

HOW DICE ARE LOADED.

An Instance of Double Dealing on Power Question. The So-Called Concession Looks Like a Joker. Has Ear Marks of Scheme For Election Purposes.

An instance of the double dealing that has been going on between the influences so antagonistic to a settlement of the power question and the Hydro-Electric Commission is that famous little extension clause, which the commission after the conference on Tuesday with the Cabinet decided to limit to Dec. 31, 1910, robbing Hamilton of an opportunity of figuring out the cost of Niagara power for one year, as it would have been in a position to do, had the date been fixed as August 1, 1911, as the city suggested.

The extension clause is nothing more than a little joker framed up by the gentlemen who insist that they must have the power horse to ride into the Council or Board of Control on in January.

When Solicitor Lobb innocently dropped the suggestion before the Power Committee that the commission might agree to such a concession, and read a clause which he had obligingly drafted, leaving the date blank, the aldermen swallowed it, bait, hook and line.

Some of them have just tumbled to the fact that the magnanimous and voluntary offer of the commission to give Hamilton a chance to test the cost of power before plugging the city into the scheme was really a clever little trick, planned by the influences that have been so strenuously bucking the Cataract, to make sure that the power question would be an open issue for the next election.

The gang, that has been to an extent exerting an influence in civic affairs, exulting through the strength derived from playing to the gallery on the power question, apparently realized that with the power question out of its way its influence was gone.

Then the busy hand, that has been so mysteriously pulling strings, every time a settlement of the power question appeared to be at hand, hit upon the scheme of securing for Hamilton the right to have the power question in election clauses inserted later, if the city desired. The intention of this is to leave the power question an open issue over the next elections. The plan of campaign is to appeal to the electors to see that a Council is elected next year that will close with the commission, without reservation.

As an alderman very tersely expressed it, if the Commission has faith in its scheme and is willing that it shall be tested, why is it afraid to give Hamilton a fair opportunity to ascertain the cost of power, to have it stated in black and white, then to vote free to purchase its power from whatever source the Council decides?

The prospect of a Mayoralty fight keeps looming up. Ex-Mayor Stewart has already been publicly quoted as saying that he will not be a candidate. Ald. Hopkins, however, who, like Mr. Stewart, was mentioned as a possibility, has not given up hope. It was reported to-day that he has already been taking observations and trying to enlist the aid of some of the Hydro leaders in campaigning for him.

GREAT SALE.

Inauguration Event at the Right House Now On.

The Right House Inauguration Sale is one of the most notable events in the history of the 66-year-old store. The sale is now on in full blast, as most of the buying population of Hamilton is aware, because of the Right House advertisements in all the local papers.

The recent reorganization of the big King street concern necessitated the taking of a stock inventory. After this had been accomplished—it was quite a task—the management determined that too many odd and broken lines were on hand. Hence the sale.

An announced in the advertisements, the Right House, known all over Canada as a great importing concern, has this week some of the best values in embroideries, laces, silks, millinery, under-wraps, suitings, waists, coats, furs, carpets, rugs, linoleum, notions, gents' furnishings, etc., etc., at ridiculously low prices. It will pay any man or woman in Hamilton to drop in the Right House during the big Inauguration Sale.

HONORED CHOIR MASTER.

Last evening the choir boys of St. Mark's Church, accompanied by their rector and secretary, visited the residence of their choirmaster, Mr. Reginald Britton, 72 Bay street north, where the rector, on behalf of the boys, presented him with a pair of cuff-links, nicely engraved, and said that his services were much appreciated by the choir and congregation. Mr. Britton made a suitable reply and thanked all for their kindness to him.

MAN KILLED.

Chicago, Oct. 28.—One man was killed and four others seriously injured to-day when a train on a mountain tram road ran away and went over an embankment at Dunbar, near here. The train belonged to the Tri-State Lumber Co., and the five men were employees.

Get Your Eye On It.

Carroll's advertisement is specially interesting this week, because of the variety of goods advertised, and because of the littleness of prices mean substantial savings to purchasers, while there is ever that supreme satisfaction of knowing that quality is backed up by an absolute guarantee. Your money back if dissatisfied.

Can New Premier Save Spain?



MORET Y PRENDERGAST. Moret y Prendergast is the man King Alfonso has picked upon to save Spain and the throne in the office of prime minister. Senator Moret (they call him from front handle) is a Liberal, but has conservative tendencies. It is said, Moret was minister of colonies before the Spanish-American war, and is generally blamed for the troubles that resulted in the loss of Cuba and the Philippines.

AFTER THE ELECTIONS.

Barton Solicitor Wants Annexation Delayed a Month.

Discussion of Terms Delayed Until Friday Night

To Allow Township People Time to Study Terms.

When the aldermen met yesterday afternoon to discuss the annexation agreement with Reeve Gage and the Barton councillors they struck a snag. It was the first time the township solicitor, W. A. H. Duff, had a peek at the printed copies of the terms and he advised the township representatives not to discuss the matter until they had time to consider it. Mr. Duff suggested an adjournment until Friday night and Mayor McLaren readily agreed.

As usual there was some bright repartee before Mr. Duff left. Mayor McLaren was puzzled to know how the township solicitor could appear representing Barton and at the same time looking after the interest of some of the people in the new district, who will soon be citizens of Hamilton. His Worship pointed out that these new citizens would be affected the same as any other ratepayers in Hamilton by any concessions made.

Mr. Duff, however, cheerfully replied that he felt he could quite competently represent the township and individuals as long as their interests did not clash.

Before the township deputation departed they asked that the time of the annexation order date from the first of the year instead of November. His Worship pointed out that the election before annexation takes place. The Railway and Municipal Board will settle this point.

There is some doubt as to what effect annexation will have on the railways running through the part to be annexed. The franchises are not to be interfered with but the city will contend that the Street Railway, the Radial and H. G. & B. in portions annexed shall be governed by city by-laws. The city will also insist that any revenue derived from the roads running through the annex shall be paid to Hamilton. The township will oppose this.

IN THE GRAVE.

The funeral of the late Mrs. James Sutherland took place yesterday afternoon, and was conducted by the Salvation Army, a service being held at the citadel at 3 o'clock, conducted by Adjutant W. H. Byers, assisted by Secretary N. Rowe. The pallbearers were Messrs. John Beal, R. Earl, J. Ogden, R. Ward, W. White and S. Marriott. Among the floral offerings was a beautiful piece from the officers and soldiers of No. 1 corps of the Army.

The funeral of Mrs. Rebecca Eleanor Quimby took place this afternoon at 3.30 o'clock from her late residence, 22 Vine street to Hamilton Cemetery. The services were in charge of Rev. A. E. Mitchell. The pallbearers were W. A. H. Duff, E. D. Cahill, John Wilson, R. B. Hains, W. G. Moore and R. Hill.

The funeral of Mrs. Harriet Flynn took place this morning at 8.30 o'clock from her late residence, 60 Murray street west to St. Mary's Cathedral, street to Holy Sepulchre Cemetery. Mass was said at the church by Rev. Father Hinchey and at the grave by Rev. Father Bonomi. The pallbearers were J. Dillon, N. Kennedy, F. Smith, J. Adams, G. Cleary and T. Johnston. A large number of friends were present and many flowers were received.

WILL WEAR GOWNS.

The session of St. John's Presbyterian Church has decided that the choir of the church shall wear gowns. The change will come into effect at an early date, it being intended to have the gowns ready by Christmas.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES

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

STORY TOLD BY BEDFORD

Is Full of Inaccuracies and Looks Impossible.

Mr. Lynch-Staunton Thinks It Should be Investigated.

Detective Miller Makes Analysis of the Confession.

Edward William Bedford, alias Corry, who created a sensation less than three weeks ago by surrendering to the police in London, Eng., and confessing that he was the slayer of Ethel Kinrade, will probably be a free man before the end of the week.

Hon. J. J. Foy, Attorney-General of Ontario, promised last night that a speedy decision would be reached as to holding and transporting in custody to Hamilton, the man who insists that he is a murderer. It is almost certain that no action will be taken. Provincial Inspector Miller, who had charge of the case and is thoroughly familiar with all its details, after reading Mr. Bedford's confession, and the reports of the Scotland Yard detectives, pointed out no less than fifteen glaring inaccuracies in the man's story. He submitted his report to the Attorney-General last night.

