

COMMITTEE WILL PROBE THE COMBINE

WITNESSES CALLED TO GIVE EVIDENCE ON WESTERN LUMBER CONDITIONS.

Opposition Shows Change of Front to Prevention of Strikes Bill.

Special to The Leader.

OTTAWA, Feb. 19.—Hon. T. St. George was elected chairman of the committee to investigate the alleged western lumber combine today and it was decided to issue summonses to the following witnesses to appear March 13: E. G. Ambrose, A. J. McGuire, Pincher Creek, Alta.; S. O'Brien, Strathcona; Fred. W. Green, Moose Jaw; Edward Fearon, Maple Creek; R. H. Alexander, Vancouver; Secretary of the British Columbia Lumber and Shingle Manufacturers Association; Geo. Wells, Nelson, Secretary of the Mountain Mills Lumber Association; D. C. Cameron; D. E. Sprague, Winnipeg, Man.; J. Fletcher, Secretary Alberta Farmers Association, and the secretaries of the Grain Growers Association of Saskatchewan and Manitoba. Other witnesses will be summoned later on the committee being desirous of hearing everyone who can throw any light on the existence of a combine. The chairman stated as a preliminary proof of a combine, that he had found by experience that no employer could buy shingles or doors direct from the manufacturers, but could only obtain them through a middleman.

Prevention of Strikes Bill.

The bill of the Minister of Labor to prevent strikes and lockouts, was taken up in committee in the House today. As soon as this was done, Mr. Lennox (Stucco) and Mr. Lennox (Alameda) opposed the bill because the union was opposed to the bill applying to them, since it took away their right to go on strike while the investigation is pending. W. F. McLean suggested the bill being referred to a special committee, when the railway employees could be properly heard.

Mr. VerVelle (Maitland) said that some of the railway men were opposed to the bill, but not all of them. He wanted to have the bill amended to provide that an employer could not reduce the wages during investigation.

Mr. Ralph Smith pointed out that all union men favor the bill, and the one great feature in England was the objection of the employers to disclose their business to the public. He stepped in and said before either the parties go on strike, before the conflict starts, the public must know the whole circumstances by investigation. The right to strike was taken away but merely postponed when the negotiations were going on. Mr. Monk was opposed to the principle of the bill. He moved that the committee rise.

A Change of Heart.

Sp. W. H. Laurier said that a change of heart has come over the Opposition. With the exception of Mr. Monk, all had approved of the bill. The only thing apparently was that it did not go far enough. Now it was said that the men must not be prevented going on strike. When the bill was introduced, the employers had a different story. There was only one labor organization, the railway men, that came to the government and opposed the bill. He showed that there was nothing in the bill to prevent railway men or any other body going on strike. The bill was a class that the bill should apply to was to the railway employees. A coal famine was on and it was now argued that a strike should stop the train carrying coal to the consumers. The same thing in regard to the mails. He was surprised to see this new opposition to the bill, which was entirely different from that expressed by the leaders on the other side when the bill was introduced.

Corporations Behind Opposition.

Special to The Leader.

OTTAWA, Feb. 19.—At the House at the evening session, Mr. Lemieux said that to exempt railways from the bill it would be as well to have the bill amended to have heard the language he did before the House. He hoped he would never hear it again in the Canadian Parliament. The Opposition talked delay and refused to go on with the bill. Sir Wilfrid Laurier suggested proceeding with the bill and suspend for the present the question as to whether it should apply to railways. That could be dealt with later. Mr. J. Logan (Manitoba) made a strong plea in favor of the bill, pointing out that the bill placed the workmen in as good a position as the employer to have their grievances settled by means of conciliation. The progress was made with the bill. It would seem as if the railway corporations are opposed to it.

3,778 Deaths from Tuberculosis.

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 19.—A report by the State Board of Health shows that in twenty months covered by the report there were 3,778 deaths from tuberculosis, or nearly 1.5 per cent. The state is now building a sanitarium. The report urges a crusade against the disease.

Boundary of Nigeria.

MADRID, Feb. 19.—Satisfactory news has been received of the progress made by the Anglo-French mission for the delimitation of boundaries in Nigeria.

Hurricane in Spain.

MADRID, Feb. 19.—A hurricane of exceptional violence has devastated the Province of Segovia, Spain. Trees have been blown down, roofs and chimneys carried away and telegraph and telephone wires blown down.

Earthquake Shock Felt.

SHEMKHIN, Transcaucasia, Feb. 19.—A slight earthquake shock was felt here this morning. The town has frequently been visited by earthquakes, the Mohammedan quarters being destroyed in 1902.

BALDWIN BUILD 30,000 ENGINES

LOCOMOTIVE BEARING THIS NUMBER JUST COMPLETED IN MAMMOTH WORKS.

Locomotive No. 30,000 was completed by the Baldwin Locomotive Works, Philadelphia on Feb. 6th. The machine which bears this distinction is a monster "Santa Fe type" freight locomotive, weighing 245,000 pounds. It is for the Pittsburg, Shawmut and Northern Railroad, and will be used to push coal trains over the St. Mary's grade.

Special to The Leader.

There are today less than 50,000 locomotives in the United States, so that the output of the Baldwin concern since it was established, three-quarters of a century ago, equals three-fifths the number of locomotives now in service in that country. It took thirty years to build the first thousand locomotives. No. 10,000 was turned out in 1889. January, 1902, saw the twenty thousandth locomotive, No. 19,896, rolled. In the next year, half of the total number have been turned out. Now as many as eight locomotives leave the great shop in a single day. This one industrial establishment is employing 24,200 men at its three plants—the main works, in Philadelphia; the casting plant, at Eddy store, and the steel tire and axle works at Burnham. Contracts are in hand for about 1,800 locomotives.

TRADE RETURNS.

Special to The Leader.

OTTAWA, Feb. 19.—Canada's aggregate trade for the seven months ending with January shows an increase of \$46,807,511 compared with the same period last year. The total of the aggregate trade was \$328,132,432. There was an increase in exports of \$12,220,224 and in imports of \$34,612,208.

DOGGS DRAW ARCTIC MAILMAN TO U.S.

MAKES THE LONG JOURNEY FROM ALASKA TO WASHINGTON.

TON FOR WAGER.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—In a combination sled and wagon of the type used by Uncle Sam for the delivery of mail in the far North and drawn by a team of seven Eskimo dogs, Eli A. Smith, of Nome, Alaska, has arrived in Washington to present certain letters to President Roosevelt and the Postmaster General.

Mr. Smith has been thirteen months on the road. He has made his own way the entire distance. His trip is a record of a bet between the miners and the mail carriers at Nome.

GOAL OIL HABIT CAUSES ACCIDENT

WINNIPEG MAN HAS NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH.

Explosion Followed Pouring Oil on Fire and John Rowley Is Badly Scared for Life.

Special to The Leader.

WINNIPEG, Feb. 19.—Through carelessness in handling a can of coal oil, part of which he was using to light a fire in the cook stove, John Rowley, of 831 McMillan Avenue, this morning had a narrow escape from a terrible death and was badly burned about the face, neck and arms. Rowley arose about six o'clock this morning and while he was pouring coal oil on the fire to make it burn quickly an explosion took place, bursting him terribly about the head and arms. He fell backward on the floor and lay there until the other occupants of the house were aroused. Meanwhile the room caught fire and, had not help arrived, Rowley would undoubtedly have been burned to death.

3,778 Deaths from Tuberculosis.

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 19.—A report by the State Board of Health shows that in twenty months covered by the report there were 3,778 deaths from tuberculosis, or nearly 1.5 per cent. The state is now building a sanitarium. The report urges a crusade against the disease.

Boundary of Nigeria.

MADRID, Feb. 19.—Satisfactory news has been received of the progress made by the Anglo-French mission for the delimitation of boundaries in Nigeria.

Hurricane in Spain.

MADRID, Feb. 19.—A hurricane of exceptional violence has devastated the Province of Segovia, Spain. Trees have been blown down, roofs and chimneys carried away and telegraph and telephone wires blown down.

Earthquake Shock Felt.

SHEMKHIN, Transcaucasia, Feb. 19.—A slight earthquake shock was felt here this morning. The town has frequently been visited by earthquakes, the Mohammedan quarters being destroyed in 1902.

DESPITE VERDICT ARREST FOLLOWS

RAILWAY COMMISSION ADVISES ARREST OF G. T. R. CONDUCTOR.

Special to The Leader.

MONTREAL, Feb. 19.—High-Conductor St. Mars has been arrested on a warrant John William Howe, G. T. R. conductor, of Montreal, on a charge of manslaughter. On Nov. 22nd, a train came into collision at St. Bruno with seventeen cars which had been left on the main line. Two employees, James Morrison and Louis Lorenzo Dansereau, were killed.

Despite the fact that neglect to enforce the train rules was admitted the coroner's jury acquitted Conductor Howe of criminal neglect. His arrest today followed the finding of the Railway Commission, which advised the Attorney General of Quebec to proceed against Howe, because he had neglected to protect the standing cars.

HUNDRED MINERS BELIEVED DEAD THROUGH TERRIBLE ACCIDENT.

Numbers of Japanese Perish in Mine of Mexican Coal Co.—Defective Lamp Caused Explosion—Recovering Bodies of Victims.

LAREDO, Feb. 19.—Telegrams from Monterrey, Mexico, early today told of a disastrous mine explosion which occurred last night in Acapulca mine, No. 3, of Las Esperanzas district in which thirty miners are known to have lost their lives. The dead may be increased to seventy-five when full details are received.

According to meagre reports the explosion occurred shortly after the night shift had begun work. The explosion is thought to have been caused by gas which ignited from a defective lamp carried by one of the miners.

The accident is the most serious that has occurred in the district since the disaster in the Barratona mine a year ago, when nearly one hundred lives were lost.

Forty-three bodies have been removed. More than sixty miners are still in the compartment. Many of the men who were killed were Japanese.

COMPANY PAYS UP.

Special to The Leader.

YORKTON, Sask., Feb. 19.—The case of the Ontario School District, Kansas, against the state of Kansas, was settled at court today. The full amount of taxes, interest and costs.

GLADSTONE FARMER TELLS TALE OF QUARREL OVER WAGES.

Special to The Leader.

GLADSTONE, Man., Feb. 19.—At the coroner's inquest on the late James Alexander held today, Wilson Lyall confessed to having shot Alexander during the course of an altercation. According to the statement made, the two men were disputing over wages and work, and as Alexander was leaving the farm, Lyall shot at him, hitting him in the back. Death was instantaneous. Lyall then carried the body into the house, laid it on the bed and notified the sister of the deceased.

The jury brought in a finding according to the statement.

The preliminary trial was held a short time after and Lyall was committed to stand trial at the fall assizes. He was totally unconcerned and while waiting for the train to take him to Portage Jail was the least disturbed of the party. Temporary insanity will probably be the defence.

GRAIN GROWERS CONVENTION.

The Resolution Committee of the S.G.G.A. met yesterday in the Clayton Hotel. Three lengthy sessions were held and resolutions concerning the grain growers were formulated for action at their convention on Wednesday and Thursday. The convention will be held in the Masonic Hall, Scarth Street, commencing at ten o'clock. Many delegates are in the city and a total of over a hundred delegates are expected to arrive and take part in the proceedings of this important organization.

PAT MAY HAVE TO FIGHT DUEL.

RUSSIAN MILITARY MEN RESENT KUROPATKIN'S HISTORY OF THE WAR.

By Associated Press.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 19.—The publication abroad of General Kuropatkin's history of the Russo-Japanese war has caused a great sensation here. Dispatches on the subject were suppressed, but long accounts received by mail are printed in all newspapers. The General's strictures have evoked much resentment in military circles and have revived the talk of the possibility of a duel between General Kuropatkin and General Kaulbars.

Boundary of Nigeria.

MADRID, Feb. 19.—Satisfactory news has been received of the progress made by the Anglo-French mission for the delimitation of boundaries in Nigeria.

Hurricane in Spain.

MADRID, Feb. 19.—A hurricane of exceptional violence has devastated the Province of Segovia, Spain. Trees have been blown down, roofs and chimneys carried away and telegraph and telephone wires blown down.

Earthquake Shock Felt.

SHEMKHIN, Transcaucasia, Feb. 19.—A slight earthquake shock was felt here this morning. The town has frequently been visited by earthquakes, the Mohammedan quarters being destroyed in 1902.

EXPLOSION BRINGS DEATH TO MANY MEN

HUNDRED MINERS BELIEVED DEAD THROUGH TERRIBLE ACCIDENT.

Numbers of Japanese Perish in Mine of Mexican Coal Co.—Defective Lamp Caused Explosion—Recovering Bodies of Victims.

LAREDO, Feb. 19.—Telegrams from Monterrey, Mexico, early today told of a disastrous mine explosion which occurred last night in Acapulca mine, No. 3, of Las Esperanzas district in which thirty miners are known to have lost their lives. The dead may be increased to seventy-five when full details are received.

According to meagre reports the explosion occurred shortly after the night shift had begun work. The explosion is thought to have been caused by gas which ignited from a defective lamp carried by one of the miners.

The accident is the most serious that has occurred in the district since the disaster in the Barratona mine a year ago, when nearly one hundred lives were lost.

Forty-three bodies have been removed. More than sixty miners are still in the compartment. Many of the men who were killed were Japanese.

COMPANY PAYS UP.

Special to The Leader.

YORKTON, Sask., Feb. 19.—The case of the Ontario School District, Kansas, against the state of Kansas, was settled at court today. The full amount of taxes, interest and costs.

GLADSTONE FARMER TELLS TALE OF QUARREL OVER WAGES.

Special to The Leader.

GLADSTONE, Man., Feb. 19.—At the coroner's inquest on the late James Alexander held today, Wilson Lyall confessed to having shot Alexander during the course of an altercation. According to the statement made, the two men were disputing over wages and work, and as Alexander was leaving the farm, Lyall shot at him, hitting him in the back. Death was instantaneous. Lyall then carried the body into the house, laid it on the bed and notified the sister of the deceased.

The jury brought in a finding according to the statement.

The preliminary trial was held a short time after and Lyall was committed to stand trial at the fall assizes. He was totally unconcerned and while waiting for the train to take him to Portage Jail was the least disturbed of the party. Temporary insanity will probably be the defence.

GRAIN GROWERS CONVENTION.

The Resolution Committee of the S.G.G.A. met yesterday in the Clayton Hotel. Three lengthy sessions were held and resolutions concerning the grain growers were formulated for action at their convention on Wednesday and Thursday. The convention will be held in the Masonic Hall, Scarth Street, commencing at ten o'clock. Many delegates are in the city and a total of over a hundred delegates are expected to arrive and take part in the proceedings of this important organization.

PAT MAY HAVE TO FIGHT DUEL.

RUSSIAN MILITARY MEN RESENT KUROPATKIN'S HISTORY OF THE WAR.

By Associated Press.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 19.—The publication abroad of General Kuropatkin's history of the Russo-Japanese war has caused a great sensation here. Dispatches on the subject were suppressed, but long accounts received by mail are printed in all newspapers. The General's strictures have evoked much resentment in military circles and have revived the talk of the possibility of a duel between General Kuropatkin and General Kaulbars.

Boundary of Nigeria.

MADRID, Feb. 19.—Satisfactory news has been received of the progress made by the Anglo-French mission for the delimitation of boundaries in Nigeria.

Hurricane in Spain.

MADRID, Feb. 19.—A hurricane of exceptional violence has devastated the Province of Segovia, Spain. Trees have been blown down, roofs and chimneys carried away and telegraph and telephone wires blown down.

Earthquake Shock Felt.

SHEMKHIN, Transcaucasia, Feb. 19.—A slight earthquake shock was felt here this morning. The town has frequently been visited by earthquakes, the Mohammedan quarters being destroyed in 1902.

AWAITING HEIR TO THE THRONE

PREPARATIONS IN PROGRESS FOR COMING VISIT OF STORK TO ROYAL HOUSE.

MADRID, Feb. 19.—Arrangements for the stork's visit to the royal house of Spain are proceeding apace. Queen Victoria, who wedded King Alfonso on the 31st of last May, prefers to keep away from public functions until April, when the church bells shall ring merrily for the birth of a child to the youngest king and queen in Europe.

More than a hundred Spanish women are making baby clothes for the heir to the throne. Princess Beatrice the queen's mother, has sent English models, but all the embroidery and fine drawn work is to be Spanish. The christening and presentation to the foreign relations of Germany by Alfonso XIII. and his lamented father. They were seen but a month ago on the little son of infantia Marie Teresa and are a wonderful combination of lace of great value and handiwork.

MRS. THAW SWEARS TO WHITE'S WRITING

LETTERS OF DEAD MAN PUT IN BY THE DEFENCE

Delmas Gets Forty-two of Stanford White's Letters Identified by Thaw's Wife—A New Move.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—The usual crowd, largely composed of lawyers, filled the court room when the Thaw case opened this morning. Thaw entered the court room when called with his usual quick step and at once began an animated conversation with Dr. Evans. "A decided surprise was sprung by the defence in recalling Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit to the stand. Immediately after the court convened, Young Mrs. Thaw looked pale and nervous as she testified slightly as she caught her husband's eye. She returned the smile and then he returned the conversation with Dr. Evans, but for the most part kept his eyes on his wife, only turning occasionally to whisper in the doctor's ear. After Mrs. Thaw had sat silently in the chair for nearly five minutes Mr. Delmas began his examination. "You have already testified, Mrs. Thaw, that you are familiar with the handwriting of Stanford White. He said, 'I now hand you a paper and ask whether if from beginning to end it is in the handwriting of Mr. White.' Mrs. Thaw gazed at the paper, evidently a letter, and said: 'It is his handwriting.' Mr. Delmas handed the witness six other letters, and they were also identified as having come from Stanford White. The letters were marked as defendant's exhibits G, R, S, T, U, V and W. After some delay, still other letters were identified in all, Mrs. Thaw identified forty-two letters. Mrs. Thaw Cross Examined. NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw today entered upon the ordeal of cross-examination and before District Attorney Jerome had the witness in charge for half an hour he had secured from the witness a reliable statement from which the introduction of all kinds of evidence will be allowed which may tend to discredit the defendant's wife. Mr. Jerome asked the witness if the story told to the court was true. "It was the firm reply, Jerome called Mrs. Caine, of Boston, a friend of Mrs. Thaw's, who gave many material points as to the movements of Thaw and Evelyn Nesbit following the return from Europe. In bringing out these facts Jerome denied that he was trying to attack Mrs. Thaw, and said that he was simply testing the credibility of Mrs. Caine. The District Attorney seemed reluctant to commence the examination of the witness, desiring to have the matter postponed until Thursday.

By Associated Press.

LONDON, Feb. 19.—Fifty-six women suffragists who were arrested within the precincts of parliament were arraigned in police court charged with disorderly conduct and resisting the police.

Mrs. Deshard, a sister of General French, has taken a prominent part in the suffragist movement, and who was the leader of the attack on the House of Commons, was sentenced to pay a fine of \$10 or undergo twenty-one days' imprisonment.

Some of the women who previously had been imprisoned for engaging in suffragist demonstrations also were fined \$10, with the option of imprisonment. The rest of the prisoners were condemned to pay fines of \$5 each or undergo two weeks in jail. They all elected to go to prison.

Earthquake Shock Felt.

SHEMKHIN, Transcaucasia, Feb. 19.—A slight earthquake shock was felt here this morning. The town has frequently been visited by earthquakes, the Mohammedan quarters being destroyed in 1902.

SETTLEMENT DAY FOR REED SMOOT

SENATE TODAY DECIDES WHETHER MORMON SHALL RETAIN SEAT.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—The fate of Reed Smoot will be determined tomorrow, when the Senate will vote to determine whether he shall be accepted as the representative of Utah in that body. The indications are that the Senate's vote will be expressed in the confidence in Mr. Smoot. The opposition, however, is carrying on the fight to the last ditch and is hopeful that the vote will be against the Utah man.

WORLD PEACE WILL CONTINUE

SAYS GERMAN EMPEROR AT OPENING OF NEW REICHSTAG.

By Associated Press.

BERLIN, Germany, Feb. 19.—Emperor William opened the new Reichstag today amid a gorgeous setting in the White Hall of the palace. All the members and the Emperor, attended by the princes of the ruling house were also present. His Majesty read the speech from the throne in a clear voice. He referred to the foreign relations of Germany and also mentioned the peace of the world, which he said was likely to continue.

Nightcaps in Fashion.

LONDON, Feb. 19.—The use of nightcaps, which were discarded a half century ago, except by elderly women, is being revived by fashionable English ladies. According to the Drapers' Record, headgear of that kind is becoming an indispensable part of a woman's wardrobe. The nightcap of 1907 is a dainty combination of cambric, lace and tulle, with colored ribbons and rosettes. The revival is ascribed partly to doctors and partly to elaborate coiffures.

