehovah that the new temple reared its stately dome and the walls of Jerusalem were re-built by men who worked with God-inspired energy and zeal that surmounted every obstacle. This trust in God was as old as history. The Old Testament was full of incidents emphasizing that it was not by might or power, but by the spirit of the Lord of Hosts that men overcame. From the time that the disciples of Christ, filled by the whole spirit, went forth in the streets of Jerusalem, saying men, like standing corn before the summer tempest, this trust prevailed until the days of Constantine, when, history informs us, the evangelizing power of the church of God received its death blow, through trust in men. Again, after Luther had rallied Christianity, saying the old cry, "Remember it is not by might or power" the Reformation received its death blow from the political ramparts. In the eighteenth century, the English Church, almost on the brink of hell, was rescued by Wesley and Whitfield, with that old rally cry of the text. As soon as the church began to trust in wealth and membership, in anything but the God of Hosts, it was a Samson shorn of its strength. The surplus collection yesterday goes to the funds of the Women's Missionary Society, and at both services Dr. Cleaver emphasized that splendid work this organization was doing.

ST. JOHN ANNIVERSARY.

The anniversary services of St. John Presbyterian Church yesterday were well attended. Rev. Dr. George H. Smith, M. A. D. D. of Knox Church, St. Catharines, addressed the gatherings, and by his clear speaking and forceful expounding of his texts, commanded the attention of all present. In the morning he based his theme upon Luke xxii, 48, "And ye are witnesses of these things." He divided his text into three distinct sections to which the church would be witness. The first and most important was the death and resurrection of Christ, as the great emblem of the Protestant Church is the empty cross. The empty cross and the empty tomb are the way whereby the sinner may receive remission of sins, and a witness for Christ is a person who has found salvation through the death and resurrection of Christ. The church is to be the guardian and witness of the Bible as all the truths contained in it are essential to the Christian life. It is to defend the Bible as he should study it so as to possess a clear and definite knowledge of what it contains. In all ages of history the enemies of God have risen and fallen—men who have tried to tear the Bible to pieces. There are enemies of the camp today who disbelieve certain truths contained in the Bible.

Dr. Smith, in speaking of the missionary policy, said that the most pressing need is more men for the ministry, as during the past few years there has been an alarming decrease in the number of graduates. He gave some statistics from different countries showing the decrease in the number of missionaries and the increase in the population. He said the Laymen's Missionary movement and other movements of the same kind are living witnesses of the Bible. In the evening he selected his text from John xii, 22, "And had said unto them, receive ye the Holy Ghost, whosoever sins ye remit, they are remitted unto them; and whosoever sins ye retain, they are retained." In the creation God breathed on the breath of life into every one that they might be witnesses for Him. For the disciples in the upper room this meant new life. From then on they were to preach Christ's teachings that sinners might be saved. Mr. Smith said the most possible meaning conveyed in these words was that Christ meant the disciples to preach His teachings and all who received them would receive remission of sins. In closing he said it was not organizations that would keep a church on good ground, but earnest prayer.

MISSIONARY FROM INDIA.

For the past twenty-two years Rev. W. P. Byers, together with his wife, has labored in India among the heathen. His life has been given up to the spreading of the gospel, and nobly had he done his work. During that time he has conversed mostly in the native languages, until he has become as well acquainted with them as with his native mother tongue, so used, in fact, had he become with the deliberateness of the foreigner. This, however, detracts nothing from his oratory. He speaks earnestly and with the true simplicity that carries conviction to every heart. He preached before a large congregation in Zion Tabernacle yesterday morning, and in the afternoon a large gathering in Centenary Church had the pleasure of hearing him speak. In the evening the congregation of MacNab Street Presbyterian Church was both interested and impressed with the story he told of the great work going on in India. The text was: Psalm lxxxix, 6—"Wilt thou not revive us again, that thy people may rejoice in thee?" Mr. Byers told of the great revival movement which began in the hills of India in the year 1803. The people did nothing but pray and cry their faith, and beseech the mercy and blessing of the Lord. They kept up their prayers for months, and finally the revival came. Even the children were affected strongly. As soon as they would get out of school they would gather in the church, and there they would pray. It was not very long before some of the villages became wholly Christian. This greatly encouraged the missionaries, and they went at

their work with renewed vigor. Where the natives were once cold and unconcerned they became enthusiastic, and the effect was felt all over the country. The revival then broke out in western India and hundreds more were added to the fold. The Punjab came next; then Bengal. While caused this wave of Christianity that swept over the country and made thousands of converts? It was the workings of the Master Hand. Mr. Byers speaks in Centenary Sunday school this evening, and all who are interested in missionary work will be pleased to hear him.

LAYMEN AND MISSIONS.

Missions and the part the laymen are taking the great undertaking was the subject of discourse in a number of the city churches yesterday. Charlton Avenue Methodist Church is to adopt the duplex envelope system, the first Sunday day of next month, and two of the laymen, Mr. C. W. Graham, chairman of the International Laymen's Association, and Mr. C. P. McGregor, a member of the same body, addressed a large congregation last evening. The pastor, Rev. E. H. Bell, also spoke, they took up different phases of the work and laid the cause of missions before the people in an able way. It is believed the congregation will very generally take up the duplex envelope system of weekly giving.

At Ryerson Methodist Church in the morning Mr. J. H. Robinson, a Wesley Church representative in the Laymen's Association, spoke on the movement. He gave a concise outline of its birth and progress and of its objects. Mr. Robinson made a point that appealed strongly to the congregation. He asked what "two dollars" spelled, and answered it by saying that it spelled a soul saved from heathendom.

In St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church the evening subject was "Echoes From the Great Missionary Congress," and two of the representatives of the church at the recent great event in Toronto, Messrs. Robert Duff and W. R. Leckie, were the speakers. They gave a most interesting account of the convention proceedings to a large congregation. The pastor, Rev. J. A. Wilson, presided.

LORD KITCHENER TO VISIT CANADA AND EXAMINE DEFENCE FORCES.

He Goes to Japan First—General Sir O'Moore Creagh, Who Succeeded Kitchener in India, Has a Brilliant Reputation.