Although the Provincial authorities are apparently perfectly satisfied that there is not a possibility of the man knowing anything about the murder, George Lynch-Staunton, who represented the family at the inquest, is more impressed than ever that the man's story should be very carefully investigated, and he expressed his opinion that the confession, he says, should not be treated lightly, and a thorough investigation should be made. He is of the opinion that the police of both countries are disposed to be too quick in attaching no importance to the man's statements.

Some of the statements in the confession are not in accordance with the facts, he thinks that the man may be confused. This is indicated by some of the statements concerning exactly when information in possession of the police.

Mr. Staunton declared that the right course for the police to pursue would be to leave nothing undone to test the accuracy of Bedford's confession before trying to take any further action.

Bedford's story reads like a novel, but a most probable one. He speaks of being approached by a stranger at a park near the docks in Toronto, who asked him if he wanted to make some money. "I can see that you want me to do something bad," said Bedford. He then speaks of the negotiations, receiving a lot of money from the stranger, the purchase of a dog, and the trip to Hamilton. He went to Hamilton the afternoon before the murder, met the stranger, and the Kinrade house was pointed out as being on the corner of "Hikime" street. They separated that night, and met next morning at nine. He turned over the money and disguises, except the overcoat, to the stranger. He objected to giving the money back, but his confederate declared he would get enough to pay his fare out of the country and \$400 besides if he killed the girl. He went to the house at 2.30, asked for money from a young girl about 24 who answered the door.

She wore a dark brown coat, and appeared frightened and went upstairs. Another girl came down stairs, and he (Continued on Page 10.)

CHEATED AN OLD FRIEND.

Stick One Got \$75 and a Gun Quite Easily.

A very clever game was worked in this city a couple of days ago by a young man from North Bay, who secured a rifle and cleared out. Nothing has been heard of him since, and he has not worked at the place where he was reported in North Bay. The young man was a son of a friend of a local wholesale house, and his arrival in the city at once made himself acquainted with his father's old friend. He was entertained at lunch and chatted over the opportunities the new country afforded the enterprising young man. The young man was acquainted with his entertainer's son, who is also up near North Bay, and the conversation drifted around until they were talking about him. The city man remembered his son wanted his rifle sent up to him, and asked the young man if he would deliver it on his return journey, and he replied that he would, so it was handed over. A little later the young man said he was short of cash and asked his father's friend if he would identify him at the bank. He cashed a cheque for \$75 and later disappeared and nothing has been heard of him since. The North Bay bank authorities say that he has not arrived back there. He had \$80 in the bank at North Bay, but previous to leaving he had drawn the full amount out. The bank authorities wanted to have a warrant issued for his arrest, but his Hamilton victim objected and wrote to the parents of the young man to see what they would do in the matter.

There is Comfort

In a good hot water bottle. We guarantee Parks' perfect bottle to give two years' wear and will replace every one that is defective. When you are in need of a hot water bottle, call and see our Parks' Perfect. Parke & Parke, corner MacNab street and Market Square.

Fresh Cut Mushrooms.

Getting fresh cut mushrooms nearly every day; new dates, new raisins, new figs, Long Point ducks, grape fruit, sweet potatoes, quince, artichokes, mince, sweet cider, New Orleans molasses, Cresca figs, preserved ginger, apricots, peaches, nectarines, prunes, squabs, Neuchâtel cream cheese, O. A. C. butter, mackerel, strip codfish.—Bain & Adams.

AN OLD BABY

Kansas City, Oct. 28.—Mrs. Indiana Hogan, 104 years old, and her son, Levi Howard, 71 years old, whom she characterizes as "my baby," passed through this city last night en route from Anabel, Mo., to the Ozark regions, where they are going for the son's health. Mrs. Hogan, who is self-reliant and active despite her age, is able to recall the battle of Tippecanoe. Her father fought under Gen. William Henry Harrison, and she had five sons in the Civil war, two of them being killed. She has smoked since she was young, but regrets it now because she fears it will shorten her life.

The Man in Overalls

Have the market butchers any objection to a municipal abattoir? The committee might like that out.

The Technical School is filling up. Have you joined?

But there is no word of London presenting Mooney Gibson with a house and lot. There was a lot of moonshine about that "reception."

That story from Winnipeg about Mr. Foster suggests another "nest of traitors."

So doggie is to get off the chain again. Happy release. But what has become of the Dog Protective Association?

More new books at the Public Library. Are you a reader?

Have you to thank Mr. Hendrie for bringing the Central Prison to Hamilton? Or is Mr. Studholme our benefactor?

Buy them now and not have to carry home your parcels.

Winning a road race or a baseball game wins more applause than does the winning of a Rhodes' scholarship. Are we only half-civilized?

I agree with the Mayor that the police are doing good work. Give them a chance.

If we are really buying that sort of stuff in the meat market, the wonder is we are not all down with lung trouble. But is the report true? What do the butchers say? They may have another story.

The dog days are coming. Doggie is to be let off the chain.

What chance has a common farmer with Whitney, who, when beaten at court, alters the law to suit his own case?

If you have the money to spare don't grudge it to the Y. W. C. A. The ladies need it and they deserve it, as do the girls they look after and mother.

If the sand-sucker could be used as a road roller the mountain people would like to have it up there for a few weeks.

If those statements made to the Board of Health are correct, what's the use of trying to fight the white plague?

In figuring out the police increase, don't leave out of the calculation the fact that Mount Hamilton needs and expects police protection as well as fire protection.

A poor show and a poor crowd at the Con. Club last night. Explanation.—No refreshments.

If the boys take my advice they will stay in and study their lessons on Hallway's. Oh, never mind what I used to do. It's a long time since I was a boy.

TWO HAULS

Money Secured by Robbers at Two Houses.

The good round sum of \$78 and a valuable ring were stolen from the home of Hannah Badda, 3 Arthur street, yesterday morning. She left the house on business for a short time, and when she returned the money and ring were missing. Signs of a burglar were evident. The detectives believe they are right on the scent of the perpetrators.

James Sullivan, 150 King William street, had \$52 stolen from his trunk on October 20, according to his report to the police. He said some one must have opened his trunk with a duplicate key, and extracted his roll of bills.

TWO ACCIDENTS. John Geason, 479 John street north, was badly injured at the Canadian Westinghouse works yesterday. The tops of four fingers of his right hand were cut off in a machine. The injured man was attended to at the City Hospital.

WEDDINGS OF OCTOBER DAY.

Marriage of Only Daughter of Mr. Cyrus Birge.

Fashionable Event in Centenary Methodist Church.

Popular Member of Ramblers' Club Weds Miss Dornan.

Centenary Church was the scene of a pretty wedding yesterday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock, when the marriage was solemnized of Miss Edith Marion Birge, only daughter of Mr. Cyrus A. Birge, and Mr. James MacKay, of the firm of Tyrell & MacKay, civil engineers. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. J. V. Smith, in the presence of about 250 guests, including many friends from Toronto, Providence, R. I., New York, Hartford, Conn., and other places. The church was decorated with palms and chrysanthemums. W. H. Hewlett played Lohengrin's Wedding March and Mrs. Faskin MacDonald sang "De Cause."

The fair bride, who entered the church leaning on the arm of her father, was gowned in white duchess satin, with lace pearl and silver trimmings, veil and wreath of orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses and lilies of the valley and wore a diamond crescent, the gift of the groom. The maid of honor, Miss Ida Gillard, and the bridesmaids, Misses Florence McCaulay and Miss Alexandra Sutherland, were all gowned in blue duchess satin, with pearl and silver trimmings, and wore black beaver hats. Each carried blue hat baskets filled with pink roses. Master Charles Alexander Birge, brother of the bride, acted as ring bearer, carrying the ring on a white satin heart-shaped pillow. The groomsmen were Mr. John Connon, and the ushers Dr. Charles Sutherland, J. A. Ferguson, Grimshy, B. O. Hooper and Clare Vanstone, Toronto.