A Well Paid Office.

LONDON, Feb. 19.—The salary of the British Ambassador to Washington has been raised to fifty thousand dollars a year, or the best paid post in the British diplomatic service. Mr. Bryce was also allowed ten thousand to pay the expenses of installing himself in the Embassy.

HONDURAS ARMY DEFEATED.

By Associated Press.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Feb. 19.—The troops of General Bonilla, President of Honduras, at three o'clock today attacked the forces of General Zelaya, President of Nicaragua, which were guarding the Nicaragua canal. The army of Honduras was defeated.

By Associated Press.

GENOEVATI, Feb. 19.—A skull believed to be that of Pearl Bryan, who was murdered and her body decapitated on Feb. 1, 1896, by Jackson and Walling, medical students, who afterwards were hanged, was found across the river from here yesterday afternoon.

The Fatal Kimono.

Special to The Leader.

MONTREAL, Feb. 19.—Ages McLean, wife of Rev. John Turnbull, died at the Royal Victoria hospital as a result of burns received on Saturday. The deceased, who was 74 years old, was engaged on Saturday afternoon cooking on the gas range at the family residence, 131 Park Ave. She was wearing a light kimono with wide floating sleeves and evidently one of them caught fire, burning her fatally.

Choked to Death by Cake.

Special to The Leader.

TORONTO, Feb. 19.—A Brough, aged nine years, met a peculiar death early this morning. While en route to school he choked on a piece of cake he was eating. He ran into a neighbor's house and was given a glass of water, but too late, for he fell over and died almost instantly.

Contrasts in Death.

Special to The Leader.

PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE, Man., Feb. 19.—Two very sudden deaths occurred here today. Mrs. William King, an old resident, passed peacefully away in her chair at the age of 83. She appeared to be in good health. She had resided in this district for twenty-two years. At an early hour this morning death claimed James McKinney. Deceased had been drinking heavily of late and retired last night under the influence of liquor. He breathed stertorously for a time and when this suddenly stopped the inmates of the house became alarmed. A doctor was hurriedly called, but he was too late. McKinney was 43 years old.

DEARER LUMBER PREDICTED.

Lethbridge Man Says Prices Will Go Yet Higher.

Special to The Leader.

LETHBRIDGE, Alta., Feb. 19.—That lumber prices will continue to soar is the prediction of A. McDonald, one of the best known architects in the West. He states that he has been informed by a manufacturer that common boards that five years ago sold for ten dollars at the mill, are going for thirty dollars a thousand. Fully as large advances have been made in shipping and heavy dimension lumber. Another general advance will make building a serious matter. One of the signs of spring here is the appearance of gophers several having been seen in this vicinity today. The ice in the Belly river went out last week.

DEARER LUMBER PREDICTED.

Lethbridge Man Says Prices Will Go Yet Higher.

Special to The Leader.

LETHBRIDGE, Alta., Feb. 19.—That lumber prices will continue to soar is the prediction of A. McDonald, one of the best known architects in the West. He states that he has been informed by a manufacturer that common boards that five years ago sold for ten dollars at the mill, are going for thirty dollars a thousand. Fully as large advances have been made in shipping and heavy dimension lumber. Another general advance will make building a serious matter. One of the signs of spring here is the appearance of gophers several having been seen in this vicinity today. The ice in the Belly river went out last week.

MADNESS, MURDER AND SUDDEN DEATH

GRUESOME LIST OF TRAGEDIES REPORTED FROM MANY DIFFERENT POINTS.

Insane Mother Kills Herself and Two Small Children—Italian Woman Suicides With Rusty Razor—Thaw Trial Drives Man Insane.

Special to The Leader.

OTTAWA, Feb. 19.—Lying in a pool of blood, with her rigid and almost decapitated body across the threshold of the kitchen doorway, the remains of Mary Fioreto, 68 Bessier Street, an Italian, were discovered by milkman McCartney, who called at the house on Monday morning. Giuseppe Fioreto, the deceased's husband, was sent for and the police and coroner notified. A rusty razor besmeared with blood, told a tale of suicide. No inquest will be held.

Mother's Insane Act.

By Associated Press.

CONNEVILLE, Ind., Feb. 19.—Mrs. J. S. Mundell yesterday killed her two daughters, aged four years and seven months respectively, and then committed suicide. No cause for the act is known.

Thaw Trial Makes Lunatic.

By Associated Press.

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 19.—Violently insane over the Thaw trial, John Ludolph was taken to an asylum today. He asks only of the trial and says he has \$10,000 to help out Evelyn and Harry.

Killed by Falling Tree.

Special to The Leader.

PETERBORO, Feb. 19.—Alexander Kidd, a farmer of this vicinity, was killed while falling a tree on Saturday. The tree severed and a limb struck

BANK OF MONTREAL

ESTABLISHED 1828
Capital all paid up \$14,000,000
Reserve Fund 10,000,000
Balance Profit and Loss 583,106

HEAD OFFICE, MONTREAL
Right Hon. Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, G.C.M.G., President.
Hon. Sir George A. Drummond, K.C.M.G., Vice-President.
R. S. Clouston, General Manager.

Branches and Agencies
at all principal points in Canada; also in London (England), New York, Chicago, Spokane and Newfoundland.

Travellers' Circular Letters of Credit and Commercial Credits
issued for use in all parts of the world. Collections made on favorable terms. Drafts sold available at all points in the United States, Europe and Canada. Interest allowed on deposits at current rates.

A. F. ANGUS,
Manager Regina Branch

Cushing Bros. Co.'s WINDOW & DOOR FACTORY

We manufacture and keep in stock all kinds of Builders' Supplies, Windows, Doors, Mouldings, Turnings, Brackets, Frames, Sashes and Office Fixtures, etc. Lath, Shingles, Glass, Hard Wall Plaster, Wood Fiber Plaster.

Just received a Carload of Wood Fiber Plaster

REGINA, CALGARY & EDMONTON

Red Deer, Strathcona and Fort Saskatchewan
REGINA OFFICE: DUNDAS ST. WEST (North of the Railway)
Let us estimate on your requirements.

CUSHING BROS. CO., LTD.

DOUKS MUST BE NATURALIZED

GOVERNMENT COMMISSION VISITS ALL VILLAGES AND READS ULTIMATUM TO THE PEOPLE.

CALGARY, Feb. 16.—The Rev. McDougall has returned to Calgary after a trip to the Doukhobor settlements. This was the first winter trip taken by the doctor, and it proved to be a very severe one. The party, consisting of the doctor's secretary and an interpreter, visited every settlement, consisting of fifty-one villages and populated by 9,000 Doukhobors. Besides the railway journey there was some 600 miles of driving, and the weather at 25 to 50 degrees below zero all the time.

The object of the trip was to deliver an ultimatum to those people who have not been fulfilling their homestead duties. The Doukhobor people are of a very stubborn disposition, owing doubtless to centuries of oppression, and it is necessary to bring them to a realization of their duties as Canadian citizens. The ultimatum is given in a circular "To the Elders and People" and is printed in English and their type, and at every village the doctor's interpreter read the letter to the assembled populace.

All those who refuse to become naturalized citizens of the country, and, besides, had not been fulfilling their homestead duties, were recommended to leave their homesteads in Canada. The doctor recommended the cancelling of 2,487 entries and upon his return trip will allow all those who will sign the naturalization papers simultaneously with the signing of the re-entry papers to become once more homesteaders in the great West. The residence and cultivation duties connected with homesteading.

All the Doukhobor people who object to this will be placed on a reserve, the reserve in every case to be around the village. The reserve will be in area fifteen acres to every head of the populace of the village which it surrounds, which, in the doctor's opinion, is sufficient for a livelihood for every man placed on the reserve.

INTERESTED IN THE THAW TRIAL

LONDON PAPERS PUBLISHING COLUMNS DAILY—NO INDECENT DETAILS PRINTED.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—London editors, who value news according to human standards, fully appreciate the absorbing interest of the Thaw murder trial, and are devoting a great deal of their space to reporting it. The Telegraph, Standard, Mail, News Chronicle, and Express publish daily cables of the trial, each of which is apt to be considerably longer than any other article in the paper in which it appears. The Telegraph has published as much as four columns of Thaw matter in a single issue, and the other papers have had three-column stories day after day. London editors generally are convinced that their readers desire full information of the progress of the great legal conflict now going on in New York, and are entitled to have it, and there is no doubt the editors are responding generously and adequately. They have not found it necessary to censor or to keep their readers informed to publish anything of an obscene or indecent nature, and several of them with whom I have talked say they do not see why any American newspaper should feel compelled to publish matter not fit to print. They have not seen any of these publications complained of by President Roosevelt, and probably would be unwilling to condemn them specifically, if they had seen them. They think they say quite enough when they advocate the publication of the news of the Thaw trial fully, but decently. "It is possible," said Thomas Marlowe, editor of the Mail, "for any competent journalist to tell the story of the Thaw trial in a manner consistent with his own self-respect and with due regard to the demands of his readers."

TO INCREASE COAL OUTPUT

Taber Mine Improvements Will Provide for Handling 5,000 Tons Daily.

TABER, Alta., Feb. 16.—Considerable improvements are being carried out at the mine of the Canadian West Coal and Coke Co. here. The work is being done by Mr. T. F. S. McGregor, who comes from the anthracite coal fields of Pennsylvania. Mr. McGregor is a practical man in all departments of this particular kind of work, and from all indications shows himself to be equal to the emergency in every respect. The shaft is 10 by 10, to be used for ventilating purposes. This will be 100 feet deep and is timbered with 10 by 10 yellow pine with two-inch yellow pine planking for lagging, the timber being three feet apart.

Alcohol for Power Purposes.

Wood alcohol has been used for chemical and industrial purposes on account of its cheapness. So far as manufacture is concerned, it is much more costly than alcohol from grain, but the tax on grain product makes it vastly dearer. The consumers have been talking the naturally dear to escape the cost of the artificially dear. "But the full use of alcohol as a means of producing heat, light and power cannot be attained except by permitting the manufacture of the naturally cheaper product without the obstruction of the tax."

BORDEN TO BE REPLACED BY WHITNEY

HUGH GRAHAM HAS PLANNED THE REORGANISATION OF CONSERVATIVE PARTY.

Hon. F. W. G. Haultain, According to the Plans, Will Withdraw from the Saskatchewan House, and Become the Leader for the West.

TORONTO, Feb. 16.—The announcement of the intention of the Conservative party to hold a Federal convention in Ottawa has revived interest in the Conservative centre as to the future of the party.

Those who claim to be in the secrets of the party state that big changes are impending. It is asserted that Mr. Hugh Graham, of the Montreal Star, who has for more than ten years been in charge of the editorial of the Conservative party and who is by some people regarded as the evil genius of the party, has planned a reorganization and that he has secured substantial support for his plans.

These are, in brief: The retirement of Mr. R. L. Borden from the provincial leadership to accept a position as consulting counsel of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company. The selection of Hon. F. Whitney, now Premier of Ontario, as Conservative leader in the House of Commons. The return of Hon. F. Whitney, ex-M.P., to active politics as the leader of the party in Quebec.

The removal of Hon. F. W. G. Haultain from the provincial leadership in Saskatchewan to be Western leader of the party. And, if it is possible, an alliance with Hon. Richard McBride, by which the Premier of British Columbia shall hold himself in readiness to become a member of the Cabinet when the Conservatives come into power.

Mr. Whitney has on several occasions stated that he would under no circumstances relinquish the provincial leadership. But it is now asserted that Mr. Hugh Graham was able to give him assurance that his leadership would be favorably viewed in Quebec, that he was the one man in politics today who could rally the French Canadians under the old Conservative flag, and that he would be given an absolutely free hand in determining the policy and the electoral programme of the party. If this be the case, as is claimed, the Conservative friends here, then Mr. Whitney's objections may be dissipated, and perhaps he may be persuaded to become the Federal leader.

If he does, the plan is that Hon. W. J. Hanna, now Provincial Secretary, shall become Premier of Ontario, and would probably involve the retirement of Hon. J. J. Poy, the Attorney General, but that gentlemen are willing to accept a judgeship, which has been offered to him, and that he can get one if he desires. Should that happen, Mr. J. P. Downey, M.P.P., of Guelph, would enter the ministry probably as Provincial Secretary. Now as to Quebec, Mr. Casgrain is quite ready to re-enter politics if he can be assured that there shall be no re-assertion of the race and creed agitation in the party. He is willing to accept Mr. Whitney as his leader, and is willing to have the traditions of Baldwin and Lafontaine, as voiced in the speech which he made before the French Canadian Club in Montreal just before his accession to the Provincial Premiership. Senator Landry and the other Conservative leaders in the Quebec district are favorable to the selection of Mr. Whitney. They assert that under his leadership they will be able to win the twenty seats east of Three Rivers. Time will show whether this is the case or not. These people assert that the Liberal Party in Quebec will be completely satisfied; but as they have made the same assertions before the last two general elections their declarations must be taken with a good many grains of salt.

Mr. Bergeron is understood to be opposed to any change, and in this he is supported by seven of the other eight members who now represent Quebec constituencies in the Commons. He is in favor of the country and his views are unknown. They claim that the selection of a leader should be left to a party convention, and that the chief object of the party should be to elect a leader who is willing to abide by the decision of the party. So far as he himself is concerned he realizes that he is himself impossible as a political leader. But, loyal as always to the party, he is content to serve as a subaltern, even under the command of Mr. Casgrain as Provincial leader.

The Graham plan of campaign is nominally made in the most friendly spirit toward Mr. R. L. Borden. It is asserted by those who are in the secrets of Mr. Graham that he has come to the conclusion that, as a party leader, Mr. Borden is impossible. He has a very large amount of ability; but—and it is a most important but—he lacks the personal magnetism which is required by a Federal leader.

Mr. Graham is reported to have been working for some months along the above lines. The chief object of the plan was what should be done with Mr. Borden. Right from the start it was contemplated that he should be provided with a soft corporation job; but there were difficulties in the way. The greatest was Hon. A. G. Blair. It was generally understood that Blair would be provided with a position of chief consulting counsel for the Canadian Pacific at a salary of \$25,000 per year. But Mr. Blair's refusal to accept such a position, and the death of Mr. Borden can have the position if he will.

That is the question which is worrying Mr. Graham and his supporters. It is understood that they have a sympathy for Sir Charles Tupper, of Sir

Charles Hibbard Tupper, and of Hon. Hugh John Macdonald in their desire to secure J. Finy Whitney as leader, if it can be done without financial loss to Mr. Borden.

Should this deal go through it would have important results upon the political situation in Ontario. Mr. Haultain is a clever man—but he has the faculty of making enemies. His appointment as Premier of Ontario would make things much easier for Hon. F. W. G. Graham, and if the Ontario Liberals defer their convention until after the Conservative rally in Ottawa in September they would be in a position to benefit very largely by the coming shifting of the Conservative kaleidoscope.

ENGLAND IS MUCH DIVIDED ABOUT TUNNEL

SOUTH-EASTERN RAILWAY DIRECTORS VIEW MATTER FROM BUSINESS STANDPOINT.

Lord Claud Hamilton, of Great Eastern Railway Denounces Scheme as Entirely Unpatriotic—French Roads Will Grant Earning Rights.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—Discussion for and against the Channel tunnel scheme goes steadily, if not altogether, merrily on.


The annual shareholders' meetings recently took place of two of the most important English railroad companies, the Southeastern and the Great Eastern, and the directors of the latter, speaking through the persons of their presiding directors, voiced views which make rather interesting reading.

On the one hand the gentlemen of the board of the Southeastern (the company likely to benefit the most from the scheme) were asked to consider the matter from a purely business point of view, and their cogitations from the published reports seem to have been but very mildly tinged by any other sentiment than the sentiment of dollars. On the other hand the attention of the directors of the Great Eastern were engaged to consider the matter of the proposed work of connecting Great Britain with the continent of Europe as a patriotic scheme remarkable for its "anti-nationalism" and fraught with tremendous national dangers.

Baron Emile d'Eranger, it seems, the chairman of the Channel Tunnel Company, and the directors of the Southeastern, have been working together in the matter, with the result that they have agreed to clauses which, if the bill to put through the Channel tunnel will allow the Southeastern to make arrangements and agreements with French railway companies for the use of English rolling stock over continental railways, and thus secure to that company a vast increase of business. There were some voices raised in protest, but the shareholders, with three dissentients, approved the measure.

Lord Claud Hamilton presiding at the board of the shareholders of the Great Eastern, spoke purely on the patriotic side. His words in part were: "I should like to refer to the matter immediately interests as Great Eastern shareholders, is of great interest to me, and I am sure to the general public, allude to the insane project of making a physical connection between Great Britain and the continent, and the increase of our shipping, and how any Britain with a grain of common sense or of patriotism can entertain such a project, and the fact that we are held by our continental neighbors to be void of logic, and I believe they are correct, but as they are generally credited with a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of an underground passage, and to throw away millions of pounds that had better be expended in the improvement and enlargement of our shipping, and the increase of our shipping. And what did we learn yesterday? That Germany will shortly have a large supply of common sense. It seems incredible that, with our knowledge of our national character from the insular position of being the centre of the greatest empire in the world, and from the fact that we should deliberately throw away all these advantages, in order to do what? To do an infinity of miles of

"LONGING AS ONLY A CHILD CAN LONG"
IS MILDLY EXPRESSING THAT
DESIRE OF OLD & YOUNG FOR
Boyd's
CHOCOLATES
YOU'LL LIKE THEM, OF COURSE
W.J. BOYD CANDY CO. WINNIPEG



ITALY MAKES GREAT STRUGGLE ANTI-CLERICAL MOVEMENT AGAINST LORDS IS NOW ON

FIFTEEN THOUSAND CITIZENS OF ROME SHOW THEIR SYMPATHY WITH FRANCE.

Republicans and Socialists Throughout the Country March With the Red Flag and Denounce the Policy of the Vatican.

ROME, Feb. 17.—Fifteen thousand persons, among them 100 red-shirted Garibaldians, with 120 flags and 20 bands of music, participated today in an anti-clerical demonstration in favor of France.

The procession went to the monument of Giordano Bruno, the Italian philosopher, who was burned at the stake by order of the Inquisition, and deposited thirty wreaths there. Afterwards the marchers went to the Capitol, and despite their being prohibited, entered the balcony of Michael Angelo, planted the red republican flag and amid enthusiastic cheers Republican and Socialist deputies delivered violent anti-clerical speeches.

The Government took energetic measures to avoid trouble. The whole garrison was under arms, and all the streets leading to the Vatican were barred by troops.

Similar manifestations took place in all the leading Italian towns.

QUEEN MEE'S MUMMY.

Jewelry and Much Gold Found in Tomb of Mother of "Heretic King."

LONDON, Feb. 16.—Theodore M. Davis, who discovered the tomb of the parents of the Egyptian Queen, Mee, has discovered the tomb and mummy of the Queen herself. As her tomb lay in the bed of a water-course, the mummy and wooden articles have suffered severely. Queen Mee was the mother and inspirer of the famous "Heretic King," and from her tomb the priests of Thebes had erased every inscription of the King's name. However, the jewelry and gold.

Water had reduced almost to pulp the sheets of gummy resin which were wrapped. Bracelets encircled the arms, there was a costly necklace around the neck, and on the head was still the imperial crown of ancient Egypt's Queens.

UNCTIOUS ECCLITIC AND CHIEF HYSTERIA.

(Toronto Evening Telegram.)

Where was the Globe's critical eye when its favorite word of fiction "The Doctor" was being eulogized? Are not certain passages in "The Doctor" almost as unfit to be read aloud in mixed society as certain passages in the telegraphed versions of the Thaw trial published in this country? If there is to be any hope in the future of old-time fiction, it is believed that more lumber will be taken out of this spring than was taken last season. It is said that the lumbermen will fell 1,900,000,000 feet board measure of pine this year, 1,500,000 feet board measure of spruce, 1,250,000 cubic feet of square timber, 100,000 cords of pulp wood and 4,500,000 railway ties.

The activity in railway construction throughout the country and the production in Ontario will in consequence increase this year.

WILLING TO ARBITRATE.

Presidents of Nicaragua and Honduras Say There'll Be No War.

WASHINGTON, FEB. 17.—Dispatches received by the president from the presidents of Nicaragua and Honduras give assurance of the maintenance of peaceful relations between those two countries. In response to the joint note of the United States, Mexico, Guatemala and other Central American countries, both presidents have signified their willingness to agree to any step which may be taken leading up to the submission of the question in dispute to an arbitration court and to abide by its decision.

NEW LUMBER COMPANY.

To Be Established at Saskatoon With Capital of \$100,000.

OTTAWA, Feb. 15.—Edward Albert Konantz, lumber merchant of St. Paul; Roscoe Percy Ward, banker, Wausau, Adalbert Nathan Stacey, merchant of St. Paul, Charles Johnlee, managing agent, Saskatoon, and Everett Stanley Konantz, St. Paul, have been incorporated as the North American Lumber and Supply Co. The chief business place will be Saskatoon and the proposed capital is \$100,000.