London, April 18.—Lord Kitchener will hand over his command in India to Gen. Sir O'Moore Creagh early in August and at once proceed to Japan. He proposes to make a long stay in that country and will closely examine the military system and army organization in time of peace. From Japan he proposes to go to China, and he will traverse many of the battlefields in Manchuria, with the advantage of going over much of the ground with officers who took part in the Russo-Japanese War and who have been placed at his disposal by the Mikado and the Japanese Government. It is expected that before he concludes his visit to Manchuria, Lord Kitchener will be commissioned by the War Office to return home by way of Australia and Canada in order to examine the local defence forces and to report to the authorities what steps should be taken to improve their organization and administration and how best their training may be co-ordinated. Should these suggested arrangements hold good Lord Kitchener is not expected in this country until toward the end of next year.

KITCHENER'S SUCCESSOR.

Gen. Sir O'Moore Creagh, who is to succeed Lord Kitchener of Khartoum as commander-in-chief in India, is not the Kitchener school or of anybody's school. It would be difficult to find a man with less bias for or against the particular notions of any of his predecessors or one who has less identified himself with this or that policy in the conduct of affairs in India. What he has manifested has been a capability for fine performances as a leader, especially in night places. He earned his brilliant reputation in one Afghan campaign after another, and incidentally gained his V. C. His appointment is a reversal of policy so far as the age consideration is concerned for he is nine years older than Lord Kitchener was when he went to India in 1902, but Lord Morley urged strongly the claims of his friend and colleague, holding that it was desirable that the new commander-in-chief should be a man of open mind and age a secondary consideration.

JUVENILE TEMPLARS.

International Juvenile Temple, I. O. G. T., held its regular quarterly sacred meeting in the C. O. O. F. Hall on Saturday afternoon, when there was a good attendance of members and friends. Mrs. D. B. Smith, superintendent, presided, and assisted by Miss Nellie Green, Chief Templar pro tem, admitted two candidates into regular membership, Jas. Shearer, Chief Templar of the Hope of Kingston Lodge, Kingston, addressed the children in a racy and eloquent manner, on the advantages of being a Good Templar. Mrs. C. A. Hardy, Assistant Superintendent, presented an excellent programme, sustained by Mrs. Robt. Morrison, Mrs. C. A. Hardy, Misses Nellie Green, Lizzie Smith, Annie Armstrong, and Lottie Hardy, also Jas. Shearer, of Kingston. The juvenile exercises made arrangements for a most exciting campaign to be carried on during the summer months. Next Saturday afternoon the election of officers will be held.

Ran Into Herd of Cows. Kingston, April 18.—The fast express on Friday ran into a herd of cows belonging to John A. Seal, at the bridge crossing the Gananoque River, about two miles west of the Thousand Island Junction. Ten of the animals were killed and one was knocked into the river. It is said the fence had been blown down and the cattle got upon the track.

Shot Wife and Sister-in-Law. Geneva, N. Y., April 17.—Rico Man-dazi shot and killed his wife and her sister, Mrs. Sarefina Defelica, at 8 o'clock to-night, and fired a bullet, which had not yet proved fatal, through the head of the latter's husband. He also shot and slightly wounded a man and woman whom he passed in leaving the premises. Jealousy is said to have been his motive. He has escaped.

CASTORIA. The Kidney and Bladder Brightener.

It is a small matter to write about, but I find that so many people in the neighborhood of Chedoke and Glanford have taken such a lively interest in my efforts to buy a sound horse, that I wish to thank them all very heartily, through your paper. I have bought a horse from Mr. Frank Beare, of Haamou, and I have reason to believe the purchase will turn out satisfactory. In business matters, every man is supposed to understand his own wants, and I did like to see Mr. Maister Editor, if there is anybody of your acquaintance that will dare to contradict that maxim. "Deed, as far as I am concerned, I see no doots!" Ever yours sincerely, Matthew Wilson, The Rectory, Chedoke, April 17.

GOVERNMENT ANNUITIES.

Dr. Samson Spoke in Wesley Church Last Evening.

Handled the Subject in a Very Able Way.

Duty of Every Man to Provide For Those Around Him.

Dr. Samson, of Windsor, occupied the pulpit in Wesley Church last evening, and in a practical manner demonstrated the economic and moral value of the annuity system, which has been recently adopted by the Government. Dr. annuity system, which has been re-considered by the Government on this question, and from the gist of his remarks last evening, it was easily seen that he was thoroughly conversant with the subject. He has an attractive personality and presented his information in a pleasing manner. Dr. Samson referred to the fact that he had had the pleasure of speaking before large audiences on Sunday nights for the past three weeks, in Toronto, and that he had received much encouragement. The subject was one he thought, that could be dealt with from the pulpit as well as the platform without interfering with the conscientious scruples of the religiously inclined. The people of Canada were living in a remarkable age, and that it was a privilege to have been connected with a country that has such a glorious future ahead of it. "This is a humanitarian period we live in, and we are just awakening to the fact that we are but units in this mighty universe, and that our business in this world is to help others. We are doing a thing we can do to advance the comforts of others, and that is in accordance with one of the great maxims of Jesus Christ. If we would live a Christian life, we are bound to find that we must provide for ourselves and those surrounding us, for the future, also, by obeying the common laws of the Master. It should be part of the ambition of every decent man to have a decent wife and to make provision for his old age. If a man lacked these necessary qualities in his ambition, then he could not be called a man, in the true sense of the word. The Government, in its scheme has no intention of pensioning off the people. The speaker hoped the time would never come when such a state of affairs would exist in the country. This young land of ours has tarted fairly. It has the best combination of people coming from the foreign lands—those who will make good citizens. It has the best educational system in the world, and better conditions exist here than in the Russo-Japanese War and who have been placed at his disposal by the Mikado and the Japanese Government. It is expected that before he concludes his visit to Manchuria, Lord Kitchener will be commissioned by the War Office to return home by way of Australia and Canada in order to examine the local defence forces and to report to the authorities what steps should be taken to improve their organization and administration and how best their training may be co-ordinated. Should these suggested arrangements hold good Lord Kitchener is not expected in this country until toward the end of next year.

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BEING OWN BOSS.

Sometimes the Job is Not So Easy as It Seems.