After the ceremony a large buffet luncheon was served at the home of the bride's parents, 681 Main street east. A reception was held, the reception room being beautifully decorated with pink carnations and southern smilax. The library was decorated with red berries and autumn foliage. In the drawing room, where the wedding breakfast was served, the bay window was decorated with southern smilax and large vases of chrysanthemums. Held up by white doves, with white ribbons, were two entwined hearts of white roses. The mantel piece was banked in with ferns and lilies of the valley, while the table had a large display of pink roses.

The groom's gift to the maid of honor and the bridesmaids were gold rope necklets, with pearls and diamonds. To the groomsmen and ushers he gave pearl scarf pins. Many beautiful presents were received from the many friends of the bride and groom.

At the reception the bride changed her bridal attire for a travelling suit of blue and green tweed, smartly tailored, and a small beaver hat, trimmed with black and green wings. Mr. and Mrs. MacKay left for a two weeks' trip to New York and the Southern States.

JOCELYN DORNAN. A very pretty matrimonial event took place last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dornan, 125 Bay street north, when their daughter, Clara, became the bride of Mr. Robert Jocelyn, of this city. The knot was tied by Rev. S. B. Russell, of Erskine Church, in the presence of quite a gathering of relatives and friends, including a number from a distance.

Attired in red mulle, with old Irish (Continued on page 4)

BERT TUCK.

Death of Fine Young Man Causes Great Sorrows

Ethelbert Tuck, 54 Oxford street, son of Constable Tuck, was badly injured at the Westinghouse works yesterday, and died a few hours after from shock and loss of blood in the City Hospital. Deceased was a type of young man whom the community cannot afford to lose. He was respected everywhere, for he lived a clean, Christian life. The mother's heart is well-nigh broken.

Deceased worked for the Westinghouse Company as bookkeeper in the car receiving office. He had been there four years, and was attending to his duties, when the accident happened. He was a good employee, faithful and honest, and his co-workers liked him. He was a member of Gospel Tabernacle; was secretary of the Sunday school; and a church worker.

While checking cars he was caught between two, had a foot crushed and leg broken. Death was caused by shock and loss of blood.

The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon from the home of the deceased, 54 Oxford street.

Dr. Anderson will hold an inquest to-morrow night.

ON CASH BAIL. C. N. Vanzant and Harry Sellers are out on bail. It was arranged yesterday. They were taken from the jail to the City Hall, where the master was fixed up. Each put up \$100 cash. They have left the city, but will be back for their trial, which will take place to-morrow.

COMING TO TORONTO. Toronto, Ont., Oct. 28.—A telegram received by officials of St. James' Presbyterian Church announces that the Halifax Presbytery has sanctioned the call to Rev. Dr. Andrew Robertson, of St. John's, Nfld., to St. James' Church. Dr. Robertson will leave St. John's about the middle of November.

A Handy Thing For Smokers. A rubber tobacco pouch is the correct thing for your cut tobacco. It prevents waste and keeps the tobacco in good condition. Fine rubber pouches are sold at peace's pipe store, 107 King street east.

When a girl is worth her weight in gold, the fatter she is the better.



ETHELBERT TUCK, Son of P. C. Harry Tuck, who was killed yesterday.

HAVE RAISED OVER \$6,000.

Need of Y. W. C. A. Seems to be Fully Recognized.

Something About the New Building, Nearing Completion.

A Very Great Effort Will be Needed For Two Days.

The Y. W. C. A. extension has passed out of the embryo state now, and its construction has advanced sufficiently to give one an idea of what it will be when the mechanics are finished. It is considerably larger than the old building and has been built on commodious and sanitary lines. The building, when completed, will contain 60 bedrooms, situated on the second floor of the two wings. Each room will have a clothes closet, and steam radiator, and each has a window. The parlor in the old building will be fitted up by the Grocers' Association, and turned over to the Y. W. C. A. as a sitting room for the young ladies. What were formerly used as dormitories in the old building will be reconstructed and used as class and reading rooms. A public bath room will be installed in the new structure for the use of women who are without such a convenience in their own homes. At the end of each wing two rooms have been set aside as rest rooms. These will be reserved for the use of the young ladies who have been ill and are in that state of lassitude that generally follows. Four sun parlors will be built at the south end of the building. They will be glass in, and should be popular resorts with the girls during the day time. The board room will be furnished by the different ladies' societies in the city. This room will be at the service of the ladies' societies for any meeting they wish to hold. The dining room is a commodious, airy room that will accommodate about 100 diners. It will be well lighted during the day by the sun, and is a big improvement over its predecessor. The gymnasium has been built on a plan similar to that of the Y. M. C. A., although somewhat smaller. A showerbath room, and all the most up-to-date muscle developers will be installed later on.

The building will be one of the most modern and complete in Canada when finished, and the ladies responsible for its erection are to be congratulated and complimented upon the materialization of their schemes.

OVER \$6,000 NOW. The total subscriptions for the Y. W. C. A. reported up till 1 o'clock to-day amount to \$5,297. For the Y. M. C. A. hall is a commensurate amount. The standing of the various teams is now as follows:

Table with columns for Y.W.C.A., Y.M.C.A., and Special committee, listing names and amounts.

The subscriptions of \$100 or over reported to-day are:

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At the conclusion of the meeting all the delegates to the convention lined up in front of the church where their photograph was taken.

WALSH'S CASE.

Chicago, Oct. 28.—John R. Walsh, whose conviction of misuse of funds of the Chicago National Bank was recently affirmed by the United States Appellate Court, may remain at liberty, under bonds, pending an attempt to appeal his case to the Supreme Court of the United States.

MEMBER RESIGNS. (Special Wire to the Times.) Ottawa, Ont., Oct. 28.—Speaker Maclellan, of the House of Commons, has received from A. K. MacLean, member for Lunenburg, the resignation of his Federal seat. He has issued his warrant for a new election. The Government has not yet fixed the date for voting, but this will be done shortly. It is understood Mr. MacLean will be sworn in to-day as Attorney-General for Nova Scotia.

THE KING'S CADETS.

The boys' Organized Bible Class of Erskine Sunday school held their second regular business meeting last evening at the home of their teacher, Mrs. A. Turnbull. Written reports were given by the different committees, all showing a good beginning of their organized work. Mr. Murray Souter gave a most interesting account of his late ocean voyage, and visit to the land of the rose and thistle. His descriptions of places of historical interest, scenes and beauty, and funny incidents by the way were vivid word pictures much enjoyed by the class. Mr. Ed Montgomery also contributed to the enjoyment of the evening. Refreshments were served and the meeting closed with the National Anthem. Mr. Will Souter is president of this class.

A horse is broke before he goes on a race track, a man after.

GOOD WORK OF B. Y. P. U.

Reported Upon at the Baptist Convention To-day.

Twenty New Baptist Churches Built In Four Years.

Temperance Deputation Addressed Members This Morning.

After devotional exercises at the morning session of the Baptist Convention to-day, the report of the Church Edifice Board was read by Rev. Wm. J. Scott, Toronto Secretary-Treasurer of the Board. The report showed that there were twenty new church edifices and four new parsonages opened during 1907-1908. Returns were received from all of these except one. Of the church edifices opened, 10 belonged to Home Mission churches and four were self-supporting. The total amount expended upon the nineteen churches which reported was \$74,483, and upon the four parsonages \$7,016, and together made a total of \$81,499. The increased interest manifested by the churches was very gratifying. Rev. Wm. Scott gave the statistics of the forty-second annual report, which showed the numerous cases of assistance given to the various churches.

In making the report of the Edifice Board, Rev. W. F. Roadhouse said that the method of the Board was purely a loan system, interest at three per cent, being charged, which was paid back if the amount was met within thirty days. A great many churches had been helped from the funds of the Board. More than one out of every three of the churches of the Northern societies had been helped.

Rev. J. W. Sallott, Picton, seconded the report, and said that although the Board was doing all in its power to assist the churches, it was impossible for it to undertake everything. Out of the 400 churches appealed to for assistance, only sixty more responded. The report was adopted.

A surprise was given to the members of the Convention when Ald. Lora arrived, in company with Mr. F. S. Spence, Toronto.

Ald. Lora, in a short address, said he appeared on behalf of the Temperance Alliance, to present friendly greetings, and would not delay, but would speak on the work of the Baptist Church.