FOUR KILLED AT FUNERAL.

LONG ISLAND, Feb. 13.—A train on the Long Island Railway was into a funeral at the Ferry Bridge crossing yesterday afternoon. The coach was smashed to kindling-wood and four of the occupants were instantly killed. There were gates at the crossing, but it is said they were not lowered at the approach of the train.

VALUABLE FURS BURN AT BRANDON

STOCK VALUED AT \$28,000 DESTROYED—FACTORY DAMAGED AT MONTREAL.

BRANDON, Feb. 17.—The building on Rosser avenue occupied by the Montreal Fur Co. was gutted by fire. The blaze started upstairs in the workshop and had gained considerable headway before the fire brigade arrived. The stock of furs, valued at \$28,000, will be a total loss.

MONTREAL, Que., Feb. 17.—The James Robertson Company factory, Dalhousie street, suffered \$20,000 damage by a fire which broke out in the brass foundry and extended to the packing department. The fire is supposed to have originated from overheated shafting in the brass works.

CAPE CHARLES, VA., FEB. 17.—

Fire which broke out in the livery stable of J. W. Coulter, destroyed the stable and three houses adjoining before it was finally gotten under control. The loss will only amount to about \$15,000.

GOD HAS NEED OF MEN

DOMINANT NOTE IN AN ELOQUENT ADDRESS BY W. L. BUCHANAN.

(From Monday's Morning Leader.)

Mr. W. W. Buchanan, the noted temperance advocate, addressed meetings in Knox Church yesterday morning; the Baptist Church in the afternoon, and the Methodist Church in the evening. He spoke to large congregations on each occasion, and delivered powerful addresses. There is nothing fanatical or sensational about Mr. Buchanan's oratory. It is sane and argumentative and without being overdone.

In his evening address Mr. Buchanan dwelt eloquently on the need of men in the cause of reform. God's need of men, said the speaker, was a wonderful doctrine. Men realized their need of a Saviour, but the other side of the great hemisphere of truth was neglected, namely, that although men were puny and humble, God, nevertheless, had need of them.

God's call to men was not for them to secure a title to a mansion in the sky, but His appeal to them was for the salvation of the world, which could only be brought about by the brains and inspiration of men and women.

What was the dominant idea of the Christianity of this age? The idea of yesterday was liberty. But they were living in a new age, dominated by a new idea, the idea of the Sermon on the Mount, that injury to one was the concern of all, and that persons were more valuable than money. But this idea was being only slowly realized because of the inactivity of men. In the picture of the Judgment Day, the people had Matthew, those who were banished from God's presence were condemned not for what they did, but for what they did not do. The sin of omission was the crying sin of today.

Speaking of the temperance cause, the speaker said that the time had arrived for the battle cry, "To Arms!" The call was for men, not for sentiment, but for men who were sure of their own temperance sentiment. What was wanted was men to push the battle to the gates.

The worst of the day, the people had the conscience of the country demanded, and which the young men had taken out this spring than was taken last season. It is said that the lumbermen will fell 1,900,000,000 feet board measure of pine this year, 1,500,000 feet board measure of spruce, 1,250,000 cubic feet of square timber, 100,000 cords of pulp wood and 4,500,000 railway ties.

The activity in railway construction throughout the country and the production in Ontario will in consequence increase this year.

ON TARIO'S TIMBER OUTPUT.

Forests of the Province Will Give Up Large Quantities This Year.

TORONTO, Feb. 17.—An estimate of the quantity of timber which will be cut in the forests of Ontario during the winter of 1906-07 has been prepared by the officials of the Department of Lands, Forests and Mines. It is believed that more lumber will be taken out of this spring than was taken last season. It is said that the lumbermen will fell 1,900,000,000 feet board measure of pine this year, 1,500,000 feet board measure of spruce, 1,250,000 cubic feet of square timber, 100,000 cords of pulp wood and 4,500,000 railway ties.

The activity in railway construction throughout the country and the production in Ontario will in consequence increase this year.

AN UNIQUE WEDDING.

Three Couples, Widower and Widow and a Daughter of Each.

MONTREAL, Feb. 16.—An unusual matrimonial event was celebrated at the parish church of St. Louis de Mile End recently, when an elderly widower, father of five children, was united to a widow, also parent of five, while at the same service a daughter of the bride and a daughter of the groom were also provided with husbands. In order that the parents and children might join in this nuptial family reunion, special permission was granted the younger couples to undergo the marriage ceremony outside their respective parishes. Friends of the six participants witnessed the unique wedding, which was performed by Rev. Canon Le Faillure, the parish priest.

MORE EARTHQUAKES DUE.

Jamaican Shock Nothing to What It Is in Store, Scientist Says.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 17.—Before the Connecticut Association of Arts and Sciences, Professor Addison Ferrill of Yale said last night: "The great earthquakes in Jamaica are nothing to what is in store for the West Indies the next few years. The geological formations of the islands make it almost certain that some startling catastrophes will occur."

Professor Ferrill, for years resident in the West Indies for the purpose of conducting exhaustive geological investigations into the island. He is the leading American authority on the subject.

BONSPIEL NEARLY OVER.

Several Final Games Were Played at Winnipeg Yesterday.

WINNIPEG, Feb. 15.—Today saw a number of the final games in the bonspiel and it is likely that tomorrow will see the end of the gathering of curlers for 1907. The ice was not in very good shape, and as the players were very tired, some of them having played three and four games a day for the past day or two, some of the games were not as good as could be expected. The McMillan (Consolation) was won by W. Hicks, of Napinka, R. B. Rice, of Toronto, setting second place.

The Tucker was again won by Thistles, of Winnipeg, Mac Braden and Andy Russell beating Kitchin and Hethcriston, of Souris, by 11-7.

In the evening drew two more competitions were closed out and as a result of the games the Royal Canadian trophy will go to St. Paul and the Walker (International) will remain in Winnipeg.

Tomorrow's programme will contain at least two and perhaps three final games. The first will be the Pius Ribbon, Dingwall and Zetter Tea, and it is probable that a special effort will be made to complete the trophy collection was made at the Whyte Veterans' trophy, but as quite a few games are to be played it is probable that the final game in this competition will be held over to Monday.

A Divorce Coming to Her.

CHICAGO, Feb. 16.—Masses of dark brown hair, rounded and piled up, were unrolled from a newspaper parcel before the astonished eyes of Judge Wilkes on the corner of the judicial desk when Mrs. Mary Schrayler offered one of the most novel exhibits ever produced in a Chicago divorce case.

The hair, Mrs. Schrayler declared with much vehemence, was torn from her head during the course of her husband's collection of evidence. It was the hair of the man with whom she was living, and it was the hair of the man with whom she was living, and it was the hair of the man with whom she was living.

TO THE PUBLIC.

Saskatchewan can boast of having the greatest sire of the day in the black horse, "Satrap," (7326), the in the famous Loon Creek district. Wheat 45 bushels per acre. \$27.00 cash, \$20.00 cash. E. H. Tompkins.

WANTED—A teacher for Westwyn S. D. No. 1190. First or second grade certificate, school to open Feb. 1st. Apply, stating experience and salary to Angus Kidd, Regina, 51-w.

* One of the most popular winter sales is being held at Mickleborough's.

FOR SALE—1/2 Sec. Improved farm, first class buildings and trees in the famous Loon Creek district. Wheat 45 bushels per acre. \$27.00 cash, \$20.00 cash. E. H. Tompkins.

WANTED—A teacher for Camden S. D. No. 279. Male or female holding first or second class certificate. Duties to commence April 1st. State experience and salary expected to Geo. Campbell, Sec. Treas., Regina, Sask. 51-3v.

WANTED—Situation as housekeeper by woman with one child; farm preferred. Weekly Leader of Box.

CALGARY SURE OF CHEAP POWER

MANY COMPANIES ARE PREPARING TO SELL POWER TO CITIZENS.

CALGARY, Feb. 16.—Calgary will not want for cheap power. With one steam plant, generating power from the Bow River and selling power in this city, one gas producing plant competing with the rest, and a natural gas plant supplying power, this city is to be better off than any other city in the world.

In a recent interview Mr. Butchart, manager of the Alberta Portland Cement Co., said that his company intended to proceed at once with the development of power. Their proposition is to be at least, in the opinion of the Messrs. Alexander and Budd intended in the first instance to develop power. They intend to generate 4,000 horse power using about 2,500 for themselves, with the balance for sale in the city. They are willing to come in under the same arrangements as the other companies.

"I think that we shall have the power here by the spring of 1908," said Mr. Butchart.

A big company is being formed to develop power by the gas producer method. This company will also apply to the city upon terms similar to the suggested agreement with Alexander and Budd.

The natural gas company, though temporarily delayed by a breakdown of some parts of the machinery, is quite confident that it is only a matter of a few hundred feet before the gas is struck in the well here. This company has already secured the right to distribute gas for light, heat and power in the city.

With three water power companies, one gas producer, one natural gas and one steam plant, the city will be well supplied for cheap power, and no power will be at more than \$24 per horse power.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

Judicial District of Western Assiniboia.

IN THE MATTER OF THE Estate of William A. Mussetter, Deceased. Pursuant to the Order of the Honourable Mr. Justice Newlands, dated the 26th day of January, 1907, TAKE NOTICE that the creditors of the above named estate are required to send in to Norman Mackenzie, Barrister, Regina, Saskatchewan, their claims against the said Estate, together with a statement of the security, if any, held by them, such statement and claim to be verified by Statutory Declaration.

Dated at Regina this 26th day of January, 1907.

NORMAN MACKENZIE, Administrator of the Estate of William A. Mussetter, Deceased. 52-2w.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

Judicial District of Western Assiniboia.

IN THE MATTER OF THE Estate of John F. Thompson, Deceased. Pursuant to the Order of the Honourable Mr. Justice Newlands, dated the 26th day of January, 1907, TAKE NOTICE that the creditors of the above named estate are required to send in to Norman Mackenzie, Barrister, Regina, Saskatchewan, their claims against the said Estate, together with a statement of the security, if any, held by them, such statement and claim to be verified by Statutory Declaration.

Dated at Regina this 26th day of January, 1907.

NORMAN MACKENZIE, Administrator of the Estate of John F. Thompson, Deceased. 52-2w.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

Judicial District of Western Assiniboia.

IN THE MATTER OF THE Estate of John F. Thompson, Deceased. Pursuant to the Order of the Honourable Mr. Justice Newlands, dated the 26th day of January, 1907, TAKE NOTICE that the creditors of the above named estate are required to send in to Norman Mackenzie, Barrister, Regina, Saskatchewan, their claims against the said Estate, together with a statement of the security, if any, held by them, such statement and claim to be verified by Statutory Declaration.

Dated at Regina this 26th day of January, 1907.

NORMAN MACKENZIE, Administrator of the Estate of John F. Thompson, Deceased. 52-2w.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

Judicial District of Western Assiniboia.

IN THE MATTER OF THE Estate of John F. Thompson, Deceased. Pursuant to the Order of the Honourable Mr. Justice Newlands, dated the 26th day of January, 1907, TAKE NOTICE that the creditors of the above named estate are required to send in to Norman Mackenzie, Barrister, Regina, Saskatchewan, their claims against the said Estate, together with a statement of the security, if any, held by them, such statement and claim to be verified by Statutory Declaration.

Dated at Regina this 26th day of January, 1907.

NORMAN MACKENZIE, Administrator of the Estate of John F. Thompson, Deceased. 52-2w.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

Judicial District of Western Assiniboia.

IN THE MATTER OF THE Estate of John F. Thompson, Deceased. Pursuant to the Order of the Honourable Mr. Justice Newlands, dated the 26th day of January, 1907, TAKE NOTICE that the creditors of the above named estate are required to send in to Norman Mackenzie, Barrister, Regina, Saskatchewan, their claims against the said Estate, together with a statement of the security, if any, held by them, such statement and claim to be verified by Statutory Declaration.

Dated at Regina this 26th day of January, 1907.

NORMAN MACKENZIE, Administrator of the Estate of John F. Thompson, Deceased. 52-2w.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

Judicial District of Western Assiniboia.

IN THE MATTER OF THE Estate of John F. Thompson, Deceased. Pursuant to the Order of the Honourable Mr. Justice Newlands, dated the 26th day of January, 1907, TAKE NOTICE that the creditors of the above named estate are required to send in to Norman Mackenzie, Barrister, Regina, Saskatchewan, their claims against the said Estate, together with a statement of the security, if any, held by them, such statement and claim to be verified by Statutory Declaration.

Dated at Regina this 26th day of January, 1907.

NORMAN MACKENZIE, Administrator of the Estate of John F. Thompson, Deceased. 52-2w.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

Judicial District of Western Assiniboia.

IN THE MATTER OF THE Estate of John F. Thompson, Deceased. Pursuant to the Order of the Honourable Mr. Justice Newlands, dated the 26th day of January, 1907, TAKE NOTICE that the creditors of the above named estate are required to send in to Norman Mackenzie, Barrister, Regina, Saskatchewan, their claims against the said Estate, together with a statement of the security, if any, held by them, such statement and claim to be verified by Statutory Declaration.

Dated at Regina this 26th day of January, 1907.

NORMAN MACKENZIE, Administrator of the Estate of John F. Thompson, Deceased. 52-2w.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

Judicial District of Western Assiniboia.

IN THE MATTER OF THE Estate of John F. Thompson, Deceased. Pursuant to the Order of the Honourable Mr. Justice Newlands, dated the 26th day of January, 1907, TAKE NOTICE that the creditors of the above named estate are required to send in to Norman Mackenzie, Barrister, Regina, Saskatchewan, their claims against the said Estate, together with a statement of the security, if any, held by them, such statement and claim to be verified by Statutory Declaration.

Dated at Regina this 26th day of January, 1907.

NORMAN MACKENZIE, Administrator of the Estate of John F. Thompson, Deceased. 52-2w.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

Judicial District of Western Assiniboia.

IN THE MATTER OF THE Estate of John F. Thompson, Deceased. Pursuant to the Order of the Honourable Mr. Justice Newlands, dated the 26th day of January, 1907, TAKE NOTICE that the creditors of the above named estate are required to send in to Norman Mackenzie, Barrister, Regina, Saskatchewan, their claims against the said Estate, together with a statement of the security, if any, held by them, such statement and claim to be verified by Statutory Declaration.

Dated at Regina this 26th day of January, 1907.

NORMAN MACKENZIE, Administrator of the Estate of John F. Thompson, Deceased. 52-2w.

TEENDERS FOR JAIL SUPPLIES.

Sealed tenders, addressed to the undersigned, marked "Tender for Jail Supplies," will be received at this office until 4.30 o'clock p.m., on Wednesday, February 20th, 1907, for the following supplies for the Provincial Jails at Regina and Prince Albert, for one year ending February 28th, 1908:

Beef.
Groceries.

Details of information as to form of contract, together with form of tender and estimated quantities to be supplied, will be furnished on application to the Jailors at the Regina and Prince Albert Jails.

All supplies are subject to the approval of the Jailor.

All tenders submitted must specify clearly the institution or institutions which it is proposed to supply, and tenders must be for delivery at the respective jails.

A marked cheque for ten per cent. of the total amount of the tender must accompany each tender, which will be forfeited if the successful tenderer fails to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or having entered into a contract, fails to complete the same.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Papers inserting this advertisement without authority will not be paid for it.

FRANK FORD, Deputy Attorney General, Department of the Attorney General, Regina, Sask. 51-1w.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE NORTHWEST TERRITORIES—JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF WESTERN ASSINIBOIA. To wit:

By virtue of a writ of execution, issued out of the Supreme Court of the North-West Territories, Judicial District of Western Assiniboia, at the suit of ROBERT SINTON, Plaintiff

and

M. MOODY and JOHN MOODY, Defendants,

and to me directed against the lands of Maria Moody, one of the defendants, I have seized and taken into execution the following lands, namely:

All the right, title and interest of Maria Moody, one of the above named defendants in Lot Number Twenty-Three (23) in Block Number Two Hundred and Thirty-Eight (238) in the City of Regina in the Province of Saskatchewan and registered in the Land Titles Office at Regina as No. G. 763, and added the Eighteenth day of July, A.D. 1905.

Which I shall expose for sale on Tuesday, the Twenty-third day of April, 1907, at the Court House, Regina at the hour of 12 o'clock noon. Terms cash.

Sheriff's Office, Regina, Assa., Jan. 23rd, 1907.

JAS. M. DUNCAN, Sheriff. 51-10w.

NOTICE.

Take notice that it is the intention of "The Western Hardware Company Limited" to make application under the provisions of the Companies Ordinance for a change of name from that aforesaid to "West Bros. Hardware Company, Limited."

Dated at Regina this 26th day of January, 1907.

MACKENZIE BROWN & THOM, Advocates for Applicants, 51-54w.

WANTED—A teacher for the Morisview S. D. 827, certificate valid in Saskatchewan. Salary \$500 per month, plus board and laundry, 1907. Two weeks' holidays in summer, balance in winter. Apply to Geo. Christie, Sec. Treas., Kisbey, 51-52w.

WANTED—Qualified teacher wanted for Olga S.D. Female grade certificate, school to commence about April 1st and continue for eight months. Salary \$50 per month. Lawyer, Sec. Treas., Lawyer, Sask. 1-3w.

S'RAYED—On Feb. 5th 1907, from W. 1/2 of S. 4, T. 19, R. 13, team of bay mares, weight 1200 and 1300 lbs. Reward for recovery. W. K. Keirt, Regina. 1-3w.

WANTED—A teacher for Westwyn S. D. No. 1190. First or second grade certificate, school to open Feb. 1st. Apply, stating experience and salary to Angus Kidd, Regina, 51-w.

WANTED—A teacher for Camden S. D. No. 279. Male or female holding first or second class certificate. Duties to commence April 1st. State experience and salary expected to Geo. Campbell, Sec. Treas., Regina, Sask. 51-3v.

WANTED—Situation as housekeeper by woman with one child; farm preferred. Weekly Leader of Box.

TEACHERS wishing to secure yearly schools in Alberta and Saskatchewan should register with us immediately. Our Vacancy Register contains appointments at \$75 to \$250 per month. For particulars apply to our Teachers' Bureau, Private Box 421, Darke Block, Scarth Street, Regina.

WANTED—A teacher for Westwyn S. D. No. 1190. First or second grade certificate, school to open Feb. 1st. Apply, stating experience and salary to Angus Kidd, Regina, 51-w.

WANTED—Qualified teacher wanted for Olga S.D. Female grade certificate, school to commence about April 1st and continue for eight months. Salary \$50 per month. Lawyer, Sec. Treas., Lawyer, Sask. 1-3w.

S'RAYED—On Feb. 5th 1907, from W. 1/2 of S. 4, T. 19, R. 13, team of bay mares, weight 1200 and 1300 lbs. Reward for recovery. W. K. Keirt, Regina. 1-3w.

WANTED—A teacher for Westwyn S. D. No. 1190. First or second grade certificate, school to open Feb. 1st. Apply, stating experience and salary to Angus Kidd, Regina, 51-w.

WANTED—Qualified teacher wanted for Olga S.D. Female grade certificate, school to commence about April 1st and continue for eight months. Salary \$50 per month. Lawyer, Sec. Treas., Lawyer, Sask. 1-3w.

S'RAYED—On Feb. 5th 1907, from W. 1/2 of S. 4, T. 19, R. 13, team of bay mares, weight 1200 and 1300 lbs. Reward for recovery. W. K. Keirt, Regina. 1-3w.

WANTED—A teacher for Westwyn S. D. No. 1190. First or second grade certificate, school to open Feb. 1st. Apply, stating experience and salary to Angus Kidd, Regina, 51-w.

WANTED—Qualified teacher wanted for Olga S.D. Female grade certificate, school to commence about April 1st and continue for eight months. Salary \$50 per month. Lawyer, Sec. Treas., Lawyer, Sask. 1-3w.

S'RAYED—On Feb. 5th 1907, from W. 1/2 of S. 4, T. 19, R. 13, team of bay mares, weight 1200 and 1300 lbs. Reward for recovery. W. K. Keirt, Regina. 1-3w.

WANTED—A teacher for Westwyn S. D. No. 1190. First or second grade certificate, school to open Feb. 1st. Apply, stating experience and salary to Angus Kidd, Regina, 51-w.

WANTED—Qualified teacher wanted for Olga S.D. Female grade certificate, school to commence about April 1st and continue for eight months. Salary \$50 per month. Lawyer, Sec. Treas., Lawyer, Sask. 1-3w.

S'RAYED—On Feb. 5th 1907, from W. 1/2 of S. 4, T. 19, R. 13, team of bay mares, weight 1200 and 1300 lbs. Reward for recovery. W. K. Keirt, Regina. 1-3w.

