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C.P.R. PROGRESSIVE.

Ottawa, March 4.—It is semi-officially stated in railway circles that the C.P.R. before the summer time-table goes into effect, will establish a thru passenger service between Ottawa and Toronto.

TRAINS BURIED FOR TWO WEEKS.

Lewisport, Mont., March 4.—Some- where between here and Lombard, no- body knows where, three trains, one freight and two mixed passenger, have been buried for two weeks. Snow plows with big gangs of men have been bucking the drifts night and day, but snow falls almost daily. The mixed trains carried about twenty passengers.

Made Sure of Death.

Indianspolis, March 4.—A man re- spected under the name of F. A. Fisher, Island City, N.J., was found dead in the California House. A post- mortem examination revealed that the man had taken a sufficient quantity to kill 100 persons.

At the West End Y.M.C.A. tonight, Owen- sby and Miss Ethel Powell will furnish the program.

At the regular session of the Canadian Rifle Club of the West End Y.M.C.A. Mr. Giles spoke to a goodly audience of boys on the experience of the Strathcona Home in South Africa.

The ladies of the Western Hospital have made elaborate preparations for their annual flower show, that takes place this year in Massey Hall, April 7, 8 and 9. There will be a special entertainment for children on the last day.

Orlando H. and North Toronto will play the final game of the Toronto League, western junior series, at 8:45 Saturday night, on Victoria College Ground.

Mason & Risch Quality Is the Highest Standard of Excellence. Mason & Risch Pianos were never manufactured to compete in price with those of other makers; this would take away from the artistic and leave too much of the commercial.

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AN ACTION FOR A DIVORCE

Mrs. Geiss, Formerly Miss Kemp of Hamilton, Has Papers Served on Her Husband.

MINSTRELS OF KNOX CHURCH

Recognized Hamilton Symphony Orchestra Held a Successful Concert Last Night.

Hamilton, March 4.—(Special).—Mrs. Geiss, who was formerly Miss Kemp of this city, has begun an action for divorce from her husband, Christopher Geiss of this city. They were mar- ried about four years ago. The hus- band was served with the papers to- day, and it is not likely that he will defend the suit.

The reorganized Hamilton Symphony Orchestra's concert in Association Hall this evening was a great success.

The second annual spring stallion show closed yesterday. The show, considering the many difficulties in the way of railroad blockades, etc., that had to be contended with, was a grand success.

THE YOUNG MEN'S UNION OF Knox Church entertained fully 1000 people at their annual meeting of the ladies and gentlemen of the Hamilton Driving and Motor Club this evening.

THE OFFICERS elected at the twenty- second annual meeting of the Ham- ilton Driving and Motor Club this evening were: President, H. E. Hylton; Vice-President, J. A. Vorkie; Secretary, C. W. Scott; Treasurer, A. B. Crawford; R. Ripley; George W. Ray, executive committee.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Late last night Mrs. James Hall, 276 North Hughson-street, was fatally burned by the explosion of a coal oil lamp. She and her husband were playing croquet, and the lamp was upset. While the other members of the family were stamping the fire out, Mrs. Hall gathered up some of the clothing she was wearing and ran out into the yard. The husband and children did not know that her clothes were on fire until she was already burned to death this morning.

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PROPERTIES FOR SALE

M AYBARD-AVE.—11 ROOMS, \$6000.

A DMIRAL-ROAD—14 ROOMS, \$10,000.

B ISMARCK-AVE.—8 ROOMS, \$2500.

H UNLEY-ST.—9 ROOMS, \$5000.

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P ETER-ST.—10 ROOMS, \$9000.

P RIVATE RESIDENCE, 11 ROOMS, \$3500; Galt.

H OTEL, CAMPBELLVILLE, \$6000.

Chas. E. Thorne's List.

\$3300—DELAWARE-AVE.—NEW, up to date, semi-detached, 9 rooms.

\$3000—ONTARIO-ST.—DE- tached, brick, 8 rooms.

\$2300—BALMY BEACH, FRAME, 7 rooms, bath, brick founda- tion, good lot.



NEW ORLEANS FAVORITES

Important Stake Races Down for Decision This Afternoon — Turf Notes.

New Orleans, March 4.—Moderated Law and New York were the only winning favorites today, and the latter's victory was a blow to the ring, where several bookies took chances in laying against the colt. Tho was a smart money. Track fact: weather clear.

Highland Park Entries. Detroit, March 4.—Additional entries were received yesterday for the Highland Park race, and the list is as follows: Frontier Stake 28, Highland Park Stake 29, Royal Oak 31, International 32, Canada Derby 33, Grand Canadian Steeplechase 34, etc.

Whitney's Theatricals. New York, March 4.—Harry Payne Whitney will continue practicing the racing stable of his father. Direct changes of the plans have not been made because the stable is being retained as an asset by the consent of all the heirs.

Sid Sam Wan Handicap. San Francisco, March 4.—Wentley clear track show. First race, selling, 5/8 furlongs—O'Connell, 100 (W. Daly), even, 1 to 2. Time 1:30. Second race, 1 1/8 furlongs—McCarthy, 100 (R. H. B. Ross), 10 to 1. Time 1:40. Third race, 1 1/4 furlongs—Stewart, 100 (J. H. Stewart), 5 to 1. Time 1:50.

New Orleans Card. New Orleans, March 4.—First race, 1 mile, purse—Champion 121, Blue Bar 124, Yellow Hammer 124, Henry Lombard Jr 124, Reynolds 124, Otto 124, Scott 124, Thistle 124, Chanley 124, John Doyle 124.

Brookville Best Ampler. Brookville, March 4.—An exhibition game of hockey took place at Brookville between the Ontario Hockey Club and the Brookville Hockey Club. The game was a close contest, and the Ontario Hockey Club was victorious by a score of 4 to 2.

Port Elgin Southampton. Port Elgin, March 4.—In one of the most exciting games of hockey played here the season the Southamptons were defeated by the local boys by a score of 4 to 2. Both teams were in good condition, and from the start the fastest kind of hockey was played. It took considerable time for the locals to find the Vampel doing the trick from seat pass back.

Orion Harrier Club. The third annual meeting of the Orion Harrier Club was held at the West Hotel, Y.M.C.A. Vice-president O. Horn in the chair. Reports were received from the secretary and cupbearer, and much satisfaction was expressed at the great progress made during the season.

Indoor Baseball. To night will wind up the indoor baseball season in the armory. The four best teams in the city will play on the same floor. The first game will be the final game of the season.

Wanders Did Not Escap. Montreal, March 4.—The Wanders hockey team held a friendly session yesterday in connection with the Ottawa Wanders. The game was a close contest, and the Wanders were victorious by a score of 4 to 2.

Brandon to the Slaughter. Brandon, Minn., March 4.—The Brandon champions left today for Ottawa and will play Stanley Cup hockey match tonight at 8 o'clock. The Ottawa team will be in Ottawa and will play to-night. The Ottawa team will be in Ottawa and will play to-night.

FREE COPY

An unusually fine and helpful book—many copies of which have been given away at an expense of thousands of dollars—being distributed absolutely free to the public, thanks to the kindness and generosity of its distinguished author, who takes this means of making a thank-offering for the many years of success accorded him. As one of the leading men of the age—the doctor, in fact, in his own special line—he is deeply interested in all movements for promoting health and happiness among the people of North America, coupled with his wonderful discoveries which impelled him to write this book as a gift to humanity. The demand for it has been tremendous, and readers are urged to before the edition is exhausted.

SEND FOR IT TO-DAY. Those who have already received copies are more than delighted with the work. The author, Dr. Sproule, an unexcelled authority on Stomach Troubles, has devoted a lifetime to the study of the digestive organs and their diseases. The result of his great efforts is contained in this valuable book. If you or any member of your family have any stomach trouble, do not miss this opportunity. The cause, dangers and treatment of Stomach Troubles are pointed out in plain language, and the book is in your hand. The digestive organs are not only described in a most instructive and interesting way, but also illustrated by beautiful drawings made by the best artists. The work has been well-received, and is being distributed absolutely free to the public.

ORILLIA LACROSSE CLUB. Three-Trip Baseball Schedule. Officers Elected at Annual Meeting. A Tour in June.

Orillia, March 4.—At a very large and enthusiastic meeting held tonight in the Orillia Club to re-organize the lacrosse club for the coming season, the following were elected: President, J. H. Grant; Vice-President, H. J. Grant; Secretary, G. J. Grant; Treasurer, J. H. Grant; Cupbearer, J. H. Grant.