Mr. Spence said he knew the Baptist Church was cordially in sympathy with the temperance work. He came to thank them for their co-operation in the past, but wished to still have their able assistance. In every country, the work of prohibition was making wonderful progress. Nearly two-thirds of the territory of United States was under prohibition. There were 6,185 liquor licenses in Canada in 1885, and to-day the number was down to nearly 2,000. One hundred and sixty municipalities would vote next January to do away with the barroom and its accompanying evils. In conclusion, Mr. Spence said that the alliance he represented was not in competition with any organization, but was in sympathy with all denominations in wiping out the great evil.

In presenting the report of the Young People's Work, Rev. H. H. Bingham, Paris, said the educational work of Young People's Societies was a great advantage to the church. The B. Y. P. U. had a missionary course for the young people, and it was the policy of the executive to further the missionary movement as much as they could. Although the 1,050 members of the 17 associations contributed last year the sum of \$1,515 to missionary work, the policy of the Young People's organization was not to make it a money-making concern, but to study and learn the Bible. There were about 1,000 members of the Bible society who studied the Bible every day, and all these members were doing great personal work.

Rev. M. C. MacLean, in seconding the report, said he had no more earnest workers in his church than the members of the union. The time had arrived when the result of the B. Y. P. U. was being shown.

Rev. J. R. Webb also gave a short address in connection with the young people's work.

The report of the Christian Stewardship Committee was read by Rev. W. C. Weir, B. A., Woodstock, who said that over 125,000 pieces of literature was distributed last year by the committee. The resignation of the Stewardship Committee was tendered as the Laymen's Missionary Society would attend to the work in future. He said that the Laymen's Missionary Movement would be in a position to do more work than it was possible for the Stewardship Committee to do. After some discussion it was decided to adopt the report with the exception of the resignation, which was left over to some future date.

The officers elected to the Church Edifice Board were James Somerville, Dr. E. Hooper and Rev. W. F. Roadhouse.

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AT R. MCKAY & CO'S. FRIDAY, OCT. 29, 1909. SHOP AT 8.30 FRIDAY MORNING. Only Two Days More The Hurry-Out Sale

Immense value-giving for the two remaining days of the great half-yearly sale; tremendous selling, immense crowds every day.

Rich New Suitings at 45c Yard. Come and see these new Suitings, clearing at the above Hurry-Out Sale Price.

Friday Starts the Most Remarkable Sale of the Season. \$12.50 and \$14 Swell Long Coats at \$8.98.

Separate Skirts at Special Prices. \$5.50 French Panama Skirts \$3.95. \$9.50 Voile Skirts at \$7.50.

Hurry-Out Sale of Fancy Goods. Another Lot of Berlin Wool 2 for 5c. Battenberg Lace Pieces 25c.

Hurry-Out Prices for Friday. Odd Napkins. Towels 15c. Flannelette 10c.

WOMAN PASSENGER SOARS. Taken for a Spin in Wilbur Wright's Aeroplane.

A GOOD THING FROM CANADA. Compliment to Dr. Osler at Medical Banquet in London.

GENERAL BOOTH AGAIN ACTIVE. One Eye Completely Gone, Other May Last Five Years.

Sunday Schools. Toronto, Oct. 28.—Mr. William McCrae, of Guelph, is the new president of the Ontario Sunday School Association.

NOT DECENT. A Man Can't be an Athlete and a Decent Man.

Statement Made by Hamilton Man at Toronto Convention.

AGAINST SLAYERS. Unique Policy of Mayor of Wellington, Mo., Cancelled.

FERRER'S WILL. History Would Vindicate Him—Teaching to Continue.

IRISH LAND BILL. London, Oct. 27.—Premier Asquith announced in the House of Commons that on Nov. 5 he would move for the rejection of the entire House of Lords' amendments to the Irish land bill.

COL. LOGIE. Lieut.-Col. Logie received word from General Sir Percy Lake this morning notifying him that he had been successful in his exhibition for a colonelcy.

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And once again, all alone on the wild and solitary shore, Kathleen O'Neal stood looking over the boundless sea at that crimson glory in the sky.

The soft, abundant brown hair hung loose, and fluttered in the light evening wind, in an out on the red gull on the sea.

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And Mr. Gerald, in his hard, old precocity—a "man about town" at two-and-twenty, with all the knowledge of a wicked old age.

And to all of which Mr. Gerald never got an explicit answer than a momentary blush and an indignant "Oh, hang it, Ger! none of your nagging! Let a fellow alone, can't you?"

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"You, Kathleen—for this reason: Rory has gone mad for her. Ah, what an impetuous, hot-headed, reckless, hare-brained fellow that is!"

"Here—between you and Rory? Ah! why, indeed? You see, Kathie, the don married an English woman, rich beyond all telling, and beautiful as—her daughter, Donna Inez has spent her whole life in a Spanish convent.

"At home, as I should be—very likely. But hard work all summer has used me up, and I've taken a run over to Clontarf to freshen for the autumn and winter campaign.

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Banlay, Ore., Oct. 28. This town boasts of a lock-up, but not of prisoners. The culprit crop has been so small this season that the calaboose has an emptiness which resemble the opera house interior when a 35 cent show is playing. Recently the town was able to point with pride to Lon Anderson, who allowed himself to be imprisoned for some peccadillo or other and things began to look up in the incarceration market. But there was a drawback. Lon could not hear any chains rattle, nor any maledictions in the stilly night, and it got on his nerves same as sleeping in a cemetery. Escape was seemingly the only alternative until a hobo struck town who listened favorably to a proposition to share the jail with Lon.

So Lon paid the hobo's board and the hobo struck around to play seven-up with Lon.

ANNEXATION.

To the Editor of the Times: Sir,—In the Manning building, near the City Hall in Toronto, the Railway and Municipal Board will meet for a final hearing to the whole case relative to annexation.

Already annexation is a fixed fact. That is admitted, and was presented as evidence, why a village should not be incorporated. The argument was successful. Property owners within the boundary line of the lands annexed should lose no time in the appointment of proper advocates to present facts before a meeting of said Railway and Municipal Board, set for November 2, 1909.

On the question of terms the finding of said Board is final. Let no ratepayer presume that the court understands the whole case. If justice is to be administered, we, as interested ratepayers, formerly of Barton Township, now look for justice to the capable men forming said Board. Let our capacity be manifested in the appointment of capable men to present evidence at the time and place named. As an interested party expecting good results, I look to every man to do his duty.

28th Oct., 1909. Wm. Strong.

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Sir Wilfrid Laurier Speaks of British Constitution.

The Premier's Eloquent Address to Montreal Women.

British Constitution Compared With That of United States.

Montreal, Oct. 27.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier was the guest of honor to-day at the Montreal Women's Canadian Club luncheon, and addressed the members on "British and American Constitutions—a Contrast."

The meeting was held in the Royal Victoria College, and was one of the most successful luncheons in the history of the club. Lady Drummond occupied the chair and introduced the speaker.

Sir Wilfrid was in good form, and gave an excellent address upon his favorite topic. He paid a glowing tribute to the elasticity and adaptability of the British constitution, pointing out that it was more democratic and representative than that of the neighboring republic. The British constitution had never been congealed into writing, but was a living, flexible thing, always growing so that it could adapt itself to the varying needs of the nation. Yet so strong and solid was it that while it had grown by evolution, the other nations of the world, after centuries of revolution and fighting, had modeled their constitutions largely upon it. It was perhaps not perfect, but it was undoubtedly the most noble code of political wisdom ever devised by man for the government of a man.

But while Europe was going through this period of despotism, Sir Wilfrid pointed out that the reverse conditions prevailed in England, where all the efforts of the descendants of William the Conqueror to secure absolute power along European lines were met by the nobles and people with determined, unflinching and unconquerable resistance. The representative system gradually developed in England until it became crystallized in the Parliamentary system, the pride of British subjects all over the world, and the symbol of liberty, law and order the world over. (Applause.)

This began to insist upon the principle that in England the King should have no power to levy taxes upon his subjects except with their own consent. This led to long struggles between the Crown and the people until the time of Charles I., when Parliament forced upon the unwilling consent of the King a statute providing that no subsidy or tax could be imposed upon merchandise, either coming in or going from the country, without the consent of Parliament. That was the first cardinal principle of the constitution, that the King could not tax without the consent of Parliament. Since then the power of Parliament has steadily grown, and with its growth had come into existence the tradition that the Commons had the initiative and power in matters of finance, and that the Lords should not change such laws, a system long recognized.