WANTED—A teacher for Westwyn S. D. No. 1190. First or second grade certificate, school to open Feb. 1st. Apply, stating experience and salary to Angus Kidd, Regina, 51-w.

WANTED—Qualified teacher wanted for Olga S.D. Female grade certificate, school to commence about April 1st and continue for eight months. Salary \$50 per month. Lawyer, Sec. Treas., Lawyer, Sask. 1-3w.

S'RAYED—On Feb. 5th 1907, from W. 1/2 of S. 4, T. 19, R. 13, team of bay mares, weight 1200 and 1300 lbs. Reward for recovery. W. K. Keirt, Regina. 1-3w.

WANTED—A teacher for Westwyn S. D. No. 1190. First or second grade certificate, school to open Feb. 1st. Apply, stating experience and salary to Angus Kidd, Regina, 51-w.

WANTED—Qualified teacher wanted for Olga S.D. Female grade certificate, school to commence about April 1st and continue for eight months. Salary \$50 per month. Lawyer, Sec. Treas., Lawyer, Sask. 1-3w.

S'RAYED—On Feb. 5th 1907, from W. 1/2 of S. 4, T. 19, R. 13, team of bay mares, weight 1200 and 1300 lbs. Reward for recovery. W. K. Keirt, Regina. 1-3w.

WANTED—A teacher for Westwyn S. D. No. 1190. First or second grade certificate, school to open Feb. 1st. Apply, stating experience and salary to Angus Kidd, Regina, 51-w.

WANTED—Qualified teacher wanted for Olga S.D. Female grade certificate, school to commence about April 1st and continue for eight months. Salary \$50 per month. Lawyer, Sec. Treas., Lawyer, Sask. 1-3w.

HOUSE
slins.
made

BOYS
one
boots.
give
nothing.

LTD.

TUNE
BUILDING
tunes are built
other great
little by little.
cents and dollars
but if saved their
all fortune. Ask
Savings Banks
all change

ERN BANK
WINNIPEG
KING TRANSACTED
W. M. LOGAN, Manager

MAN SHOTS
INTIMATE FRIEND

ROBA FARM THE SCENE OF
FEBRILE TRAGEDY—POLICE
INVESTIGATE.

to The Leader.
MAS Man., Feb. 18.—Early
morning James Alexander, of
formerly from High Bluff,
went over to get Wilson Pyle,
elder, living about a mile west
place, to come and help him
hay.
is known as to what hap-
pened over to get Wilson Pyle,
Alexander dead with a shotgun,
the corpse into the house,
on the bed and then notified
ceased man's sister, Miss Alex-
who kept house for her broth-
er.
is supposed to be insane. He
all alone, had often worked for
went over with Alexander,
ble Barr, from Gladstone, is
way north to investigate the
y.

Not in Saskatchewan.
He (who has never been in the
71—"Pa, what is a farm?"
her—"A farm, my son, is a
of land completely surrounded

WEEKLY LEADER

THE LEADER PUBLISHING CO., LIMITED.

SUBSCRIPTION: \$1.00 per annum, if paid in advance; \$2.00 if in arrears.

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS.—The date of expiration of all subscriptions is on the printed address slip.

ADVERTISING RATES.—Twelve cents per line for first insertion; eight cents per line for subsequent insertions.

Advertisements unaccompanied with specific instructions will be inserted until ordered out.

SPECIAL RATES for Commercial Advertisements furnished on application.

AGENTS.—A liberal cash commission allowed to persons selling THE LEADER, or getting up a club. Write for terms.

THE LEADER has undoubtedly a larger circulation than any other Saskatchewan newspaper, and is consequently the most valuable advertising medium.

ENGLISH REPRESENTATIVE.—E. J. Hardy & Co., 30 Fleet Street, London, E. C., England.

Vol. 24 - - - - - No. 2

Regina Sask., Wednesday, Feb. 20, 1907

THE HOUSING PROBLEM.

The City Council and the Board of Trade are doing all they can at the present time to encourage the establishment of wholesale houses and manufacturing concerns in the city.

The exceptional advantages enjoyed by Regina as a railway centre for distributing purposes, coupled with the unique track site facilities which the Council is able to offer to all genuine concerns, constitute two very important considerations in favour of wholesalers locating here.

One other question, however, will sooner or later—and the sooner the better—have to be taken seriously into consideration if the city is to attain that importance as a wholesale, manufacturing and distributing centre which it undoubtedly appears marked out to attain. We refer to the housing problem.

For the last two years now rents have soared and are still soaring, until a point seems to have been reached length reached when the question menaces the well-being and growth of the city.

A large industry coming to this or any other city requires several things. It needs a large and growing market for its products. That Regina can offer. It needs facilities for distributing its products with the least possible loss of time. It needs a track site at a reasonable cost. That Regina is offering to all firms desiring to locate here. It needs power supplied at fairly moderate rates. And that also the city will undoubtedly be able to supply.

But in addition to all these things a firm has to consider the question of whether or not its employees will be able at the wages paid to them to live in that state of comfort and respectability, which, however indirectly, must have a bearing upon their workmanship. Does Regina at the present time afford any justifiable grounds for an affirmative answer to that question? We are bound to confess that we do not think that it does.

Take the average workman earning in the neighbourhood of from \$14 to \$20 per week, with a wife and several children to maintain, and what living accommodation does the city offer him? Can he rent a house or cottage for \$15, \$20 or even \$25 per month?

We know that the problem is an extremely difficult one. We believe, however, that it has to be faced, and the sooner it is resolutely grappled with the better it will be for the city. Until we can assure workmen of the possibility of obtaining comfortable homes at reasonable rentals, it will be difficult to induce large manufacturing concerns to locate here.

The housing problem, apart from the needs of workmen, presents food for serious consideration, though hardly perhaps coming within the province of such bodies as the City Council or Board of Trade in the same way, or to the same extent. The average clerk earning perhaps from \$50 to \$80 per month, finds himself up against a serious proposition when he has to pay anything from \$30 to \$50 a month for rent. That such a state of things will eventually right itself is a serious handicap to the city's progress and the enterprising individual or company who would come forward at the present juncture upon a large scale which would result in providing decent dwellings at reasonable rentals would assuredly not only make a profitable investment but earn for themselves the gratitude of the community.

THE C.P.R. SURPLUS

After the payment of working expenses, fixed charges and dividends now declared, it is stated that the C.P.R. has a surplus of \$6,600,000 for the half year ending December last.

Giving evidence before the Grain Commission here a few weeks ago, Walter Simpson, at that time President of the Regina Grain Growers' Association, stated that the car shortage with the consequent inability to market last year's crop had cost the farmers of Saskatchewan between one and two million dollars.

Meanwhile, the C.P.R. has a surplus for the half year of \$6,600,000. Progress in the West for a year past now has been hampered, and to some extent crippled by the lack of transportation facilities afforded by the C.P.R. to the territory served by its system. Merchants complain that goods ordered by them months and months ago are undelivered and the market lost. Building operations are retarded, in some instances altogether stopped, through the inability of contractors to get the necessary material.

Meanwhile, the C.P.R. has a surplus for the half year of \$6,600,000. Apart altogether from such details as lumber combines, the enormous tolls which the C.P.R. levies in the way of freight upon such prime necessities as coal, lumber, etc., raises the prices of those articles to such an outlandish pitch as to very seriously handicap the settlement of the country and inflict grievous hardship upon its people.

Meanwhile, the C.P.R. has a surplus for the half year of \$6,600,000. While it is generally conceded that the weather conditions of the last two months were altogether exceptional and such as to materially hinder railway operations, it cannot for a moment be doubted that the practically absolute tie-up that existed on the C.P.R. which was the cause of so much hardship and actual suffering, was in a very large measure attributable to the shamefully inefficient provisions made by the company for operating their line under winter conditions.

Meanwhile, the C.P.R. has a surplus for the half year of \$6,600,000. The question is—can power be supplied at a cheaper rate than at present without incurring a loss? If it can, then undoubtedly it would be to the advantage of the city. The Council is just now considering the question of a municipal gas plant and in conjunction with that it might well direct its attention to that of power.

A British Royal Commission has recently declared that tuberculosis in cows can be transmitted to man through milk, thus finding that Professor Koch is wrong in his theory that bovine and human tuberculosis are distinct and practically reciprocally incommunicable diseases.

Senator Ferguson's statement in the Senate that Fort Churchill harbor should of right belong to a western province is one now generally agreed to by all fair-minded people. His further contention favoring the Canadian Northern route for the Port leaves little doubt as to which of the Western provinces Fort Churchill should be attached. Saskatchewan's just claim to the northern port appears to be incontrovertible.

One of the big Atlantic steamship lines has announced that a new vessel it has under construction will be equipped with a tennis court on the upper deck and with a swimming pool, 75 by 25 feet, on one side of the lower decks. This is an interesting development that will result, no doubt, in rivalry in supplying accommodations, but it suggests that a fine rivalry might spring up also in the provisions for the steerage. How would it do to turn over 1,857 square feet extra space to the swimming pool would be for the steerage passengers?

William Jennings Bryan appeared by special invitation before both houses of the Iowa legislature recently, and made an address nearly two hours in length, in which he talked of swollen fortunes and commended President Roosevelt for arousing public attention to the subject.

Calgary expects shortly to be in a position to supply power to manufacturers and others at a rate not exceeding \$24 per horse power per annum. While it may not be possible for Regina to equal that figure, a great improvement upon the present rates is surely within the range of possibility. As Mr. A. T. Hunter pointed out at last Friday's Board of Trade meeting, the question is, a vital one for local industries like the flour mill and others considering the advisability of locating here. The whole matter of cheap power is well worth the careful attention of the Fire, Light and Power committee of the City Council.

King Edward's Horses. King Edward has in training this year at Newmarket, under the care of Richard Marsh, two score of the best racers in the world. As the owner of the peerless Persimmon, who led the list of winning stallions in 1906, the King is able to mate with that famous horse each year at least a score of the extremely valuable mares which compose his stud, which is under the management of Lord Marcus Beresford.

In 1906 less than \$15,000 was won by the King's horses, but this season great hopes are entertained that the twenty-four racers will roll up a respectable total of winnings. Marsh leads the list of winners, followed by Arthur James, J. W. Larnach and two for himself. On paper the sixty-five horses under Marsh's charge should win a great deal of money this year. In King Edward's lot is the colt Perambulator, about whom there has been much mention for this year's Derby.

"Rob Peter to Pay Paul" The common expression, "Robbing Peter to pay Paul," found its origin in London in 1550 when an appropriation was made from Saint Peter's Cathedral, (now Westminster Abbey) to make up a deficiency in the accounts of Saint Paul's, the other famous English cathedral. The setting of a good deal of adverse criticism on the part of the people, who coined the phrase for the occasion.

COMMONS DISCUSS NORTH LINE RATES

McCRANEY MOVES FOR A THREE CENT PASSENGER RATE.

Minister of Railways States that Rail-way Commission is Now Considering With Question of Rates.

Special to The Leader. OTTAWA, Feb. 18.—When the Qu'Appelle, Long Lake & Saskatchewan Railway bill reached the Commons, Mr. McCraney (Saskatchewan) moved that the passenger rate be 3 cents per mile. It was 4 cents, but he wanted it made 3 cents.

Mr. McCraney explained that he had no intention of imposing a rate that would not pay. Three cents was high enough. He gave a brief history of this road, and said that, while he wanted to see the bondholders paid, their past indebtedness should not be charged up to that district. He favored a 3-cent fare rate all over. He did not believe in leaving this question to the Railway Commission. There was other important work for the commission to do in straightening out the tangle of railway transportation in the West.

Mr. Turriff (East Assiniboia) did not want to discuss this question until the motion of Dr. McTavish (Saskatchewan) on the subject had been reached, but as it had come up he would like to say a few words. His position was that Manitoba had a 3-cent rate and Saskatchewan, lying alongside of it, should not have a higher rate. The trains were almost filled with passengers in Saskatchewan, as they were in Manitoba, and the distances were longer. He did not want to see the railway discriminated against by having to charge a lower rate than the others. He desired to see a 3-cent rate all over.

Mr. Emerson said that the Railway Commission had the matter in hand. It would not be fair to treat the railway differently to others. Three cents was not an unreasonable rate, and the commission were now dealing with it. The motion of McCraney was defeated and the bill was passed.

DOUKHOBORS ATTACK BAILIFF. IFF. YORKTON, Feb. 18.—Last Saturday Bailiff Scott, of the local improvement district south of Yorkton, seized the goods and chattels of 198 Doukhobors for taxes due on as many homesteads, amounting to \$3,000.

It is reported that the seizure amounted to about one hundred and fifty dollars and other chattels. Later Mr. Scott and his deputies were attacked by the Doukhobors, overpowered and the goods taken away.

Twenty more deputies were seized and the property again impounded. Some two hundred Doukhobors again attacked the bailiff and at the present time have possession of the disputed goods.

The assistance of the Mounted Police has been asked for.

LOW BIRTH RATE IN ENGLAND. Is Offset by Low Mortality, Declares Sir William Dunbar.

LONDON, Feb. 18.—Sir William Dunbar, the Registrar General, in a report on British vital statistics for 1906, states that a low birthrate, which is generally held to be a sign of a nation's decay. There is some ground, he states, for this opinion, but moderate birth rates, associated with low mortality among children, may be more effective towards keeping up the population than high rates associated with high mortality. In too many cases high birth rates are associated with excessive alcoholism during the first few years of life. Only four European countries had lower birth rates in 1906 than Great Britain. A total of 1,000 tons capacity each will be able to move on the Erie canal with a celerity that will quite distance the modern freight train, unless there is a radical change in railroad conditions.

The Press Men of Canada. (The Globe.) The interest of the public in the work of the newspaper men is quite unique. It is different from the interest in any other commercial undertaking. The difference is that the press is not altogether a business, but it is a service. It is not even mainly commercial, and that cannot do its whole duty or render the service required of it by the public if it is a commercial failure, but, on the other hand, if its supreme purpose, its ideal, is commercial, it puts itself outside the circle of journalism altogether.

The Wrong Sort. (Wolsley News.) The C.P.R. is putting on ten new dining cars on the western section this season. The people who get on these new engines, coal and freight cars.

The Western Woman. (Calgary Albertan.) A Presbyterian minister, now in Toronto, but previously in Winnipeg, tells the young Toronto Presbyterians that the people who get on these new engines, coal and freight cars.

The "Wise Guy." (Lumsden News-Record.) Frequently of late, the Regina Standard has predicted a flood in the Qu'Appelle Valley the coming spring. Many forecasts, predicted by our contemporaries in the course of eighteen months, have been as far out as Foster's weather announcements, that the public pay little or no attention to the "wise guy."

WHAT THE PRESS IS SAYING.

The Rent and Housing Problem. (Montreal Witness.) It is doubtful whether there has ever been a year when houses rented more rapidly than in this one. The majority of landlords have reason to congratulate themselves that what used to be a period of anxiety to those who owned many dwellings is gone for another year—a year in which the only regret of some of them will be that they did not demand more than they did. The building of dwellings since last spring has not it seems been equal to the demand. The population of Montreal is increasing so fast that the housing of the people has become a serious problem.

Engineering Feat Recalled. (Ottawa Free Press.) In the sale of the White Pass and Yukon railway to the Guggenheims, perhaps the most costly railway both in construction and operation in the world has passed into other hands. This line of railway was conceived when the Yukon gold fever was at its height, to meet the want of that district in the transportation of miners and their supplies through the mountains lying between Skagway and Lake Bennett.

Telephone Policy. (Edmonton Bulletin.) Hats off to the Alberta government! Hats off to the Hon. W. H. Cushing! The telephone policy announced by the Minister of Public Works in the legislature yesterday marks an epoch in the history of Alberta. It is the most important step in the public ownership ever taken by any government in Canada, and is a knock-out blow to the Bell Telephone monopoly in this province. There is no provision to buy the Bell company out or to do business with them in any way, the government policy is clear. The business proposition to build and operate telephones for the public.

The Car Shortage and the West. (Montreal Star.) The incisive force of the observations made by Chairman Killam of the Railway Commission touching the future policy of that puissant body toward car shortages, will make good reading in Western Canada, and might well be read with the best interest in all railway headquarters. The Railway Commission have not taken up this matter without reason. There has been almost as badly "snowed under" with complaints of car shortages at various points in the West as there has been in the East. The material snow which has made the car shortage so literally tragic.

Rapid Transit by Canal. (Chicago Tribune.) When the state of New York decided to spend a hundred million dollars in modernizing the Erie canal, so that it would form a twelve-foot channel connecting Lakes Erie, Ontario, Champlain and the Hudson river, there was a chorus of derision from the railroads. It was asserted that canal traffic was too slow for modern conditions. The experience of last fall, however, when freight trains all over the country moved as fast as the Red River carts of the olden days used to, has brought about a change of opinion.

THE DEADLY LEVEL CROSSING. (Toronto News.) In Canada during the month of December nine persons not connected with railway service were killed on level crossings by locomotives. The economic loss alone to the country because of these hideous death traps is very considerable. Taken at \$1,000 for each life—generally regarded as a fair calculation—the annual total must be close to \$90,000.

INFUENZA OF WEATHER. (Winnipeg Telegram.) Meteorologists say that Western Canada has more sunshine than any other region of the temperate and northern zones of the earth during her year. This liberal allowance of sunshine, together with the vigorous nature of the climate has its unquestionable part in the making of the sanguine, energetic and buoyant spirit which has come to be distinctively recognized as Western Canada.

NO APOLOGY NEEDED. "I hope our running the graphophone last night didn't annoy you," said the renter of the third floor flat. "What?" responded the new renter of the fourth floor flat, producing an ear trumpet.

A Kentucky Breakfast. "What did you have for breakfast this morning after the banquet?" "I had a Kentucky breakfast." "What's a Kentucky breakfast?" "A wet towel and a pitcher of ice water."

A Linotype Tragedy. "My love for you," the poet wrote. "No mortal ever knew; Oh, let me breathe it in these words: nnnn?!!?&&&& stuzzzan nwww"

Cynical. "Permit me to ask you madam," said the lawyer, who was a friend of the family, "your reason for wanting a divorce from your husband?" "He isn't the man I thought I was marrying," explained the fair caller. "My dear madam," rejoined the lawyer, "the application of that principle would break up every home in the country."

Wasting His Time. "Yeh," said Tommy Tuft, "our Sunday school teacher's got sense. She's smarter than mom is." "Indeed?" remarked Aunt Jane. "So you believe in her, eh?" "Sure. Me an' her think alike. She sez Sunday school don't do me no good at all."

One Fool the Less. St. Joseph, Mo., Feb. 18.—Harry Stilson, an athletic young man, who recently came to this city from Atchison, made a wager that he could stand on his head for twenty minutes, most of the time without the support of his hands. The feat was successfully performed and he broke the local record, but the wager cost him his life. He became unconscious and the combined efforts of some of the best physicians in the city were unable to relieve congestion of the brain, the result of the severe physical exertion.

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO READERS OF THE WEEKLY LEADER

The second session of the First Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan convenes at Regina tomorrow. The sessional programme promises to be both lengthy and interesting as much

IMPORTANT LEGISLATION WILL BE CONSIDERED

Many subscribers to the Weekly Leader may desire to read daily the reports of the doings and debates in the Legislature and in order to meet this desire we will send

THE MORNING LEADER

the only morning paper in Saskatchewan—to any address from now till the close of the session for the sum of

FIFTY CENTS

In addition to the sessional reports the Morning Leader contains full telegraphic reports of the world's news each day, and by reason of the early morning train service out of Regina is enabled to reach the larger portion of the Province several hours ahead of the

WINNIPEG PAPERS

Remit fifty cents for a trial subscription during the session and prove the merits of reading a Provincial morning paper.

FOREIGN READING

(Montreal Witness) We have long been pointing out that our system of postal reciprocity with the United States, though a good thing in itself, had proved a very powerful factor in Americanizing our people without the counteracting effect of a similar interchange of literature with Great Britain.

THE HYMAN CASE. (Montreal Star.) There is no particular good to be gained by getting savage over the Hyman case. Mr. Hyman was not bound by anything save a sense of honor—and possibly political expediency—to resign his seat at all. He had not been connected with the scandalous revelations; and the time had elapsed for petting against the election. Still he resigned.

THE DEADLY LEVEL CROSSING. (Toronto News.) In Canada during the month of December nine persons not connected with railway service were killed on level crossings by locomotives. The economic loss alone to the country because of these hideous death traps is very considerable. Taken at \$1,000 for each life—generally regarded as a fair calculation—the annual total must be close to \$90,000.