Carling at Detroit. Detroit, March 4.—Detroit curlers used the Grand Rapids rink yesterday for a trial session. The game was a close contest, and the Detroit team was victorious by a score of 4 to 2.

Baseball Review. The Toronto Juniors Baseball League will hold a meeting in the Central Y.M.C.A. building on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the possibility of forming a league for the purpose of forming a league for the purpose of forming a league.

Not a Challenge for America's Cup. New York Yacht Club, in fact, richly merited the title of "America's Cup" challengees for the cup. The time has passed when a challenge could be made by any club which gave some of the reasons for the challenge. The challenge was not accepted.

Game Again Postponed. Loretto is again in a state of isolation all this week, owing to the fact that the railroad is being repaired, and it is not likely that the Loretto team will be able to play until next week.

Cherry Pectoral for all diseases of the throat and lungs. A doctor's medicine for 80 years. A household remedy everywhere. J.C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

TORONTO ROWING CLUB

Officers' Reports Show the Club to be in Flourishing Condition — Officers Elected.

The sixty-third annual meeting of the Toronto Rowing Club was held at the club rooms on Colborne-street last night. The club is the oldest rowing club in Canada, and the second oldest in America. The captain and treasurer's report showed the club to be in a very flourishing condition. President Arthur Still was in the chair.

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HOW ARE YOUR KIDNEYS? YOU OWE IT TO YOURSELF TO FIND OUT AT ONCE

Diseased Kidneys Cause More Sickness and Serious Complications Than Any Other Disease. Three years ago, while gunning, I tumbled into a stream and was wet to the skin. The weather was quite chilly, and it was several hours before I could get out of my clothes.

When I awoke early next morning I was unable to move, owing to severe pains in my back and body. I remained in bed all that day, and during the night a high fever set in. Three weeks after the pads around my kidneys were so bad that I could not walk without undergoing torture. A doctor told me I had kidney disease, and I underwent six months of treatment with- out relief, so I tried a bladder and kidney specialist, but he did not cure me. Under his treatment five months without relief, so I tried a bladder and kidney specialist, but he did not cure me.

Test Your Urine. After your morning urine stands 24 hours, if you find a reddish, brick-dust sediment in it, or particles floating in the urine, or if it is cloudy, you know your kidneys are in a diseased condition and are unable to perform their work.

"SAFE CURE" CURES WEAK KIDNEYS. It purifies and strengthens the kidneys and enables them to do their work; it will cure rheumatism, rheumatic gout, diabetes, Bright's Disease, uric acid poison, inflammation of the bladder and urinary organs, and restore the patient's health and vigor.

Beware of so-called kidney cures, which are full of sediment and of bad odor—they are positively harmful, and do not cure. WARNER'S SAFE PILLS move the bowels gently and aid a speedy cure.

Many New Boxes Are Entering. Four weeks from to-night the finale in the regular spring boxing championships will be decided in the Mutual Street rink. The preliminaries will take place March 21, and the main event will be fought on Friday, March 25. The game was a close contest, and the Toronto team was victorious by a score of 4 to 2.

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Advertisement for BLOOD POISON. Includes image of a person and text describing the medicine's benefits for various ailments.

Advertisement for MEN AND WOMEN. Includes image of a person and text describing the medicine's benefits for various ailments.

Advertisement for NERVOUS Debility. Includes image of a person and text describing the medicine's benefits for various ailments.

Advertisement for Black & White. Includes image of a person and text describing the whisky's quality.

Advertisement for The Merchants. Includes image of a person and text describing the services of the Pressing and Repairing Co.







# WHAT'S GOING ON HERE TO-DAY?

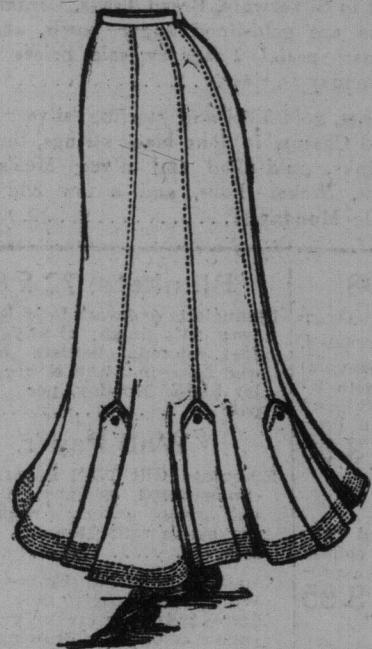
## Crawford's - Grand - Opening!!

**First Glimpses at New Silk Skirts, Black Silk Coats, Street Costumes, English and American Military Coats, Raincoats, Etc.**

Style's birthplace is Paris. The designs are conjured there and brought back to be fashioned into gowns and coats. No other New York Tailor is so well equipped, so close in the confidence of these fashion-fixers as the one from whom we have garnered these beautiful creations.

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To-day is our first showing of them. Early purchasers will display wisdom in the fact that they will have first choice.



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These stylish 7 gore skirts have stolen smartness from the newest, tailor-made creations—they are our own make, which should be a good recommendation—trimmed with the new strap seam, finished with buttons, black, blue and grey chevrons, grand value at \$5, and unparalleled at our.

**Special Price, \$3.25 Undershirts.**

A Very Rich Mercerized Satene Undershirt, with extra wide frills of accordion pleating and dust frill, regular price \$1.50.

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**Wear "E.T." Corsets**

We have secured a full line of the best of all Straight Front Corsets. We can recommend them because they are full of exquisite lines of grace—they give military style and graceful dip effect sought for by smart women, and they combine the perfection of workmanship and material with the beautiful symmetry of the best Parisian models.

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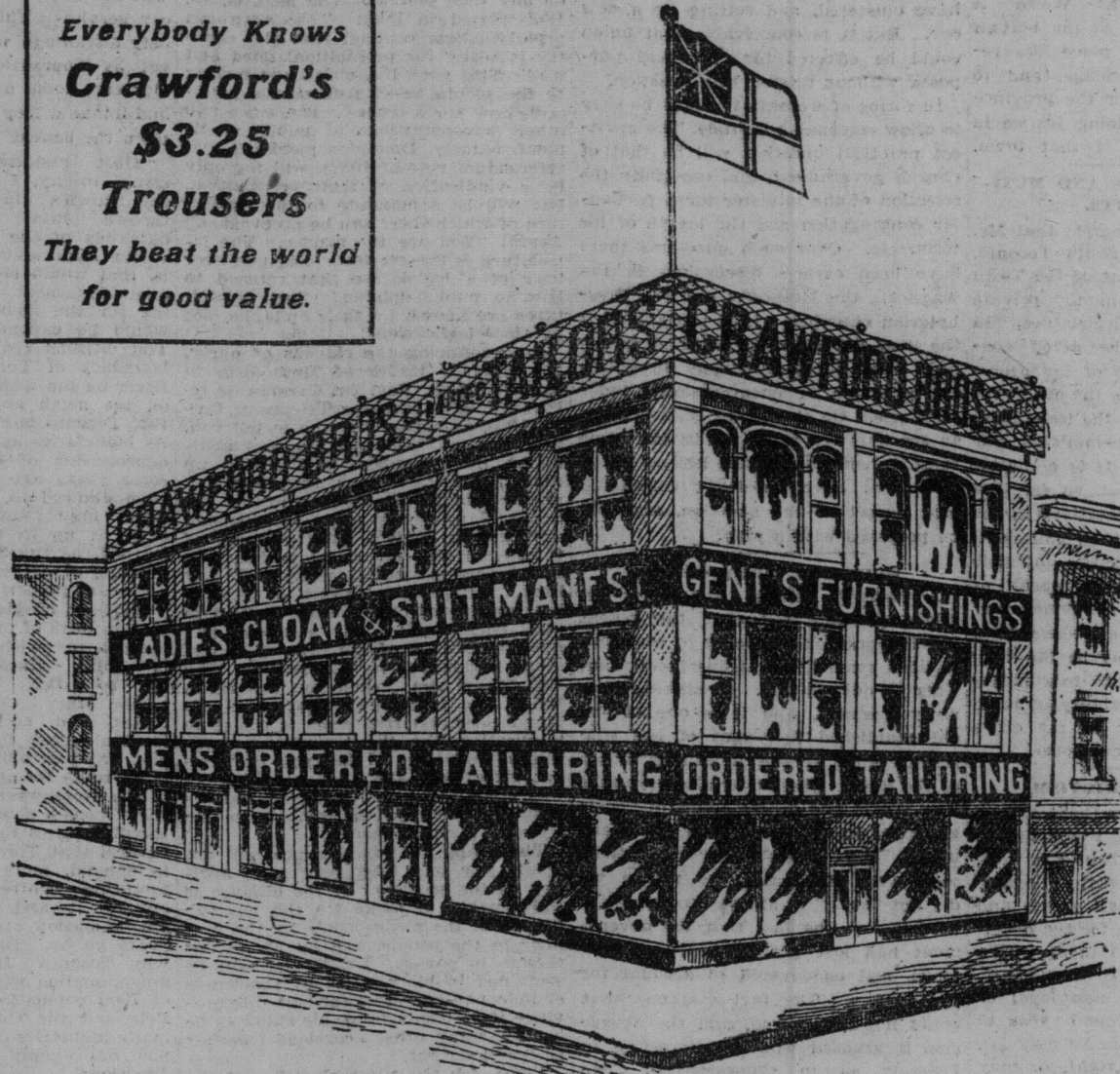
**1904 Spring Blouses.**

A large and exclusive assortment of high-grade Blouse Waists, made for us by a famous New York tailor in peau-de-soie and other silks at special prices from \$10 to \$12.

