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CANDIDATES ARE SCARCE

Lack Of Good Material
Deployed At Grit Meeting
Last Night

HINNIGAN IS AFTER IT

Last night the Liberals of the city held a meeting in the Auditorium. This meeting was a "feeler" undoubtedly held for the purpose of "fixing" things for the convention to be held in the same building Saturday.

A Planet reporter was there. He was not invited, and he had a few stray doubts now and then as to whether his presence was particularly craved after. But as he was passing the building, he saw all the bright lights and the people, and he went up.

Anyone who had any doubts that ex-Mayor Frank Hennigan, of Wallaceburg, is the "out-and-dried" sensation which will be made at Saturday's convention, provided the "bunch" have their fling, could have had such doubts dissipated by attending last night's meeting. Frank was exceedingly busy with the glad hand at evening. He sat near the door, and had one of the city workers at his elbow, to put him next the live wires. Mr. Hennigan, who has been practically staying in Chatham during the whole week, was not called on for a speech during the evening. The whereof of this most peculiar oversight is unknown, unless it be that Frank is not a strong one in the speaking line. Or perhaps the party workers think to keep him a dark horse till the last moment.

There was a noticeable absence of the stalwart workers of the party. Fred Stone was not present to preside, and R. L. Brackin and Secretary Mac Gardiner ran things on the platform. This feature of the evening was the inexhaustible supply of good cigars which came from somewhere. Harry Murphy was kept busy passing them around to the crowd. The earlier part of the evening was spent in selecting delegates to the convention Saturday. Mr. Brackin sang out the names, and Mr. Gardiner wrote them down.

During intervals in the business program, songs were sung by Dr. Russell, Wm. Trotter and Will Butley. Jack Smith presided at the piano. A piano selection was also rendered by George Hahn. The election of the city officers of the Liberal association afterwards took place, resulting as follows:

President—J. S. Black.
Vice-President—Percy Piggott.
Secretary—W. Winterstein.

Following this there were some addresses. J. S. Black thanked those present for the honor they had done him in electing him President, and in his after remarks passed quite a glowing compliment to George W. Sulman, the Conservative candidate. "We are going up against a hard proposition, gentlemen," said Mr. Black. "In Mr. Sulman we have in opposition a man who is a worker—a man who will work day and night to make sure his election. We must have a strong candidate to run against him. We have four or five good men."

Bishop Wilmore stated that he on Thursday passed his seventy-fifth birthday, and he had been fifty years a Liberal. The Bishop said that he was not a speechmaker, but he believed in individual work for the winning of votes. "If I cannot do the work in political style," said he, "I can do it in another way—a more effective way."

J. W. White said that he would like to stump the County of Kent from end to end in the interests of Liberalism. Mr. White worked off a certain amount of surplus enthusiasm that was quite Salvation Army-like.

W. E. Gundy criticized the manner in which local license matters had been administered. He said it was inequitable.

A noticeable feature of all the addresses was that nearly every speaker referred to the manner in which

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WILL STOP CHINESE LABOR

"Asiatic Ordinance" To be
Introduced In Trans-
vaal

NEW GOVERNMENT FIRM

Pretoria, Transvaal, March 22.—The first Parliament of the Transvaal colony, under the newly-granted constitution, met here yesterday morning in the hall in which the late President Kruger presided for so many years over sittings of the Upper Volksraad of the South African Republic.

In a speech at the opening of the Legislature, the Earl of Selbourne, High Commissioner for South Africa, said:

"My Ministers have resolved that the employment of Chinese, in the mines shall cease at the earliest possible moment. As to the Chinese already employed there, my Ministers will not take any steps to prevent their repatriation at the end of their indentures, unless they are convinced that such repatriation will have to take place before an effective substitute, either in the form of other unskilled labor or improved mechanical appliances, has been found."

The disposition of the new Government of the Transvaal to exclude Asiatics from work in the mines is shown by the fact that the "Asiatic Ordinance," recently disallowed by the Earl of Elgin, Secretary of State for the Colonies after it had passed the late Legislature, is again published in the Official Gazette here, indicating that among the first acts of the new Parliament will be a re-enactment of this measure, in spite of the opposition of the Imperial Government.

Dare Not Disallow It.

London, March 22.—The "Asiatic Ordinance," which the Transvaal Parliament proposes to re-enact, although at the present time aimed specially at British Indians, who are ousting the small white traders in the Transvaal, is equally intended to exclude the Japanese or other Asiatics who are immigrating to South Africa in increasing numbers.

Sir Gilbert Parker, who represents the Transvaal in the House of Commons on an interview as saying: "If, as I am sure it will, the Transvaal Parliament re-enacts the Asiatic Ordinance, the Imperial Government will hardly venture to disallow it again, as over 99 per cent. of the whites in South Africa thoroughly approve of it."

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H. Macaulay

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NEW JOINT STOCK BILL

Reported in the Legislature
And Now Ready For
Final Stage

BILLS SENT FOR BURIAL

Toronto, March 22.—Hon. Mr. Hanna's bill respecting joint stock and other companies was reported in the Legislature last night, and is now ready for its third reading.

Succession Dues Exemptions. In committee of the whole Hon. Mr. Matheson carried two amendments to the bill to consolidate the Succession Duties Act. Requests to charitable and educational institutions are not now dutiable, and the exemption will be extended to subscriptions for such purposes remaining unpaid at the subscriber's death and paid out of his estate.

It was also decided to make the bill exempt from duty insurances not exceeding \$5,000 written in favor of preferred beneficiaries. This will facilitate the payment of fraternal and other insurances, and convenience persons of small means. Preferred beneficiaries include husbands, wives, parents, children, sons and daughters-in-law and lineal descendants.

Bills Sent For Burial. Bills to amend the High School Act, introduced by Mr. Clapp and Mr. McGarry, were relegated to the burial yard of the legal committee.

Mr. Craig's bill to amend the same act got a second reading. Second readings were given Mr. Craig's and Mr. Macdonald's bills to amend the Municipal Act.

Third readings were given the bills respecting the Village of Port Perry, the Village of South River and the Town of Kincardine.

The Government bill to amend the Surveys Act passed committee. Hon. Dr. Reaume's bill respecting colonization roads got its second reading.

Consolidate Dairy Schools. In reply to Duncan Ross as to the intentions of the Government in regard to the Western Dairy School at Strathroy, Hon. Nelson Monteith stated it was the intention of the Government to consolidate the two dairy schools in the western part of the Province, and after this year to carry on all instruction work at the Central Dairy School at the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph. Nothing had yet been decided upon as to the disposal or future use of the building at Strathroy.

Joint Stock Companies. Consideration of the Joint Stock Companies Act was again proceeded with in committee of the whole.

Liability of a promoter for misstatements issued in a prospectus was discussed and led to an amendment which exonerates him when the promoter is acting solely in a professional capacity and without personal share in the company. His status would be similar to that of a lawyer pleading a cause.

Hugh Clark enquired what was in the bill to prevent the evil of over-capitalization. It caused more trouble than anything else in company methods. He suggested that the number of shares in a company should be limited, their value varying with the amount of the company's capital.

Province Responsible. Everything that could be thought of in the way of precaution, said Mr. Hanna, had been done in connection with companies operating municipal franchises. The province was responsible and had the power in such cases, whereas the Dominion had joint jurisdiction in the case of mining and manufacturing corporations. To impose too strict terms upon these companies would drive them to Ottawa, and, incidentally, deprive the province of revenue.

Hon. Mr. Graham also favored limit.

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Special Matinee To-morrow

There will be a special bargain 5-cent matinee at the Brisco Opera House to-morrow. Two prizes—a big doll and a foot-ball will be given away.

Fifteen reels of moving pictures, some special comic ones for the children, two illustrated songs and vaudeville, making a two-hour show, will constitute the program.

Doors open at two o'clock.