INFUENZA OF WEATHER. (Winnipeg Telegram.) Meteorologists say that Western Canada has more sunshine than any other region of the temperate and northern zones of the earth during her year. This liberal allowance of sunshine, together with the vigorous nature of the climate has its unquestionable part in the making of the sanguine, energetic and buoyant spirit which has come to be distinctively recognized as Western Canada.

NO APOLOGY NEEDED. "I hope our running the graphophone last night didn't annoy you," said the renter of the third floor flat. "What?" responded the new renter of the fourth floor flat, producing an ear trumpet.

A Kentucky Breakfast. "What did you have for breakfast this morning after the banquet?" "I had a Kentucky breakfast." "What's a Kentucky breakfast?" "A wet towel and a pitcher of ice water."

A Linotype Tragedy. "My love for you," the poet wrote. "No mortal ever knew; Oh, let me breathe it in these words: nnnn?!!?&&&& stuzzzan nwww"

Cynical. "Permit me to ask you madam," said the lawyer, who was a friend of the family, "your reason for wanting a divorce from your husband?" "He isn't the man I thought I was marrying," explained the fair caller. "My dear madam," rejoined the lawyer, "the application of that principle would break up every home in the country."

Wasting His Time. "Yeh," said Tommy Tuft, "our Sunday school teacher's got sense. She's smarter than mom is." "Indeed?" remarked Aunt Jane. "So you believe in her, eh?" "Sure. Me an' her think alike. She sez Sunday school don't do me no good at all."

One Fool the Less. St. Joseph, Mo., Feb. 18.—Harry Stilson, an athletic young man, who recently came to this city from Atchison, made a wager that he could stand on his head for twenty minutes, most of the time without the support of his hands. The feat was successfully performed and he broke the local record, but the wager cost him his life. He became unconscious and the combined efforts of some of the best physicians in the city were unable to relieve congestion of the brain, the result of the severe physical exertion.

TOUGH MEAT FOR PUPILS.

The Most Serious Disclosure Made at Belleville Investigation.

BELLEVILLE, Ont., Feb. 15.—The investigation into the affairs of the Deaf and Dumb Institute has been closed indefinitely. The evidence produced has been chiefly unimportant. The most serious disclosure was that though meat had been served the pupils. The charges of political activity were not sustained.

"To the Bitter End" One of the most interesting phases of the study of language is the peculiar manner in which words and phrases originating in mistakes finally grow into the common speech of the people.

An instance of this is the expression, "To the bitter end," which is commonly used to denote the final extremity of a crisis. Although perfectly proper today, it is in reality a mistake. The correct phrase is "to the better end," and arose from the fact that when a vessel has paid out all her cable, in a storm it has run out to the end which has been little used, and, therefore, to the better end.

Daniel Defoe used the proper phrase in Robinson Crusoe in his description of the storm at Yarmouth, when he says, "We rode with two anchors ahead, and the cables veered out to the better end."

No Apology Needed. "I hope our running the graphophone last night didn't annoy you," said the renter of the third floor flat. "What?" responded the new renter of the fourth floor flat, producing an ear trumpet.

A Kentucky Breakfast. "What did you have for breakfast this morning after the banquet?" "I had a Kentucky breakfast." "What's a Kentucky breakfast?" "A wet towel and a pitcher of ice water."

A Linotype Tragedy. "My love for you," the poet wrote. "No mortal ever knew; Oh, let me breathe it in these words: nnnn?!!?&&&& stuzzzan nwww"

Cynical. "Permit me to ask you madam," said the lawyer, who was a friend of the family, "your reason for wanting a divorce from your husband?" "He isn't the man I thought I was marrying," explained the fair caller. "My dear madam," rejoined the lawyer, "the application of that principle would break up every home in the country."

Wasting His Time. "Yeh," said Tommy Tuft, "our Sunday school teacher's got sense. She's smarter than mom is." "Indeed?" remarked Aunt Jane. "So you believe in her, eh?" "Sure. Me an' her think alike. She sez Sunday school don't do me no good at all."

One Fool the Less. St. Joseph, Mo., Feb. 18.—Harry Stilson, an athletic young man, who recently came to this city from Atchison, made a wager that he could stand on his head for twenty minutes, most of the time without the support of his hands. The feat was successfully performed and he broke the local record, but the wager cost him his life. He became unconscious and the combined efforts of some of the best physicians in the city were unable to relieve congestion of the brain, the result of the severe physical exertion.

WE TA OU

BANF

Has Per The following for Coal delivered Furnace Stove Nut Pea To take adv at time of order

WHITE Gener

China, N

Direct From We have ments of jug sets glasswa plain wh the larg the prov to call i

SIMP PHONE 343

REGINA M IRON AND BR

We have the larger ones, a One 16 One 15 One 5 and several other engine, Cornell

THEES ENGIN

WATCH OUR SMO SWE

CHAS.

Old Cham Meerschaum Distributors

The Ameri SPE

Price Lists Winnipeg

The Fin REGINA is the DEBENTURES. Cities when dispo rates of interest. debentures, no ma

Codes: Montgomery's Lieber's A.B.C. 4th edition

Not one person in a thousand knows that Fruit is really a wonderful medicine?

Not rare fruits—but the common, everyday fruits that you can buy in the fruit shops.

APPLES act directly on the kidneys—increase the flow of urine. ORANGES are excellent for the liver. FIGS and PRUNES are splendid bowel laxatives and skin tonics.

There are two great difficulties in curing yourself of Kidney and Bladder Troubles—Rheumatism—Constipation—Skin Eruptions, etc. by simply eating fresh fruit. First, the minute quantity of medicinal principle that you would get by eating a normal amount of fresh fruit would be insufficient to do any real good—second, eating excessive quantities of fruit would upset the stomach, on account of the indigestible pulpy fibre found in all fruits.

An Ottawa physician overcame these difficulties when he discovered the principle which brought forth "Fruit-a-tives."

"FRUIT-A TIVES" are fruit juices—not as they occur in fruit—but with their medicinal activity greatly intensified. After the juices are extracted from the fruit, a chemical change is made to take place in which one of the bitter principle in fruit is replaced by one of the sweet. Then tonics and antiseptics are added and the whole pressed into tablets.

Fruit-a-tives act on the three great eliminating organs—the Bowels, Kidneys and Skin. They arouse the sluggish liver—enable the liver to give up more bile, which regulates the bowels and cures Constipation (or non-action of the bowels). Fruit-a-tives strengthen the kidneys and induce vigorous, healthy skin action.

For Headaches and Backaches—For Indigestion and Disordered Stomach—For Irregular Bowels—for all Kidney and Bladder Troubles—for Skin Eruptions—Fruit-a-tives are without an equal in the world.

50c. a box—6 for \$2.50. Sent on receipt of price if your druggist or dealer does not have them.

FRUIT-A-TIVES LIMITED, OTTAWA, Ont.

PERILS AND REWARDS OF A MINERS LIFE

History of Mining Constitutes the Greatest Romance in the World.

"Any writer on mining," says Archibald Williams, of the "Romances of Mining," "in its general aspect is, when cast into a starting point, driven to express what others have said before him; that the history of mining is the history of civilization." This is so true that I shall do no more than indicate a few of the slight incidents, which, when united in their vast sequence, spell out the greatest romance in the world, a romance which, perhaps, even now, is but dimly guessed at.

Sometimes these incidents are attended with the most astonishing carelessness. For example, the first discovery of gold in California was the result of pure accident. Dr. J. Tyrwhitt Brooks, a former pioneer miner, tells the story of his "Four Months Among the Gold Finders in Alta, California." Captain Sutter, a neighbor of his, told the author the story of his discovery of gold in California. It was too narrow for its requirements he had thrown the mill-wheel out of gear, and had thus thrown into the river the mill-stone of water imprisoned behind the dam. A mass of sand and gravel was swept off by the current's force. He was walking along the left bank of the stream when he noticed something bright, which he took for a piece of opal, a stone which is so common here. It was lying on the spot made bare by the crumbling of a part of the bank. At first he paid no attention to it, but when he saw that it was giving some direction to his workmen he noticed several more of them, and, mildly curious, he picked one up. "Do you know," said Mr. Marshall to Captain Sutter, "I positively debated with myself two or three times whether I would take the trouble to bend my back to pick up one of the pieces, and had decided on not doing so when, further on, another piece was picked up by my eye—the largest of the pieces now before you. I contemplated to pick it up, and to my astonishment found it was a piece of gold." Unfortunately for Marshall and his friend, though the find proved to be a gold mine, the secret had leaked out within a few hours. Just ten years after the discovery of gold in California, the American geologist, Dr. Hayden, and Peter O'Riley, were prospecting on the western slopes of the Sierra Nevada. They were engaged in digging a water-hole in a gulch of the Carson River Valley, when, to their inexpressible delight, they saw a glint of gold. While they were hard at work, convinced that they had made their fortune, they were strolled up to them a man named Comstock. "Those otherwise contemptible personalities will go down to history because it gave its name to this mine," said Comstock. "It was a 'murderer and a traitor,'" continues Mr. Williams, "restless, yet lazy, he had wandered about for forty years, had been in the mines and there, to soon quit it, and resuming his prospecting. One evening he chanced to find two Irishmen in the neighborhood of the mine, and he stopped work for the day. His practiced eye took in the situation with a glance, and he saw that they were trespassing on his land; and by sheer talking prevailed upon them to leave the mine. This was that, though the true discoverer has been forgotten, the name of the Comstock has survived.

HELD UP WATER CO. AND GAINED A FORTUNE

PENNSYLVANIA FARMER GETS \$200,000 FOR FARM WHICH COST HIM \$18,000.

SOMERSET, Pa., Feb. 15.—Joseph Rinsinger, a modest farmer of Somerset county, has won in his fight against one of the most powerful corporations in the state. He has received a cheque for \$200,000 from the Manufacturers' Water company, a subsidiary concern of the Cambria Steel company, of Johnstown, for 400 acres of land far removed from the railroad and the busy marts of trade, which he had held for eight years ago for \$18,000.

The Manufacturers' Water company is projecting the building of a mammoth reservoir for fresh water for the plants of the Cambria company. The reservoir will cover 1,450 acres, and the entire basin, with the exception of the Rinsinger tract and 103 acres owned by James F. Stanton of New Stanton, was bought at a ridiculously low figure.

It was six years ago when engineers in the employ of the Cambria company first appeared in the neighborhood of Stanton's Mills. They had preliminary work land agents optioned and purchased almost 1,000 acres along the Quemanahoning creek, and Rinsinger was asked to name his price.

After due deliberation he said he would take \$100 an acre. The figures quoted, the agents said, was preposterous, and they left the valley, obviously believing that Rinsinger would soon accept a lower figure. Four months later they returned and learned that he had raised the price, and when they made the third effort to purchase the farm he laughed at their offer of \$100,000.

For several years the purchase of the Rinsinger tract was held in suspense, and meanwhile a rumor was industriously circulated that the Cambria company had abandoned the idea of turning the valley into a water basin. When his neighbors tried to buy the tract through his fingers, and patiently waited the time when he could in turn have the laugh over them.

Yesterday he started the whole countryside by exhibiting a cheque for \$200,000 drawn on the Girard Trust company of Philadelphia. It was six months ago when Rinsinger named \$200,000 as his ultimatum, and since then the secret had been kept from \$100,000 to \$175,000. On the same day Stanton received a cheque for \$100,000 for a tract of 512 acres.

Gray's Syrup of Red Spruce Gum

Cures Coughs

GRAY'S SYRUP does that one thing, and does it well. It's no "cure-all," but a CURE for all throat and lung troubles.

GRAY'S SYRUP OF RED SPRUCE GUM stops the irritating tickle—takes away the soreness—soothes and heals the throat—and CURES COUGHS to stay cured.

Note the less effective because it is pleasant to take.

25 cts. bottle.

Strange Happenings

That few things in fiction are more strange than some of those which occur in real life seems to be proved by a number of recent occurrences.

News comes from Des Moines that some highwaymen returned to James Morgan, their victim of the night before three weeks ago. Matthew Smedley, aged 70, could no longer resist the call of the fields. He took to the plow again, and was found dead in the first furrow he had cut; died in harness, as he had wished to die.

The divorce mill seems to have received a new "Farthest North." A Seattle judge separated an even dozen couples in 75 minutes in February, one formerly gold husband receiving the boon for which he prayed because his wife had become a Shakeress, and another because his better half had circulated a report that he was an anarchist.

Mrs. Lorenz, on the other hand, received a divorce in Cincinnati on the plausible ground that it was difficult to live peacefully with a man who insisted on appearing in the parlor with neither shoes nor stockings.

Des Moines produced in May a baby who changed color three times a day. When little Eli Ham wakes up, he is a proper pink, by noon he is dark ginger in hue, and before bedtime is startlingly pale. But then, he is the son of a Hindu father and an Illinois mother.

That a laborer should discover gold-bearing quartz in New York's plausible ground that it was difficult to live peacefully with a man who insisted on appearing in the parlor with neither shoes nor stockings.

In one case an automobile load of four merry-makers running away in the hills near Lake Como, broke through the parapet on the edge of the road, only to land right side up in a high tree just below, no one being worse than frightened.

In the other—well, Australia may claim something near the record, some amateur theatricals near Victoria, in January, two people in the stalls whenever the heroine was kissing kissed each other loudly. The man of this couple was husband to the stage heroine, and this was his way of reproving behavior across the footlights to which he was distinctly opposed.

Mrs. Christian Hoop, of Brooklyn, writes the actress who had cremated, as fertilizer for a rose bush on her son's grave. Mrs. Isabel Kremer, at Westminster, Eng. left her cork leg to the parish poor warden, and a lady of Florence, Italy, bequeathed \$3,500 to the staff of a local newspaper "in gratitude for having been so often entertained by their writings."—Detroit News-Tribune.

Government Provident Fund.

OTTAWA, Feb. 13.—The House went into committee yesterday afternoon on a bill to establish the Territorial and Prince Edward Island Provident Fund. Mr. Emmerson moved that the provisions of the bill be extended to the Drummond County and Canada Eastern lines.

Mr. Foster took exception to the extension of the system of extending pensions for public funds to men who had served the greater part of their time on another road.

Mr. Emmerson said that it was fair in the interests of the railway and the men did not object.

Mr. Foster said he was not opposed to the extension, but merely desired to call the attention of the Minister of Railways to what he was doing.

Mr. Fowler asked if the bill applied to females as well as males.

TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION.

Something of the History of the Oldest Trade Organization in the World.

The great strike in the book and job printing industry, in which the International Typographical Union of North America and the United Typographical Association of Great Britain and the United Typographical Association of America have been pitted against each other for eighteen months, has attracted considerable attention to trade-union methods and the history of trade organizations.

The International Typographical Union was formed in 1852, and has existed since that time. Previous to 1852 there were many local associations of printers, and a national convention of these local associations was held as early as 1834.

The International Typographical Union is recognized as a conservative Union, and this is borne out by the effort that was made by the officers of the union to peacefully adjust the eight-hour contention with the employers before the strike was entered into. This strike has been a marvel of handling. The International Typographical Union has a membership of about 47,000, and, with the exception of about \$50,000, these 47,000 members have raised by the conduct of their strike for the past eight months, then ten 10 at a first 50 cents per week, then 10 per cent. of all wages earned, then 10 per cent. assessment was effective for nine months. It was then reduced to 5 per cent., later to 5 and is now 3 per cent. The method of levying the assessment is worthy of a convention, nor by the officers of the organization. The proposition was submitted to a referendum where 10 votes, and the proposal to levy a 10 per cent. assessment received a majority of more than 18,000 votes.

The International Typographical Union also conducts a home at the radio springs, in Colorado. This institution was erected and is maintained by the International Typographical Union for its aged and distressed members. Thus far, the union, in erecting and carrying on this work, has expended more than \$500,000 in about twelve years' time. There are at the present time at the Union Printers' Home about 150 inmates.

Local typographical unions also have their benefit features, such as caring for sick members, assisting those who may be temporarily out of work, and burial funds which are contributed to by all members. Along these lines thousands of dollars are expended every year.

The headquarters of the International Typographical Union are located in Indianapolis, Indiana, and the officers of the organization are continually sending out pamphlets descriptive of the Union Printers' Home and explaining the methods of the union. James M. Lynch is the present president and J. W. Bramwood, secretary.

THAW CALLED ATTENTION TO DEN OF VICE

CONSULTED NEW YORK OFFICER ABOUT BREAKING UP A PLACE OF INFAMY.

Place Was Protected by Wealthy Man—Thaw's Night-Keeper, to Whom He Was Much Attached Is Dead.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Death has again invaded the environments of Harry Thaw. Close on the passing away of the wife of Juror Bolton came the announcement today of the death last night in a hospital of Michael D. Downey, who for months has been Thaw's night-keeper on the second floor of a ten-story building, which is known as "murderer's row." A warm friendship has sprung up between the keeper and the accused murderer. When Downey is buried Thaw's card will rest on the casket.

Dr. Josiah Strong, V. P. of the American Institute of Social Service, said today that Thaw consulted him more than two years ago about breaking up a "den of vice" in this city, which Thaw told him was protected by a wealthy and influential man. Thaw did not say where it was located. Dr. Strong said that the young man told him such a story that it "made his blood boil." Dr. Strong added that he referred Thaw to Anthony Comstock.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—A despatch from London says, "Lloyd's has added to its many old insurances one on Thaw's life, agreeing to pay a total loss if the prisoner is executed. The premium is thirty guineas per cent. The amount underwritten is not divulged."

The Spider's Touch. (Montreal Witness.) No greater injustice was ever inflicted of unfortunate naval commanders than that of finding a verdict of guilty by court-martial in the case of Admiral Nebogoff and other officers who participated in the great sea battle with Japan. All the world now knows how utterly wretched and inefficient was the scratch fleet sent from the Baltic to the Far East. It was doomed to destruction from the start. British naval officers who observed the Russian ships en route, with decks packed with cattle and sheep, and great irons hoisted on masts, were astonished at the spectacle. The like of it was never seen since the "Invincible Armada" set out for the conquest of England.

A GAIN OF HALF A MILLION

The Crown Life Shows Substantial Increase in Amount of Insurance in Force.

The sixth annual statement of the Crown Life Insurance Company shows that during the past year the amount of insurance in force, making the total amount of its premium-paying business on December 31 last \$4,243,200. During 1906 the assets of the company increased \$98,136.57, and the total assets are now \$556,223.77. The company has reserves as invested securities for policyholders the sum of \$314,361, as well as additional security to policyholders amounting to \$208,420, including surplus and capital accounts. The executive officers of the company are: Colonel Sir Hon. D. H. Wolfe, president; John Charlton, H. M. Mowatt, K.C., vice-president; Randolph Macdonald, chairman executive committee; Charles Hughes, managing director and actuary; Dr. H. T. Machell, medical director; A. H. Selwyn Marks, secretary-treasurer; William Wallace, superintendent of agencies.

LONDON'S AUTOBUSES.

Popularity of Once Hated Vehicle is Shown to Be on Increase.

LONDON, Feb. 14.—After all the abuse that was heaped on the noisy, evil smelling, and nerve destroying autobuses a few months ago it is now interesting to note the effect the autobus has had on the underground railways and what it means to London.

The "two penny tube," which only the other day, was regarded as almost the last word of locomotion, has lost its popularity during the year and the responsibility is laid on the autobus.

This is not an isolated instance, for the fact has been told at almost every railway meeting here during the last few weeks. It is wonderfully eloquent of the hold which the buses and their kindred fast moving vehicle has gained here, and the agitation which only a few months ago, was raised against it, that such a feature as that mentioned at the meeting of the "tube" company the other day.

MORE OFFICIALS TO BE PROMOTED

C.P.R. WILL GIVE SOME OF ITS TRUSTED EMPLOYEES A BOOST.

WINNIPEG, Feb. 15.—Taking effect March 14, a number of promotions will, it is understood, be announced by Vice-President William Whyte of the C.P.R. In addition to Mr. Bury's appointment as assistant general manager of Western lines, it is expected that E. F. Busted, assistant chief engineer at Winnipeg, will be promoted to the position of general superintendent of the Pacific coast, with headquarters at Vancouver.

It is also stated on good authority that W. A. James, divisional chief engineer, in charge of the construction of the double track at Kanora, will be given Mr. Busted's position. Mr. Marpole, who vacates the position of general superintendent at Vancouver, will, it is understood, occupy the position of assistant to the president there.

Several important changes are expected to take place in the passenger department during the next two months but as yet their nature has not been ascertained.

NEGRO SETTLER FROZEN.

FORT SASKATCHEWAN, Feb. 14.—Word has been received by Inspector Strickland, officer in command of G. Division of the R.N.W.M.P., that a negro settler named George Thompson was found on the trail between Ponoka and his homestead, frozen to death, last Tuesday. He was on his way home with supplies for his family, and had been dead several days when discovered. The mounted police have taken charge of the family consisting of Mrs. Thompson and three children, who are in destitute circumstances.

Freight Train Wrecked.