**TAFETTA SILK BLOUSES**—pale blue, black, cream, navy and white, trimmed with silk buttons and pin tucks.  
**Special Price, \$4.75.**  
**BLACK AND CREAM SICILIENNE BLOUSES**, trimmed with buttons and tucks, very latest style.  
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...THE DAY looked forward to by so many of Toronto's best citizens for the formal opening of our magnificent new store has come, and with it the great rush of people taking advantage of this opportunity of seeing the most up-to-date Men's and Women's Tailoring and Outfitting Establishment in Canada. This event marks an epoch in the history of Toronto Tailoring and Haberdashery business, and one the Canadian public will not be slow to recognize. The immensity of our premises and the new and modern ideas adopted are but additional evidences that we know what the people want, and that all our lines are in keeping with the progress and requirements of the present day. As the people have outlived the past, so have we. We are doing business for the future as well as the present. We will be found in advance of our competitors.

**All Records Will Now Be Broken**

by this Grand Opening Sale. It will be but natural, since the values which we shall offer will easily eclipse the offerings of any other sale ever held in Toronto. The crowds will increase as the news spreads throughout the city, because it is the grandest opportunity ever offered to discriminating women and men to purchase their new Spring Outfit where there is large choice, new stock and every new and modern idea, including the "Crawford Modern Plan" of "Small Profits and Large Turnover."

The following lines will be found most complete and splendidly selected:

**Men's Ordered Tailoring, Men's Hats and Caps,  
Men's Furnishings. Ladies' Suits, Skirts,  
Coats, Blouses, Ready-to-Wear Hats.**

We invite everybody to unite with us in celebrating this "Grand Spring Opening"—all our old patrons and friends and our unknown new friends will be welcome to join us in our jubilee.

**Glonnas Orchestra will be in attendance and beautiful flowers and souvenirs will be presented to every visitor.**

**Women's Costumes for 1904**

Take the word of the delighted smart women who have already visited this exhibit of Suits and our invitation to enjoy the fashion show of our Grand Opening to-day will be quickly accepted. Women's tailors have accomplished wonders in the past year, and the betterment is all here. Interesting for fashion-study and helpful for spring decision.

**New Combination Costume for Spring, 1904.**

This new Eton Costume, which we take pleasure in displaying, deserves special mention, because it represents practically two costumes in one by reason of a coat-skirt, which can be worn when desired, making an entirely new and different effect to the Eton style—an exceedingly smart and chic costume.

**SPECIAL PRICE**

**LADIES' ORDERED TAILORING**—For this department we are showing a beautiful and exclusive line of Fancy Scotch Tweeds, which we make to order in skirts. To introduce these goods we offer  
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**Come and See. Prices From \$2 up.**

Maybe there is no thought of your buying yet—time enough for that towards Easter perhaps, but just come and look and compare—you will not be pestered to purchase.



**Men's 1904 Spring Suits.**

The dainty touch of style—the indescribable something that marks it "high-class merchant tailoring"—the Crawford method of the very best to be had in linings, interlinings, etc., shows its supremacy. We clothe a great many of the best dressers in Toronto and vicinity, and this is a good opportunity for those who like to save money. These Suits are worth well nigh one-third more than we ask for them at this.

**Special Price, \$13.50**

**CLAY'S FAMOUS WORSTEDS**—blues and blacks, fast color guaranteed, the same of durability and smartness for business wear, tailored to your order in newest fashion.

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**SCOTCH TWEEDS**—in all the latest shades, checks, overchecks, etc., browns, greys, greens—made to your order, best New York style.

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**Men's 1904 Spring Hats**

Men can save money on their headgear by purchasing from us. We furnish you the style and quality at a saving of from 50c to \$2. This season's Hats are neat and natty, shaped after the most popular blocks, lending London and New York styles.

**CHRISTYS, Brown and Black.**

**Special Price, \$2.50**

**FUR FELTS, Stiff and Soft.**

**Special Price, \$1.75**



**Smart Men's Fixings.**

**CRAWFORDS**—direct from the cradle of fashion. New flowing ends and English Ascots, regular 75c line.

**Special Price, 25c**

**COLLARS**—"Wing," "Ascot," "Maxim" and all the other favorite new shapes, regular price 15c each.

**Special, two for 25c**

**BUSINESS SHIRTS**—special line, tailor-made, fast colors, all new designs, regular \$1.

**Special, 50c**

Something new in high-grade Collars and Cuffs. They are not linen, but look like linen exactly and will outwear the best linen collars and cuffs made, they will not turn yellow. **RUBBER COLLARS and CUFFS.**

**Special 15c, reg. 25c.**







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GRAND DISPLAY WEEK COMMENCING TUESDAY, MARCH 8.

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TRUE BILLS AGAINST OFFICIALS. Charged With Election Conspiracy—Inquiry Resumes To-Day.

The grand jury brought in true bills against A. W. H. and Louis Gillis and Frank A. and John Gray, on the charge of conspiracy in connection with the voting at the last municipal election.

The enquiry into the assessment branch of the investigation will continue this morning before Judge Morgan. Clerks in the assessment department will be called upon to contradict Harry Page's version of the list of 18.

Willed \$200 to Rescue. Orangeville Sun: James Rolston of Jessopville has struck luck. On March 24, 1884, the steamer Victoria crashed in the River Thames at London, Ont., and fifty people met death.

Prof. Cavanaugh's Predictions True. This remarkable man, whose memory has been the talk of the country for years, has made many useful predictions, based upon his unusual observing powers.

Victoria County Old Boys. The Victoria County Old Boys held their first annual meeting in the L.O.O.F. Hall last night.

For Seven Years A Dying Woman. Terrible suffering follows Neglected Indigestion—Dodd's Digestive Tablets Make a Complete and Permanent Cure.

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WOMEN'S WOOL UNDERVESTS, 35c. These are Undervests that in the regular way sell at 50c, but being an old line style decided to sell them up at less than half, heavy weight, pure wool.

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Through Pullman Sleeper to Ottawa. Commencing to-morrow, Sunday, March 6th, and continuing during season of Parliament, the Eastern Flyer, leaving Toronto 10:00 p.m., will carry through sleeper to Ottawa, arriving 9:30 a.m. following.

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AMERICAN LINE. FLYING DUTCHMAN SOUTH-AMPTON. From New York, Saturdays, at 9:30 a.m. to St. Louis, Mo., 12:22 a.m. to Paul, Mo., 10:30 a.m.

ATLANTIC STEAMSHIP SERVICE 80 YONGE STREET. St. John, N.B., to Liverpool. Lake Erie, Saturdays, March 6.

DOMINION LINE. PORTLAND TO LIVERPOOL. Welshman, Monday, March 22. Canada, Monday, March 29.

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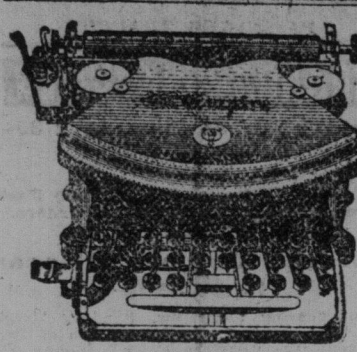
WHITE STAR LINE. Sailing Wednesday and Friday. From Pier 48, West 114th St., N. Y.

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PERSONAL MENTION Judge John Ardagh and wife of Barrie are in the city en route to Los Angeles.

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From Toledo Blade. Benton Harbor, Mich.--(Special Correspondence)--This quiet little city by the lake has been thrown into an intense fever of excitement by Dr. Wallace Huxley, a resident of New York City.