ALIENISTS NOW SAY INSANE

Seven Of Them Sign Affidavits In Regard To
Thaw

DANGEROUS AT LARGE

New York, March 22.—District Attorney Jerome yesterday presented to Justice Fitzgerald eight affidavits in support of his contention that Harry K. Thaw is in such a state of lunacy or insanity as to be incapable of understanding the proceedings against him, or of making his defence.

The court was in session for less than an hour, Delphin M. Delmas, for the defence, stating that their answer to the district attorney's proposition was not ready. Justice Fitzgerald allowed both sides until Saturday afternoon to file such affidavits and exhibits as are to be offered.

Neither the jury nor Thaw was in court yesterday. The jury having been excused until to-day, when there will be a brief session, and a formal adjournment until Monday morning. By Monday Justice Fitzgerald, it is expected, will be ready to announce his decision.

Dr. Hamilton Turned Down. Jerome pleaded for permission to examine Dr. Allan McLane Hamilton orally, but, in the absence of a waiver of professional privilege on the part of the defence, Justice Fitzgerald said he would not allow the alienist to be examined at present.

Justice Fitzgerald added significantly that he would take judicial notice of everything which had been adduced in evidence during the nine weeks of the trial.

Dr. Hamilton testified Wednesday that, in his opinion, Thaw is not capable at present of directing his defence. The question was put to Dr. Hamilton by Attorney Gleason of the defence, and Jerome now contends that the defence thus waived the matter of professional privilege.

The attaches of the district attorney's office are inclined to the belief that Dr. Hamilton, having long stated his opinion to Justice Fitzgerald, the latter deemed it unnecessary to precipitate an argument as to the waiver of professional privilege. The defence seemed inclined to the view that Justice Fitzgerald held that Dr. Hamilton's evidence could not be taken into consideration, and that consequently, the district attorney's position was materially weakened.

Affidavits of Experts. Jerome's affidavits, submitted yesterday, embraced the opinion of his seven experts, and a statement by Irvin S. Cobb, a newspaper reporter, who furnished the text of the statement which Thaw issued at the conclusion of Jerome's long and severe cross-examination of his wife.

The reporter, Cobb, sets forth the facts connected with Thaw's dramatic manner of issuing his statement concerning Jerome's cross-examination of Evelyn Thaw.

All these facts were narrated at the time; Thaw's insisting that the reporter should sign and seal an envelope containing the original of the statement and should compare the original with the typewritten copies which were handed to him for distribution among the other newspaper men at the trial.

Jerome Is Convinced.

Jerome occupied most of the short session with a personal explanation of the reasons which hindered him from earlier calling the attention of the court to Thaw's present state of mind. He said he had long been convinced that the defendant was of unsound mind, but he had no way of legally bringing the matter to the attention of the court until Dr. Hamilton was put on the stand by the defence.

Jerome said he could not have called Dr. Hamilton on account of the professional privilege the defence could have interposed as a bar to any testimony the expert might have had to offer.

Delmas declined again to waive any privilege with regard to Dr. Hamilton, on the ground that, if the district attorney's contention as to the professional privilege is sustained, the

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FRIDAY, MARCH 22, 1907.

PERPLEXING PROBLEM.

The Detroit Journal is in receipt of a large number of letters from young men and women who are trying to solve the problem as to how young women in cities may become acquainted with "nice" young men. A girl from Big Rapids, Mich., attacked the problem in this breezy fashion:

"Is it right to flirt?"
"Well, it all depends on who and what you flirt with. If I were a girl I would flirt in a quiet way; in other words, I would not object to 'getting acquainted,' and when I found out the 'fellow' was not the one I wanted I would drop him."

"I think the chief reason for girls not having company is because they are unfriendly; they think if a 'fellow' wants to get acquainted he must do all the running and courting, but that day, my dear girl, has gone by; the young man of to-day loves best the girl who will go half way."

"Beauty, you know, is only skin deep; brains count for far more, and this is especially so if you are to be a poor man's wife."

"Girls, it is no more worse for you to act and ask for company than it is for the boys to do so, and when you meet the young man who seems to be your choice it is no worse for you to propose than it is for him. Not a bit."

Phil. Bowyer, the able M. L. A., is doing some very good work in the Legislature this session.—Hamilton Spectator.

The Stratford Daily Herald has celebrated its twentieth birthday. The Herald is one of the brightest and newest dailies in the province, and The Planet wishes the management many more years of continued prosperity and usefulness.

Mr. Bowyer, of East Kent, showed his independence in the legislature yesterday by his unrestrained and effective criticism of the Government in its present decision not to increase railway taxation. Mr. Bowyer instituted comparisons between Ontario and several of the States in the Union, notably Michigan and Wisconsin. The former not only received three times more railway taxes than Ontario, but has the added advantage of a two-cent rate on many of the lines.—Windsor Record (Liberal.)

Henry Clews, the New York banker, thinks the stock market situation has been unquestionably improved by recent liquidation, estimated at between \$1,700,000,000 to \$2,000,000,000 in values. That such an enormous shrinkage could take place within the comparatively short period of six months without causing a single failure of consequence is emphatic proof of general soundness in the situation. These losses were often chiefly on paper, and fell with greatest heaviness upon rich holders or large operators, who were abundantly able to meet them.

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If you have catarrh in the nose, head or throat, with offensive breath, coughing, irritation of the throat, raising of mucus, difficulty in breathing, sneezing, husky or hoarse voice, discharge from the nose, tickling and dropping at the back of the throat, especially at night, begin the use of Hyomei at once.

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INVESTIGATE G.T.R. CLAIMS.

Opposition Want to Find Out Where Certain Money Went.

Ottawa, March 21.—Upon consideration of the report of the public accounts committee in the House yesterday Mr. Barker (East Hamilton) moved that the report be referred back with instructions to investigate certain claims of the Grand Trunk which were presented and disallowed and to demand the production of the certificates and vouchers for said claims, which have disappeared and to send for persons and papers.

In the first account presented to the Government the G.T.P. included large payments to lawyers and others and certain sums paid for preliminary expenses for which no vouchers were produced. The matters have been published quite recently in connection with the testimony taken before the committee.

Fielding Objected.

Some of these items, aggregating \$162,000, were allowed by the railway department, but were refused payment by the Minister of Finance, who ruled that promotion expenses were not to be included in the cost of construction. Now these accounts cannot be produced, and there is a suspicion abroad that a large sum was charged and sought to be collected from the Government in order to recoup the G.T.P. for money spent in securing its charter from Parliament. The Opposition are anxious to trace back and find how this \$162,000 was expended.

Another curious item was a charge of \$46,000 for terminal facilities. Beyond question these so-called terminal facilities included townships, and other real estate purchases for speculation. The majority of the public accounts committee refused to allow any of the western sections for enquiry, and the company had forfeited this amount rather than disclose what was included in these terminal facilities. The case was clearly stated by Mr. Barker.

Not to Be Investigated.

Mr. Gorman (Welland) reported that the public accounts committee could only investigate those accounts presented to and paid by the Government. That committee was not authorized to investigate claims presented to the Government, but disallowed, and not paid. The Government had advanced to the G.T.P. on account of the western sections some \$560,000. Every dollar so paid was properly subject to investigation, but what was there to investigate respecting some other claim of \$162,000, which the Government did not pay and which was long ago withdrawn.

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DISTRICT DRESDEN

Dresden, Mar. 21.—Miss Dela Baird, of Parkhill, is the guest of Mrs. E. Terrie.

The Woman's Study Class held a most interesting meeting at Mrs. Langford's on Tuesday evening. The subject for study was the South Sea Islands. Miss Eva Atkin played, a piano solo, which was much enjoyed. Mrs. Brubaker and son Howard left for Waterville on Tuesday morning to attend the funeral of Mrs. Brubaker's sister.