TORONTO, Feb. 13.—A heavy G. T. freight running at thirty miles an hour was derailed early this morning near Scarborough. The engine and twenty-five cars were piled up in a heap, blocking the main line for several hours. The track was torn up for a considerable distance and merchandise scattered in every direction.

FAMINE WILL BENEFIT CANADA

RUSSIA WILL NOT EXPORT ANY WHEAT FOR TWO YEARS.

Outlook is, Therefore Very Bright for Canadian Grain Growers—Serious Delays in Wheat Shipments.

LONDON, Feb. 15.—The famine in Russia will mean an acute stage from now on. The prospect that Russia will be unable to export wheat for the next two years has directed renewed attention to the Canadian North-West. By comparison with the crop of 1904 the decrease in the four leading grains, wheat, rye, barley and oats, was 62,000,000 bushels. The question is whether the United States and Canada can supply this amount. Importers of Manitoba wheat state there are large quantities of wheat for January and February delivery but have not yet reached the seaboard, owing to the congestion of the railroads. The outlook for the Canadian North-West under the circumstances is the most promising for years.

BRITISH GOODS BY CANADIAN PORTS

CAUCUS FAVORS RESTRICTING THE PREFERENCE.

Restriction, However, Will Not Take Place Until Facilities Are Sufficient to Handle Traffic.

Old Soldier Passes.

TORONTO, Feb. 13.—Sergt. T. Jenkins, late of the Third Bengal Regiment, a veteran of the Indian mutiny, a body servant of Lord Roberts during the mutiny, died this morning, aged 79.

Outdoor Life

often has its disadvantages. Insect Bites, Bruises, Wrenches, Neuralgia, Pneumonia, Rheumatism, Sciatica. All these yield instantly to

Hirst's Pain Exterminator

A family remedy that has held its places for over thirty years. 25c. at all dealers. Try Hirst's Little Liver Pills for all forms of humor, eruption of the skin. Ask your dealer or send us 25c. direct. A handsome souvenir card free.

SOUVENIR CARD FREE.

THE F. F. DALLEY CO., Limited
Hamilton, Ont.

FERRY'S SEEDS

Ferry seeds are all of superior quality, but with proper cultivation, they are the best. Users have no doubts as to planting. Satisfaction is guaranteed. Get them at once.

For biggest, sweetest, best crops at all dealers. Reasons for over 20 years' success. Ask for them. B. M. FERRY & CO., Windsor, Ont.

For Strains

of Back of Shoulder of Stifle of Hough of Whirlbone of Knee of Fetlock of Coffin Joint of Pastern

Swelling and all Lameness in Horses use

Fellows' Leeching's Essence

Two or three teaspoonfuls in a little Rum or Brandy, cure Sprains, Bruises, Lameness in 24 hours—takes out all the soreness—and puts horses "on their feet again."

50c. a bottle. If your druggist does not have it, send to

National Drug & Chemical Co., Limited, Montreal.

Gombault's Caustic Balsam

Has Imitators But No Competitors.

A Safe, Speedy and Positive Cure for Croup, Whooping Cough, Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Asthma, Hay Fever, and all other Hoarse, Coughy, and Sore Throat Affections. It is the only Balsam that cures all these ailments. It is the only Balsam that is safe for children. It is the only Balsam that is pleasant to take. It is the only Balsam that is guaranteed to cure.

The Leachman-Williams Co., Cleveland, O.

MOONEY'S PERFECTION

MOONEY'S BISKETS & CANDIES
117 SPADINA ST. TORONTO

MOONEY'S PERFECTION

MOONEY'S BISKETS & CANDIES
117 SPADINA ST. TORONTO

MOONEY'S PERFECTION

MOONEY'S BISKETS & CANDIES
117 SPADINA ST. TORONTO

MOONEY'S PERFECTION

MOONEY'S BISKETS & CANDIES
117 SPADINA ST. TORONTO

MOONEY'S PERFECTION

MOONEY'S BISKETS & CANDIES
117 SPADINA ST. TORONTO

MOONEY'S PERFECTION

MOONEY'S BISKETS & CANDIES
117 SPADINA ST. TORONTO

MOONEY'S PERFECTION

MOONEY'S BISKETS & CANDIES
117 SPADINA ST. TORONTO

YOUNG'S REALTY & BROKERAGE CO.

THE HOME OF OPPORTUNITY.

We Have What You Want In

**WAREHOUSE SITES,
RESIDENTIAL SITES,
CHEAP SUBURBAN PROPERTY,
PROPERTY FOR INVESTMENT,
WE CAN INSURE YOUR HOME.**

No matter what you want in City Property or Farm Lands either for your home or for investment we have something to offer.

Call at once and see us! Tomorrow may be too late!

Young's Realty and Brokerage Co.,
NEW LEADER BLOCK - REGINA

REGINA FLOUR



Ask your Storekeeper for Regina Flour, the Best on the Market.

Ask your Baker for Bread baked from Regina Flour.

MADE BY
THE REGINA ROLLER MILL CO.

FARMERS! BEWARE OF SWAMP FEVER

USE
REGINA VETERINARY STOCK FOOD
AS A
PREVENTIVE

On Sale by all Responsible Dealers

REGINA VETERINARY STOCK FOOD CO.
Box 547 REGINA

PAID AT RATE OF \$56. A TON

Two Citizens of North Dakota Get Coal by Express and Pay Dearly.

(Special Despatch to The Leader.)

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 14.—M. Greengard, of Bottineau, and Alexander Greengard, of Willow City, N. D., have come to believe that the term "black diamonds" as applied to coal is by no means a misnomer. Running short of fuel during the famine of the winter, and being unable to secure any in the vicinity, they each ordered 500 pounds to be shipped by express from the head of the lakes. The Northland Coal Company shipped the order, and it is estimated that the coal cost the Greengards at the rate of \$56 a ton.

VAN ZANT DENIES CHARGES.

Investigation Into Conduct of Governor of Toronto Jail Closes.

(Special Despatch to The Leader.)

TORONTO, Feb. 14.—The evidence in the Toronto jail investigation was brought to a close this afternoon, Governor Van Zant taking the stand in his own defense. He gave a straight and absolute denial of all the charges, claiming there was a conspiracy among the employees of the institution to have him ousted.

**TIN GLAD
FIRE DOORS**

REDUCE YOUR INSURANCE
METALLIC ROOFING CO.
LIMITED
TORONTO-WINNIPEG

SHOOTING AT THE LANSDOWNE Mysterious Affair in Hotel Bar Last Monday Evening—Police Investigating.

(From Friday's Morning Leader.)

On Monday evening a persistent rumor was current in the city to the effect that a shooting affair of some sort had occurred at the Lansdowne Hotel about 10 o'clock that evening. Enquiries made by The Leader, however, failed at the time to throw any light upon the incident. Despite the fact that gentlemen who had been in the hotel rotunda at the time asserted that the report of a revolver had been distinctly heard from the neighborhood of the bar, the hotel management absolutely declared that no shot had been fired by any person in the establishment. Seen by The Leader, Mr. Cohen emphatically denied all knowledge of such an occurrence. Mr. Cohen further went to the trouble of calling up two of the hotel bar-tenders who in answer to a question denied that any shooting had been fired in the bar. Constable Sample, who also made enquiries in the matter, met with no better results than that, the hotel management declaring total ignorance of any shooting.

Whether the denials of Mr. Cohen and his two bar-tenders were made in good faith or not, is a matter which will probably be dealt with by the authorities, one thing is certain, that is that a revolver was fired on Monday evening in the Lansdowne Hotel bar. That fact is established by the subsequent investigation of the Constable Sample and information supplied to The Leader from other sources.

The matter is still being investigated by the police, and exact details with regard to it are still lacking. It appears, however, that on the evening in question several gentlemen were gathered together in the bar, when one of them pulled a revolver with some allege, the intensity of the shooting in question was clear, the other day, when the distributing boxes which will be used in the delivery service, arrived at the post office on McDougall street.

Mr. Cairns of the post office staff, stated in the absence of Postmaster May, that since the arrival of the boxes no further word had been received from the department as to when the delivery service would be commenced, but in instructions are expected every day, and it is altogether probable that it will be long before the citizens will be enjoying the privilege of seeing their mail delivered into their hands at their doors.

POSTMEN FOR EDMONTON. Distributing Boxes for the Delivery Service Have Reached the City.

EDMONTON, Feb. 14.—The first steps of the installation of the city mail delivery service, for which the citizens have been waiting ever since the first intimation that there would be anything of the kind, appeared the other day, when the distributing boxes which will be used in the delivery service, arrived at the post office on McDougall street.

CHANGING THE MAP. Missouri River Mixes Up State Boundaries—Legislatures to Confer.

LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 14.—The Missouri River has been making trouble again, and as a result the Nebraska Legislature are being asked to appoint a commission to negotiate a swap of land so that the river may again be the actual boundary line between the States.

Schoolchildren are taught that Iowa is bounded on the west by the Missouri river. The map bears out this statement, but the map makers have not been on the ground lately.

If they had been, they would have discovered that in the last year the Missouri River had been busy adding some of the State of Iowa to its west bank and a part of the State of Nebraska to its east bank.

Every few years the river forsakes a part of its old channel and seeks a new one.

Four years ago Nebraska and South Dakota had to do a lot of reconstructing of the State line, and Nebraska lost several hundred citizens and some fifty farms, but came near getting the city of Yankton in return.

Four years before that Nebraska and Missouri got in the Federal Supreme Court over a question of jurisdiction over an island in the river opposite Nemadji county, Neb.

The river cut off a section of the county and made an island of it, placing it close to the Missouri river. The map makers, however, protested against being so suddenly transformed into Missourians, and persist yet in voting in Nebraska.

WILLOW BUNCH RANCHER FROZEN Lost in Storm While Looking for Horses, Alexander Allen Loses His Life.

MOOSE JAW, Feb. 14.—Alexander Allen, a Willow Bunch rancher, was four years ago frozen to death on a mile away from his home. It is supposed that he was looking for his horses when he was caught in a storm and lost his way. The deceased came from Dakota about two years ago.

SUFFRAGETTES STILL STORMY Female Agitators Demonstrate Riotously—Threaten to Invade Parliament in Force.

LONDON, Eng., Feb. 14.—The suffragettes, whose leaders have sworn not to desist in their agitation until Parliament has granted their demands, appear to be about to give the authorities considerable trouble. Yesterday they made a more determined and better organized demonstration than ever before, in the course of which over sixty women were arrested. It was nearly midnight before they were all bailed out. Miss Annie Kenney, one of the leaders, who has been imprisoned three times, declares that if the women's suffrage is not granted this session she will march one thousand women co-operatives who will confront the ministers on the floor of the House of Commons.

Party Were Not Lost.

(Special Despatch to The Leader.)

PORT ARTHUR, Feb. 13.—The party sent out from here to the coast yesterday, had been lost in the country between Jack Fish and the transcontinental right of way line without foundation. The men of the party are safe in camp B.

MARTYRDOM DESCRIBED Kingston Man Tells How He Suffered and How He Was Released.

(For years a martyr," is how Chas. H. Powell, of 105 Raglan St., Kingston, begins his story. "A martyr to chronic constipation, but now I am cured of this ailment, and all through the use of Dr. Leonard's Anti-Pill.

"I was induced to try Anti-Pill by reading the testimony of someone who had been cured of constipation by it. I had suffered for eighteen years and had taken tons of stuff recommended as cures but which made me rather than better. Doctors told me there was no cure for me. Dr. Leonard's Anti-Pill cured me."

All dealers of the Windsor-Bye Co., Limited, Niagara Falls, Ont.

FRANCE ALARMED ABOUT OYSTERS Dr. Wetter Causes Sensation by Tracing Disease to the Bivalves.

PARIS, Feb. 14.—Attention was momentarily diverted from the visit of the British sovereigns by the sensational incrimination of the oyster by Dr. Wetter in a paper read before the Academy of Medicine.

He discovered that due to oysters there have been somewhat numerous lately. There have also been many cases of typhoid, several ending fatally, due to the same cause. In view of these facts the public began to ask whether it was dangerous to eat oysters, and he adds the saving clause, if the oysters are uncontaminated. He then proceeds to give the result of his investigations in cases of illness caused by eating oysters which came from the beds at Cotte.

He discovered that the oyster beds in question are situated near the place where the sewage of an entire town of 35,000 inhabitants empties into the Mediterranean. These 120 cases of intestinal derangements all appear to have been provoked by oysters perfectly fresh but coming from Cotte.

Thirty-three cases of typhoid fever are reported from the province, and since the month of September, when oysters are supposed to become edible, there has been a regular increase in the number of cases of gastro-intestinal diseases, with symptoms of typhoid, dysentery and typhoid of exceptional gravity, seeing that the mortality in the latter exceeds 30 per cent.

KAISER PREFERS AUTOS. German Monarch Discarded Horses—Goes Down Side Streets.

BERLIN, Feb. 14.—Emperor William has almost entirely discarded the use of carriages in favor of automobiles, and it is very seldom that he is seen out driving. When he does go out, he generally determines beforehand through which streets he desires to go, as he frequently has some certain purpose in view, such as the inspection of buildings.

This to a degree accounts for his selection of side streets instead of main thoroughfares for the route taken. His chauffeur is also careful to avoid streets in which tramcars run, and as a result the Emperor has expressed the desire that traffic should be as little hampered as possible by his coming. Nevertheless, the peculiar long-drawn horn signal which heralds his approach is frequently heard in Unter den Linden, and never fails to attract crowds of sightseers.

Meantime "all the King's horses and all the King's men" in the imperial stables are comparatively idle, and filled with envy of the newcomers, the automobiles.

DRIVEN INTO BANKRUPTCY. Railroads Discriminating Against Independent Grain Dealers in Illinois.

(Associated Press Despatch.)

SPRINGFIELD Ill., Feb. 14.—Independent grain dealer has been driven into bankruptcy through the failure of the railways to supply freight cars, according to a story told before the House Committee on Railroads by country elevator men.

They made charges that favored shippers were receiving discriminations in allocating cars as a result of which smaller dealers were being throttled; their supplies rotting in bins, and their contracts being cancelled, all for the sake of proper transportation. Remedial legislation is sought.

BLASTING REVEALED ORE. Rich Discovery of Silver Accidentally Made at Thunder Bay.

(Special Despatch to The Leader.)

PORT ARTHUR, Feb. 14.—An exceedingly rich silver discovery has been made in the famous Old West End Silver Mountain mine at Thunder Bay. The richest deposit of silver ore found since the reopening of the mine was made on Monday as a result of blasting operations. The ore is of high grade.

BUREAU SWORN IN. (Special Despatch to The Leader.)

Byrean, M.P., for Three Rivers, was sworn in as Solicitor-General by noon today. Mr. Byrean was accompanied by Sir Wilfrid Laurier. The position of Solicitor-General has vacant since Hon. Mr. Lombard was promoted from the office to be Postmaster-General.

Tenders for Transcontinental.

(Special Despatch to The Leader.)

OTTAWA, Feb. 14.—The time for receiving tenders for the construction of five sections of the transcontinental railway was up today. Eighteen tenders were received. It is said that the C.T.P. have tenders in for all five.

MAYOR ASHDOWN WELCOMES W.C.I.A. Annual Meeting of Western Canada Immigration Association Held in Winnipeg.

(Special Despatch to The Leader.)

WINNIPEG, Feb. 14.—The annual meeting of the Western Canada Immigration Association was held in the Board of Trade Room this forenoon. William Georgeson, first vice-president, in the chair.

Mayor Ashdown, on behalf of the city, extended a welcome to the members, and expressed his high appreciation of the work of the association, assuring them that the citizens would co-operate in the work financially and otherwise. Mr. Georgeson read letters from President D. W. Bole and Western Vice-President C. W. Rowley, William Grant and others in Alberta and Saskatchewan regretting that they could not be present.

Following this the reports of the secretary and treasurer were read and recommendations by the secretary were read and adopted. The cash statement showed a balance at the beginning of 1906 of \$3,161.99; outstanding cheques at same date, \$1,549.84; receipts, \$21,068.62; total for the year, \$25,780.45; disbursements, \$22,862.10; balance, December 31, 1906, \$2,918.35.

THE LAKE COBALT CO. The Lake George Cobalt Silver Mining Co., who are offering stock at par, has two claims, one in the north and the other south of Clear Lake. On the bottom of the latter, as is well known, a fine vein of native silver was located last year by Col. Gordon, the mining expert. The vein is regarded as a remarkable one, and it is believed that this and other veins run through the Lake George Company's claim. The claims adjoin the famous Hudson's Bay property, which has made some rich returns to its owners, and the vein in what is claimed to be the finest equipment in the camp. It is understood that arrangements are being made by the Lake George Company to secure power from the plant to work their claims. The capitalisation of the new company, \$400,000, is a modest one, considering the fine situation of the properties and the indications of the mineral wealth which they bear.

These facts, made public by Dr. Wetter's paper, has created a profound alarm, and dealers have grown alarmed. Claiming that Cotte oysters are merely an exception, they have demanded the formation of a service of supervision of oyster beds in order to guarantee against the sale of the contaminated article. When the public, which at present is decidedly shy in the presence of the oyster.

MISSOURI RIVER MIXES UP STATE BOUNDARIES—LEGISLATURES TO CONFERENCE.

LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 14.—The Missouri River has been making trouble again, and as a result the Nebraska Legislature are being asked to appoint a commission to negotiate a swap of land so that the river may again be the actual boundary line between the States.

Schoolchildren are taught that Iowa is bounded on the west by the Missouri river. The map bears out this statement, but the map makers have not been on the ground lately.

If they had been, they would have discovered that in the last year the Missouri River had been busy adding some of the State of Iowa to its west bank and a part of the State of Nebraska to its east bank.

Every few years the river forsakes a part of its old channel and seeks a new one.

Four years ago Nebraska and South Dakota had to do a lot of reconstructing of the State line, and Nebraska lost several hundred citizens and some fifty farms, but came near getting the city of Yankton in return.

Four years before that Nebraska and Missouri got in the Federal Supreme Court over a question of jurisdiction over an island in the river opposite Nemadji county, Neb.

The river cut off a section of the county and made an island of it, placing it close to the Missouri river. The map makers, however, protested against being so suddenly transformed into Missourians, and persist yet in voting in Nebraska.

DRIVEN INTO BANKRUPTCY. Railroads Discriminating Against Independent Grain Dealers in Illinois.

(Associated Press Despatch.)

SPRINGFIELD Ill., Feb. 14.—Independent grain dealer has been driven into bankruptcy through the failure of the railways to supply freight cars, according to a story told before the House Committee on Railroads by country elevator men.

They made charges that favored shippers were receiving discriminations in allocating cars as a result of which smaller dealers were being throttled; their supplies rotting in bins, and their contracts being cancelled, all for the sake of proper transportation. Remedial legislation is sought.

BLASTING REVEALED ORE. Rich Discovery of Silver Accidentally Made at Thunder Bay.

(Special Despatch to The Leader.)

PORT ARTHUR, Feb. 14.—An exceedingly rich silver discovery has been made in the famous Old West End Silver Mountain mine at Thunder Bay. The richest deposit of silver ore found since the reopening of the mine was made on Monday as a result of blasting operations. The ore is of high grade.

Bureau Sworn In.

(Special Despatch to The Leader.)

Byrean, M.P., for Three Rivers, was sworn in as Solicitor-General by noon today. Mr. Byrean was accompanied by Sir Wilfrid Laurier. The position of Solicitor-General has vacant since Hon. Mr. Lombard was promoted from the office to be Postmaster-General.

THE WESTERN MFG. CO., LIMITED

—MANUFACTURE—

SASH... DOORS.. FINISH.. FRAMES

Detail Work a Specialty. Prices and Estimates Furnished From Plans.

OFFICE AND FACTORY—
DEWDNEY ST., REGINA.



Blankets For Street and Stable we are showing a fine line of Horse Blankets

in plain and fancy colors, also Brown Duck, etc. These blankets are of exceptionally fine quality and are the biggest value ever offered.

Make a choice before the lot is reduced in quantity. The earliest buyer gets the pick of the whole assortment which is large.

You will also find a large assortment of gloves and mitts at

J. N. STEWART'S HARNESS HOP BROAD STREET

REGINA PHARMACY

Books for the Office
Sales Books, Cash Books, Order Books, Ledgers, Minute Books, Journals, Letter Books, Day Books, Scrap Books, Indexes, etc.

YOUR WILL

Your choice of an executor is important. This Company is prepared to act as your Executor and to carry out the provisions of your will with care, economy and skill. Our large Capital and Reserve, wide experience and capable management afford the best guarantee that your instructions will be carried out with absolute fidelity.

Wills appointing the Company Executor received for Safe Keeping free of charge.