The second great principle of the constitution was that legislative power was not with the King, but with him and the Lords and Commons. This naturally led to the executive power. In any civilized nation the executive was with the Chief Magistrate, and in England the King was the Chief

ADDRESS TO SALEMEN

Following Banquet to the Employees of Stanley Mills.

"Salesmanship" was the subject on which an interesting and instructive address was given by W. J. Irvine, of Dayton, Ky., last evening at a special meeting and banquet of the employees and management of Stanley Mills & Co. In introducing the speaker, Mr. Stanley Mills said that Mr. Irvine was to address, not one of the best, but what he considered the best staff of employees in Hamilton.

Mr. Irvine opened his address by saying that he was not there to give a lecture, but to talk for the mutual advancement of the clerks and employees. He assumed that all possessed the ambition to be something more than a clerk behind a retail counter. The successful men in life are those who have grasped the opportunities when they presented themselves. He remarked that in passing through the store all that he noticed spoke well not only for the management, but also for the department of the clerks. There were a few points, however, which ought to be observed. The first was punctuality. Many were a few minutes late every day. They did not realize what they were doing. It was doing wrong, and how could a person expect to advance who pursued a course which was wrong. Persons who had no ambition should not work in a department store, where there were great opportunities for advancement. Another weak point commonly seen was the lack of courtesy. A large amount of business was lost through this, and the employees did not know how much business they do for the firm and themselves through not being courteous to customers. Grouching was bound to hinder the progress of the clerk. They should be pleasant, not because it was a business proposition, but because it was right. In regard to carelessness, a large number of retail clerks made mistakes, not because

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THURSDAY, OCT. 28, 1909.

AN EARLY FROST.

The much-announced "rally" for the season's opening of the Young Men's Conservative Club took place last night, Hon. Messrs. Hanna, Cochrane and Hendrie, and Gordon C. Wilson being the attractions. The "young men," however, were conspicuous by their absence, probably 100 of the 125 present being counted among the gray-headed standbys of the party. This made the speakers' perfunctory appeals to the young men sound somewhat incongruous. The saving presence of two ladies, in addition to a lady vocalist engaged for the occasion, enabled the orators without inappropriately to address their remarks to "ladies and gentlemen." Hon. Mr. Hanna doubtless laughed in his sleeve as he addressed "the great gathering of young men," claiming that the Whitney Government had carried out its pre-election promises to lift the provincial institutions out of politics, abolish prison labor contracts, and end the spoils system. The thinness and coldness of the meeting was somewhat compensated for by the warmth and vigor of the little clique, the most enthusiastic of which seemed to be our old friend, Sam Garrity. The young men of Hamilton, however, cannot be said to have missed much.

THE BROADER VIEW.

Perhaps lack of foresight is one of the greatest weaknesses of the average public man in Canada. The fault may be chargeable in some degree to our "newness"; but we fear that it must be admitted that lack of appreciation of our opportunities and lack of confidence in our future—in short, incapacity to the work in hand—is at the root of the evil. There are exceptions to this, of course. Occasionally a man of broad view, large grasp of his subject and unhesitating confidence in the future of his country, his city and his fellow citizens is in control, and the impress of his individuality remains in his works for the benefit of all. But in public affairs we have far too much of the shoddy, the ephemeral, the inconsequent. We build for to-day; let to-morrow take care of itself. Anyway, can't we patch and add to, if necessary?

We have been led to think of this matter by some remarks made in a private letter from a Canadian educationist now in the University of Chicago. He not unnaturally contrasts the plan of the buildings of that institution with that of the University of Toronto and finds that the latter suffers by the contrast. The Western University at London suffers in a still greater degree. It is not the mere matter of dollars or size; it is the lack of plan, of foresight, the failure to provide for the great things of the future, in which we have fallen short. Already the University of Toronto is in point of attendance the second largest under the British flag. The day is not far distant when the big best things must be sought not in the mother land but in this younger and greater Britain, and with our growth, the lack of foresight of which we have spoken will be more keenly felt. We should in all such matters build not only for the present moment, but have in view the demands of the future.

When our Collegiate Institute was founded there were many who objected to devoting an entire block, bought cheaply enough, to the institution. But there was not a foot too much land. When it was proposed to trench on the open space by putting the Technical School there, the Times objected. Not only did we regard the crowding of the building space as unwise, but we felt that the school should be placed in the manufacturing district, and separated from the Collegiate Institute distinctly both as to site and staff. The scheme was, we were told, to utilize some of the Collegiate faculty and operate it "on the cheap." That plan was soon abandoned. If the Technical School becomes as popular as it deserves to be made, very soon the present quarters will be too small, and the site will not be able to accommodate extensions. The Collegiate Institute has not been improved either in appearance or usefulness by the crowding of the new school on the grounds; no good end has been served, and an excellent chance to provide for the future on a definite and comprehensive plan has been lost.

It is just another of the blunders which the Canadian educator in Chicago warns us against. We shall feel the evil effects more and more as the years pass. What is needed is that our public men shall cease to think that to-day and the needs of villagehood must ever limit our ambition. We have a great future to build for, and we should so shape our plans as to fit in with supplying its needs as they arise. To do less is shortsighted and trammeling.

THE CRUISER OF THE CENTURY.

Great Britain will next month lay the keel of a new type of cruiser which will prove a record-breaker in size, power and speed. This cruiser—it is, in fact, a speed battleship—will be built at Devonport, and the order for her turbine engines has already been placed with the firm which constructed the Dreadnoughts' turbines. Some idea of the power of this new cruiser may be gathered from the fact that while the Mauretania's engines are of 66,000 indicated horse power, giving her a speed of 25 knots, this new vessel will have engines of 70,000 horse-power. The new cruiser will be some 200 feet shorter, a few feet narrower and yet will have 4,000 more horse-power. From this it will be seen that this new class is going to attain record results. The present St. Vincent

class of Dreadnoughts now completing have about 25,000 i.h.p., while the Invincible class, which have reeled off 27 knots, have 45,000 i.h.p., and now comes a battleship cruiser, with 70,000. It means at least 30 knots at top power with the latest propellers, with which there is a minimum of "slip." It means the revolutionizing of warship design, and the practically rendering obsolete as first class cruisers such as the County class and those similar to the Good Hope. These could be overtaken and blown to pieces before they could get into range themselves. The building of a cruiser of this character goes to show that Great Britain has no intention of giving up her supremacy upon the ocean.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Mark the aldermen who try to betray the city into this power monopoly contract. See that they never again get a chance to injure the city in any official capacity.

Mrs. Felker's suit against the Hydro contractors is to get into court. Probably many of the outraged farmers may now try to get justice. If so it will be interesting for the Hydro Commission.

Uncle Sam's new 12-inch guns will cost him \$72,820 each. Those costly weapons are rendered unsafe by firing a comparatively small number of charges. But what a great institution war is to "make work!"

The Department of Justice at Ottawa is being flooded with post cards and letters praying for clemency for Mrs. Robinson. The case will come before the Cabinet Council soon on the report of the Minister of Justice.

Have any of our readers heard of Hon. J. S. Hendrie holding up the Hydro Commission and demanding for Hamilton fair treatment in this power matter? Don't all speak at once. Surely he is not in the service of the conspirators!

France, too, is to enlarge her naval programme, building seven Dreadnoughts instead of four. The competition becomes keener. In France's case, however, the increased naval strength may be counted as a check on Germany's ambitions. Inspector Miller gives no credit to the confession of Bedford, who says he shot Ethel Kinrade. He finds in it no fewer than 15 instances in which the confession varies from the known facts. Some of these variations are not to be explained away on any theory of accidental error.

Astronomers are alarmed about Mars, some observers being apprehensive that a great cataclysm has changed the surface of the planet, probably destroying all life thereon. It is suspected that whatever was the cause of it may have had something to do with the magnetic storm which recently affected this planet.