(N. Y. Herald.) "My impatient nephew," said Uncle Bill to the Boston Herald, "says that what he wants is to be his own boss; what he's tired of working for other people. He's tired of hearing the boss where he works say to him, 'Here, Jim, do this,' or 'do that,' or 'Hurry up, now,' or 'Get a move on,' or 'What's the matter with you? Don't go to sleep.' 'It makes him tired, Jim says, to be bossed around, and he wants to be his own boss. 'Poor Jim! He doesn't know that nobody ever is his own boss in the sense that he means, so that he can't be ordered around by anybody else. Lots of people think that if they can get one step up, or get a business of their own, why, then they'd be free, be their own boss; but, goodness gracious! no man in the world ever gets so high up but what he still has a boss—somebody or something over his or her head. 'Why, the earth itself that we live on, I tell Jim, has a boss in the rest of the universe. Suppose the earth should some day get tired of being bossed around, the way Jim does, and say to itself: 'I'm sick of this turning around every day, just every two or three hours and following the same great circle besides year after year. I'm sick of having to do this same old grind day after day and year after year, being bossed around like this, and I'm going to be my own boss. 'Suppose some day the impatient earth should try this, should try setting up on its own account, why, in about one minute and three-quarters the whole business would be going to golding everlasting eternal smash, with us along with it. The fact is that there isn't anything or anybody but what has somebody or somebody else over it or him. We can't, any of us, be our own boss in the sense that Jim is thinking of—that is, free to do what we like. You take, for instance, Jim's boss. 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MARKETS AND FINANCE

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THE FARMERS' MARKET. The grain receipts today were small, and prices in most cases are nominal. Dairy produce in fair offer, with prices generally firm. Butter sold at 22 to 25c per lb. for good to choice, and eggs at 20 to 22c dozen. Poultry in good demand and steady.

OTHER MARKETS

NEW YORK SUGAR MARKET. Sugar—Steady; fair refining, 3.42c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3.92c; molasses sugar, 3.17c; refined steady.

BRITISH CATTLE MARKETS

London.—London cables for cattle are steady at 12 1/2 to 13 1/2c per lb. for Canadian hogs, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10 to 10 1/2c per lb.

PROVINCIAL MARKETS

Peterborough.—On the market, dressed hogs commanding \$9.25; live, \$7.25. Baled hay, \$16; loose, \$12.10. Farmers' and butchers' hides, 7 to 8c. Butter, 25c. Eggs, 15 to 18c.

ST. THOMAS

There was an abundance of all kinds of produce on the market today and fair prices ruled. Live hogs, \$7.15; dressed hogs, \$10. Loose hay, \$10; baled hay, \$11 to \$12. Straw, \$4. Eggs, 15 to 17c. Butter, 23 to 25c. Wheat, \$1.07. Flour, \$2.85, wholesale, and \$3.10 retail.

CHATHAM

There was a large market, with prices steady. There was little change in the wheat market, though cattle and hogs show an upward tendency. Butter, 25c per lb. Eggs, 17c per dozen. Chickens, scarce, at 40 to 60c. Potatoes, per bag, 75 to 80c. Record wheat price, per bushel, standard, \$1.10.

NEW YORK

Cotton futures opened steady; May \$10.48; July \$10.50, August \$10.39 to \$10.40, September \$10.29 bid, October \$10.29, November offered \$10.25, December \$10.24, January \$10.19.

NEW YORK

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NEW YORK STOCKS

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MONTREAL OFFICIAL

Not Much Interest Taken in Misdemeanor Case. (Special Despatch to the Times.) Montreal, Que., April 19th.—It looks as if a Royal Commission to investigate the misdemeanors of Montreal's aldermen and police officials would be of not much account. When Judge Cannon took his seat this morning there were no witnesses, and everything looked as if neither his honor nor anyone else took any particular interest in the matter.

WARD COMMITTED ON CHARGE OF KILLING WARWICK

London, Ont., April 19.—Joseph Ward was this morning committed for manslaughter on a charge of killing Alexander Warwick on April 3rd, in the Markin House. Ward will appear for trial before Judge MacBeth at the June Session. Bail has not yet been arranged.

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THE ICE JAM. Niagara Falls, Ont., April 19.—The ice jam in the lower river at Queenston is showing indications of weakness.

ILLEGAL FISHING. Board of Conciliation to Enquire into Mining Trouble.

HEARST BUYS PULP WOOD LAND IN NEWFOUNDLAND. (Special Despatch to the Times.)

PRELIMINARY STATEMENTS. Vienna, April 19.—A despatch received from Constantinople says that the Sultan and his apparent heirs are in the hands of the Young Turks.

MURDER OF MISSIONARIES. Constantinople, April 19.—The American vice-consul in Mesina reports that the missionaries in Adana are quieting down.

WANTS PEACE. Berlin, April 19.—The Constantinople correspondent of the Morgen Post says in a despatch that he has been informed from an excellent source in the Yildiz Kiosk.

GRAND TRUNK R.Y. SYSTEM. Traffic earnings from April 8th to 14th, 1909.

INSURANCE BILL. Will be Put Through After the Budget Debate. (Special Despatch to the Times.)

PILES. Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and guaranteed cure for piles, hemorrhoids, itching, bleeding, and protruding.

THE TIMES SPORTING PAGE

Gossip and Comment

The report that Hackenschmidt is playing the part of the lion in 'The Wizard of Oz' is untrue. Knockers at work again.

Joe Jeanette, who defeated Sam McVey in Paris Saturday night, is the colored heavyweight who has met Jack Johnson no less than five times with Johnson even, and his victory over the man who is said to have all the French capital by the ears, in 50 rounds, will be a reason for the demand of one more go with the champion.

If Jim Jeffries is taking off a pound a day, how much will he weigh when he meets Johnson?

Four fighters want to tackle Jack Johnson. If we were Jack we would let the first one lick us and fool the other three.—Buffalo Hammer.

President Powers will take a day off from the Marathon game on Wednesday morning to inspect a committee to consider how to handle rowdy players and others in starting the season on Thursday. He has invited the eight managers to the session in the Flatiron Building in New York.

That was a happy thought on the part of the Inter-City League officers in electing the manager of an express company vice-president. There is no danger now of the players having to walk home.

The winning number in the drawing for the Morris chair for the benefit of the Maple Leaf baseball team is 15. There was a large sale of tickets.

Toronto Telegram: Seems natural to kick in football, and more especially in the soccer game, where the hands are barred. So you don't wonder that some local men are kicking against the Ontario League even after the latter has granted them practically everything asked—except the office they yearned for. But there will hardly be a new Ontario league. The candidates for office do not constitute a majority—even of the Toronto body.

From Toronto files: No Hamilton players, or any other players, can be reinstated by the C. L. A. till next April. The hour of grace was at the annual convention, and when that passed the opportunity was gone for a year.