Clifford Ripley, the popular young hardware clerk in J. B. Carswell's store, took a dose of iodine in mistake for cough medicine, on Thursday morning. He has been quite seriously ill, but will recover.

Among those who attended the Noxall-Campbell wedding on Wednesday were, Mr. and Mrs. James Campbell of Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Will McCutcheon, Hugh McCutcheon, Miss Mary Walker and Miss Margaret Walker, of Glenora.

The funeral services of the late late Robt. Rudd were conducted in Christ Church on Thursday afternoon, by the Rev. B. A. Kindred, B. A. After which the remains were interred in the Dresden Cemetery. The Oddfellows attended the service in a body.

The McManus Machinery By-law, which was at first thought defeated, was successfully passed. Much enthusiasm has been aroused over this by-law.

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WHAT A PROMINENT SALVATIONIST OWES TO ZAM-BUK

Mr. R. C. Burton, a prominent Salvation Army worker, who occupies the proud position of Deputy Band-Master at the Temple Toronto, has just proved how wonderfully beneficial Zam-Buk is in cases of skin eruptions, psoriasis, etc. He says:

"Pimples and sores broke out all over my face and neck, and notwithstanding all I did to try and remove them, they continued to increase. They were not only very unsightly, but very painful, and I was sadly troubled how to get rid of them. I was advised to try Zam-Buk, and for several days I applied it to the face and neck, gently annoying the sore places. In a few days I perceived a marked improvement. The sores were not so angry and some of the inflamed patches became lighter in color. I persevered with Zam-Buk after noting this satisfactory state of affairs, and it did not take long before the balm demonstrated its healing powers. I strated its splendid remedy, and it cleared both my face and neck in fine form. I would strongly recommend 'Zam-Buk' to all who suffer from any skin eruption whatever, and I trust the publication of my experience will lead others to prove how beneficial 'Zam-Buk' is."

Zam-Buk is a sure cure for eczema, itch, blood poison, ulcers, chronic sores, ringworm, children's rashes, spots, etc. It also cures cuts, burns, bruises, chapped hands, enlarged veins, piles, and all diseased or injured conditions of the skin and subjacent tissues. All druggists and stores sell at 50c. a box, or post free from the Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, for price, 6 boxes for \$2.50. Send one cent for dainty trial box.

This is Where We Get Even. Despite efforts made in Canada to have a law enacted to prohibit seining in the waters of Missisquoi Bay, in Lake Champlain, it has been learned here that Canadian fishermen are now actively preparing new forty-foot seines to set in the spring. Fishermen on the American side of the line have been prohibited by the Vermont statutes from seining in the bay, and at the last session of the Legislature attempted to have the old law repealed in order to put them on an equal footing with their brethren across the border.—New York Post.

The News—No Pure Drug Cough Cure Laws would be needed, if all Cough Cures were like Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure is—and has been for 20 years. The National Law now requires that if any poisons enter into a cough mixture, it must be printed on the label or package.

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CASSIDY---VONEBERTS

At St. Margaret's, Westminster, London, on March 14th, the marriage took place of Miss Adelaide Frances Von Eberts, daughter of the late Herman J. Von Eberts, Winnipeg, to Mr. Robert Cassidy, Vancouver, B. C. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mark Cassidy, vicar of Westgate-on-the-Sea, assisted by Canon Hansen. The bride, who was attended by Miss Bessie Dunsuir, was given away by the Hon. J. H. Turner. Major Audain acted as best man.

The bride is well known in this city, and her many friends will join in appropriate wishes.

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A MILITARY SHOW

Woodstock, March 21.—Plans were laid at a meeting of the W. A. A. A. last night for a military demonstration to be held in this city on Victoria Day. A committee was appointed to work up public enthusiasm in the matter, and to get the support of the citizens generally. One of the crack Highland regiments, either the 48th or the Highland corps, will be asked to spend the day in the city, and the occasion will also mark the first public parade of Woodstock's new city regiment.

A celebration of this kind was talked of a short time ago for Chatham. If anything is to be done, it should be done quickly.

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THE NORTHWAY CO., Limited

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The Miss Polite.
The Japanese prince drew in his breath with a hissing sound as he bent over the young girl's hand.

"Princess," she said, "I have been up against a lot of Japanese, and they all hiss like that when they meet you. What's the reason, anyway?"
"The reason is politeness," the prince answered. "I hiss—like this—I draw in my breath—I keep on drawing it in as long as I remain near you. For it blows any out some of it might be blown in your face. What an offense! Shocking! And so we Japanese always hiss in exchanging greetings. Out of politeness we hold our breath."

THOUGHT COLD WOULD TURN TO CONSUMPTION
READ HOW DR. WOOD'S NORWAY FINE SYRUP CURED

Saskatoon, Sask., Aug. 29th, 1906.
The T. Millers Co., Limited,
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Dear Sirs: As I am one of the thousands that have been benefited by your Dr. Wood's Norway Fine Syrup, I thought it my duty to give you a description of my case. "I am 19 years of age and was always in the best of health until last spring when I caught a severe cold by going about with wet feet. It settled in my chest and all the remedies I tried would not stir it. My friends began to fear it had turned to consumption and were advising me to go east and see a specialist. One day my father brought home a bottle of Dr. Wood's Norway Fine Syrup. I laughed at the idea of its being any good and refused to take it, and only as a last resource would I. When I had finished one bottle I had only a slight cold left and before I had taken a quarter of the next I was as well as ever I was, if not better, so you can see what a God-send this medicine was to me. I never fail to recommend Dr. Wood's Norway Fine Syrup to my friends and they all use it. To show my full appreciation of this remedy I will gladly answer any letters in reference to it. Believe me, Sincerely yours,
Miss Winifred D. Smith.

Price 25 cents a bottle at all dealers.

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BAXTER The Florist

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PROBABILITIES.
Special per G. N. W.
Toronto, March 22—11 a. m.—Fair
and very mild to-day and on Saturday.

LOCAL

Miss Helen Carter is in Dresden to-day.
The funeral service of the late Mrs. D. R. Van Allen will be held at Holy Trinity church to-morrow, Saturday afternoon, at 2.30 p. m.

HOME MISSIONS

Mt. Brydges, Mar. 22.—The following appointments to mission fields for the year have been made by the home mission committee of the Presbyterian Church for Western Ontario:
London—Mr. B. Bryden.
Chatham—Messrs. J. T. Clugston and Alex. Gillies.
Sarnia—Mr. J. D. Thompson.

Spring Dyeing

We are prepared for Spring Dyeing with a complete assortment of colors in both Diamond and Turkish Dyes.

Have you tried the new dye "DYOLA"? It possesses many advantages. Let us explain them to you.

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GUNPOWDER EXPLODES

(Special to The Planet.)
Northwood, March 22.—Considerable excitement was caused out this way this morning, by the explosion of a can of gunpowder in J. A. Reid's grocery store.
How the powder became ignited, is a mystery, as no one was close to it at the time. The explosion could be heard all over the village. Eddie Campbell, who clerks in the store, had a narrow escape. As it was, his face and hands were badly burned, and his hair and eyebrows scorched.

The force of the explosion blew things around considerably, and lamp chimneys and other glass goods in the store were broken. Fortunately no fire resulted.

A.O.U.W. OFFICERS RE-ELECTED.

Fewer Changes Made in Constitution Than For 20 Years.
Toronto, March 22.—All the principal officers of the Grand Lodge of the A.O.U.W. were re-elected yesterday, and Toronto was again named for the next place of meeting. The officers:
Past grand master, Ald. J. M. Peregrine, Hamilton; grand master workman, C. E. Cameron, Iroquois; grand foreman, E. D. Morris, banker, Rodney; grand overseer, Major J. J. Craig, M. P. P., Fergus; grand recorder, M. D. Carder, P.G.M.W., Toronto; grand solicitor, A. F. G. Lawrence, Toronto; grand medical examiner, J. Milton Cotton, M.D., Toronto; grand guide, W. Charles Mikel, barrister, Belleville; grand inside watchman, W. W. Burgess, Mimico.
Fewer changes were made in the constitution than in any year for two decades, as general satisfaction exists.