MISS EULALIE JANSEN. According to the press agent, she is reliable, the prettiest girl in "Peggy from Paris."

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What frayed your linen? Not Sunlight Soap—No, indeed!

SUNLIGHT SOAP REDUCES EXPENSE Ask for the Octagon Bar

MEDICINE OF THE FUTURE

Dr. Arsonval Says Electricity Will Revolutionize Therapeutics

The famous electro-therapeutic specialist, Dr. Arsonval, lecturing on the effect of electricity on living beings...

In electric belts and electric appliances, it will be difficult to find any of greater value...

Cecil Rhodes' Will, London, March 4.—Cecil Rhodes' will is now in the Registry at Somerset House...

Mormons Coming to Canada, Winnipeg, March 4.—Another great trek of Mormons from Utah to Southern Alberta is about to start...

GUELPH SOLVES PROBLEMS

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To-day Guelph owns the local water-works, the light, heat and power company, the C.P.R. branch and the street railway...

But it is with the street railway system that the most interesting centres of activity are being formed...

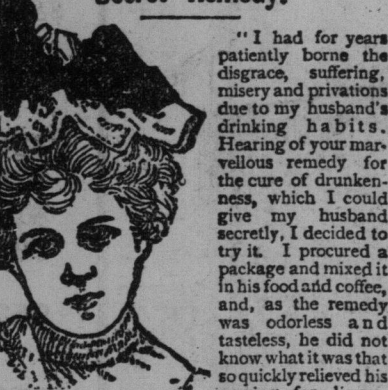
Eight years ago the desire for a street railway was so strong that a petition was ready to grant any terms for the franchise...

It was the very possibility of evil, as well as the hope of practical development for the city's good...

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This is the source of my success. Unlike so many remedies offered to weak men which afford only temporary relief

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Cured Long Ago—Still Cured. Dear Sir: In answer to your letter I wish to state that I am still in the best of health...

PERFECTION STRIVEN FOR

LONDON, March 4.—Sir West Ridgeway, governor of Ceylon, addressing the London Chamber of Commerce on the fiscal question...

Effective daily during March and April, cheap one-way colonial tickets will be issued to the west as follows...

BROKER GOES TO TRIAL

Edwin E. Anderson of the International Brokers, Limited, must go to trial on charges of receiving a place where betting on stocks was made...

MR. STRATTON'S DINNER

Hon. J. R. Stratton gave a dinner last evening in the Speaker's chamber, in honor of the Hon. Mr. Brewster and the Hon. Mr. Revenue...

INTERESTING FIGURES

During the year 1903, the Independent Order of Foresters paid old 627 pensions to over 100 members who had passed the 70th year of age...

WAR OFFICE QUICK CHANGE

LONDON, March 4.—Replying to P. Wilson, M.P., Bromley Davantage yesterday announced that the new service rifle is being fitted with a wind-gauge sliding bar...

WHY HE BECAME A CANNIBAL

St. Paul, Minn., March 4.—G. H. Deaulle arrived here today with a report of cannibalism among the Bois Forks Chippewa Indians...

LEFT \$50,000 TO MISSIONS

Ottawa, March 4.—The will of the late Mrs. Almon Wright was probated in Hull today. She leaves a large estate with numerous legatees...

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- \$59 per day in Number of Claims Paid.
\$297 per day in Number of Policies Issued.
\$1,303,559.06 per day in New Insurance Written.
\$98,582.76 per day in Payments to Policy-holders and addition to Reserve.
\$53,841.18 per day in Increase of Assets.

Income in 1903... \$49,887,804.11
Gain over 1902... 6,551,520.50
Asset increase in 1903... 18,475,402.81

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Table with 2 columns: ASSETS and LIABILITIES. Rows include Bonds and Stocks, Real Estate, Cash, Loans to Policyholders, etc.

Paid to Policyholders since Organization, plus the Amount now Invested for their Security, \$238,295,968.84
Amount of Outstanding Insurance \$1,342,381,457.00
Number of Policies in Force 7,523,915
Amount of Insurance Issued in 1903 \$398,889,074.00

In its Ordinary Department policies are issued for from \$1,000 to \$1,000,000 on individual lives, premiums payable annually, semi-annually and quarterly. In its Industrial Department policies are issued on all the insurable members of the family for weekly premiums.

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RECORD OF GROWTH IN TEN YEAR PERIODS

Table with 6 columns: INCOME, ASSETS, SURPLUS, POLICIES IN FORCE, OUTSTANDING INSURANCE. Rows for 1893-1894, 1894-1895, 1895-1896.

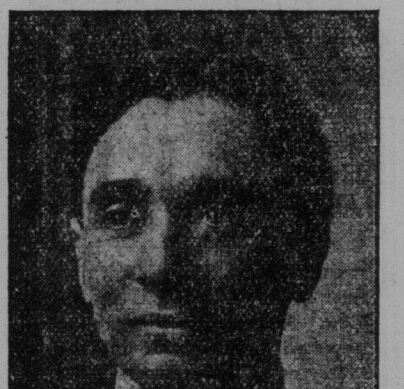
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PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS.

Coming direct to the Grand Opera House from his New York engagement, the clever comedian and sweet singer, George "Honey Boy" Evans will be seen for the first time in Toronto as a full-fledged star, appearing in the new musical entertainment, "The Good Old Summer Time."



George (Honey Boy) Evans.

The piece has been one of the real successes of the season in Chicago, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Baltimore, Philadelphia and elsewhere before its New York engagement, and it is claimed will prove a veritable revelation as a popular-priced offering, since to attract in so elaborately produced and pretentious has ever been presented at popular prices.



Miss Kittle Wolfe, with "Across the Pacific" at the Majestic Theatre next week. There is enough action in this

play to suit the desire of every kind of theatre-goer. Humor and pathos, laughter and tears are intermingled. But the comedy element of the play is by far the greater, and to the liking of all lovers of good, clean fun. The popular little comedian, Harry Clay Blaney, who is known in the pay as "Willie Live," a reporter with a camera "always on the spot" to add a scene to his new play with a thrilling almost impossible. Musical Dols will be another favorite. His delicate treatment of difficult instruments has made him extremely popular. Louise Dresser, whose beauty alone would command the attention of an audience, has the added charm of an extremely good voice and a clever way of presenting things to an audience. Jack Norworth, with a lot of new stories and songs, will make everybody laugh. Johnson, Daveport and Loretta complete an exceptionally big bill.

Next week at the Star Theatre will feature one of the best vaudeville and burlesque organizations on the road this season in Harry W. Williams, Jr., Imperial Burlesquers, presenting for the first time this season a merry collection of fun and nonsense. The two burlesques serve to introduce the vaudeville company including Frank Byron, the popular comedian, Cliff Gordon, Byron and Langley, Paul Curney, Evans and St. John, Johnnie Guin and Slick Moore, Elira Trine and Grace Forrest, Burke, the Sixteen Sisters and many others, including the entire company and a chorus of twenty-five.

The usual performances will be given each afternoon and evening during the week. The Theatrical Mechanical Association annual benefit will this year be held in the Princess Theatre Friday afternoon, March 11. This event has for years been looked forward to as the theatrical extravaganza of the entire season. The organization has often been placed under the caption of labor organizations, which is an incorrect interpretation of the order, whose objects are benevolence pure and simple, and which benevolence very often extends beyond its own membership in ministering to the sick, those in distress and burying the dead. The entertainment will begin sharp at 1:45, the evening number to be a selection by the combined orchestras and other musicians to the number of 65, seated upon the stage. His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor has accepted an invitation and will occupy a box. All theatres are contributing to the entertainment. Box plan for exchange of tickets and reserving seats will open Monday at 9 a.m.