Replying to the question raised concerning the conditions of the record of 95 by Mr. K. D. Young, Mr. E. G. Brewer, honorary assistant secretary of the Montreal A. A. A. Revolver Club, writes: "For Mr. Rutherford's special benefit, and any other revolver shots who may be interested, I would be glad if you would state that Mr. K. D. Young's record target was shot on May 23, 1907, in the regular weekly match of the M. A. A. Revolver Club under match conditions."

"Any person acquainted with the ethics of shooting must readily know that when an officer of a recognized shooting club places before your readers a record made by one of its members that this record may have been made in a match, under match conditions."

CRICKET MATCH AT TORONTO.

Toronto, April 19.—The first cricket game of the season was played on Trinity College Campus Saturday afternoon between the college team and Zingari cricket team. The weather was the very finest, but the lawn was somewhat heavy, owing to the earliness of the season. The play was fairly even throughout, each inning lasting about two hours. The score of runs when the last Trinity man was bowled stood 129 to 97 in favor of the visiting team. The line-up and score was as follows:

Table with columns for batting order, names, and scores for the Zingari Cricket Team and Trinity College.

MATINEE AT H. G. C. GROUNDS

On account of the threatening weather the matinee shoot of the Hamilton Gun Club was not very well attended, but those that were there enjoyed the sport very much and witnessed some very fine shooting. Mr. J. Jennings, of Toronto, making the beautiful score of 98 out of 100. Mr. R. Day and Geo. Beatty coming next with the scores of 93 and 92 respectively.

FOR THE SOCCERITES.

Meeting of Hamilton District Executive.

Committee Named to Confer With Toronto.

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Hamilton District Association Football League was held in the office of President Nelson, on Saturday night, to consider the proposition made by President Parsons, of the Toronto district—that an Ontario Union be formed and affiliated with the British Soccer Football Union.

Some of the English members were very enthusiastic over the proposition. Mr. Nelson steered that Secretary Woodward, of the O. F. A., was in the city on Saturday and promised to place Hamilton teams in any district that they desired. He said he did not know that Hamilton had been given the cold shoulder in the past. Mr. Nelson also stated that if the proposed union is formed that Dundas will enter a team, although the town would not enter in the O. F. A. or W. F. A. series.

After considerable discussion it was decided to appoint a committee to confer with the committee which will be appointed by the Toronto and the Niagara districts. The committee named is composed of J. W. Nelson and Dr. Burnett.

The Executive will meet again next Saturday night to receive the report of the sub-committee.

ROU AT A GAME.

Glasgow, April 19.—The final soccer football game for the Scottish Cup ended in a riot yesterday. Sixty thousand spectators charged upon the playing field and tore up the goal posts and set fire to the entrance gate fence and ticket booths. More than forty persons were injured, and taken to hospitals. The game was between Celtic and Glasgow Rangers, and the score was one goal each.

When the firemen attempted to extinguish the blaze the crowd cut the hose and a stone, the firemen, rendering their useless. Mounted police then charged the rioters, and in the face of a hail of rocks, bottles and other missiles succeeded in keeping them from the grand stands and the pavilion, in which the players had taken refuge. These structures alone were saved from the flames.

The trouble arose because the teams refused to play extra time to settle the tie. The injured for the most part are policemen.

GAMES OVER HOME.

London, April 19.—Saturday's games resulted as follows, the name of the home team being given first in each instance.

Table listing soccer game results from London, including Arsenal, Tottenham, and others.

Table listing soccer game results from the League—First Division, including Newcastle, Bolton, and others.

The English Association season is nearing its end. Next Saturday the final matches will be played in the various leagues, and the big event will be the final for the English cup between Bristol City and Manchester United, which also will be played at the Crystal Palace.

Newcastle United are the winners beyond doubt in the First Division of the league, while Nottingham have a cinch for first place in the Southern League.

Table listing soccer game results from the League—Second Division, including West Brom, Bolton, and others.

Knocking Down the Pins

Two matches in Class A were rolled at the H. B. & A. C. alleys on Saturday evening. The club team won two games from the Steel Plant No. 1, and the Hamilton Gun Club took two games from the H. B. C. Following are the scores:

Table showing bowling scores for Class A matches, including Steel Plant No. 1 and Hamilton Gun Club.

The bicycle races on the programme are attracting the many Toronto and Hamilton riders, while a few of the cracks from Buffalo will be along. Two excellent prizes will be given to the winners in these two events, as the bicycle game every encouragement this year, and has promised prizes. Hamilton will be well represented, not only in the bicycle races and open events, but the large number of walkers brought out by the revival of the game last fall, will be on hand. The meet on May 15 looks like the classiest event of the year, and, with fair weather, a monster crowd is expected.

SIMPSON QUIT.

Svanberg, the Swede, Scored a Hollow Victory. New York, April 19.—In a match race at the full Marathon distance, 26 miles 385 yards, which was run on Saturday at Celtic Park, Long Island City, John V. Svanberg, of Sweden, scored a hollow victory, covering the course in 2:41.44.

His opponent, Fred Simpson, the Ojibway Indian, quit after running six and a half miles. He was suffering from a stiff right knee as a result of a cold which he caught while racing against Fred Appleby in a twenty-mile match ten days ago.

Svanberg's time is 34.5 seconds behind that made by the Frenchman, Henri Saint Yves, in the Marathon Derby at the Polo Grounds here two weeks ago. Saint Yves ran over a rain-soaked field, while Svanberg had a good clear track on Saturday, so that the Frenchman's performance was by far the better.

White, after leading on sufferance for the first mile in 5:27, had to fall behind the Frenchman, who gained a lap on him in the fourth mile. At ten miles Saint Yves was two laps to the good, and White dropped out at 10:12 miles, saying that his ankle, which he sprained in his race against Maloney, had gone back on him.

Saint Yves finished out the full fifteen miles in 1:27.03.45. The track was chiefly composed of soft dirt and clay.

WALKER COMING TO CANADA.

R. E. Walker, the South African sprinting champion, intends a London Sporting Life correspondent, will sail for England on the Armada Castle April 29, and is due to arrive at Southampton on May 22. Walker intends to compete at one or two meetings prior to the A. A. A. championships, but will not be very busy until the championships are over. After then he intends, if he has time, to run at one or two continental meetings, and will leave England for Canada about the middle of August.

The Americans are very keen on getting Walker to run Rector in the States, and every inducement has been offered for a match, but all the South African wants to be assured of is a square start. He has been warned a good many times of Yankee outness, so states that he will run Rector anywhere with Mr. C. L. Lockton or J. Heppelwhite as starter; but will not risk losing his laurels by trusting his reputation to any but a skilled and thoroughly impartial starter.