METER BLEW UP

An explosion, which might have been very serious, was witnessed at the Collegiate Institute Wednesday morning.
A plumber was testing the gas pipes and endeavoring to locate leakage. He had a lighted match in his hand which came in contact with a large leakage of gas, immediately igniting it. In an instant the meter was blown to pieces, the laboratory was badly shaken and a panic ensued. The explosion was terrific and shook the whole school. No serious damage resulted except that the plumber's hands and face were somewhat burned.

TWO MORE CALLED

The death of Mr. E. Falcon occurred yesterday morning at five o'clock, at the age of 62 years. Deceased was a resident of Dover and lived on the 2nd concession, about half a mile from Pain Court. He has been ailing for some time with kidney trouble and suffered a great deal. He leaves a wife and family to mourn his loss.
The funeral will take place to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock, from the Church at Pain Court. Interment will be made at the cemetery adjoining the church. The sympathy of the entire community is extended to the bereaved.

The death of Augustus Joseph, of the second concession, Chatham Twp., took place yesterday, after a short illness, at the ripe old age of eighty years.
The deceased came here from Portugal over fifty-five years ago and has always lived on his farm. A few days ago he contracted a cold, which developed into pneumonia. He has been living a retired life for the past three years, and has always enjoyed good health until death came. He leaves a family of four daughters and three sons, namely, Mrs. Arthur Gee, Mrs. Wm. Faubert and Mrs. Lizzie Faubert, of this city; Mrs. Harry James, Detroit; Fred, of Detroit; Emmanuel, of Forest, and Montielis, of this city.
The funeral will take place from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Arthur Gee, Low St., to-morrow afternoon at half-past two o'clock. Interment in Maple Leaf Cemetery.
The bereaved family have the sympathy of a large circle of friends.

THE DOMINION BANK

The Dominion Bank will in future pay interest on Savings Deposits four times a year, namely, March 31st, June 30th, Sept. 30th and Dec. 31st, at Highest Current Rates.

Think of your own faults and you will talk less about the faults of others.

LAWNS ON METRE SYSTEM

Change Of Rules Does Not Meet With General Approval

A CITIZEN SPEAKS UP

Some time ago the Water Commissioners decided to put all local lawn services which are used with house services, on the metre system hereafter, instead of giving flat rates for lawn services, as in the past. The Commissioners did this on account of the carelessness of some people who are alleged to have wasted city water, knowing that they did not have to pay for it under metre rates.

It was also claimed that many persons did not live up to the regulations in the matter of turning off the lawn services when there was a fire in the city. When a large number of lawn services are running, the water pressure is greatly decreased, and should a big fire break out on such an occasion the firemen would be handicapped for pressure.

The change in the rules governing the lawn services, however, has been the cause of a great deal of dissatisfaction among the users of city water. One prominent citizen in speaking to The Planet about the matter recently, said:

"Why should the Water Commissioners place a hardship on all of our citizens because a few do not live up to regulations? In this matter I am reminded of an editorial appearing in the columns of the Great Home Journal about a year ago in which your paper encouraged the citizens to beautify their lawns and boulevards. The article struck the popular chord, for every loyal citizen wants to see his little city looking as beautiful as it is possible to make it. Now what I am trying to get at is this: If the Water Commissioners place all the lawn services on the metre system, it will certainly do a great deal to discourage the beautifying of city lawns and boulevards. This will mean that this city's general appearance will not be as pleasing as it has been in the past."

"It is claimed that a great number do not live up to the regulations, and that this is the reason the metre system has been adopted. I don't see why the rest of us who endeavor to live up to regulations should be made to suffer on this account. Wouldn't it be much better in the interests of the community at large that the Water Works department should have the services watched, and make examples of those who exhibit carelessness in using the city water? This, I think, would be a much fairer plan than inflicting a hardship on everyone."

SUICIDES TO ESCAPE WOMAN.

Englishman Hears His Brother's Wife Is Coming to Him.

Montreal, March 22.—Jack Freebody, a well connected Englishman, committed suicide yesterday because the girl who had killed him in England and married his elder brother had changed her mind and was on her way to Canada to seek him.
He killed himself in the boarding house of H. Waugh, 167 St. Antoine street. He was about 25 years of age, and had been employed by the C.P.R. Mr. Waugh went to No. 6 police court and informed Capt. Bourgeois that a man had just cut his throat. Capt. Bourgeois went back with Mr. Waugh and found Freebody dead on the floor of one of the bedrooms. At the left side was a knife and a razor. In the pockets were \$24.25, a gold watch and ring, and in his grip were letters from his mother and sister in England.

BIG BLAZE IN MONTREAL.

Firms on Notre Dame Street Lose \$100,000—Fireman Injured.

Montreal, March 22.—Fire which caused \$100,000 damage broke out in Notre Dame street at five o'clock yesterday morning. The firms interested in the Canada Tag and Label Co., D. Morrice, Sons & Co., wholesale wools and cottons, and the Hudson Bay Knitting Co.
Joseph Bernier, a fireman, fell 70 feet, from the top floor to the cellar, the man escaping with but a few scratches.
The loss to the Canada Tag and Label Co. will amount to \$50,000; to the Hudson Bay Knitting Co., \$30,000; to D. Morrice, Sons & Co., \$10,000, and to the buildings, \$15,000.

British Steamer Beached.

Hakodate, Japan, March 22.—The British steamer Farnley, from Tacoma, Feb. 10, for Taku, has been beached near here after having sustained extensive damage. It is supposed that she struck a floating mine in the Strait of Tsugaru. Divers are examining the vessel which must discharge her cargo before proceeding.

Famine Riot Menaces China.

London, March 22.—A special despatch from Shanghai says: Viceroy of Ningpo predicts a general uprising in the famine stricken districts unless prompt relief is provided. The viceroy, it is added, has memorialized the throne for \$1,000,000 to purchase rice in Siam and Annam.

A vote cast for principle is never lost even though it be the only one in the ballot-box.

RUSSIAN ASSASSINS ARE PAID.

Slayers Got From \$2 to \$2,000 For Each Murder.

St. Petersburg, March 22.—Sensational testimony to the effect that the Reactionary League of the Russian people hired men to murder Ivan Petrunkevitch, the noted Liberal member of the first Parliament, and also contemplated the assassination of M. Ramischwill and M. Dzhaparidze, former members of Parliament, to terrorize that body, was given at the trial of the murderers of Professor Hertzenstein, the member of the Lower House, who was killed near Terieki, Finland, on July 31, which was resumed this week in Finland.

The prosecution placed on the stand a soldier named Kriks, who had been a member of the fighting organization of the reactionary party, and who testified to receiving various sums of money from M. Yushkevitch, a leader of the league of the Russian people, in order to induce him to kill M. Petrunkevitch.

Kriks gave details of various crimes committed by the group and furnished a mass of hearsay evidence, detailing the murder of Professor Hertzenstein and the plot to assassinate M. Ramischwill and Dzhaparidze. He said the prices paid for assassinations ranged from a couple of dollars for minor murders to \$15,000 for killing Professor Hertzenstein.

The testimony was admitted by the court, and the trial of the defendants was adjourned until April 16.

CHANNEL TUNNEL BILL.

British Parliament Gives the Project Its Death Blow.

London, March 22.—The revived project of tunneling the English Channel received its death blow, at least for a long time to come, by the announcement of the Government's decision against the enterprise in Parliament yesterday.

Premier Campbell-Bannerman, in the House of Commons, and the Earl of Crewe, lord president of the council in the House of Lords, made identical announcements to this effect, which were echoed and approved by Mr. Balfour, the Opposition leader in the Lower House. It is understood the bill will be withdrawn.