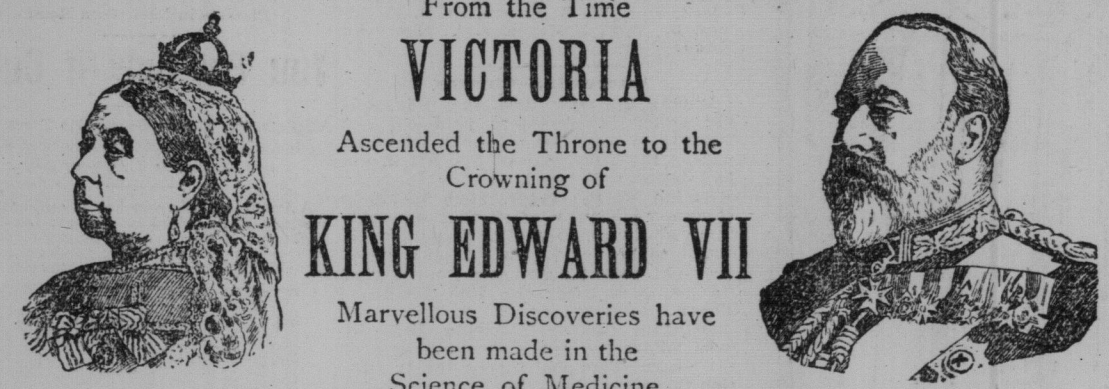
Whenever any great musical tour is undertaken in the United States, Toronto has the honor of being the first place that is consulted, and so by the point of beginning for the tour of Walter Damrosch, the New York Symphony Orchestra in the "Parade" music being the first engagement made. Afterwards Buffalo was booked in order to break the journey between New York and Toronto, but April 5, at Massey Hall, will be the second engagement on the tour of the New York Symphony Orchestra in Wagner's last and most magnificent work. The subscribers' list will open at Massey Hall on March 11.

The Good Friday holiday concert at Massey Hall will consist of an excellent program, contributed by Mackenzie Murdoch, the greatest of all violinists in Scotland to-day, George Bell, the splendid Scotch lyric tenor; A. Lawrence Murdoch, pianist; Miss Fook Molyer, organist, and J. W. Burroughs.

Telegraphic Briefs. Dominick Arthel, aged 20, killed Nellie Flanagan, 17, and then shot himself, over a love affair. The convention of the International C. E. will be held next year in Baltimore, as originally arranged, with 50,000 expected delegates. Any Marquits of St. Louis received word of her fiancée's death in the New York building collapse on the first anniversary of a former fiancée's death. The Middle West Brewing Co., with liabilities exceeding \$100,000, has failed at Joplin, Mo. Hawaii will not exhibit at St. Louis, needing the \$20,000 appropriated for other purposes. The rebels in Uruguay have sustained a severe defeat.

WEST DURHAM CONSERVATIVES. Bowmanville, March 4.—(Special)—The annual meeting of the West Durham Liberal-Conservative Association was held in the new council room this afternoon, which, owing to bad roads, the attendance was not large. John H. Devitt, ex-warden, presided. Speeches were made by Col. Harry A. Ward, M.P., C. Jones Thornton, W. H. Reed, ex-M.L.A., Albert Barber, Paul Trebilcock, County Councillor Thomas H. Powers. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Evan H. McLean, barrister, Newcastle; vice-president, Thomas H. Lowers, K.C.; secretary, Dr. G. C. Bonneycastle, Bowmanville; treasurer, James H. Allen, Newcastle.

MUST STAND TRIAL. The application before Chancellor Boyd to have the committal of George Maguire, D.D., and his bail clerk, W. T. London, on the charge of conspiracy, referred to a higher court, was refused. Mr. Robinson claimed that there was no evidence to sustain the charge that the offences charged were not criminal or indictable, and that the warrant of commitment was bad. Transportation Commission. The transportation commission will meet in Toronto on Wednesday, March 24. The meeting will take place at the city hall.



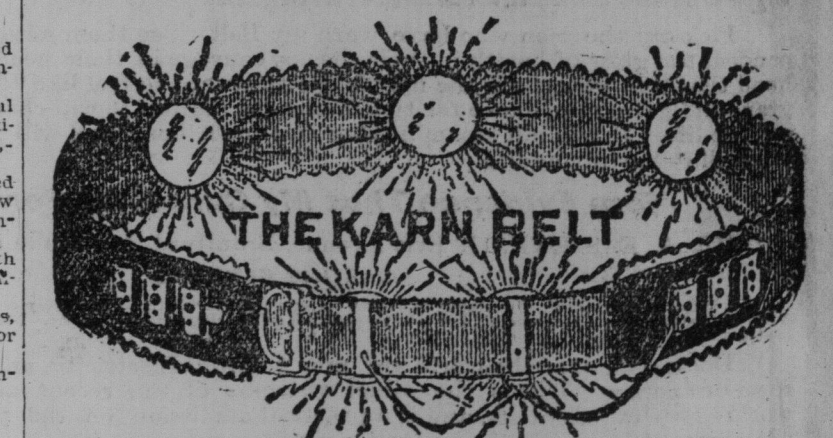
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Price 50 cts. per box or 3 for \$1.25, all dealers.

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WILL USE CITY HALL.

The mayor has been informed that the government transportation commission has accepted the offer of the use of the city hall during its sittings here, and the first session will be held on March 23. The civic authorities are preparing their case in regard to the various improvements requisite for the harbor.

Send \$30 More Conscience Money.

The Lenten season is evidently having a strong effect on at least one citizen of Toronto, and one of no mean degree. The city treasurer received another anonymous letter yesterday containing \$30, which the writer stated was to be applied on income tax account. It was from the same individual who forwarded a similar sum a few days since, and he would require an income of at least \$4000 to render him indebted to the city in such an amount.

Ward Four's New Secretary.

A. H. Birmingham, son of the Conservative organizer, has been elected secretary to Ward 4 Association, the office left vacant by the resignation of Samuel Thompson.

N.W. Ratepayers' Annual Meeting.

The Northwestern Ratepayers' Association will hold its annual meeting for the election of officers and other business on Monday evening next, at Dumlop's Conservatories.

TO EXTEND ULSTER-STREET AND FOR CROSSTOWN CARS

Decisions Arrived at by Board of Works Yesterday—Several New Street Propositions.

The board of works held a protracted session yesterday, at which all of the members were present. The principal matters dealt with were the extension of Ulster-street, the construction of cross-town street railways and the plan of flushing pavements proposed by Commissioner Jones. Controller Hubbard strongly favored the extension of Harbord-street instead of Ulster, which only runs east as far as Major, while the former would make a cross-town thoroughfare from east to west. Ald. McGhie, however, said Harbord went west only as far as Ossington, and the Ulster-street route would run through a great deal of city property. A bylaw will be introduced in council, asking for the opening of Ulster-street.

On the question of new street car lines, Controller Hubbard objected to the expense of \$150,000, when the company had no cars to run on the proposed streets. Ald. Graham thought the council should have the cars built, if the company could not turn them out fast enough. Ald. Crane said it was a great mistake to have the trailers taken off. Ald. Harrison wanted the north and south routes to connect Elizabeth-street, instead of Teraulay. On a motion to send the engineer's report, favoring the extension to council, only Controller Hubbard, Ald. McGhie and Crane opposed such action.

For Clean Streets.

The solution of the problem of keeping down the dust on the principal streets, as proposed by Street Commissioner Jones, was endorsed, and \$10,000 will be placed in the estimates for the purpose. All of the main streets will be swept nightly from May 1 to Nov. 1 by the two-horse sweepers and then thoroughly flushed. Four new sweepers and extra water tanks will be purchased. Ald. Harrison secured the addition of College-street, from Spadina, to Bathurst, in the list of streets to be swept.

Michael Basso presented a petition from 14 ratepayers against a proposed sewer between Chestnut-street and Centre-avenue, this had been recommended by Dr. Sheard on sanitary grounds. It went to the city engineer, William Tremayne, successfully opposed the construction of a concrete sidewalk on Davenport-road, off Yonge, relating to New Streets.

The North American Land Company Limited, presented a modest request regarding Palmerston-avenue, between College-street and Bloor-street. They wished the name changed to Palmerston-boulevard, permission to erect gates at each end of the section and a special system of street numbering adopted for that portion of the street.

Samuel Brinkworth, accountant, left \$370, valued entirely by his niece, Marjorie.

"Some People"

Not you, of course—buy tea blindfolded, accepting a substitute which the alkali dealer says is "just as good" as the famous



CEYLON TEA. He knows different, but the imitation brand leaves him a larger profit than the genuine "SALADA." That's why. This is just a word in season. "SALADA" is sold in sealed lead packets only. Black or Natural GREEN. Both equally pure. By all grocers.

HOW "THE 17TH" WILL BE HONORED

Way Local Irishmen Will Celebrate—Hon. John T. Keating Coming.

The Seventeenth of Ireland, St. Patrick's Day as ever, was specially honored in this year of grace by a new moon all to itself, will be celebrated by an enthusiasm ever fresh and green. In the Masses Hall there will be a grand concert under the auspices of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, at which the Hon. John T. Keating of the Chivalrous School Board, and ex-acting president of the A.O.H. of America, will be the orator of the occasion. The very people danger of the day, and as one remarked to The World, a special source of anxiety is that in the line, where one rail is raised higher than the other, these are danger spots, and call for the most careful inspection.