Walker considers he has improved fully three yards on his last year's form, and should be equal to tackling the best at the furlong now as well as shorter sprints.

It is stated that Toronto will send a large delegation to the athletic meet for the benefit of Bobby Kerr at Britannia Park on May 15. In addition to

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Joe Jeanette Won From McVey.

Paris, April 19.—In the greatest fight witnessed in France since John L. Sullivan and Charley Mitchell drew at Chantilly, in 1888, Joe Jeanette, of New York, on Saturday night defeated Sam McVey, of California, in the fiftieth round of a finish fight. A great crowd witnessed a game exhibition of heavyweights, the contest lasting for three hours and a half. McVey had the better of the fight up to the fortieth round, and in both the twenty-first and twenty-second rounds he had the New Yorker so groggy that he barely could keep on his feet. Jeanette bore the punishment bravely and recuperated in a wonderful manner. McVey had almost worn himself out after forty rounds, and by this time the New Yorker fighter was coming back. By effective fighting he gradually beat the Californian, and practically had him knocked out when the fight ended. McVey's seconds throwing up the sponge.

Jeanette was the favorite in the betting, and the purse was \$6,000. It is understood that Jeanette now intends to issue a challenge to Jack Johnson for the championship of the world.

SAM LANGFORD SHOWED CLASS WITH KUBIAK.

Philadelphia, April 19.—In one of the best fights between heavy men seen here in a long time Sam Langford, of Boston, the colored man who may get a chance at Jack Johnson, the world's champion, on Saturday night defeated Al Kubiak, the Michigan giant, at the National Athletic Club. No decision was permitted, but the referee would have awarded the fight to the Boston man had a decision on points been allowed.

Langford forced the fighting in every round, and punished Kubiak severely. The latter, however, was game, and gave his opponent a good battle. He did his best work in the closing rounds, and although he was tired he kept coming back at Langford, and was cheered for his willingness to mix it up. Langford showed himself to be a fighter of the first class, giving a very clever exhibition of boxing.

DELANEY CHANGED HIS MIND. New York, April 19.—Billy Delaney suddenly changed his mind yesterday about accepting Johnson's offer to box Kauffman before the fight with Stanley Ketchel takes place in California next October. Johnson, after a talk with Delaney, offered to take Kauffman on for twenty rounds in Paris, twelve rounds in Boston, ten in this city or six rounds in Philadelphia. Johnson said he was ready to meet Kauffman right away, but Delaney demurred, saying that Kauffman had broken his hand in the recent battle with Tony Ross. Delaney, however, declared that he would make a match with Johnson as soon as the latter returned here from England. As Kauffman will be taken abroad, though, in the near future, it is thought he will hook up with Johnson in Paris some time during the summer.

The ten-round bout between Sandy Ferguson, of Boston, and Harry Barry, of Chicago, which was scheduled for tonight at the Marathon A. C. in Brooklyn, has been postponed for two weeks at the request of Barry, who says he wants that length of time to get into proper condition.

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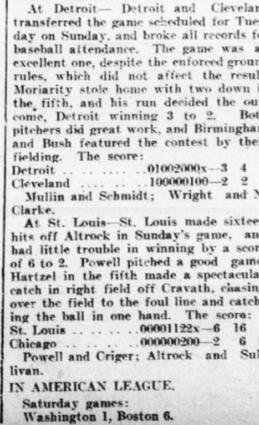
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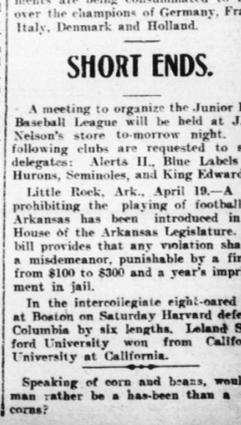
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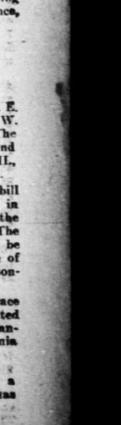
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Many Complaints Show That Scare Has Reached Hamilton.

Mayor McLaren Makes Reply to Rev. Dr. Lyle's Remarks.

Street Railway Work Will be Begun To-morrow Morning.

Many timid people in Hamilton are somewhat alarmed as a result of the mad dog scares in Ancaster and Stoney Creek, and it would not be surprising if the Markets Committee this afternoon recommends the Council to pass a by-law ordering that all dogs running at large be muzzled.

The remarks made by Rev. Dr. Lyle when addressing the Trades & Labor Council on the action of the aldermen in cutting off the Art School grant after this year caused Mayor McLaren to issue the following statement to the press this morning.

"The Mayor states that, he is pleased to see, according to newspaper reports of his meeting on Friday night, that the Trades and Labor Council is prepared to hear all about the case before deciding. He is prepared to give them or any citizen who may be interested in the matter his reasons for considering that to further grants should be made by the Council to the Art School, as he did to Dr. Lyle, notwithstanding his reported denial of one of the principal reasons being that all educational matters should be under the control of the Board of Education.

On account of Chairman Allan being away from the city, the Board of Works will not meet until Thursday night. The regular meeting of the Finance Committee should be held on the afternoon, but it may be called for early in the evening, the proposition being to have both committees meet that night, followed by an informal Council meeting to discuss the power question.

The Markets Committee this afternoon will receive the report of the sub-committee appointed to consider the request of James and King street merchants that a by-law be passed regulating the location of moving picture places. The proposed by-law to keep peddlers off the street will also be considered.

The following building permits were issued to-day:

A. W. Peene, brick house on Hess street, between Charlton avenue and Helminger street, \$3,000. E. J. Batick, two brick houses on Market street, between Caroline and Hess streets, for D. Sullivan, \$3,400. E. S. Depeu, two frame houses on Ferris st., between Wellington and Ferguson avenue, for J. Williams, \$2,400.

The Parks Board at 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon will inspect the Beckett drive, which there is talk of purchasing this year in connection with the mountain drive and park scheme. The board will hold its regular meeting at night.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES To rent at \$2 a year and upwards, for the storing of deeds, bonds, stocks, wills, silver and other valuables. TRADERS BANK OF CANADA.

POLICE REPORTS. Although three stalls in the Central Market were robbed last week, the police say some of the tenants are as careless as ever. P. C. Robson early yesterday morning found the first window north of the centre door, on the west side, wide open. He closed it down, and was unable to tell whether anything was missing.