All honor to McMaster! That excellent educational institution does not fear that truth can suffer by the most searching and critical examination. Our Baptist friends are to be congratulated on not lying awake at night in terror of that bogey, the higher criticism. It is pleasant to find "people who have faith in the religion which they profess."

An unruly elephant had to be killed by Ghent Zoological Garden authorities the other day. An enterprising German butcher bought the carcass and transformed it into 3,800 pounds of Frankfort sausages. The heart, which weighed 46 odd pounds, was sold in slices. The butcher is said to have made a tidy profit by his venture.

In answer to a query, we may say that the taxes announced in the Lloyd George budget have been levied from the day when the budget speech was made in the House of Commons, following the rule of Parliament. If the budget should be rejected and fail to become law, the refunding of collections made under it would become a live matter.

On Saturday the tariff agreement between France and the United States ends. We shall soon have an indication of the spirit in which the United States discriminatory tariff will be interpreted. The general opinion is that notwithstanding the bulldozing manner of the Yankee tariff tinkers, the Government will not attempt to enter upon a tariff war by challenging French retaliation.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier's address to the Montreal women's Canadian Club, dealing with the contrast between the British and American constitutions, was a splendid effort; and his argument for the superiority of the British system over that of the United States left nothing to be desired. Monarchical in name, the Government of the United Kingdom is to-day more democratic than that of the adjoining Republic.

When the Hamilton Herald first saw the Hydro-Electric form of contract it was astounded, and emphatically declared that it would be unwise for the city to enter into a monopoly contract for thirty years. What, think you, is the nature of the "influence" that has been used in it to lead it to become so enthusiastic in forwarding the conspiracy to induce the council to unwisely enter into the contract now?

Adam Beck, who has as a Hydro-Electric Commissioner, receded from the concessions which were promised this city to induce it to contract for 1,000 horse-

power of electricity, now tries to excuse his course by saying that it is "absurd" to say the Commission was swayed by "outside influence." Perhaps he plays with words. Maybe he regards the anti-Hamilton wire-pullers as "on the inside."

Brother McKay, editor of the Canadian Baptist, appears to be quite able to take care of himself in such discussions as arose at the Brotherhood meeting yesterday; but he has not apparently yet reached that perfection that enables him to meet the views of all his readers on every subject at the same time. When we hear that he has succeeded in doing so, we shall want to go down, and examine the beautiful pair of wings which he will have sprouted.

The Hydro-Electric Commission has evidently been influenced by something hostile to this city in demurring to the council's demand for reasonable time to test the Hydro scheme before being compelled to submit to the monopoly clause. It looks as if the Commission feels that the scheme will not bear testing. The difference between one year and two years could cost at the most a few hours of an accountant's work to compute what the city should pay on entering at that time. The refusal does not tend to confidence in the scheme.

London's city auditor has prepared a report upon the L. & P. S. R., which will be considered by the City Council. The effect of the auditor's finding is that the London & Port Stanley Board is going behind every year. The city paid the sum of \$1,332,834 for the road. Since that it accumulated indebtedness of \$125,000 for bridges, terminals, etc. Out of this investment the city received something like \$15,000 a year. At 5 per cent, the interest would amount to \$66,642.70. Deducting the \$15,000 paid to the city, the corporation loses every year \$51,642.70. The total shortage since 1882 is said to have been \$802,532. This is a municipal ownership investment of the unprofitable sort.

The Hamilton Herald is very severe on the Cemetery Board, which it accuses of throwing away \$125 a year for 10 years on the sale of some debentures, in its effort to give the deal to a Hamilton company. Its righteous indignation would be taken more seriously were it not just now engaged in doing its worst to commit the city to a wasteful and injurious power contract that would tie us up for 30 years to an absolute monopoly that would cause the ratepayers certainly heavy loss, probably from \$200,000 to \$500,000 in the contract period. And it does this not to enable us to deal with a Hamilton company, but with the specific object of taking the city's patronage from a home company which has guaranteed much cheaper power! The Herald is a sweet-scented critic indeed!

Our Exchanges

NOT AFRAID. (London Advertiser.) Canada doesn't want a tariff war—and doesn't fear one.

A COLD TOUCH. (Guelph Mercury.) The first touch of winter—the man who borrows money from you to buy coal with.

THE OLD FLUB-DUB. (Grimsby Independent.) My strongest point, however, against the enfranchisement of women, would be the fact that it would take her out of her natural and proper sphere—the home, and lead her into the mud and mire of the street.

MASONIC LODGE. (Toronto Star.) In troublous times, in countries suffering under oppression, it is true that Masonic lodge rooms have been the only retreats where men could talk freely and safely, and in consequence, came under the censure of the authorities.

BLYTHE TALKS. (Toronto Star.) "Well, a cold shiver seemed to play up and down my back. But as time went on it actually became terrible. The banging was nothing, the waiting, the South, Sammie, Mr. S. Patterson, Camden, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. Heath, New York, and Mr. M. Smith, Medicine Hat.

WARSHIPS TEND TO WAR. (Toronto Sun.) Take the case of the United States for purpose of illustration. From the close of the civil war to the early 'nineties that country was practically without army or navy. At no period in its history has the Republic been freer from wars' alarms than it is during those thirty years. Since the beginning of the present century the American navy has been classed from second to third in the world's sea armaments. At no time in the last fifty years, save while the civil war was in full progress, has there been so much discussion about war on the platform and in the press of that country as during the last ten years.

BUSINESS BUILDING. The object of the Canadian Club in securing Arthur F. Sheldon, of Chicago, to speak at the next luncheon of the club is evidenced in the subject chosen, "The Science of Business Building." None of the many young business men of the city can afford to miss such an opportunity. The date is Thursday, Nov. 4th; the place, Hotel Royal; the time, 6 to 8 p. m. All who intend to go should telephone 333 and have their seats reserved.

AMBASSADOR BRUCE. Washington, Oct. 28.—Ambassador Jas. Bruce and Mrs. Bruce returned last night from their summer stay at North-east Harbor, Maine, and visits in and around New York. They have taken up their residence at the British embassy for the winter.

HUSBAND'S GHOSLY THIRD-DEGREE

Love Test Forces Wife to Tragic Act Against Affinity.



MRS. SCOTT SMITH, WHO MADE REMARKABLE CONFESSION.

St. Clairsville, O., Oct. 28.—As a climax to one of the strangest of love tragedies, Mrs. May Smith, a handsome, 23-year-old matron, is paroled on a seven-year-prison sentence, after confessing that she ambushed and shot her affiant. As Judge John J. Pollock gave her freedom she and her husband parted forever in the court room. The shooting followed a third degree test imposed by her husband, Scott Smith, superintendent of the Belmont coal mines, and the victim was Noble Ault, political dictator here. When Ault was found apparently dying from a bullet wound, search of his pockets disclosed a blood-stained note on which he had scribbled what he thought were his last words. They branded Smith himself as his assailant. Smith was charged with the shooting. Before he could be arraigned his wife astounded the court by a confession which rivals a tale of Dante for its grisly details. On the strength of this confession, which Judge Pollock credited, she has been sentenced and paroled. One night last March there was a tense conference between Smith and his wife. The husband, torn between love for her and proof that she had been Ault's affinity, and fearful toward "the other man," put his wife through a remarkable third degree. He roused her at midnight, bade her dress herself and come with him. Through the winding country roads about their home they groped their way in the chilly air, the moon's light serving as a faint guide to their footsteps. The wife, trembling with fear, could only obey her husband, who loomed up beside her like a ghostly shadow in the darkness. Ahead was an abandoned coal shaft. Dank odors poured forth from the cave-like entrance where no human foot had trod for years. Into this pit went husband and wife, in utter darkness. Only the accusing voice of her husband served to recall the world to the mind of the woman, torn by twin terrors. She knew of her love for another, and she could hear the scurry of rats and the glide of serpents along the cold stone floor of the cave. At intervals a hollow boom would mark the fall of a mass of rock in the shaft, a peril that was present as well where she stood. The rotten timbers creaked as if in a groan at her husband's charges. Smith went mercilessly on; she was to lure Ault into the country by a decoy note, and the woman was to kill him. Thus in the cavernous shaft was the bond sealed. Ault got the note, kept the appointment, and was shot by the woman he loved. His love for her endured to death itself, for he thought he was dying when he wrote the words that shielded her.