ROYAL TRUST CO. OF MONTREAL

Subscribed Capital - \$1,000,000
Paid Up - 600,000
Reserve Fund - 600,000

LORD STRATHONA, K.C.M.G., President.
HON. SIR GEORGE DRUMMOND, K.C.M.G., Vice-President.

This Company have established an Agency in Regina, and are prepared to act as Trustees and Executors of estates, and to do a general trust business. Solicitors offering business will be retained to act for their clients.

Photos GET THEM AT JOHNSON BROS.

The Leading Photographers of the Province.
Regina and Indian Head

Capital Health Salt Ripe Fruit

O. A. ANDERSON & CO.
CHEMIST AND DRUGGIST
Medicine Hall, Scarth Street, Regina, Sask.

ROPE BROKE

Negro Murderer Dies on the Ground

RICHMOND, Va., Feb. 13.—A negro was a harrowing scene in Farmville today, and Wm. Ruffin, negro, the murderer of Postmaster Grubb, Ill. weighed down when it broke the second in agony on the

WOMAN'S S... Is O... BY WORK AND OWN... HEALTH IS RES... DR. CHASE'S NERVE...

With the strength of much work, many a woman self weak, nervous, and subject to indigestion and spells of discouragement. Under such circumstances, Chase's Nerve Food is of great value. It restores vitality to the blood and gives strength to the nerves. The blood is purified and the appetite is improved. The result is a healthy and vigorous woman.

For men who are weak, nervous, and suffer from indigestion, headachings, irritability, and other ailments, Chase's Nerve Food is equally valuable. It restores vitality to the blood and gives strength to the nerves. The result is a healthy and vigorous man.

WOMAN'S S... Is O... BY WORK AND OWN... HEALTH IS RES... DR. CHASE'S NERVE...

With the strength of much work, many a woman self weak, nervous, and subject to indigestion and spells of discouragement. Under such circumstances, Chase's Nerve Food is of great value. It restores vitality to the blood and gives strength to the nerves. The blood is purified and the appetite is improved. The result is a healthy and vigorous woman.

For men who are weak, nervous, and suffer from indigestion, headachings, irritability, and other ailments, Chase's Nerve Food is equally valuable. It restores vitality to the blood and gives strength to the nerves. The result is a healthy and vigorous man.

WOMAN'S S... Is O... BY WORK AND OWN... HEALTH IS RES... DR. CHASE'S NERVE...

With the strength of much work, many a woman self weak, nervous, and subject to indigestion and spells of discouragement. Under such circumstances, Chase's Nerve Food is of great value. It restores vitality to the blood and gives strength to the nerves. The blood is purified and the appetite is improved. The result is a healthy and vigorous woman.

For men who are weak, nervous, and suffer from indigestion, headachings, irritability, and other ailments, Chase's Nerve Food is equally valuable. It restores vitality to the blood and gives strength to the nerves. The result is a healthy and vigorous man.

WOMAN'S S... Is O... BY WORK AND OWN... HEALTH IS RES... DR. CHASE'S NERVE...

With the strength of much work, many a woman self weak, nervous, and subject to indigestion and spells of discouragement. Under such circumstances, Chase's Nerve Food is of great value. It restores vitality to the blood and gives strength to the nerves. The blood is purified and the appetite is improved. The result is a healthy and vigorous woman.

For men who are weak, nervous, and suffer from indigestion, headachings, irritability, and other ailments, Chase's Nerve Food is equally valuable. It restores vitality to the blood and gives strength to the nerves. The result is a healthy and vigorous man.

SOURIS HEADS WHOLE WITH 3

SPECIAL COMMITTEE WITH REGARD TO NEVERN CONSTITUTE

Government Submit Map Proposed Boundaries of Areas—Regulation of 29,700.

Ottawa, Feb. 13.—noon there was a meeting of the special committee on the Common to consider the of the constituents of van and Alberta on the late census.

Under the new arrangement, the Government side, with the following:

SASKATCHEWAN

Constituency

Souris

Qu'Appelle

Salton

MacKenzie

Regina

Calgary

Moose Jaw

Saskatchewan

Battleford

Prince Albert

Humboldt

ALBERTA

Edmonton

Victoria

Sathcona

Calgary

Saskatoon

Macleod

Medicine Hat

The Opposition appears to have a strong hold on their possession, did not submit it.

FALLIERES INTER...

PARIS, Feb. 13.—Fallieres today personified in the minister of the hope of the differences existed between the cabinet and the members of the Government. He had long been with Premier Clemenceau, Minister of Finance, and members of the Cabinet the exact result is known.

ROPE BROKE

Negro Murderer Dies on the Ground

RICHMOND, Va., Feb. 13.—A negro was a harrowing scene in Farmville today, and Wm. Ruffin, negro, the murderer of Postmaster Grubb, Ill. weighed down when it broke the second in agony on the

WOMAN'S S... Is O... BY WORK AND OWN... HEALTH IS RES... DR. CHASE'S NERVE...

With the strength of much work, many a woman self weak, nervous, and subject to indigestion and spells of discouragement. Under such circumstances, Chase's Nerve Food is of great value. It restores vitality to the blood and gives strength to the nerves. The blood is purified and the appetite is improved. The result is a healthy and vigorous woman.

For men who are weak, nervous, and suffer from indigestion, headachings, irritability, and other ailments, Chase's Nerve Food is equally valuable. It restores vitality to the blood and gives strength to the nerves. The result is a healthy and vigorous man.

WOMAN'S S... Is O... BY WORK AND OWN... HEALTH IS RES... DR. CHASE'S NERVE...

With the strength of much work, many a woman self weak, nervous, and subject to indigestion and spells of discouragement. Under such circumstances, Chase's Nerve Food is of great value. It restores vitality to the blood and gives strength to the nerves. The blood is purified and the appetite is improved. The result is a healthy and vigorous woman.

For men who are weak, nervous, and suffer from indigestion, headachings, irritability, and other ailments, Chase's Nerve Food is equally valuable. It restores vitality to the blood and gives strength to the nerves. The result is a healthy and vigorous man.

WOMAN'S S... Is O... BY WORK AND OWN... HEALTH IS RES... DR. CHASE'S NERVE...

With the strength of much work, many a woman self weak, nervous, and subject to indigestion and spells of discouragement. Under such circumstances, Chase's Nerve Food is of great value. It restores vitality to the blood and gives strength to the nerves. The blood is purified and the appetite is improved. The result is a healthy and vigorous woman.

For men who are weak, nervous, and suffer from indigestion, headachings, irritability, and other ailments, Chase's Nerve Food is equally valuable. It restores vitality to the blood and gives strength to the nerves. The result is a healthy and vigorous man.

WOMAN'S S... Is O... BY WORK AND OWN... HEALTH IS RES... DR. CHASE'S NERVE...

With the strength of much work, many a woman self weak, nervous, and subject to indigestion and spells of discouragement. Under such circumstances, Chase's Nerve Food is of great value. It restores vitality to the blood and gives strength to the nerves. The blood is purified and the appetite is improved. The result is a healthy and vigorous woman.

For men who are weak, nervous, and suffer from indigestion, headachings, irritability, and other ailments, Chase's Nerve Food is equally valuable. It restores vitality to the blood and gives strength to the nerves. The result is a healthy and vigorous man.

G. Co., LIMITED. REGINA. Advertisement for blankets and other goods.

SOURIS HEADS WHOLE LIST WITH 35,263

SPECIAL COMMITTEE REPORTS WITH REGARD TO NEW WESTERN CONSTITUENCIES.

Government Submit Map Showing Proposed Boundaries and Population of Areas—Regina Shows Population of 29,700.

Table with columns: Constituency, Population. Lists various regions like Souris, Regina, etc.

Special to The Leader. OTTAWA, Feb. 18.—This afternoon there was a meeting of the special committee of the House of Commons to consider the adjustment of the constituencies of the late census.

Under the new arrangement Saskatchewan will have ten constituencies and Alberta seven, the chairman of the committee, Mr. Turritt, submitting a map showing the proposal of the Government side, which is as follows:

Table with columns: Constituency, Population. Lists regions like Edmonton, Regina, etc.

During the period of the long adjournment there had been many rumors of a conflict among the defendants' counsel, but at the opening of the court today all of the six attorneys who have represented Thaw during the proceedings were at the counsel's table.

Dr. B. D. Evans, superintendent of the New Jersey State Hospital for the Insane, who was on the stand last Thursday when the trial was adjourned, was recalled today as the first witness.

THAW'S WILL IS ADMITTED AS EVIDENCE

DOCUMENT PROVIDED FOR ASSISTANCE TO VICTIMS OF WHITE'S LICENTIOUSNESS.

Delmas Wins Out on Several Important Points—Thaw's Statement as to Killing of White Goes in as Testimony.

By Associated Press. NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—After an interruption of four days, the trial of Harry K. Thaw was resumed today.

During the period of the long adjournment there had been many rumors of a conflict among the defendants' counsel, but at the opening of the court today all of the six attorneys who have represented Thaw during the proceedings were at the counsel's table.

Dr. B. D. Evans, superintendent of the New Jersey State Hospital for the Insane, who was on the stand last Thursday when the trial was adjourned, was recalled today as the first witness.

WANDERERS SCORE ANOTHER WIN

GOOD EXHIBITION OF HOCKEY IN THE CITY LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES.

(From Tuesday's Morning Leader) The hardest, closest and fastest hockey game of the season was played at the rink last night, when the Wanderers and Clerks came together.

When play was resumed three more offenses were punished. R. Van Valkenburg broke a skate and Stevenson went off to even up.

Today Thaw took a rest for some personal reason of the judge of play, as his only apparent offense consisted in letting McLachlan fall on top of him.

Finally he broke through and Hogarth the younger scored on a neat breakaway pass. Three penalties had very little effect in checking the rough work.

Chicago's Big Stadium. CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Steps are being taken by the Chicago Athletic Association whereby Chicago may soon have one of the finest athletic stadiums of the world.

HARVARD LOSES TO MCGILL

BOSTON, Mass., Feb. 18.—Lightning attack with splendid team work and fine shooting, gave McGill University, Montreal, an 8 to 2 victory over Harvard in the first international university hockey match ever played in Cambridge.

The Canadians gave a magnificent exhibition of concerted action. Each man played his position cleverly, and the individual stunts in consequence bothered the Harvard men, who showed poor collective spirit.

Several comparatively cheap cars, which have stood the test, will be made specialties by British builders this year.

The old job was reversed at Norristown, Pa., recently, when an automobile was used to carry back to its stable a horse that had become paralyzed on the road.

There are 16,500 cars registered in Great Britain, of which fully 11,000 are the product of British factories, which last year did the largest business in their history.

Street car motormen have adopted the automobile cold weather fashions and in many cities may be seen in fur coats, fur gloves and goggles. Some even have adopted pocket stoves.

A SHEAF OF LOVE TALES

Playing to the Score By T. S. Good

"You ought to have made it no trumps," she explained. "They were twenty-eight and we were nothing. The odd in spades was of no use to us and it put them out. There is a time when one can't afford to be cowardly, nor even to play safe. One must risk all on a weak hand sometimes."

"Thank you," I said meekly. "Of course you are only a beginner, she smiled at me prettily. I know that on occasion comes up again you will remember—always play to the score. Risk everything to keep your money from winning."

"Thank you," I said again. "You have been awfully kind to me." "In teaching you bridge?" "In teaching me other things as well."

"If you like," she said in a low tone. "I've learned to love you," I said. She started and gathered the cards up. She would have arisen but I placed a restraining hand on her arm as she leaned above me.

"How absurd you are," she said, laughing nervously. "In loving you?" "You've only known me a week. I love you."

"But I can't help it. Yes, I know it's sudden and all that. I never meant to tell you today—I never thought I should dare. But, O. Esther, I love you—love you! Do you understand?"

"Are you engaged to him?" I asked sternly. "She hesitated. 'But—but we used to care for each other before he went away, and he is coming tomorrow.'"

church, and in the evening went to the Christian Endeavor meeting. Jordan's mother was delighted to think he took an interest in the church—but her delight was changed to dismay on the next Sunday when he went to St. Veronica's and made friends with genial Father Burke. On the following Sunday he went to the Evangelical Lutheran down on Belmont avenue, and after he had crossed the tracks to the Avondale Methodist church, almost putting in the day at the two sermons, the Sunday school and the meeting of the Epworth League.

He now had been the rounds of all the churches in the neighborhood, and this seemed to exhaust his interest in religious work. But he seized eagerly upon every invitation he could get to any social function in the neighborhood. He went to picnics and lodge parties and such parties and little dances and concerts.

Always when he had inspected all the guests with solemn stare he would solemnly go home and sit by his open window and breathe fresh air.

Kate followed him to his room one evening and seated herself in the window so as to obstruct his view and shook her pretty finger at him. "Now, look here, Jordan, you've got to tell me the truth. Who is it you are looking for?"

"What do you mean?" said he, though rather weakly. "Tell me," she insisted. "Maybe I'll be able to help you."

"Well, then, Kate. She's a little girl that comes home on the same train that I come on. She has brown hair and nearly always wears a pin at her throat and has one of those pretty little what-do-you-call-'em hats."

Kate laughed at this description—she could not help it—and this so offended Jordan that he would tell her more. But he kept up his still hunt.

"There's going to be a little party at Besse's this evening and I promised to go," said Kate with a slight after-dinner. "As Robert is not in town I'll let you take me, Jordan."

PELLETTI INTERVIEWS. PARIS, Feb. 18.—President Fallieres today personally intervened in the hope of composing the differences existing in the cabinet and avoiding a disruption of the Government tomorrow. He had long conferences with Premier Clemenceau, Education Minister Briand and other members of the Cabinet, but the exact result is not yet known.

ROPE BROKE TWICE. Negro Murderer Dies in Agony on the Ground. RICHMOND, Va., Feb. 18.—There was a harrowing scene at the hanging at Farmville today of Moses Hill and Wm. Ruffin, negroes convicted of the murder of Postmaster Goffell Grubb. Hill weighed 275 pounds. His weight caused the rope to break. He walked calmly back to the scaffold when it broke the second time, and he died in agony on the ground.

COSTLY CANVASSES STOLEN. JUDGE O'NEARA DEAD. OTTAWA, Feb. 15.—Judge O'Neara, Junior Judge of Carleton, died this morning at the Russell House from a severe attack of pneumonia.

WETHERMORE'S STRATEGY By R. W. Brown

Love had not entirely spoiled Wethermore's life, but it had, at least, disfigured it. And so he was thinking sadly to himself as he sat in the library, looking dully at the picture of the principal in his last affair de coeur.

THE REFORMED ANCONTRITE By C. J. Meigs

Jordan Troupe was not without friends. He had been raised in that little triangle which lies between Euston, Belmont and Kedzie avenues, and he would remember the time when it mostly was prairie, and only the Bickerdicks and the Troupes and two or three hardy pioneer families made the place home.

LIBRARY VOTING CONTEST 100 VOLUMES and CASE

THIS Elegant Library and Handsome Case will be given by vote to the Hospital, Lodge, Society or School in Regina or adjoining district securing the largest number of votes in the following manner.

THE LEADER ONLY MORNING PAPER IN SASKATCHEWAN Full Telegraphic Service. Readable. Bright.

Woman's Strength Is Overtaxed BY WORK AND WORRY, NOT GOOD HEALTH IS RESTORED BY DR. CHASE'S NERVE FOOD

READY NOW! "THE PATRIOT" For Bread! For Italy! For God! This is the first of the famous trilogy of novels by Antonio Fogazzaro...

CANADA DRUG & BOOK COMPANY SIXTH ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE CROWN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY Report of the Board of Directors for Year Ending Dec. 31, 1906

HAVE YOU A FEW DOLLARS? You would like to double within the next few months? If so we would like to interest you in the

A PRETTY SIGN BOARD in front of your store or office is attractive and quite necessary for a successful business.

LARCHMONT CAPTAIN'S DEFENCE Capt. McVey Claims There Were No People on Starboard of Sunk Boat.

ADMIRAL WOULD SEIZE HARD COAL ADVOCATES PRE-EMPTING ANTHRACITE FOR THE NAVY.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—Sacco, the Hungarian fasting man, has completed a fast of forty-six days...

U. S. RAILROAD OFFICIALS SET TRAINS IGNORED DANGER SIGNALS

OHIO, Feb. 16.—While high officers of the Lake Shore Railway stood hidden behind the company's tracks here twenty-four trains rushed past the signal targets...

DELIRIOUS FEVER PATIENT ABROAD SCANTILY ATTENDED, HE LEAPED OUT OF WINDOW IN EDMONTON HOTEL.

EDMONTON, Feb. 15.—Guests at the Senate Hotel were roused from their slumbers about four o'clock Wednesday morning by a noise coming from the outside of the building.

BALLOON OBEYS ITS PILOT'S HAND PARISIAN AERONAUT ACHIEVES A GREAT SUCCESS WITH HIS AIRSHIP.

PARIS, Feb. 17.—Comte Henry de la Vaux achieved a remarkable success with his steerable balloon this afternoon, in fact, the most remarkable since the construction of the first dirigible.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—Sacco, the Hungarian fasting man, has completed a fast of forty-six days...

GREAT BRITAIN PREPARING AN AERIAL FLEET

LONDON, Feb. 15.—The Express publishes the following: "If a foreign power were to launch an aerial fleet against Great Britain tomorrow, Great Britain would be able to meet it in mid-air."

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 16.—It has been discovered that the headmistress of a girls' school, who recently died, was a man.

DEBENTURES PURCHASED Municipal and School Debentures purchased by the DOMINION SECURITIES CORPORATION, LTD. TORONTO

IMPERIAL BANK OF CANADA Capital Authorized, \$5,000,000 Capital Paid Up, \$4,500,000

STEP TOWARD HOME RULE FOR IRELAND WILLIAM O'BRIEN OUTLINES PROVISIONS OF IMPORTANT PIECE OF LEGISLATION.

LONDON, Feb. 17.—William O'Brien, Member for Cork City, has outlined the impending Irish measure. It is not expected that the bill will be presented as a substitute for self-government, but only as a preliminary experiment...

REDMOND IS RE-ELECTED. Will Continue as Chairman of Irish National Party.

TEHERAN, Feb. 16.—Anti-government agitators are busy and the people are showing dissatisfaction at the government's apparent disinclination to assist Parliament.

MOSCOW, Feb. 16.—The headquarters of the flying Group of Terrorists have been located at the Moscow Female University.

BERLIN, Feb. 16.—Charles W. Kohlsaat, Special Commissioner of the Jamestown Expedition, was informed that the Admiralty had decided to send the cruisers Roon and Bremen, under the command of Commodore Kalau Von Hofe.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—John D. Rockefeller's gift of \$20,000,000 to the general education board is declared to be the fore-runner of donations aggregating from \$200,000,000 to \$250,000,000 within the next ten years.

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 16.—The discovery that most of the evidence gathered by former Attorney General Mayer to compel the dissolution of the trust known as the American Ice Company has been lost or stolen has created a profound sensation.

MILAN, Feb. 16.—A Florentine who was sentenced several years ago to penal servitude for life for killing two soldiers in 1881 has been sought for years, but could not be found.

BRANDON, FEB. 16.—Warrants have been issued for Herman D. Purdy and Eugene P. Bennett. This is a result of an inquest held at Douglas on the death of a sectionman named Muirhead, killed about two weeks ago by a snow plow.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 13.—Reports reached St. Petersburg today that 130 to 150 Finnish fishermen were blown out to sea on ice floes from Frederikshamn, Gulf of Finland. Of that number, it is added, only ten men were rescued from the shore in safety.

UNION BANK OF CANADA The Pioneer Bank of West with twentieth century methods.

SAVINGS BANK DEPARTMENT Deposits of small amounts solicited. Interest paid twice a year.

DEBENTURES PURCHASED Municipal and School Debentures purchased by the DOMINION SECURITIES CORPORATION, LTD. TORONTO

NATIONAL TRUST CO Limited SASKATOON SASK

IMPERIAL BANK OF CANADA Capital Authorized, \$5,000,000 Capital Paid Up, \$4,500,000

WANTED—Teachers holding first or second class Professional certificates wanted immediately. Salaries \$50 per month.

STEP TOWARD HOME RULE FOR IRELAND WILLIAM O'BRIEN OUTLINES PROVISIONS OF IMPORTANT PIECE OF LEGISLATION.

REDMOND IS RE-ELECTED. Will Continue as Chairman of Irish National Party.

TEHERAN, Feb. 16.—Anti-government agitators are busy and the people are showing dissatisfaction at the government's apparent disinclination to assist Parliament.

MOSCOW, Feb. 16.—The headquarters of the flying Group of Terrorists have been located at the Moscow Female University.

BERLIN, Feb. 16.—Charles W. Kohlsaat, Special Commissioner of the Jamestown Expedition, was informed that the Admiralty had decided to send the cruisers Roon and Bremen, under the command of Commodore Kalau Von Hofe.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—John D. Rockefeller's gift of \$20,000,000 to the general education board is declared to be the fore-runner of donations aggregating from \$200,000,000 to \$250,000,000 within the next ten years.