Even if the military dangers could be guarded against," said the Premier, "there would be a feeling of insecurity, leading to constant demands for increased naval and military expenditure and creating a feeling of alarm, which would not be compensated for by the advantages of the tunnel."

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ERIEAU COTTAGE FOR SALE. — Seven-roomed cottage, furnished; near Craford's. Apply Mrs. W. E. Hall, Blenheim.

WANTED—Carriage woodworkers on bodies and gear wood; steady work and highest pay. Write or telegraph. The Haynes Carriage Co., Limited, Hamilton, Ont.

TENDERS WANTED

Tenders will be received by the undersigned, up to two o'clock on Monday, 25th inst., for the whole or for part of the work of remodeling a frame house on William street, mason work, carpenter work, plumbing, heating, etc.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the undersigned architects.

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Fifteen acres of land, near city, price \$1,200.
First class house, William street, at a bargain.
Good cottage, near Park, price \$700.

Apply to
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For Saturday Night

There are bargains here every day that never get mentioned in print, but here are a few that it will pay you specially to come down town early Saturday Evening and secure.

- NO. 1.—Dresden Ribbons, 5 in. wide, in all the popular shades, regular 25c quality, on Sale Saturday Night at per yard.....15c
NO. 2.—Four Dozen Gold Belts, our special this season at 25c, on Sale Saturday Night each.....15c
NO. 3.—Ladies' Linen Handkerchiefs for 5c—only 100 dozen in the lot, pure linen with narrow hemstitching, Saturday Special each.....5c

IN THE AUSTIN MEN'S STORE SATURDAY.

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Special Showing on Saturday. See King Street Window.

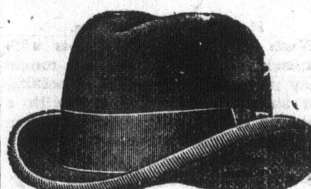
Did you ever hear of a black sheep fading? We never did. That's why we have so much confidence in our Black Suits.

If the quality is right there's no more generally useful suit than a black one. Good for business—good for any occasion. Plenty of style and quality about our Black Suits

Single and Double-breasted Cheviot and Worsted Suits \$10, \$12, \$12.50. Either Black or Blue.

Our Special Progress Tailor-made Black Suits At \$15.

This cloth we specially import ourselves and have made up in the season's latest cut. It is a West of England pure Botany wool clay worsted; soft and good weight, color guaranteed. A suit suitable for any season, and is sold at \$24 by custom tailors.



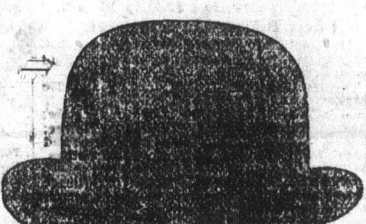
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Are very popular this Spring. Anticipating the style we have laid in a comprehensive range of greys and black and white fabrics, ranging in every price step from 50c to \$1.75 per yard.

HAVE YOU SEEN THE SWISS MUSLINS?

Better step in soon and look at the stock of Swiss Muslins. They're exceptionally fine and selling fast. No more to be had at the same price this season. 50c, 65c, 75c and 5c yard.

WANT YOUR HAT FOR EASTER?

Opening day we had the greatest number of visitors of any year to date. Despite the crowd and crush more Hats sold and more orders taken than ever before. Good reason for it, as prices and styles are simply irresistible.

With Easter only a week away better order at once, as our capacity is limited. We won't slight work in order to do a lot, and we won't duplicate patterns. Be guided by the verdict of the Lady who said—

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Kent County's Largest Retailers

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25c a Pound

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RADISHES, 5c a bunch.
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SWEET POTATOES, 5c a pound.
SMALL CARROTS, 20c a peck.
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If you have not tried a bottle of our Horse Radish, you are missing a good thing,
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TO-NIGHT

Park St. Epworth League, S. S. Hall at 8.
Victoria Ave. Epworth League, S. S. Hall, at 8.
Y. P. S. C. E., First Presbyterian Church, at 8.
Moving Pictures, Brisco Opera House, at 8.15.

There will be a meeting of the Library Board at 8.
K. O. T. M., No. 8, in their rooms, Oddfellows' Temple, at 8.
"Trip to the Isle of Man," illustrated by lantern views, in Victoria Ave. Methodist Church at 8.

Penitential Lodge, No. 2, A. O. U. W., in their hall, opposite the Rankin House, at 8.

Evangelistic services will be conducted in Park St. Methodist S. S. Hall, at 8.
Special service in First Presbyterian Church, commencing with a song service at 7.45.

LOCAL

Mr. David Colby, of William street, is quite ill.

Suit cases from \$1.25 up at Cowan's "Going out of Business" sale.

M. McGuire, of Dresden, was in the city on business yesterday.

Wanted!—Marsh Hay, delivered at Chatham. Fleming, Tilsen & Co.

Hyacinths, Tulips, Daffodils, Carnations and Ferns in large varieties at Crump's.

Edward Causgrove, of the Bell Telephone office, left for London this morning.

Hear the yarn spinners at St. Andrew's school room Friday, March 22 next.

Trunks and telescopes are being sold off cheap at Cowan's "Going out of Business" sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Duff, of Leamington, are visiting Mrs. Duff on Park avenue.

J. S. Vance, who has been visiting Miss McMillan, Murray street, left yesterday for London.

Don't miss the special bargain price, 5-cent matinee to-morrow, at the Brisco Opera House. Doors open at 2 o'clock.

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE IS PAYING INTEREST ON SAVINGS BANK DEPOSITS QUARTERLY.

Mrs. John Northwood, of Grand avenue, has left for Wagon Mound, New Mexico, where she will visit her son, Dr. Northwood.

The judge and jury will decide who is the funniest man in town Friday next, March 22, St. Andrew's school room.

Mrs. A. B. Northwood, who has been ill for the past six weeks, and her mother, Mrs. G. H. Pedlar, of Oshawa, have left for California, where they will spend a couple of months.

The Standard Bank of Canada will, in future, add interest to its Savings Bank accounts four times a year at highest current rates.

W. W. Turner has presented the Central School with a full-sized figure engraving of His Majesty King Edward VII. The engraving is a beautiful one, and the Central is much indebted to Mr. Turner for his kindness.

The Knight Templars of London District are holding a reunion in London to-day. Several prominent members of Kent Precinctory are in attendance. A grand banquet is to be served this evening, when Rt. Em. Sir Knight George Massey, of Chatham, Provincial Prior, will respond to the toast of London District, and Rt. Em. Sir Knight J. Milton Pike to the toast of Visiting Precinctors.

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MacKENZIE BROS.,

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W. Carswell and family, Park avenue, are moving to their farm at Rodney to-day.

Good girl wanted for general housework. Apply Mrs. Fred. H. Brisco, Lorne avenue.

The ice has all gone out of the river, and the stream has dropped four feet or more since Tuesday.

Orval Leake, Stanley avenue, left yesterday morning for the east, where he has secured a good position.

Clifford Taylor, of the Defiance Iron Works, had his arm severely out and jammed while stopping some machinery yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Clark, Laroix street, left for Buffalo yesterday afternoon, where they will in future reside.

You can save part of your railway fare in buying your trunk or suit case at Cowan's "Going out of Business" sale.

Probate of the will of Christiana Smith, of the Township of Howard, has been granted to John Bobier and George A. Watson.

Bank of Montreal—Notice to depositors in savings department: Interest will be credited quarterly on the last days of March, June, September and December.

A very social and enjoyable evening was spent Tuesday night at the home of Walter Wilcox, when the members of the Massey-Harris staff were entertained to an oyster supper. The evening was spent in games and speech.