WAR NOTES.

Paris, March 4.—The St. Peter's correspondent of The Echo de Paris says that the Kuronians have left the far east on March 12; he will go by part of his staff. It is reported that correspondent continues that the czar marshal in Russia since Count Gurko.

New York, March 4.—Six Japanese business, according to the direction of the Gulf of Liaoning, according to The Herald from Chetoo. This morning the most significant and colored intention to effect a landing of Sardinia Bay. Owing to the heavy fog, all parties were obliged to proceed a big battle is expected.

Washington, March 4.—Consul-General George Goschen, reported to the state department today by cable that an adjustment had been effected of the question of the continued presence at Shanghai of the Russian gunboat Mandur, in disregard of the laws of neutrality. The Russian consul-general of Shanghai had notified the Chinese Tantai at that place the Russian vessel was to be dismantled of the Mandur, and to her being detained at Shanghai until the end of the war.

St. Petersburg, March 4.—Major-General Plig, chief of staff of the Imperial Guard, telegraphs from Port Arthur recommending that gifts to the troops be made in the shape of cigars, tobacco, paper, pens, needles and thread, buttons, soap, and other necessities. He says warm clothing is not required. The offers of half of the number of women medical courses here to go to the front as nurses have been accepted.

London, March 4.—The Russian ambassador, Count Benckendorff, who returned to London from St. Petersburg on Wednesday, today visited King Edward and presented his majesty with an autograph letter from the czar. This was in answer to a letter sent by King Edward, in which, in the most friendly terms, he emphasized Great Britain's complete neutrality during the war in the far east.

Winter Excursion.

A special excursion to Buffalo and return at rate of \$2.15 for the round trip, leaving Union Station at 8:45 a.m. South Parkdale at 9:52 a.m. on Saturday, March 6, via Canadian Pacific Railway, is attracting the attention of the public just now. The tickets are good for return on any regular train until Monday, March 7. As all Canadian Pacific trains between Toronto and Buffalo run through the winter change, passengers may feel assured of good runs in both directions. Tickets and all particulars may be obtained at the Canadian Pacific city ticket office, 1 East King-street, or at the Union Station, north wicket.

Revolution for Mexico?

New York, March 4.—The Herald says Mexico is on the eve of a revolution, according to Col. H. H. Thompson, who has just returned from that country, according to President Diaz's release of the rebels of government of Llanau, his present secretary of war, as vice-president.

Attention is called to the list of special sales to be held this month at the "Repository," corner Bloor and New-streets, Toronto. About one hundred horses will be sold on Tuesday next, and Thursday next the consignments of the Victoria Harbor Lumber Company, and Messrs. Hendrie & Co. of Hamilton, about sixty head of heavy work horses. The sale of new carriages, the property of Mr. John Dixon, who is retiring from business, will be held on Thursday, March 31.

Thirteenth Club Lectures.

The Thirteenth Club have arranged a series of Saturday evening lectures to be given in the lecture hall of the Dental College, College-street, beginning to-night with "Robert Louis Stevenson," by Prof. W. H. Alexander, and continuing April 2, "Mountain Building," by Prof. A. P. Coleman, April 23, "The Greek, the Roman, the Frenchman and the Englishman," by Prof. Maurice Hutton.

WASHOUTS THE NEXT WORRY.

Railways Operated More Favorably Yesterday—Block in One Section.

Despite the severity of Thursday's blizzard affecting practically all lines, both G.T.R. and C.P.R., north of the main line to Sarnia, the service was not seriously interfered with yesterday. There were even some "on time" entries on the order board. Things so far improved on the Midland division of the G.T.R. During the day that it was thought practicable to send south-bound trains, and accordingly one left at 6 p.m. The morning train was cancelled.

The general weather throughout the northern district was reported somewhat moderated, and the snow-shovel gangs able to do more effective work. The C.P.R. yesterday made determined efforts to clear its line north of Orangeville, but complete blockades have existed for five days, and a number of small towns, among them Dundalk and Shelburne, have been almost cut off from communication with the outside world. With a force of 200 men, six locomotives and several engine cars, the C.P.R. made only fair headway. In the meantime, no tickets are being sold to points north of Orangeville, and will not be for some time.

The Grand Trunk Midland train, due here on Thursday afternoon, met a late appearance yesterday, after a night spent at Stratford. There also arrived yesterday afternoon the Ontario Bay train, scheduled for Thursday, which had waited in vain for its C.P.R. Winnipeg counterpart, the latter being still surrounded by snow drifts somewhere west of North Bay.

Railway men are quite impatient to see the end of the winter, are rather uncomfortable in their minds regarding the very people danger of the day, and as one remarked to The World, a special source of anxiety is that in the line, where one rail is raised higher than the other, these are danger spots, and call for the most careful inspection.

WOULD BE FELT HERE.

Toronto uses about 300,000 tons of annually, and the supply of the city is struck by the railroads. In case a strike should occur among the bituminous shippers, it would be felt by many manufacturers. The supply in the city is limited, and while there is snow and ice bound on the roads, the shippers would require considerable clearing in the box and boiler departments, and even then the results would not be so satisfactory. In fact, the position of the householder and manufacturer a year ago would be reversed.

Excursion to Buffalo. The Canadian Pacific announces a special excursion to Buffalo, leaving the Union Station at 9:45 a.m. and South Parkdale at 9:52 a.m. on Saturday, March 5, arriving at Buffalo at 12:40 noon. The fare for the round trip is only \$2.15, which will no doubt induce many citizens to avail themselves of the opportunity. Excursion tickets are good for return leaving Buffalo on any regular train until Monday, March 7.

Over the Wabash. To the great World's Fair, St. Louis, Mo., opens April 20, closes Dec. 1, 1904. Covers 1240 acres, cost more than \$50,000,000. The most significant and colored undertaking ever attempted by man. The great Wabash is the only railroad that owns and controls its own rails from Canada direct to the World's Fair gates. The new superb and magnificent train, built especially for this traffic, places the Wabash in the very front rank for this business. For further particulars, address J. A. Richardson, district passenger agent, northeast corner King and Yonge-streets, Toronto, 139.

Meredit on Joseph.

London, March 4.—George Meredith, the novelist, writing to the Liberals of Dorset, says: "If the Liberals are to be divided between us, we will rescue us from our present plight. No heavier burden has ever fallen to the lot of a government for us, as coming within sight of the rocks of bankruptcy. Chamberlain's scheme is sinking on the body of the nation like a drug, causing pain and convulsions, at a time when the nation's energies should be directed to the chances of foreign complications besides other serious internal affairs."

Fulford Great Yacht.

Kingston, March 4.—A New York yacht, with steel hull and of the finest appointments, has been purchased by a Kingstonian for Senator Fulford of Brockville for over \$50,000. The senator, who is now on a European tour, wanted the best money could buy, and, it is said, he will have it for the new purchase will give him the most luxurious boat on Canadian waters. It will be brought to Brockville in the spring.

India Orphan Work.

Miss Cecelia Macklem writes: With grateful thanks I acknowledge the following contributions: Miss E. Austin, One sh. 84; Lilian M. Hill, to complete year's payment for orphan, \$5; J. A. Nicholas, 50c; Miss Isabel Michie, 50c; to support orphan for year, \$15; Miss H. M. Martin, for the support of orphan, 50c.

The strongest castle could be reduced by siege if the garrison could be starved.

The strongest body has to give up the fight when starvation weakens it. There are more deaths from starvation than the world dreams of. When the stomach is diseased and the food eaten is not digested and assimilated, then the strength of the body begins to fall because of lack of nutrition, and the weak body falls as easy victim to the microbes of disease.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It restores physical strength in the most possible way, by enabling the assimilation of the nutrition contained in food.

"I was sick for over three years as a complication of stomach troubles," writes Mr. John H. Cassino, residing at 924 Arch St., Chicago, Ill. "I had tried every good physician, but knew of as well as many patent medicines, but they only temporary relief. I had a friend recommended your Golden Medical Discovery, and I bought one bottle and began its use. Commenced to gain the first week, and after I had taken one bottle of it, I felt as well as any one without experiencing ill effects. I am now well and healthy and to announce that I am as well and healthy as any one I know of. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery."

The sole motive for substitution is to permit the dealer to make the little more profit paid by the sale of less meritorious medicines. He gains you lose. Therefore accept no substitute for "Golden Medical Discovery." FREE. Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser is sent free on receipt of stamps to pay expense of customs and mailing only. Send 31 one-cent stamps for the book in paper covers, or 50 stamps for the cloth-bound volume. Address: Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

THE CROWN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY. ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS. The Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of the Crown Life Insurance Company was held at the Head Office of the Company, in the City of Toronto, on Tuesday, March 1, 1904. One hundred and forty-seven shareholders were present or represented by proxy.