A pane of glass in a window at store 444, York street, occupied by a Hebrew shoemaker, was broken some time Saturday night. The tenant has been in Toronto for two weeks, and the police do not know what was taken.

Delicious Cooked Ham. It is wonderful the number of new faces we see at our cooked meat counter. The cooked ham we offer is delicious and cut in water slices; also cut tongue, spiced beef, corned beef, roast beef, roast pork, dressed spare ribs, Potted ham, beef and tongue. Just the thing for dainty sandwiches, per tin \$2. Large tin booster package 10c.—Fosbels, and Co., Limited, King and MacNab streets.

TEA TABLE GOSSIP.

Highfield School will hold its dance this evening.

Mr. W. H. Ginder will not receive again this season.

Mr. E. Finch-Noyes leaves for his old home in England on Wednesday, after an absence of 24 years.

The condition of Mr. David Morton, the veteran manufacturer, is a little weaker to-day.

William Wood and his son Cecil, who are at Vancouver, will return home after a visit to Prince Rupert.

Readers will remember the auction sale by Thomas Burrows to-morrow (Tuesday) at 10.30 a. m. The new furnished restaurant, 18 York street. See advertisement.

H. E. Thornhill & Co., jewelers, wish to thank the detective department for their promptness in recovering the watch which was stolen from their store on Friday last.

Col. Langton and Capt. Bethune Lindsay will be in the city to-morrow. It is thought their visit is in connection with the marking out of the old armories for the allotment of quarters.

Rev. W. H. Sedgewick will address the thank offering meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Society of Central Church on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. His subject will be "The Duty of Making the Past a Success."

Jane Drummond Anderson, widow of the late Thomas Winslow Anderson, and one of the oldest native born residents of Toronto, died at her home there yesterday, at the age of 91 years. A number of relatives reside in this city.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, J. M. Gibson, has sent out invitations for a military dinner, which will take place on May 4 in Toronto. The commanding officers of the local regiments will be present. The gathering will be a distinguished one.

An anniversary requiem high mass for the repose of the soul of the late Vicar-General Heenan will be celebrated in St. Augustine's Church, Dundas, at 9.30 to-morrow morning by His Lordship Bishop Dowling. Many of the clergy and a number of the friends of the dead priest will be present.

Sixty-two of the Hamilton post-office employees will benefit by the increase of salaries through the adoption by Parliament of Hon. Mr. Lemieux's resolution to make increases throughout the service. Six fourth class clerks will have their salaries raised from \$450 to \$500, and fifty-six letter carriers and grade men will get 50 cents a day increase.

Every citizen of Hamilton should attend the military play to be given in the Grand Opera House to-morrow, Tuesday, night, under the auspices of the officers of the Hamilton garrison. The proceeds go to aid the Victorian Order of Nurses of this city, a most deserving philanthropy. Turn out, citizens, and give them a bumper house.

A LUCKY BRIDE.

Miss Brown Got Half a Million For a Wedding Dot.



MISS HARRIET BROWN.

This Easter bride got the largest dot on record—a cheque for \$500,000—when she married T. Saffern Taylor, New York clubman, on April 11.

She is the daughter of Alex Brown, a millionaire Baltimore banker. As she is his sole heir, at his death she will be in for several times the amount of her dot. The wedding was most elaborate.

RECITAL TO-NIGHT.

An exceptionally interesting programme will be given in the Conservatory hall to-night, when Miss Gertrude Tewles, vice-principal of the Conservatory School of Expression, will be heard in Teanyou's "Enoch Arden," the school, will also be heard in selections from Longfellow, Browning and Eugene Field.

NO DECISION YET.

Mr. A. M. Lewis, who was counsel for the liquor interests in the recent legal fight in Toronto against the reduction, is anxiously awaiting the decision of Justice Mulock. Mr. Lewis says he was promised a verdict a week and a half ago, and nothing has transpired. Mr. Lewis says the value of the houses involved in the fight is about \$600,000, and that the decision means a lot to them.

INTERCOLONIAL MANAGERS.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) Ottawa, April 19.—In connection with the announcement made at Montreal on Saturday night by the Hon. Geo. P. Graham, stating that Messrs. Butler, Pottinger, Tiffin and Brady would constitute the Commission of Management for the Intercolonial Ry., it may be added that the position of general manager, held since 1892 by Mr. Pottinger, is now abolished and the duties of the officers will be embraced in those of the new board.

Tommy—Pop, what is ambition? Tommy's Pop—Ambition, my son, is usually a desire to do something we can't.

THE GREATER HAMILTON.

Organization Meetings Every Afternoon This Week.

There will be a busy week in the organization of the Greater Hamilton Association, and all members of the different committees held mentioned are requested to make note in their engagement books of the day and hour on which their special committees meet. The committees at these meetings will elect their own chairmen and secretaries, and each chairman is, by the constitution, to be one of the executive.

The meetings will be held at the Board of Trade at 4.30 o'clock, as follows:

Monday—Membership. Tuesday—Publicity. Wednesday—Transportation and Convention.

Thursday—Finance. Friday—Civic Improvement and Legislation.

The executive in full will meet on Saturday afternoon at the same place and hour.

President Hoodless and Secretary Murton will meet each committee and go into their work with them and complete arrangements will be made for the great inaugural mass meeting.

Every effort is being made by His Worship Mayor and the Civic Industrial Committee to procure the best publicity man in America to speak at this meeting.

The officers report the greatest enthusiasm among the citizens, and volunteers are coming forward to assist. Every citizen will be welcomed and the Membership Committee hope to reach the two thousand mark in this campaign.

SUNDAY STABBING THAT LOOKED BAD.

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ered all the particulars possible, and, securing the assistance of Detective Macdonald, the two went over to Simpson's house. They had very little trouble in arresting their man, who seemed to be in a very happy mood, as the result of frequent pulls from two half-pinted whiskey bottles, which the police found in his clothes. He, the officers say, admitted the stabbings, and when asked by sergeant Pinch, who and of a weapon it was and what he had done with it, he described it as a black bone-handled knife with metal ends and a blade about three inches long. "I left it in the room, come over and see it," he said, and accordingly led back to the Hunter street house, and into the room where the conflict occurred. After hunting around for a few minutes Sgt. Pinch found it, and noticed that it fitted in with the description given by the prisoner. The patrol wagon was then called, and Simpson taken to No. 3 Police Station, and lodged in a cell. He was heard to remark as he passed through the station, "I wish I was dead."