J. L. Wilson & Son, architects, have completed the plans for the Geo. Chalmers Hotel at Tilbury, and figures will be called for at once; also plans for the complete renovation of the house occupied by Mrs. Baskerville, next to the William street Baptist church are completed.

Ald. J. G. Kerr left for Ottawa Wednesday afternoon to be present at the hearing of the G. T. R. vs. C. W. & L. E. appeal re the Queen street crossing which comes up Saturday. City Solicitor Lewis will likely also leave for Ottawa, to be present at the same hearing and make representations for the city.

Major Coogan has received his certificate and title to lands in New Ontario from the department at Toronto. The certificate, which is signed by Commissioner J. J. Fox, states that the Major is entitled to the lands for services in the regular troops during the Fenian raid. The Major says that he learns that his property is situated quite close to the new railway, and will prove to be quite valuable in a short time.

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When you have seen them we think you will agree with us that our tailors are past masters in the art of clothes making. No details of style is too difficult for them to work out? no garment is without all the little kinks of fashion which is required to make them perfect in style. In fact, gentlemen, these famous garments of ours are without a peer. And we wish to add that they are built of the finest of imported wools.

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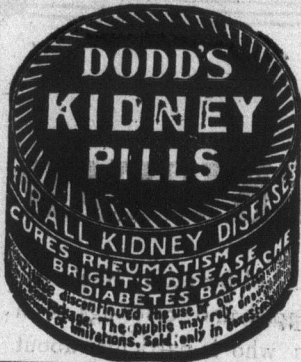
NECKWEAR—Bright, fresh creations in the light shades, grey predominating an entirely new showing, free from ca rried overs—50 cents.

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We doubt if you can find a more complete showing than ours—it is broad and very extensive and in the entire lot there is not a last year's shirt—75c to \$2.50.



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Eddy Estate Tax \$105,143.
Ottawa, March 21.—The balance of the succession tax on the E. B. Eddy estate has been paid to the province, \$75,000 had been paid and the balance is \$30,143, making a total of \$105,143.

French Ship in Collision.
London, March 21.—(C. A. P.)—The French sailing ship *Massena*, from Newfoundland, is a derelict in the English Channel, after a collision. Her crew of 17 were landed at Boulogne.

A CORDIAL INVITATION TO DIS-EASE.

This is an apt description of constipation. It's an unnatural condition to begin with, and it's more, because it brings about blood deterioration, interferes with digestion, renders you susceptible to infectious diseases and causes anemia. Not so much a purgative as a natural stimulant to the bowels is what you need. You get it in Dr. Hamilton's Pills, which increase liver activity, restore the bowels to perfect action and prevent constipation and its attendant evils. Insist on having only Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Butterbur, 25c. per box, at all dealers.

Lineman Killed on Pole.

Chatham, March 21.—A heavily charged electric wire crossed the wires of the G. N. W. here yesterday and D. Leeson, a lineman, was killed while working at the top of a pole.

Pope to Be Prince's Godfather.
Rome, March 21.—It is officially announced that the Pope has accepted the invitation to be godfather to the expected child of King Alfonso and Queen Victoria of Spain.

IT DOES CURE WOMANLY ILLS.

"I feel it my duty," writes Mrs. S. Mead, of Frazerville, Ont., to let you know that sometimes previous to the change of life I suffered more than I could tell. Neighbors told me Ferrozone was the only remedy and their advice was good. Ferrozone put a stop to my pain and sickness, had a direct action on my troubles and relieved from the start. I safely passed the turn, and now enjoy perfect health and rest. No womanly medicine can be better than Ferrozone. Instant relief is found in Ferrozone for female weakness of every kind. 50c. per box at all dealers.

Lord Nevill Held For Trial.

London, March 21.—Lord William Nevill, fourth son of the Marquis of Abergavenny, was yesterday committed for trial on the charge of stealing jewelry. Bail was fixed at \$25,000.

Ship Lost; 21 Drowned.

Lubeck, Germany, March 21.—The German steamer *Torn* has been sunk in the North Sea with the loss of 21 lives.

Heart-Sick People.—Dr. Agnew's

Cure for the Heart is a heart tonic that never fails to cure. It is swift in its effects, goes closer to the "border land" and snatches from death's grip more sufferers than any other remedy for any family of diseases and ailments in the category of human sufferings. Gives relief in 30 minutes. Sold by W. W. Turner.

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CHAS. E. SHARP.
Hawthorn, N. B., Sept. 1st, 1905.

Take the laziness all out of this

world and you would take most of the sin with it.
The higher education often demonstrates that the more we know the less we believe.
Give me the girl with ravishing eyes,
And sweet, red lips;
She is better than mansions of stone,
Or temples of brick,
For joy and pleasure there will be,
If she takes Rocky Mountain Tea.
A. I. McCall & Co.

Minard's Liniment for Sale Every

where.

FACTS AND FANCIES.

New Ideas For Spring Shirt Waists.
Rainy Day Skirt.
The plain mannish shirt waist has the lead in the spring models for business and morning wear. A feminine touch about it is the tiny plaited frill each side of the center box plait in front and on the turn back cuff. Instead of being plaited this frill is sometimes a narrow ruffle, finished with the thinnest edge of torchon lace. Girls who



CLOSE FITTING CORSET COVER—4161.

like to give an individual touch wear studs and cuff buttons to match the little silk tie worn with the stiff linen collar. These sets of studs in various colors can be purchased.

The new lingerie shirt waists show touches of dainty color in the embroidery, and the trimming for the most part is applied in long lines. Flit lace is a new and pretty trimming for these waists.

Every woman should own a very short dark petticoat to match or correspond with her walking skirt to wear in bad weather. Italian cloth or mohair in a soft good quality is very nice for this use. The stiff watered moccasin is not to be desired, for it catches the dust, which it is impossible to shake out.

Marquise, a material somewhat on the order of grenadine, is among the spring dress goods. It ranges from three to four dollars a yard and comes the depth of an ordinary skirt. There is no trimming necessary for such a skirt, as the material is beautifully decorated with polka dots, and at the bottom there is a band in some darker contrasting color, above which is a floral design reaching to the knee.

Smooth fitting corset covers are in demand to be worn under fitted waists to keep the figure trim and snug. The cut shows a waist in this description made of batiste, with trimming of German valenciennes lace and beading.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

SNAPSHOTS OF THE MODE.

Handbags Match Gown Trimming.

Skirt Models For Muslins.

It is a charming conceit to have one's handbag match the buttons used on one's gown, and there are sets consisting of neck chain and locket, business and mental wrappings, that come to be worn together. A bracelet to match is added, and the set is charmingly unique and dainty.

The skirt most in favor for simple muslin frocks has a deep flounce set



OF THE NEW PONGEE—5875, 5882.

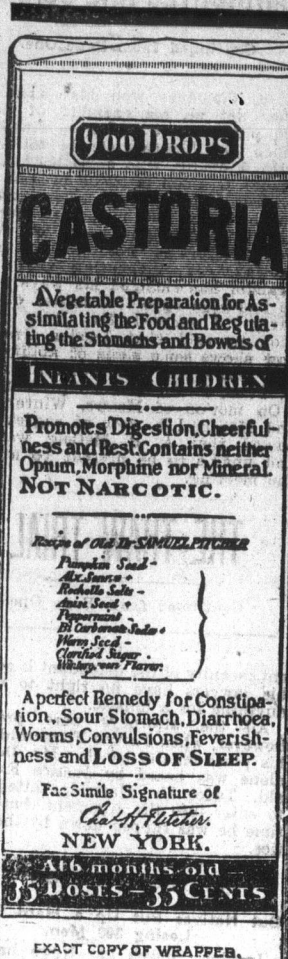
on above the knees which is trimmed with groups of tucks or alternating rows of tucks and inset lace.