WEDDINGS OF OCTOBER DAY.

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lace, and carrying white roses and lilies of the valley, the bride looked very charming. She was given away by her father, and was attended by her sister, Miss Olive Dorman, as maid of honor, who wore white silk and lace and carried pink chrysanthemums, and by Miss Edna Reid as bridesmaid, in pink, carrying pink roses. Mr. Robert Erickson was groomsmen. The ceremony was performed under an arch of mountain ash berries and autumn leaves, and the house decorations were red carnations and white mums and palms. Mrs. Dorian, mother of the bride, wore amethyst silk and cream lace. The groom's gift to the bride was a Persian lamb coat; to the maid of honor and bridesmaid, pearl rings; to the pianist, Miss Myrtle Richardson, of Brooklyn, N. Y., who played Mendelssohn's Wedding March, a ruby ring, and to the best man a stick pin. Among the many presents which the bride received were a parlor clock and candleabra from the bridegroom; a chair from Creighton & Co.'s, emerald; a cabinet of silver from T. M. Binkley, and a cheque from her father. Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Fleck and Mrs. Whitting, Port Huron; Miss H. Smith, Detroit; Mrs. Richers, Saginaw; Mrs. Mick, Coalinga; Mrs. Gray, Vanessa; Mr. and Mrs. South, Sarnia; Mr. S. Patterson, Camden, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. Heath, New York, and Mr. M. Smith, Medicine Hat. Mr. and Mrs. Joeelyn left on the G. T. R. for Brooklyn and New York. The bride's going away gown was beauteous, with hat to match. On their return they will reside at 107 George street. The bride and groom were given a royal send-off. They were escorted to the G. T. R. Station by the Ramblers' Club, assisted by the Highland pipers and drummers, and a rare time was enjoyed at the station until the train pulled out.

NEWS OF THE VALLEY TOWN.

Scarlet Fever Spreading—Remaining Classes May be Closed.

Dundas, Oct. 28.—Among a goodly number of visitors in town the past few days were Miss Gladys Smith, Toronto; Geo. Franks, Champlain, Ill.; Miss Semmons, Winnipeg; Mrs. T. P. Stewart, Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. John Frizzell, North Bay, W. G. Whiteside, Stratford; Jerome Cronin, Toronto; Miss Edna Smith, Brantford; Miss Cowan and Miss Bessie Cowan, and Miss Bertha Swain, Galt; Miss McCausland, Paris; Miss Eva Hughes, Toronto; Cyril Gwyn, Sherbrooke; Misses Clara and Maggie Thompson, Toronto; Miss Sylvia Montgomery, Galt; Arthur Chenoweth, Stratford; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kerwin, Toronto; Miss A. B. Hills, Niagara Falls; Miss Teen O'Connor, Erie, Pa.; Miss Fennie Smith, Simcoe; Vera Paton, Toronto; Mrs. Alex. Ross and children, Collingwood; Miss Lawton, Bowmanville. Among Dundas people out of town during the week were Mrs. W. Forsythe, Miss Sullivan, to Orangeville; Miss Vera Henry and Miss Flossie Lytle, to Owen Sound; Miss Rose Gahagan, in Buffalo; Misses Gertie Gould and Cecile Gahagan, in Berlin; Misses Lizzie and Ollie Butler, in Buffalo; Mrs. Waldock and children, in London; Mrs. Lane and Misses Cussie and Eva Lane, and Miss I. L. Dunn, in Galt; Mrs. J. F. Burton and Miss Burton, in Brantford; Mrs. Robt. Arthur, in Toronto. Dr. and Mrs. Main returned this week from their wedding trip.

Rev. E. A. Irving arrived home on Tuesday morning. He will officiate at both services on Sunday next. Father J. Guovan, C.M.S., and his brother, Father Donovan, of Dunville, have been visiting their aunt, Mrs. P. O'Connor, this week. Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Osler have issued a large number of invitations for an "at home" on Saturday afternoon

from 3 to 4.30 at the Ellen Osler Memorial Home, Hatfield street. The License Commissioners will hold their regular meeting in Dundas on Saturday next, when the licenses for the full year will be paid. The nurses at the isolation hospital wish to thank those who have sent flowers, fruit, delicacies and magazines and wish for a donation of one or two children's bath tubs. The deer hunters are getting busy for their annual outing. William Cowper and William Laing leaving to-day, and on Saturday E. Builder, Dr. Laubland, Thomas night, Sol. Binkley and Mr. Hammond, of Paris, all leave for the Parry Sound district, and will be located in the Magnetawan River. District Deputy John King, of Hamilton, has instituted a juvenile lodge of the Sons of England in Dundas, to be known as Lord Beresford Lodge, No. 58. He was accompanied by P. D. Bro. Buckingham, who instituted Lodge Dreadnought in Dundas about three years ago. The following officers were elected and installed: Past President—E. Standen. President—H. Darby. Vice-President—H. Naves. Chaplain—F. Hull. Inside Guard—G. Eusden. Outside Guard—W. Standen. First Committeeman—A. Standen. Second Committeeman—W. Niles. Third Committeeman—C. Harris. Secretary—Fred Hull. The Advisory Committee was elected from the senior lodge.

A campaign for members is being inaugurated in the Y. M. C. A. There are at present 175 members, but there ought to be 300, and a friendly competition between two teams, composed of members led by Mr. Smith on one side, and Mr. A. B. Wilson, on the other, will fight for the honors. The campaign will begin November 1st at 9 o'clock and last thirty days. Scarlet fever continues to spread in the town and the probability is that the two remaining rooms in the Public School will be closed. William Mason, jun., and family left for Saskatchewan yesterday.

WARD SYSTEM.

St. Catharines Petition to Have it Abolished. (Special Wire to the Times.) St. Catharines, Oct. 28.—A petition is being circulated and largely signed asking the City Council to submit a by-law to the ratepayers at the next municipal elections to return to the general system of electing aldermen by abolishing the ward system to which the city reverted three years ago. The supreme excellence is simplicity.—Longtellow.

FRIDAY SHEA'S BARGAIN DAY

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A day of greater money savings than ever, (but remember these prices can only be had on Friday) in good dependable merchandise that are worth their full value anywhere any day. It will pay you to come on Fridays.

Women's \$5 Skirts at \$2.95. Made of fine all wool Panamas and poplins. Skirts that are perfect in style, fit and workmanship, full \$5.00 value, black and colors.

Women's \$18 Coats for \$10. A swell Friday bargain in high class Coats, every one a stylish garment and worth \$15 to \$18, blacks principally, a few colors, beavers and kerseys.

Women's Coats Worth \$6 to \$8 for \$3.95. Oddments in short and long lengths, light and dark colors, worth \$6 to \$8.00, a clearance.

Children's and Misses' Coats at \$1.95 and \$2.95. A clearing out of odds and ends of Misses' and Children's Coats, a third to a half off.

Women's Suits \$5.95. Worth \$10, navy and black, well made, perfect fitting garments; skirts alone worth the money.

Window Shades 25c. Standard size on good spring rollers, green, white and cream, some plain, some lace trimmed, 50c values, a clearing out of oddments.

Best Comforters 95c, Worth \$1.75. Made of good, clean cotton batting, covered with silklike. 72 x 72 size, regular \$1.75 kind, but this lot got lost in shipping. Nothing to hurt.

White Fur Trimming 15c, Worth 25c and 35c. Fine Lamb and Angora, perfect in every way, broken widths, a clearance.

Hand Bags, Worth \$1, for 49c. Splendid quality Alligator Finished Bags, large size, 2 outside pockets.

Hat Pins, Worth 10c to 25c, for 5c. A quantity of Fancy Hat Pins, in a great variety of styles, 10c to 25c regular.

Women's Kid Gloves 50c. A quantity of Kid Gloves that sell usually for 75c, \$1 and \$1.25, black, browns and other colors.

Women's and Children's Mitts 19c and 25c. Mitts worth 35 and 40c, splendidly heavy and pure wool, samples, black and colors.