Wallace was examined at the hospital and it was found that the wound was much more serious than was at first supposed, the knife having pierced the left lung. In fact the doctors had such grave doubts concerning his chances of recovery that they notified Chief Smith that it would be advisable to take his autem statement, while he was still conscious. Acting on this advice, Magistrate Jelfs, Chief Smith and Inspector McMahon went to the hospital and went through the proceedings. The prisoner was taken down in charge of P. C. Rick ett, and was identified by Wallace as the man who stabbed him.

By this time some glimmering of the awful position in which he stood had forced itself into Simpson's mind and he vigorously denied all knowledge of the crime. He seemed very much depressed and had little to say on the return journey to No. 3 station.

The story told by Wallace to Dr. Wicklins is somewhat different. He claimed that about dark on Saturday evening, Mrs. Simpson went to his place with her two children, and that he called to stay there over night as she was afraid to go home as her husband had been abusing her. Wallace secured a room for her and the children, and then went to bed. About 6 o'clock the next morning the children went home, and shortly after Simpson appeared at the house and asked for his wife. Wallace argued that he should go home with her husband, but she said she was afraid that he would strike her and refused to leave. Simpson then went away and hunting up a policeman asked him to interfere. He was told to go to the Magistrate and get a warrant, but instead of following this advice he turned to his own home. While there it is thought that he brooded on his grievance, until he had worked himself into a lowering rage. About 10 o'clock, Wallace said, he appeared in his room and making a noise, he struck him on the breast. A struggle ensued, in which Wallace managed to get his assailant down and administer a few punches. Simpson finally broke away and made a hasty exit. A few minutes after Simpson suddenly felt a peculiar sensation stealing over him, and when he awoke, he was startled to find that his shirt was covered with blood. It was then that the doctor was sent for.

It is not many months ago that Simpson and Wallace appeared in the police court to answer to a charge of assault. They were accused of hitting an Italian on the head with a sugar can. They were sent up for trial by Magistrate Jelfs, but were acquitted by the higher court. Simpson referred to the affair at the police station yesterday afternoon and stated that it was Wallace who threw the bowl.

The last appearance of the Simpsons in court was only last Saturday, when they charged Mrs. Reid, a neighbor, with using bad language. Mrs. Reid was fined \$2.

Simpson appeared before Magistrate Jelfs this morning, and was committed for one week, at the request of the Crown.

This afternoon it was reported at the City Hospital that Wallace had improved considerably, and that his case is not dangerous.

WALLACE'S STATEMENT. The deposition of Ross Wallace, taken before Magistrate Jelfs, Chief Smith and Inspector McMahon, in the presence of Thomas Simpson, who stands charged that he did on the 18th day of April unlawfully attempt to murder one Ross Wallace, is as follows:

Ross Wallace, lying in the City Hospital and reported by the house physician to be in danger of dying from a knife wound, being sworn, said: "The

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths which are inserted in the Daily Times also appear in the Semi-weekly Times. 50c first insertion; 25c for each subsequent insertion.

MARRIAGES.

CHAMP-COATES.—At St. George's Church, Ottawa, on Saturday, April 17, by Rev. J. G. Snowden, Walter B. Champ, of Hamilton, to Jessie, youngest daughter of John Coates, C. E. of Ottawa.

PEARMAN-COURTIGHT.—At St. Stephen's Church, New York, on Saturday, April 17, at high noon, by the Rev. Dr. N. A. Seagle, Frank D. Pearman, of this city, to Louise Courtright, of Blyn Mavr, Pa.

DEATHS.

BRETT.—At the former residence of Samuel Brett, Alberton, on Sunday, April 18th, 1909, Mary Ann Brett, in her 74th year. Funeral on Wednesday at 1 p. m. from above residence. Services to be preached in Trinity Methodist Church. Funeral will then proceed to English Church cemetery, Hamilton, at 4 o'clock.

CAFFERY.—In this city on April 19th, 1909, John Caffery, in his 73rd year. Funeral from his late residence, 162 Forest avenue, on Wednesday morning at 8.30 to St. Patrick's Church, thence to the Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

FEELY.—In this city on Saturday, April 18th, 1909, James Feely, in her 64th year. Funeral from the residence of her nephew, Mr. Daniel Carroll, 20 Mill street, on Tuesday at 8.30 a. m. to St. Mary's Cathedral, at 10 o'clock. Friends please accept this intimation.

LEITCH.—At his parents' residence, 51 West avenue north, on Monday morning, Oliver Leitch, infant son of Joseph and Alice Sutton, aged 4 days.

IN MEMORIAM. MITHWINTER.—In loving remembrance of Minnie Mithwinter, who died in her 61st year, on Sunday, April 18th, 1909, at her home, 1111 St. George street. Her memory is as fresh to-day as in the hour she passed away.

Husband and Children.

Habit

People often talk about the strength of habits—bad habits; but good habits are just as strong, and the strongest habit of all, when once acquired, is the Savings Habit.

One dollar will open an interest bearing account with the Dominion Bank.

GET THE SAVINGS HABIT.

The DOMINION BANK

Main Office—39 MacNab St. N. East End Branch—Corner King and Wentworth Sts. W. K. PEARCE, Manager.

prisoner, Thomas Simpson, whom I know, came into my house this morning and, without a word, stabbed me with a knife right over the heart. I managed to throw him, but the loss of the house that had happened. The only reason I can give for the defendant's action is that his wife and two children came to the house for protection, and remained all night.

To the prisoner, "You were in my place before this, and I put you out after a word or two, and after my ordering you out. You see, you did run at me with a knife. I didn't ave your wife in my room, and she was not. Then a woman dressing in my room when you went in first. I didn't get you down and pound you." Ross Wallace.

FOUR IN IT.

Lads Plead Guilty to Five Charges of Theft.

In the arrest early this morning of four boys, whose ages range from fourteen to seventeen years, the police are satisfied that they have solved a number of small mysterious burglaries reported during the past few days. The youthful prisoners are Kaiser Drost, 451 John street north; George Ferguson, King street west; Joseph O'Neil, 439 John street north; and James McEntee, 517 John street north. Their anxious parents or friends were around to police headquarters this morning to report to Chief of Police Smith that the boys were missing, and were believed to have jumped a freight for the Falls. The chief received a report from one of his sergeants a few minutes later, stating that P. C. Meyers had picked the boys up on MacNab street about 5 o'clock this morning.