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 16.—The discovery that most of the evidence gathered by former Attorney General Mayer to compel the dissolution of the trust known as the American Ice Company has been lost or stolen has created a profound sensation.

MILAN, Feb. 16.—A Florentine who was sentenced several years ago to penal servitude for life for killing two soldiers in 1881 has been sought for years, but could not be found.

BRANDON, FEB. 16.—Warrants have been issued for Herman D. Purdy and Eugene P. Bennett. This is a result of an inquest held at Douglas on the death of a sectionman named Muirhead, killed about two weeks ago by a snow plow.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 13.—Reports reached St. Petersburg today that 130 to 150 Finnish fishermen were blown out to sea on ice floes from Frederikshamn, Gulf of Finland. Of that number, it is added, only ten men were rescued from the shore in safety.

MONEY SAVED Do you wish to save from 25 to 45 cents on every dollar you spend for household expenses?

OTTAWA, Feb. 16.—There are six vacancies for the House of Commons. For five of these the writs were issued today.

OTTAWA, Feb. 17.—The Ottawa had an easy time with the Victoria hockey team Saturday night, winning by a score of 16 to 7.

OTTAWA, Feb. 16.—There are six vacancies for the House of Commons. For five of these the writs were issued today.

How Copyrighted If Canada today is known to the world for her dissemination of this knowledge...

SAVINGS BANK DEPARTMENT Deposits of small amounts solicited. Interest paid twice a year.

DEBENTURES PURCHASED Municipal and School Debentures purchased by the DOMINION SECURITIES CORPORATION, LTD. TORONTO

NATIONAL TRUST CO Limited SASKATOON SASK

IMPERIAL BANK OF CANADA Capital Authorized, \$5,000,000 Capital Paid Up, \$4,500,000

WANTED—Teachers holding first or second class Professional certificates wanted immediately. Salaries \$50 per month.

STEP TOWARD HOME RULE FOR IRELAND WILLIAM O'BRIEN OUTLINES PROVISIONS OF IMPORTANT PIECE OF LEGISLATION.

REDMOND IS RE-ELECTED. Will Continue as Chairman of Irish National Party.

TEHERAN, Feb. 16.—Anti-government agitators are busy and the people are showing dissatisfaction at the government's apparent disinclination to assist Parliament.

MOSCOW, Feb. 16.—The headquarters of the flying Group of Terrorists have been located at the Moscow Female University.

BERLIN, Feb. 16.—Charles W. Kohlsaat, Special Commissioner of the Jamestown Expedition, was informed that the Admiralty had decided to send the cruisers Roon and Bremen, under the command of Commodore Kalau Von Hofe.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—John D. Rockefeller's gift of \$20,000,000 to the general education board is declared to be the fore-runner of donations aggregating from \$200,000,000 to \$250,000,000 within the next ten years.

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 16.—The discovery that most of the evidence gathered by former Attorney General Mayer to compel the dissolution of the trust known as the American Ice Company has been lost or stolen has created a profound sensation.

MILAN, Feb. 16.—A Florentine who was sentenced several years ago to penal servitude for life for killing two soldiers in 1881 has been sought for years, but could not be found.

BRANDON, FEB. 16.—Warrants have been issued for Herman D. Purdy and Eugene P. Bennett. This is a result of an inquest held at Douglas on the death of a sectionman named Muirhead, killed about two weeks ago by a snow plow.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 13.—Reports reached St. Petersburg today that 130 to 150 Finnish fishermen were blown out to sea on ice floes from Frederikshamn, Gulf of Finland. Of that number, it is added, only ten men were rescued from the shore in safety.

MONEY SAVED Do you wish to save from 25 to 45 cents on every dollar you spend for household expenses?

OTTAWA, Feb. 16.—There are six vacancies for the House of Commons. For five of these the writs were issued today.

OTTAWA, Feb. 17.—The Ottawa had an easy time with the Victoria hockey team Saturday night, winning by a score of 16 to 7.

OTTAWA, Feb. 16.—There are six vacancies for the House of Commons. For five of these the writs were issued today.

CITY AND COUNTRY

(From Thursday's Morning Leader.)
 —E. Tuck, of Lumsden, visited the capital yesterday.
 —Ed. Oliver, of Craik, is at present staying in the city.
 —W. Roeburgh, of Saskatoon, is registered at the Clayton.
 —H. G. Campbell, of Winnipeg, is a guest at the Clayton Hotel.
 —R. A. Pease, of Nelson, B.C., is in the city for a few days.
 —Bert Clearwater, of Craik, was a visitor to the city yesterday.
 John Miller, of Indian Head, was in the city yesterday.
 —J. C. Ready, of Carlyle, is spending a few days in the city.
 —H. H. Campkin and wife, of Indian Head, were visitors to the city yesterday.
 —W. H. Howarth and wife, of Moose Jaw, are spending a few days in Regina.
 —J. C. Routley, of Lindsay, was in the city Monday en route to Davidson.
 Insp. Grant, of the R.N.W.M.P., is in the city from Willow Bunch and will leave for the East in a few days for a couple of weeks' holidays.
 J. L. Strothard, recently accountant in the Union Bank here, has severed his connection with that institution, having been appointed manager of the Northern Bank branch at Hanley. Mr. Strothard left yesterday morning for his new scene of activity.
 —At the regular convocation of Wascana R. A. Chapter No. 121, G. R. C., held on Tuesday evening, Feb. 12, the following officers were installed: Ex. Z. L. T. McDonald; Ex. H. I. Forbes; Ex. J. Dr. E. E. Meek; Scribe E. Dr. J. M. Shaw; Scribe N. L. H. Bennett; P. S. J. M. Smith; S. J. H. Hefferman; J. S. A. C. Barrett; Treas. D. G. Ramage; M. of J. V. A. C. Barrett; M. of 2 V. Wm. Dallas; M. of 3 V. J. N. Bayne; M. of 4 V. D. G. Ramage; Janitor, P. Dymott. Regular convocations are held on the first Tuesday of each month.
 —Messrs. May, Osborne, and Lamb, of this city, have bought out the interests of the Winnipeg Granite and Marble Company, of Winnipeg, and intend carrying on the business here. Mr. Osborne has been the travelling representative of the above firm in this district, and Mr. May has had entire charge of the manufacturing for them, Mr. Lamb having had charge of all erections in and around this district. They are well and favorably known in this city and surrounding country and will undoubtedly do a good business.
 —Premier Scott, Dr. D. Low and Mr. Geo. W. Brown took last evening's eastbound train for Winnipeg. Thence they go via Chicago to New York. From New York they will either proceed to Florida or take a boat for a short cruise in the West Indies. Mr. Scott expects to be able to return to Regina about the middle of March to attend the Legislative session opening a week from today. His condition has improved markedly the past ten days, so much so as to give hope that a short stay in a warmer climate may bring complete recovery. Dr. Low will probably be absent from Regina two months, and in his absence his practice will be attended to by Dr. Black, of Regina. It is needless to say that the good wishes not only of the people of Regina but the entire Province go with the party. A host of friends will look forward to the Premier's return to his home in enjoyment of perfect health.
 (From Friday's Morning Leader.)
 —Ald. Wright left last evening for a holiday trip to the coast.
 —J. T. Simpson, of North Battleford, is a guest at the Clayton.
 —Mrs. J. H. Wasson, of Kronan, is spending a few days in the city.
 —J. G. Coleridge, of Prince Albert, is on a visit to the capital.
 —H. J. McDermid, general merchant, Fillmore, is in the city on business.
 —W. Hazel of Winnipeg and a party of land-seekers are guests at the Clayton.
 —Hon. J. H. Lamont, Attorney General and Hon. J. A. Calder, Commissioner of Education, went to Winnipeg last night.
 —The Moose Jaw City Council will grant a free site for an armory for the Moose Jaw Mounted Rifles, provided the Government will build one.
 —Messrs. Eaton and Springer, of Cleveland, Ohio, the gentlemen who are applying to the city for a gas franchise, arrived in town yesterday.
 —F. E. Ranney of Pilot Butte has taken up his residence in the city, having purchased a new house on Rae street south.
 —T. H. Menzies, of Winnipeg, the chartered accountant engaged by the City Council to audit the city's books for 1906, is now in the city for the purpose of conducting the audit.
 —James Sutherland, Western traffic manager of the Bell Telephone Co., with headquarters in Winnipeg, is in the city on business with the local exchange.
 —The city will apply to the coming session of the Legislature to amend its charter so as to allow of the council acquiring property without the city limits for the purposes of a public park, garden or walk for the use of the inhabitants of the city.
 (From Saturday's Morning Leader.)
 —Work is now being rushed on the new exhibition grounds auditorium, Messrs. Snyder Bros. having no less than forty men engaged on the building at the present time.
 —Elsewhere in today's issue of the Morning Leader will be found a directory of the leading business establishments of Davidson, Hanley Craik and Lumsden, who have chosen The Leader as the advertising medium through which to place their names before the public of Saskatchewan.

The directory is an eloquent proof of the immense growth of the north line country during the last three years, such towns as Davidson, Craik and Hanley being practically nonexistent in 1903.
 —Some idea of the frightful dislocation and chaos in connection with transportation at the present time may be gathered from the experience of Ald. Wilkinson who had a cargo of goods consigned to him from Brockville on Oct. 15th last which arrived in Regina Feb. 12th.
 —The Regina hockey team were all ready to leave today on a trip West but late last night a telegram was received from Calgary, stating that there was no ice. The trip was accordingly postponed until the chitook catches cold.
 —Walter Simpson, late president of the Regina Grain Growers' Association, and who has been seriously ill at his farm, was sufficiently recovered to come into town yesterday. Mr. Simpson is one of the Regina old timers and his many friends were pleased at his rapid recovery.
 —The offer made by J. M. Young's Realty company, full particulars concerning which will be found in the full page advertisement elsewhere in this issue, is in many respects unique, offering as it does to all purchasers of residential lots in the Eastern Addition the free use of a church and school within a stone's throw of their property. Mr. Young not only provides the church and school buildings, but undertakes to provide the school teacher for a period of two years. The first to deal in Regina property systematically on a large scale, Mr. Young apparently intends to maintain his reputation as a real estate hustler.
 From Monday's Morning Leader.
 —P. Cooper was elected district vice-president for Regina at the recent annual meeting of the Western Canada Immigration Association.
 —J. S. Hall, machinist, has returned from Montreal and other Eastern points, where he has spent the past month.
 —The anniversary of Knox Church will be held on March 17, when Rev. Principal Patrick, of Manitoba College, Winnipeg, will occupy the pulpit.
 —Rev. E. A. Henry will deliver his lecture on "Some Girls" in the basement of Knox Church at an early date under the auspices of the Willing Workers of the church.
 —Messrs. E. Brown & Co. have moved from their office in the Egan block to the office lately occupied by the Department of Agriculture, Trading Co. Block, where they will continue their business in coal and builders' supplies.
 —Robert Henderson, who has been connected with this editorial staff of The Leader for the past four months, has accepted a position on the staff of the Neepawa Press. Mr. Henderson left for Neepawa last evening to take up his new duties.
 —A. S. Smith, of Mooseomin, formerly member for that district in the old Legislature, and Liberal candidate at the last election, is seriously ill with pneumonia. The crisis, however, of Mr. Smith's illness was reached on Friday, and the strongest hopes are now entertained of his recovery.
 —As a misunderstanding may arise in some quarters owing to a report recently circulated, the Indian Commissioner has stated that his mission has not been granted settlers to cut wood at sight on Indian reserves. Agents should not allow cutting of wood on reserves without authority obtained from the department.
 (From Tuesday's Morning Leader.)
 —Mrs. E. C. Rossell will receive at her home, 366 McIntyre St., on Wednesday.
 —Miss M. M. Henderson who has been visiting Miss Williams leaves today for home in Seattle.
 —A. Acland, special western correspondent of the Toronto Globe, is at present a visitor in the city.
 —J. M. Young, who was in Winnipeg last week on business, is back again in the city.
 —John Miln, foreman of The Leader pressroom, is at present in the city visiting his brothers N. C. and B. McLachlan. Mr. McLachlan is accompanied by his mother.
 —Dr. Pollard who is at present travelling in the Pacific with Mrs. Pollard, is now at Hawaii, where he recently ascended the volcano of Kilauea.
 —J. W. Thomas, of Minneapolis, the soap expert, who in conjunction with J. M. Young, is starting a soap factory in the city, arrived here on Sunday.
 —B. F. Marshall, of York, Neb., and W. S. Darley, of Chicago, who are interested with J. M. Young in applying for a gas franchise, are now in the city and will probably interview the council today.
 —John Miln, foreman of The Leader pressroom, is at present in the city visiting his brothers N. C. and B. McLachlan. Mr. McLachlan is accompanied by his mother.
 —Dr. Pollard who is at present travelling in the Pacific with Mrs. Pollard, is now at Hawaii, where he recently ascended the volcano of Kilauea.
 —J. W. Thomas, of Minneapolis, the soap expert, who in conjunction with J. M. Young, is starting a soap factory in the city, arrived here on Sunday.
 —B. F. Marshall, of York, Neb., and W. S. Darley, of Chicago, who are interested with J. M. Young in applying for a gas franchise, are now in the city and will probably interview the council today.

TRADING COMPANY STORE NEWS

DEPARTMENTAL PHONES.
 Grocery and Hardware, 26.
 Meat Department, 369.
DEPARTMENTAL PHONES.
 Dry Goods and Shoe Dept., 273.
 Men's Clothing and Furnishings, 415
DEPARTMENTAL PHONES.
 Drug Department, 160.
 Office and Tin Shop, 81.
DEPARTMENTAL PHONES.
 Dressmaking, Millinery, House Furnishings and China, 390.

The Greatest Clothing Event of the Year

Men's Suits, Youths' Suits and Men's Trousers, absolutely new goods, the product of a well known Eastern maker, bought at 58c on the dollar. Sale starts tomorrow. Less than wholesale prices

Are You Having Tea Troubles
 Are you dissatisfied in the quality of the tea you are using? We have a splendid blend which we sell at 50 cents a pound. This is very popular with many tea critics and judges of good tea.
 Ask for our Special Blend at 50c.

Great Values in Jams, 7 lb. Pails 65c
 Recently there came to hand a splendid assortment of Jams in 7-lb. pails. Strawberry, Plum, Raspberry, Black Currant, Blackberry, Raspberry, Gooseberry. We bought a considerable quantity and we got the price down. This accounts for the low prices. The qualities are simply beyond doubt.
 Using 75 Cent Pails.
 Trading Company Price, 65 Cents

"Capital" Flour
 Makes good bread. You can purchase it in our Grocery Section.
 Buy Flour Milled in Regina—Buy the Capital.

Use Dyola
 Dyola is a new dye which will dye any desired color and the same package will dye wool or cotton. It is just as cheap and is easier to work with than Diamond Dyes.

Beef, Iron and Wine
 Reg. 75c and \$1.00 at 65c
 The special benefits derived from Beef, Iron and Wine as a tonic are well known. Positively clearing at 65c while they last.

WANTED
 WANTED—A teacher for School District at Lenora, Lake, Taylor, School Dist. No. 1478. Apply to Mathias Butala, Lenora Lake, Sask. 2-4.

\$7.50 and \$8.00 Suits, \$3.95
 Men's Suits, made of English and Canadian Tweeds; light and dark shades; well tailored and trimmed.
 Strong and serviceable suits, sizes 36 to 44. Regular \$7.50 and \$8.00 Special \$3.95.

Regular \$12.50 Suits, \$6.95
 Men's English and Canadian Tweeds and English Corduroy Suits in mostly brown and fawn shades. Would be considered in any store big value at \$12.50. On sale Thursday, \$6.95.

\$10.00 Youths' Suits, \$5.75
 Beautiful brown mixtures, in English tweeds. Well made and trimmed, and beyond all doubt perfect fitting. Sizes 32 to 35. Regular \$12.50. On sale in this sale \$5.75.

Regular \$10.00, Special \$5.50
 Men's smartly made suits in medium and light shaded all-wool Canadian Oxford Tweeds. Fabrics that will not show the dust or stain of mud. Regular \$10.00. Values on sale \$5.50.

\$4.00 Worsted Trousers, \$2.45
 Men's heavy West of England Worsteds, in blue and black figured stripe effects. It is just like finding money to buy beautiful new patterned trousers for this price. Regular \$4.00. On sale special \$2.45.

\$2.50 Corduroy Trousers \$1.60
 Men's English Corduroy Trousers. Splendid value at \$2.50 and now at \$1.60 they will be snapped up quickly.

Reg. \$2.25 Trousers, \$1.35
 Men's Trousers, in medium shades of Canadian Tweeds. Regular \$2.25. On sale special \$1.35.

All the above goods were bought by this store at 58 cents on the dollar. They are absolutely new goods and were never opened before. We opened them up here Saturday. A certain party who was to start up business in an outside town had a misfortune, their plans miscarried, and we luckily purchased the lot at 58 cents on the dollar.

Sale Starts Thursday

First Showing of the New Spring Dress Goods

A Wide Display of Rare Beauty
 The new spacious new Dress Goods Section presents a scene of wide interest this week to first seekers after the new and beautiful in black and colored dress fabrics. Careful planning of months ago when the walls of our new addition were but rising from the ground has its fruition in these exquisite cloths—the best achievements of the most noted English and French designers. Nothing which Dame Fashion has ordained proper has been excluded from our superb collection and many of the most charming weaves we believe will be displayed exclusively by this store this season.
 Immense choice in White Muslins, Swiss Dot Muslins, Fancy Vestings, Dresdens, Scotch Zephyrs and Fancy Ginghams.

Mammoth Array of Exquisite Whitewear

We have always prided ourselves upon securing splendid qualities and assortments of whitewear. This season we believe we have far outdone former efforts. A visit downtown just to see the whitewear will amply repay you.
 We will have much to tell you of Whitewear in tomorrow's issue.

Demonstration of Dainty Jellies

Icings, Baking Powder, Etc., now going on in the Grocery
 Mrs. Hubbard, the representative of Gold Standard Jellies, Icings, Baking Powder, Teas, etc., is now ensconced in our Grocery. The popularity of Gold Standard goods in this city is indeed remarkable. Every thing put up under the Gold Standard trade mark is of a high degree of excellence and fully guaranteed by the makers.
 Attend this Demonstration Today.

THE REGINA TRADING CO., LTD.

WESTERN CANADA'S BIG STORE

WEEK

VOL. 24, NO. 3
SIXTEEN CENTS IN BU

MONTREAL VISITED
 FIRST IN THE CITY
 HER LIFE IN VAIN
 NAMES OF THE

Special to The Leader.
MONTREAL, Feb. 26.—The first of seven in the list of school children who died in the city this afternoon. The feature of the disaster is the loss of life appears to be to neglect of the most cautions on the part of the parents. The outstanding feature of the disaster is the fact that the lady teachers of the school who were in charge of the children, had not had time to get to school. The fire broke out at 2 p. m. in the basement, which originated from an overheated boiler. A number of the children were subsequently examined. All died from suffocation. Names of the children were: Miss M. from four to eight years.

Fire Spread Quickly
 So speedily did the flames in a few minutes that they not escaped at the first alarm in on the upper floor where the furnace of smoke and fire. At every window imprisoned children and firemen hurriedly placed ladders up the side of the building and formed a living line of children, all that had been taken from the Capt. Carson had called well, the principal, to buy the latter turned and ran to an inner room where the little ones were huddled. could not follow her, and a step would have been left was to be seen. Charred remains were carried away by a victim, her life in an attempt to the charges.
 This is the tragic story in confusion at the time of the disaster. An aid was given to the

Y.M.C.A. OFFICE GOES

PHYSICAL INSTRUMENTS
 MONTON LEAVE
 A CLOUD

Special to The Leader.
MONTON, N. B., Feb. 26.—The Y.M.C.A. office here, which has been in the city for some months, has been moved to a new location. The office was in a room in the Y.M.C.A. building, but it has been moved to a new location. The office was in a room in the Y.M.C.A. building, but it has been moved to a new location.

FUNERAL BROKE THROUGH BY FIELD

MOURNERS BADLY RETURNED
 Coffin Broke Through
 ing Cover and Work
 truded.

Special to The Leader.
MONTREAL, Feb. 26.—A funeral home here, where the body of a man was being kept, broke up a funeral home here, where the body of a man was being kept. The funeral home here, where the body of a man was being kept, broke up a funeral home here, where the body of a man was being kept.

By Associated Press.
NEW YORK, N. Y., Feb. 26.—The New York Herald says Leslie is the treasury from the cabinet. He has become president of the Carnegie Trust. He will bring his \$200,000 and the question whether Mr. Shaw his legal residence is