Report of Directors for the Year Ending December 31st, 1903. Your Directors respectfully submit for the consideration of the shareholders their report of the Company's operations for the year ending December 31st, 1903. We are pleased to inform you that an excellent class of business has been secured and which in volume exceeds that of the previous year.

Election of Directors. The following Directors were elected for the ensuing year: The Hon. Sir Charles Tupper, Bart., G.C.M.G., C.B., John Charlton, M.P., Herbert M. Nowat, K.C., John Fox, R. L. Borden, K.C., M.P., Samuel Barker, M.P., Geo. H. Hees, Arthur R. Boswell, K.C., Rodolphe Forget, Ben. Heertz, Frank E. Hodgins, K.C., Col. the Hon. David Tisdale, P.C., M.P., Randolph Macdonald, W. B. McMurich, K.C., the Hon. Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, K.C.M.G., P.C., M.P., J. Douglas Hazen, K.C., M.P.P., Geo. H. Roberts, Henry T. Machell, M.D., L.R.C.P.

Election of Officers. At a subsequent meeting of the new Board of Directors the Hon. Sir Charles Tupper, Bart., G.C.M.G., C.B., was re-elected President, Mr. John Charlton, M.P., Vice-President, and Mr. Geo. H. Roberts, Managing Director.

FREE TRIAL FOR 90 DAYS. THE finest Electric Belt in the world is what I offer you. My improved belt is superior to any other made. It is not charged in corroding vinegar. It gives a stronger current of electricity than is possible with any "vegetable belt." It is guaranteed for three years. One does for eight persons. It cures Rheumatism, Nervousness, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Debility and Vertigo. I am practically giving this splendid belt away on trial, as the price has been put at the lowest possible figure, so that it is within the reach of everybody. Our prices are from \$3.00, and there is nothing at all to pay till you are cured.

DR. R. M. MACDONALD ELECTRIC CO., 2362 ST. CATHERINE ST., MONTREAL, QUE. WHAT WE OFFER YOU IS THIS. Our Medical Treatise Free, together with our best Belt, on fair trial. Remember our Belt is positively guaranteed to be the strongest made, and it will cure you. Write to-day. It costs you nothing to try it.

LOCAL BREVITIES. Today a vote is being taken on a resolution to amend the By-law in Ontario, which provides that the Grand Jury shall be composed of 12 members. The "Burgomaster," that most popular of musical comedies locally, will be the attraction at the Grand week after next.

ENGLISH BRASS GOODS. We have very handsome articles from \$2.00 up in BRASS: PEN TRAYS, INSTANTANES, TABLE GONGS, PAPER KNIVES, LETTER RACKS, ETC. RICE LEWIS & SON, LIMITED, Cor. King and Victoria Streets, TORONTO. Money cannot buy better coffee than Michie's finest blend of Java and Mocha at forty-five cents a pound. Michie & Co., 7 King St. West, Toronto. A CURE FOR ASTHMA. Asthma sufferers need no longer leave home and business in order to be cured. Nature has produced a vegetable remedy that will permanently cure the most distressing cases of the lungs and bronchial tubes. Having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, with a record of 90 per cent. permanent cures, and desiring to relieve human suffering, it will send free of charge to all sufferers from Asthma, Consumption, Catarrh, Bronchitis and nervous diseases. Sent by mail, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparation. Address: W. A. Arnold, 847 Powers Block, Rochester, N.Y.

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GRAIN MARKETS STEADY  
LIVERPOOL IS EASIER

Rallies and Reactions in Chicago  
Futures—"Prime" Pessimistic  
of Winter Wheat.

World Office,  
Friday Evening, March 4.  
Liverpool wheat futures closed today 1/4  
to 3/4 lower than yesterday, and corn  
futures 3/4 to 1/2 lower.

At Chicago, July wheat closed higher,  
and yesterday, July corn 1/2 higher,  
and July oats 1/4 higher.

Chicago Board of Trade  
Wheat—Open, High, Low, Close.  
May 99 96 97 97  
Sept 93 90 91 91  
Corn—Open, High, Low, Close.  
May 33 32 32 32  
Sept 28 27 27 27  
Oats—Open, High, Low, Close.  
May 24 23 23 23  
Sept 20 19 19 19

Foreign Markets  
London—Close—Wheat on passage quiet  
but steady. Maize on passage quiet but  
steady. Spot American wheat, 2 1/2. Flour  
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Leading Wheat Markets  
Chicago—Close—Wheat on passage quiet  
but steady. Maize on passage quiet but  
steady. Spot American wheat, 2 1/2. Flour  
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ST. LAWRENCE MARKET  
Receipts of farm produce were 2100 bushels  
of grain, 30 loads of hay, 3 loads of  
straw, a fair delivery of dressed hogs, with  
a few lots of potatoes.

FARM PRODUCE WHOLESALE  
Hay, baled, car lots, ton, \$0.00 to \$0.50  
Straw, baled, car lots, ton, 0 3/4 to 1 1/4  
Dressed hogs, car lots, 100, 8 00 to 8 50  
Potatoes, car lots, 100, 0 80 to 0 90

GRAIN AND PRODUCE  
Flour—Manitoba first extra, \$5.50  
Manitoba, second extra, \$5.00  
Strong bakers, bags included, on track at  
Toronto 50 per cent, premium in lumber  
spring, etc. Manitoba No. 1 hard, \$1.15  
spring in transit No. 1 northern, \$1.07  
per cent.

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I WILL REFUND YOUR MONEY  
IF IT FAILS TO CURE.

I want every sufferer from Rheumatism  
to try my Rheumatism Cure. I know it  
will cure you. I know it cures sharp  
rheumatism in the Arms, Legs, Side,  
Back or Breast; and Rheumatism of the  
Joints or of any part of the body in a  
few days.

It effects a speedy and permanent cure  
of all Rheumatism, Rheumatoid Arthritis,  
Lumbago, or pain in the back, Lameness,  
Stiff and swollen Joints, and all pains in  
limbs and loins. This remedy does not  
put the disease to sleep, but drives it  
from the system, neutralizes the acid,  
and makes good, rich, red blood.

Chicago Gossip  
McIntyre & Marshall wired J. G. Beaty,  
Chicago, that the closing of the Chicago  
Board of Trade today.

Chicago Cattle Market  
Receipts of live stock at the Junction  
Market were seven cars, comprising 120  
cattle.

Chicago Live Stock  
Chicago, March 4.—Cattle—Receipts, 2000;  
market steady; good to prime steers, \$8 to  
\$9; poor to medium, \$5.50 to \$7; stock  
calves, \$2.75 to \$3.50; calves, \$3.50 to  
\$4.50; hogs, \$2.75 to \$3.50; sheep, \$2.50 to  
\$3.50.

CITY CATTLE MARKET  
Receipts of live stock at the City Cattle  
Market today, as reported by Messrs.  
13 cars, comprising 120 cattle, 100  
sheep, 22 calves and 80 hogs at Park-Bark-  
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GOLD BY ALL SADDLERS AND STOREKEEPERS.  
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Debtors and Rio Grande, fourth week February, \$340 decrease.

On Wall Street, King Edward Hotel, at the close of the market today.

There was an increase of about 20 per cent in the volume of business to-day over yesterday's trading.

London cable says the immediate character of the news from London has attracted the market's attention.

Continued failure to reach agreement on soft coal wage scale.

Conferees will not be carried into next week.

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Indianapolis: Miners and operators still working for agreement. They seem loath to give up their inter-state agreement.

London sold about 8000 shares of stocks. The market is more active than yesterday.

There was some good buying of Canadian stocks in the initial trading on this stock and price went to new heights.

THE Dominion Bank

Notice is hereby given that a dividend of 2 1/2 per cent upon the capital stock of this institution has been declared for the current year.

By order of the board, T. G. BROUGHTON, General Manager.

Toronto, 23rd February, 1904. 246

Table of stock prices: U.S. Steel 11 1/4, 11 1/2, do, pref 7 3/4, 7 1/2, etc.

Cotton Markets. The fluctuations in cotton futures on the New York Cotton Exchange to-day reported by McIntyre & Marshall were as follows:

Cotton Markets table: Open, High, Low, Close. Feb. 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31.

McIntyre & Marshall wired J. G. Beatty, King Edward Hotel, at the close of the market today.

There is much less disposition to trade in cotton at the present time than has been noted during the recent past.