Pique is again a smart summer fabric for tailored gowns. A particularly smart model has a box plaited skirt and box plaited blouse cut low at the neck and without sleeves. This waist is worn with a lingerie blouse. Falling sleeves, drooping hat brims and a less defined waist line are some of the prevailing styles in early fashions.

Skirts seem to be of two kinds—one most heavily loaded with trimming and the other a long plain clinging skirt almost devoid of trimming unless it be at the hem. These are of course both skirts of a dressy nature.

The illustration shows a smart little dress of pongee in a new plaid effect with green lines on the natural pongee background. The waist is in the favorite jumper style, with a gump of cream colored lace. The skirt is plaited in groups.

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Get Lightweight Hats.

Never buy a heavy hat if it is possible to get a light one. Insist that hats if made for you are made with the minimum of weight. Heavy hats cause headaches, gray and falling hair by impeding the circulation. A heavy hat worn only two or three hours a day is responsible for the feeling of heaviness that attacks so many and that disappears as soon as the cause is removed or within half an hour afterward. It is well to have hats differing in their point of pressure on the head so that in changing from one chapeau to another the head may be rested, in sections at least.

READ AND YOU WILL LEARN

That the leading medical writers and teachers of all the several schools of practice endorse and recommend, in the strongest terms, each and every ingredient entering into the composition of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for the cure of weak stomach, dyspepsia, catarrh of stomach, "liver complaint," torpid liver, or biliousness, chronic bowel affections, and all catarrhal diseases of whatever region, name or nature. It is also a specific remedy for all such chronic or long-standing cases of catarrhal affections and their results, as bronchitis, throat and lung diseases—except consumption—accompanied with severe coughs. It is not so good for acute colds and coughs, but for lingering, or chronic cases it is efficacious in producing perfect cures. It contains Black Cherrybark, Golden Seal root, Bloodroot, Mandrake root, Stone root and Queen's root, all of which are highly praised as remedies for all the above mentioned affections by such eminent medical writers and teachers as Professor Bartholow, of Jefferson Med. College; Prof. Finley Ellingwood, M.D., of Bennett Med. College, Chicago; Prof. John King, M.D., late of Cincinnati; Prof. John M. Scudder, M.D., of Hahnemann Med. College, and scores of others eminent in their several schools of practice.

Home Sewing.

The tissue paper patterns and sewing machines have placed the possibilities of dainty underwear within the reach of every woman. Of course handwork is to be preferred, but very beautiful work may be accomplished by the machine, especially if the saving of time is an object or many pieces are to be made. Hemstitching may be done on some machines by placing several layers of paper between the pieces to be stitched, and then, after stitching, pulling the paper away.

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Well Meant Prayers.

Sydney Smith declared that the children of Bishop Phillips used to read their usual prayers by praying for Earl Grey, explaining that "papa tells us it is our duty to pray for our greatest enemies."—London Spectator.

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Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

In the average modern family there is no cradle to rock, and if there were there'd be mighty little to put in it.

The way some people recognize good service is by putting more work upon the servant.

A free man is one who isn't married.
Tolerance and amiability are qualities that one's acquaintances can't cultivate too closely.

Being a prophet doesn't seem to help the prophet very much unless other people believe in him and back up their belief with a dollar.

Judging from the amount of crime and scandal that is being aired through the newspapers, the devil seems to have reduced the rates on the lines leading to his place.

A preacher ought to be a condenser of the milk of human kindness and carry the output right along with him.

It can't be summer always, and we don't like the ice trust well enough to wish it could.

Keeping in tune with the universe doesn't seem to be related to the jingle of the guineas or the dollar chorus.

A Better Man.

A fellow may be truly wise
And all that sort of thing
And play his hand to beat the band
For all that it will bring.
But when he goes to look around
For suckers for his net
He's pretty apt to meet a chap
Who's even brighter yet.

While flattering himself he knows
The latest tricks there are,
To his surprise some other guys
Know newer ones by far.
He gets a live one on the string
And starts to make a play.
And this new gent don't do a thing
But take his wad away.

Oh, there are many clever tricks,
Some new, some out of date.
The man who thinks he knows the
kinks
Gets wise when it's too late.
He meets a lobster from the land
Where grass is rank and tall,
And when the play is under way
The sucker man plays ball.

The wise gazabo is all right
And strictly to the good
Until someone comes along
Who's a little more than wood.
Comes forward and says, "spite"
Then when the crafty one goes bump
He finds it all too true
That there are others on the dump
And plenty of them too.

Beauty Wins.



While brains in the race count for something,
They're hardly as strong as a smile.
So make a thing as a dimple
Will make a man travel a mile.

Hitting the Pace.

Evidently the trusts are not getting all of our money, as we have been led to suppose, judging from the way people are buying automobiles, or else some one is holding out on Mr. Rockefeller and his associates.

If the craze for the buzz wagon keeps on growing, the sport will lose much of its charm, for when everybody has a machine there will be no one left to be run over, and who would care for a cross country run without some victims? It would be altogether too tame for the man with sporting blood to come home with nothing checked up to his credit but a few helpless chickens.

We see but one way out of the difficulty, and that is to insist that autos should be painted in different colors, according to their cost. Then the man who has one that cost over \$5,000 could always feel safe in running down the fellow whose machine only set him back a paltry \$1,500.

Next Best.

Of good things that were going
He felt his share was shy.
He wanted loaves and fishes,
But would compromise on pie.

Thinks Himself Deserving.
"That bookkeeper is stuck on his own ability."
"You bet he is. Why, he acts as if he is actually expecting a summons to take the place of the recording angel."

Bad Boy.

"Wilkins doesn't seem to know much, does he?"
"That isn't the worst of it."
"Explain."
"What he does know he shouldn't."

Sly Old Fellow.

"Time always gets ahead of you."
"How?"
"You can't kill him when you do him."

Sure.

"It's as bad as being in debt."
"What is?"
"Trying to keep out of it."

The past is dead. We live in the present.

"Progress Brand" Clothing

is for progressive men who want—not the clothing that was best 20 years ago—but the clothing THAT IS BEST TODAY. Do you wear "PROGRESS BRAND"?

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The Teeth.

The accumulation of tartar on the teeth makes them unsightly and is often the cause of a bad breath. If the teeth are properly brushed each day tartar will not have the chance to accumulate, but if it has already been allowed to do so it can be removed by a very simple treatment. Moisten the toothbrush in warm water and dip it into magnesia. Rub on the teeth, and after three applications the tartar will have entirely disappeared.

Weak Women

To weak and ailing women, there is at least one way to help. But with that way, two treatments must be combined. One is local, one is constitutional, but both are important, both essential.

Dr. Shoop's Night Cure

Dr. Shoop's Night Cure is the Local.
Dr. Shoop's Restorative, the Constitutional.
The former—Dr. Shoop's Night Cure—is a topical mucous membrane suppository remedy, while Dr. Shoop's Restorative is wholly an internal treatment. The Restorative reaches throughout the entire system, seeking the repair of all nerve, all tissue, and all blood ailments.

The "Night Cure," as its name implies, does its work while you sleep. It soothes sore and inflamed mucous surfaces, heals local weaknesses and discharges, while the Restorative, easing nervous excitement, gives renewed vigor and ambition, builds up wasted tissues, bringing about renewed strength, vigor, and energy. Take Dr. Shoop's Restorative—Tablets or Liquid—as a general tonic to the system. For positive local help, use as well

Dr. Shoop's Night Cure

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Dog Cooks.

There was a time when dogs did the roasting—at least they kept the meat turning, so it would not burn. "Spit dogs" they were called, and their descendants are called "spits" to this day. Spit dogs were trained to turn the spits on which roasted chickens, beef, ducks and turkeys. The little fellows did their work well. They were never known to let a fowl burn or to snatch a morsel or two from it. As late as 1816 spit dogs were employed.