The police say that the boys walked boldly up to the stores while people were on the streets, used a key that was secured by young Drost, and when it fitted a place walked in. Last night, shortly after 7 o'clock, P. C. Tuck and Bramar claim they saw the boys tampering with the front door of Thomas Anderson's music store, 65 James street north.

To-day the police received a report from John Luff, 916-218 York street, who said he was surprised to walk into his store at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon and find three of the boys there, eating fruit. He took their names and allowed them to go.

Inspector McMahon was notified this morning by Keller, the dry goods man, at the corner of Murray and James streets, that his store was entered since Saturday night and \$2 taken. Thieves visited there some days ago, used a key to get in and made off with \$10.

At the Junior Police Court this morning the boys pleaded guilty to five indictments and were remanded for one week for sentence.

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Considerable excitement was created on Saturday in a King street store, when the crowd was largest, and a man in a red hat, a number of women who were near him at the time became frightened and made a rush for the door. Those in front of them, thinking something terrible had happened, joined in the fight for the open air. No damage was done, and the unfortunate man was carried out the back door and revived.

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H. C. C. ANNUAL.

Mr. William Marshall Was Elected President.

The annual meeting of the Hamilton Cricket Club was held on Saturday evening at the Thistle Club, and was one of the best in recent years. Everything points to a successful season. Mr. A. H. Hope was in the chair. The following officers were elected for the year:

President, Wm. Marshall. Vice-Presidents, His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Gibson, Wm. Southam, Geo. Hope.

Secretary, L. Fevez. Treasurer, Thos. Seagram. Committee, K. Martin, E. V. Wright, S. E. Washington, K. C. Gordon Southam and F. D. Houghton.

W. R. Marshall consented to be Captain for another year. The financial and Secretary's statement for the past year, a very satisfactory one, and with the large list of fixtures arranged, the coming season should be a great success. Any gentlemen in the city interested in cricket, and wishing to become members, should communicate with the Secretary.

The question of the advisability of bringing the Irish gentlemen here for a one-day match in September, and the engaging of a professional, were discussed. Both subjects were left to the new committee to be presented. Among those of those present that it would be a good thing to bring the Irish cricketers, as it would stimulate the players and make them put forth effort to get on the team against the visitors.

There is a strong determination among the members to develop the young cricketers of the city. Highfield School has done much to bring out new players, but the tendency is for them to drop out after the school term, for the holidays. An effort will be made to keep them in the game. It is certain that some of the Highfield old boys and the present eleven will be in the H. C. C. ranks.

There will be a meeting of the White Caps and the National lacrosse teams at the Cha'ton Avenue Methodist Sunday school to-night at 8 o'clock. The following are requested to be present: A. Gillrie, W. Tope, Hawkins, J. Martin, J. Pearce, W. Smith, Ed. Smith, C. Church, O. March, Sam Russell, S. Hutcheon, B. Carey, S. Martin, F. Parmenter, C. Parmenter, A. Walters, F. Bowman, H. Hill, G. Fitzgerald, F. Fitzgerald, Johnson, Hookings, Bert, Greatrix, Wag-anast.

Chicago, April 19.—Edward Payson Weston has taken time to lengthen his stay in Chicago. Instead of leaving early to-day for St. Louis, he will remain here until five minutes after midnight to-night. His delay is due to the necessity of finding a new chauffeur to take his machine across the mountains.

E. & S. Bankrupt Brokers' Creditors Are to Meet Next Thursday.

New York, April 19.—Continued investigation shows that the assets of Ennis & Stoppani are slightly better. It is thought that they may even reach the nominal figure of \$400,000 set forth in the petition in bankruptcy. Among other assets it is found that Ennis has a house at Allenhurst, N. J., some race horses and some automobiles.

Receiver Russell made the announcement yesterday that every creditor's claim will remain in statu quo and that no one's rights will be prejudiced by sitting back and waiting. Mr. Russell has received so many letters on this subject from creditors that it has been a physical impossibility for him to answer them.

The creditors' meeting next Thursday will be held in the offices of Saffern & Son, of 165 Broadway. It was originally planned to hold the meeting at Ennis & Stoppani's, but so many creditors want in that it was soon found those quarters were going to be far too small.

The commission appointed by Gov. Hughes to investigate the street walk-up by the Ennis & Stoppani failure. It is unlikely, however, that any independent investigation will be made, as the commission has already announced its intention of putting its report into final shape without calling any more witnesses.

GOT TWO YEARS.

Dime Novel Heroine From Galt Horse Thief.

(Special Despatch to the Times.) London, Ont., April 19.—Nellie Prior, aged 19, horse thief and bad girl generally, was a result of reward given last week, when she was sentenced to two years in the Mercer street reformatory for horse stealing. The girl ran away from home in Galt and several horses and buggies from local liverymen. She drove all about the country, sleeping out doors and trying to emulate the heroes in the novels.

The young friends of Mary Isabella Young, wife of Alexander Young, will regret to hear of her death, which occurred this morning at her late residence, 201 Barton street west. Deceased was 48 years of age, and leaves a husband and nine children. The funeral will take place from her late residence on Tuesday at 3 o'clock.

Steamship Arrivals. Dues di Genova—At New York, from Genova. New York—At New York, from Southampton. Celtic—At Liverpool, from New York. Caronia—At Liverpool, from New York. Philadelphia—At Southampton, from New York.

Lituanian—At Libau, from New York. Potsdam—At Rotterdam, from New York. Gullu—At Trieste, from New York. Pannonia—At Trieste, from New York. Regina d'Italia—At Genova, from New York. K. A. Victoria—At New York, from Hamburg. Hoensler—At Halifax, from Glasgow. Lapland—At New York, from Antwerp. Molokai—At New York, from Genova. California—At Mobile, from New York. Montclair—At Liverpool, from St. John, N. B. America—At Plymouth, from New York. Bardonia—At London, from St. John. Siasconnet, Mass., April 19.—Stevener Minneapolis, London for New York, was 200 miles east of Sandy Hook at 3 a. m. Dock about 8 a. m. Tuesday.

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THE WEATHER.

FORECASTS—Fresh northerly to westerly winds, clearing, fine to night and on Tuesday. WEATHER NOTES. Rain has fallen from the lake region to the Maritime Provinces, heavily in many portions of Ontario attended by thunderstorms. In the west the weather has been fine and mild.

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