The market has renewed its force and strength, but there is a noticeable disposition to sell short.

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FOREIGN NOTES OF INTEREST.

The Brighton, England, aqueduct has at last been put into operation.

Recently an old woman at Chaur, France, was reported to have seen a white bear in a Spanish lottery.

The Sultan of Turkey never sleeps two consecutive nights in the same room.

As a consequence of the famine times in the West Indies, the number of all persons residing there is less than 100,000.

At the present time, the Sultan of Turkey is in the habit of wearing a 'pajama suit'.

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Good Words for Iron-ox Tablets in Windsor. February 24, 1903. I have not taken any Tablets lately, as I do not require them, but I am sure they did my son and me very much good.

Bank of Hamilton. CAPITAL (all paid up) - \$ 2,200,000. RESERVE FUND - 1,000,000.

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BUY WHEAT ON REACTIONS. Chicago advises wheat is in for one of the biggest booms in the history of the Board of Trade.

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DAY AT THE LEGISLATURE

MR. GAMEY WANTS PAPERS
Proceedings at a Lively Session on Friday Afternoon—Insurance Company Criticized.

FOR SPRING TIME

It's a habit this Spring hat business and a commendable one—A new hat is something every man should invest in this time of the year.

We have received our complete advance shipments. By calling on us to-day you'll be able to judge what's new, even if you don't buy.

STORE OPEN THIS EVENING.

The W. & D. DINEEN COMPANY, LIMITED, Cor. Yonge and Temperance Sts.

MASSEY HARRIS EMPLOYEES

Threatening to Quit Work—What Both Sides Claim.

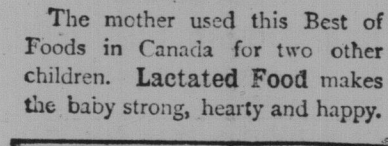
The employees of the Massey-Harris Company are restless and unless the reduction of 10 per cent. in wages made last December is not cancelled, they threaten to quit work.

Rifle Association Formed

The University Rifle Association met yesterday for the purpose of electing officers. University College, the Medical School and Victoria University were well represented.

Two Little Ones Born in India and Raised on LACTATED FOOD.

The mother used this Best of Foods in Canada for two other children. Lactated Food makes the baby strong, hearty and happy.



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It is not too soon to place orders for Spring Suits. Never in the history of this store have we been better able to cater to the needs of smart dressers.

SPECIAL PRICES: BUSINESS SUITS, REGULAR PRICES \$28 AND \$30. FOR \$22.50 AND \$28.00.

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Tailors and Haberdashers, 77 King St. W. Patterns and self-measurement chart free.



WERE ready whenever you're ready for a new style hat. After such a winter we'll all be glad to welcome the enthusiasm of spring.

J. W. T. Fairweather & Co., 84-86 YONGE STREET.

Vienna Rolls Pepso W. Wheat

THE LATEST WAR NEWS The Russians the other day were wishing they had a loaf or two of

Coleman's Bread

to cheer them up a bit, but the Japs wouldn't let them have it. Ask them to let you try a loaf, it will fill a long felt want.

THE GEO. COLEMAN BAKING CO., LIMITED. PHONE PARK 810.

MONEY

Absolutely the cheapest place in town to borrow money on furniture or piano. Security not removed from your possession.

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JESSE JOSEPH'S BEQUESTS

Montreal, March 4.—The following are some of the bequests of the late Jesse Joseph: Melo de Sola, \$1800 first year, \$3000 second year, \$2000 third year, \$3000 fourth and fifth years; Clarence de Sola, \$1800 first year, \$2000 second year, \$3000 third year, \$2000 fourth and fifth years, total \$15,500.

THE GRECIAN BEND

New York World: "The edict of the diadem-makers convention that woman must once more assume the distortion of the 'Grecian bend' is not an unmitigated evil. The fact we all laughed at thirty years ago was merely a good idea gone wrong in exaggeration."

ONELL FOUND GUILTY

"Unnecessarily guilty" was the verdict of the jury at the sessions yesterday in the case of Michael J. Onell, the man charged with the murder of the late C.P.R. man, making the statement that he would fix the jury in the Dillon inquest. P. C. Robb, the referee, gave a good defence for Onell, but Crown Attorney Drayton had the jury find Onell guilty of the murder.

Increased Rates in Congested Paris

New York, March 4.—The rents in the congested districts of large cities are to be advanced. A committee appointed by the executive committee of the national board of fire underwriters have evolved a statement recommending a sub-committee be at once appointed to investigate the matter.

Left for England

Montreal, March 4.—Sir Charles Tupper, Bart., left today for Halifax en route for England.

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The World's Famous Remedy for Constipation, Biliousness and Sick Headache. No gripping or bad after effects. Wills' English Pills reach the root of trouble and give a speedy cure.

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H. H. Fudger, President; J. Wood, Manager. Mar. 5. STORE CLOSING AT 5.30.

Clothes for the Boys.

Monday We Will Show Mothers What to Get for Their Sons This Spring. First, however, let's clear these Overcoats. It's a highleggedly assortment, as you see—Reefers, Red River Coats, Overcoats, etc.—the last of the season's stock.



22 only Boys' Fancy Reefers, Overcoats and Red River Coats, a clearing up of our winter's stock. Finished, sizes 22-28, Monday, 1.98. Boys' Nobby New Spring Norfolk Suits, made in this season's latest style, in a brownish fawn mixture, with a red and green carplaid, colors nicely blended, coat made with shoulder straps and belt, sizes 20-28, Monday, 3.50.

Twelve Men's Fur Coats at \$15

Last of the Fur Coats for this winter. Better invest now while you can make a profit by the cold weather remaining. \$18 to \$25 Coats clearing at \$15.

Men's \$1.25 Shirts, 53c

240 Men's Flannel and Sateen Shirts, broken odd lines, all extra quality all wool grey and navy flannels, also some fancy trimmed booms, pleats and corded, collars attached; Sateens extra heavy quality best of finish, sizes 14 to 17, regular price 1.00 and 1.25, on sale Monday at, each .53.

Picture Framing Half Price.

A picture isn't a picture nowadays unless it has a frame, and it cannot then be called artistic unless the style and finish of the frame suits the subject. We claim superiority in fitting pictures for we have the best facilities for modern frame making and understand just how should be done.

The Housekeepers' Monday List.

- Those who have homes to take care of should never fail to attend the Monday Morning Sales in the Staples Department. This Monday is no exception to the rule either. 12 1/2 Apron Gingham, 8c Yard. 500 yards of Heavy English and Canadian Apron Gingham, assorted in indigo checks, with or without border, also plain pink with fancy colored border, 34 to 37 inches wide, colorings fast and sold regularly at 10c and 12 1/2c, Monday, to clear, per yard .08. \$3.00 White Wool Blankets, \$2.38. 200 pairs of White Unshrinkable Wool Blankets, assorted in medium and heavy weights, for spring and summer use; size 60x80; double bed size; thoroughly scoured and cleaned, and warranted free from grease, regular \$3.00 values, Monday, per pair . . . . . 2.38. \$2.25 White Satin Quilts, \$1.58. 75 only Heavy English Satin Bed Spreads, 11-4 double bed size; assorted in new and handsome designs; pure full bleached and made of even thread; regular selling values \$2.00 and \$2.25; Monday, special . . . . . 1.58. New "Remino" Flannels, 50c. First arrival of our New "Remino" Flannels, to be shown Monday morning, including all the latest effects and colorings for spring and summer wear; Remino Flannels are warranted pure wool and unshrinkable, and the colorings guaranteed absolutely fast; full 32 inches wide and made in a beautiful range of colorings and designs and pure soft finish; suitable for waists, blouses, pyjama suits, tea gowns, underwear, night dresses, dressing-gowns, etc.; our special price, per yard . . . . . 50. Remnants of Bleached, Half-Bleached and Three-Quarter Bleached Damask Linen Tablecloths, 56 to 70 inches wide; assorted designs; in lengths of 1 3/4, 2, 2 1/4, 2 3/4, 3, 3 1/4, 3 3/4 and 3 yards; slightly soiled on edge and worth regularly 85c to \$1.25 each; Monday, to clear, any length . . . . . 78. \$2.00 Tapestry Table Covers, \$1.46. 45 only English and American Tapestry Table Covers, with heavy knotted fringe and borders all around; 2 1/2 and 2 1/2 yards; assorted in new designs and colorings, with rich combinations; regular \$2.00 values; Monday, special . . . . . 1.46. "Get the Habit." Lunch at Simpson's and make friends with yourself.