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Palpitation of the Heart, Irregular or Skipped Beats, Dizzy Spells, Smothering Feeling, Shortness of Breath, Blush Color of the Lips, Pain in the Region of the Heart, Thin Watery Blood, Cold Hands and Feet, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, etc.,
If you have any of these symptoms

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will bring the whole system into healthy action, and give power, force and vigor to every organ of the body thereby strengthening the weak heart and unstrung nerves.

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For over three years I suffered with pains under my left breast and my nerves were completely unstrung. I purchased two boxes of your pills and before I had the first box finished I felt much better and now I am cured."

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TO RENT—Store to rent in the Glen-Block, William street. Apply to Samuel Glenn & Son.

FOR SALE—Moderate sized house with modern improvements, for sale, on Victoria Ave., at a bargain. Apply to Thos. Scullard, Victoria Block.

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INTEREST IS GROWING

Rev. Dr. McCrea, of Toronto, delivered a masterly address in First Church last evening. The service was attended by a very large audience, and the whole service was one of enjoyment and profit to all present. The song service at the commencement of the evening was conducted by the pastor, Rev. A. H. MacGillivray, under whose management these special revival services are being held. Mrs. Cooper sang a solo, "Some Day We'll Understand." To-night Rev. Dr. McCrea will deliver his last address during these services, and it is safe to say that there will be a very large attendance. The interest in the work is growing, and it is expected that it will reach its height next week.

when Rev. Marcus Scott will be the speaker.

HIS MAJESTY STURGIS

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Dresden, Mar. 22.—The old saying that a "prophet is not without honor, save in his own country," proved untrue in a most amusing manner the other day. The geography class in one of the lower rooms of the Dresden Public School were studying Canada. The class knew it was impossible for the King to come over in person, and the teacher asked who was the man sent over to represent him. A small girl volunteered Minto, but one of the star pupils jumped up excitedly and waving his hand shouted, "Oh, please, I know; it's Steve Sturgis!"

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NEW JOINT STOCK BILL

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iting the number of shares. Regardless of the Dominion, the Province should declare itself against over-capitalization. Other Parliaments would be compelled to follow the lead. Closer scrutiny might be exercised over applications for increase of capital.

All the conditions in applications made could not be considered, thought Hugh Clark.

Mr. McDougall thought that shares should not be sold below par. People getting \$1 shares for 15 cents thought they were getting a dollar's worth, which of course they were not. The capital should be so limited that the shares could not be sold under par. Watering of stock was accomplished by issuing shares at a discount and then endeavoring to pay dividends on the par value. A New Jersey company coming into Ontario should not be permitted any powers not belonging to an Ontario company, he thought, replying to J. P. Downey.

Public Takes the Chance. Dr. Lewis did not think the public could be protected. Mining stock sold at ten cents to poor men often became very valuable in the following year. Another mine where the vein pined out might not be worth ten cents after selling at a premium.

Page twelve of the act, dealing with companies operating municipal franchises and public utilities, which is very largely new, was stated by Hon. Mr. Hanna to differ from the first draft of the bill. Sir William R. Meredith and Mr. Justice Anglin had given special attention to the clauses and unless particular reason could be shown, he would be very slow to change it. Mr. Hanna mentioned this in replying to Mr. McDougall, who objected to what he considered might be the possible operation of section 157, which reads:

"The Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council may direct the issue of letters patent in terms and conditions different from those applied for."

Italy Swept By Hurricane.

Rome, March 22.—A hurricane, which has caused serious damage, has swept over Italy. Several vessels are reported to have been wrecked.

IS NOW "DR" DICKIE

Rev. Mr. Dickie, M. A., of Chalmers church, has passed the examinations set by the Presbyterian College of Montreal for the degree of Doctor of Divinity. The degree will be conferred at a college convention on Monday, April 1, and on his return Dr. Dickie will be given a reception by the church.—Woodstock Express.

Mr. Dickie was in this city Sunday, Monday and Tuesday of this week, conducting evangelistic services in the First Church.

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In Hamilton, Brantford and St. Catharines our motto is—"Ordered Garments at the price of Ready-mades," and it will be the same here.

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MOVING PICTURES

The moving pictures and illustrated songs at the Wonderland last night afforded a very enjoyable evening of entertainment to a full house. The song, "Take me back to my old Louisiana Home," was sung with much expression and was well received by the audience. The pictures showing the life of a cowboy were very descriptive and showed very plainly the thrilling adventures experienced by them.

MANY CHILDREN SICK.

Get their feet wet, catch cold or cramps, and give mothers an anxious time. With the first shiver or sneeze rub the little one's chest with Nerviline, gargle the throat, and give ten drops in hot water at bedtime. Next morning all is well. No cold, no time lost at school. If Polson's Nerviline isn't in your home get it there at once. Dealers sell it in large 25c. bottles.

Time is the most valuable thing a man can spend.

CANDIDATES ARE SCARCE

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H. S. Clements won his election. They set up his example of hard and persistent work as a standard which the Liberals should follow. Dr. Fleming, who announced that Leader Graham is to be present at Saturday's convention, made excuses for bringing the man who during the last campaign spoke of West Kent elections as "not knowing much anyway," by intimating that Mr. Graham has changed his ways since he has been appointed leader of the party to succeed Mr. Ross. Dr. Fleming said that Leader Graham now shows some signs of ability. It was also stated that John Auld, M. P. of Essex, will be present.

On motion of Messrs. Winterstein and Marshall, a vote of regret was passed that A. H. McGoig was ill and unable to be present to attend the meeting.

THE THAW TRIAL

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ent insanity of the defendant is sound, his lawyers have no right to waive anything for a lunatic.

All the attorneys were present, however, when Justice Fitzgerald took his place on the bench. Mr. Delmas alone was heard by Justice Fitzgerald. Twice Mr. Hartbridge attempted to enter into the argument, but each time he was rapped down by the justice.

BRITISH WON FIGHT.

But Natives Put Up a Hard Battle
Losing 300 Men.

London, March 22.—News has arrived of a fight in December between a British force and a robber band of Tibuks, west of Lake Tchad, Africa.

The British besieged a fort, which was captured with difficulty and with the loss of 11 killed and 42 wounded. Among the latter were two officers. Most of the casualties were caused by arrows.

The Tibuks lost 300 killed and wounded.

76 Suffragettes Go to Jail.

London, March 22.—Seventy-six "suffragettes," arrested Wednesday for brawling within the precincts of Parliament, were sentenced yesterday to from \$5 or a fortnight in prison, to \$40 or a month imprisonment.

They all elected to go to jail, and were taken away in the prison vans, amidst the mingled cheers and jeers of the crowds outside the police court.

Death is but the dropping of the flower that the fruit may swell.

EASTER NECKWEAR

A magnificent showing of beautiful Neckwear in all the new Easter shapes and colorings is on display here for the man who is particular about what he wears and wants to have the correct thing for his Easter Sunday outfit. The new gloves, fancy hose and shirts will also interest him. They are here in such variety that choosing is an absolute pleasure.

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And a few Odd Suits, your choice....\$4.00

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All newest patterns and shapes for Easter trade:

75c and 50c for.....45c
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25c Bows, 2 for.....25c

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50c.....40c
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COLLARS

20c Linen, 4 ply, 3 for 25c.

HANDKERCHIEFS

25c Handkerchiefs 2 for 25c.
15c Handkerchiefs 3 for 25c.

HATS

All the latest styles in English and American makes:—

\$3.00 and \$2.50 for.....\$2.00
\$2.00 for.....\$1.50
\$1.50 for.....\$1.00

SHIRTS

Soft and Stiff Bosoms

\$1.50 Shirts for.....\$1.15
\$1.25 " for.....\$1.00
\$1.00 " for.....80c
75c " for.....60c

PANTS

A couple of lines that we are unable to duplicate, and only a few pairs left:
\$2.00 Pants for.....\$1.25
\$1.50 " for.....\$1.00
\$1.00 " for.....85c

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