Staple Bargains. Mill ends of Factory Cotton, 8c per yard, 5c. Mill ends of Towelling, 10c per yard, 7 1/2c. Mill ends of Table Damask, 50c per yard, 23c. Wrappettes and Kimono Cloths, 20c per yard, 10c. Turkish Towelling, 20c, for 13 1/2c. Flannellette, 13 1/2c, for 11 1/2c. Mill ends White Saxony Flannellette, 13 1/2c, for 8 1/2c. Bleached and Cream Table Damask, 60 to 72 inches, 50 to 60c, Bargain Day, 37 1/2c. Golf Waists, worth \$1.50 and \$2.00, Bargain Day, \$1.19. Golf Waists, worth \$1.00 and \$1.50, to clear for, 69c.

Blouse Bargains, \$5 for \$2.95. Black Silk and White and Ecru Lace and Net, Waists, worth \$5 to \$6, to clear Bargain Day, \$2.95. White Lawn Waists, \$1.50 and \$1.75, sizes 28 to 44, on sale Bargain Day, each, 99c. Lustré and Cashmere Waists, worth \$1.25 and \$1.50, samples, Bargain Day, 69c.

Women's Underwear, 50c Worth 75c. Wool and Cotton Vests and Drawers, worth 75c, and well worth it, on sale Bargain Day, 50c.

Children's Hose. Children's Plain Wool Black Cashmere Hose, 25c, for 19c.

Children's Dresses 95c. Good range of colors, good warm material, 4 to 10 years, \$1.50 and \$1.75, for 95c.

TO MAKE NEW ASSESSMENT

Of That Part of City on the Mountain. The east end mountain residents, who came into the city under the last annexation, will not get off with a township assessment next year. Under the terms of annexation the mountain people were to have a township assessment and township rate until the water system was in operation and supplying the houses with water.

The water was turned on about two weeks ago, after the assessment department had finished its work. When the Court of Revision met yesterday it ordered a new assessment on the basis set forth in the annexation agreement. It adjourned the hearing of appeals in Ward 1 for twelve days.

The court yesterday struck off \$1,400, as compared with \$3,480 last year. The reductions included: Ellen Prenderville, 195 Ferguson avenue south, assessed \$600; \$100 off. Andrew Alexander, 183 Wentworth street north, income, \$500; \$500 off. Hugh G. McMahon, Alanson street, assessed \$400; \$200 off. D. C. Emith, Concession street, income, \$500; \$500 off. Wm. Galloway, 238 Hunter street east, income, \$180; \$180 off. Wm. D. Smith, 103 Main street east, assessed \$2,100; \$400 off. R. W. Parke, Yonge street, Toronto, income \$180; \$180 off. Union Driven Steel Company, business assessment, \$6,800; \$600 off. John H. Sumner, 165 Grant avenue, income, \$700; \$700 off. Mabel J. F. Brennan, 394 Main street east, income, \$50; \$50 off. Stella Pilgrim, 25 Arthur avenue, assessed \$2,300; \$60 off. George Precious, 190 Victoria avenue south, assessed \$3,600; \$700 off. John S. Krivinsky, 223 Stinson street, income, \$80; \$80 off. T. W. Edwards, Toronto, income, \$600; \$600 off. Geo. Nunn, 96 Grant avenue, income, \$200; \$200 off. E. F. Clark, 83 Grant avenue, assessed \$3,400; \$300 off. Wm. H. Lyne, 81 Grant avenue, assessed \$3,400; \$300 off. F. J. Lavery, 125 Fairleigh avenue, assessed \$2,100; \$100 off. Mercie Barber, 231 Main street east, assessed \$1,700; \$70 off. A. E. Richards, 88 Wentworth street south, income, \$250; \$250 off. J. L. Harper, Delaware avenue, assessed \$1,800; \$200 off.

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RELIGION IN THE FAMILY

Earnestly Discussed at the Baptist Convention Yesterday.

The Foreign Mission Work Has Been Successful.

Alumni of M'Master University Held a Banquet.

At the afternoon session of the Baptist Association of Ontario and Quebec three reports were considered, but they occasioned very little discussion, although a number of the delegates expressed themselves heartily in favor of the recommendation contained in the report of the board on the state of religion, that the pastors advocate more strongly among their congregations the part family prayer should take in making strong Christian families.

Rev. W. F. Parker said the question should not be so much the state of religion in the family as the state of the family in religion.

Rev. W. T. Freed said from personal experience he thought there was not half the members of the churches who had family prayer. Family worship should receive the first consideration in the upbuilding of the church, for if the church was to be strong it should be composed of strong Christian members.

Rev. E. J. Stovell, sen., stated that the two things he thought were essential were the family prayer and the family pew.

Rev. A. Battenham said enough had been said as to the advantages of family prayer. How the conditions could be bettered was more in order.

The report of the treasurer of the ministerial superannuation fund showed the receipts to have been \$4,583.41 and the disbursements \$2,111.87, which left a balance of \$2,471.54.

The superannuation report in part was as follows: Twelve brethren and nine sisters received appropriations from the funds of your board during the year, and we have several additional applications for a place on our list next year.

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Olive oil is a wonderful flesh builder. Physicians recommend it for massage in wasting of tissues. The choicest olive oil we can obtain is one of the principal ingredients of

Infants' Delight Soap

Cocoanut oil is recommended by the doctor for chapped lips and hands, and in all cases where the skin is roughened and made tender by exposure. The choicest cocoanut oil the Orient can provide is used in Taylor's Infants' Delight.

You wrong yourself and may work permanent injury to the delicate skin if you are so unthinking or unknowing as to use a harsh, ordinary soap for baby's bath.

You will be surprised and delighted to notice how soft and velvety the tender skin becomes, and how chafing and irritation are overcome after you have begun to use this mildest of soaps and most perfect of cleansers.

Your druggist has Taylor's Infants' Delight, and you will add much to the baby's comfort if you decide to use it today.



10 Cents a Cake At All Druggists'

JOHN TAYLOR & CO., Limited, TORONTO

CHAMPAGNE OR DEATH LONE GIRL'S ONLY CHOICE.



EDITH THOMAS, FROM A SNAPSHOT PHOTOGRAPH.

New York, Oct. 28.—Her mouth, throat and stomach were burned, but the doctor said that the bichloride of mercury she had swallowed would not kill her.

The nurse said she might talk a little. She smiled faintly with the delight of knowing that, at last, someone was kind to her.

Edith Thomas was forced to choose between bichloride of mercury and champagne; through her burned lips she told the story.

"I left my mother, three brothers and a sister in Sherbrooke, Canada," she said. "I knew I was pretty, but no one can say I wasn't sensible about it. Pretty girls were wanted on the stage, and I got a place in a company that came to our town."

"New York was beautiful. I saw all the great, beautiful, bright hotels and restaurants, and I did not understand they were not for me. Everybody seemed so smiling and happy that I did not realize that they wouldn't be willing to help a girl alone in New York."

"I thought my fortune was made. My family needs money so badly that I felt sure I could help them lots."

"But the manager broke up our company, and he didn't give me a cent. All I had was a little money mamma gave me."

"I was such a little silly that I didn't know I was beaten, even then. I saw all the beautiful stage girls going into the ritzes and smiling and joking, and it seemed to me that in the midst of such happiness there surely was a place for me."

"But what I need most to help me was love and faith in me and a kind word. But I couldn't find a bit of kindness. There is a price on all the love and kindness and friendship for a lone girl in this city."

"I had only \$3.67. My room rent of \$2 was due. I couldn't eat very much with \$1.67."

"I knew that when finely dressed men spoke to me I could get all I wanted to eat and drink with them—mostly to drink, though, which means champagne and their fine clothes, their canes, their gloves and all their fashions."

"But I studied it all out. I found out that the painted, tired women I saw on the streets used to laugh and drink in the fine, great cafes, just as the girls are doing here now."

"As soon as I learned this I picked out my own 'easiest way.' It's better than theirs."

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Stanley Mills & Co., Limited Thursday, Oct. 28th, 1909

It has been said and with some degree of correctness that Stanley Mills & Co. are the only merchants in Hamilton to cater to and realize the immense business which the farmers are capable of bringing to Hamilton.

We give to-night a straight but necessarily restricted list of articles with prices which the farmers around Hamilton may be glad to know can be had at this store.

To all our out-of-town customers we offer the best possible accommodation and invite them one and all to spend as much of their time as possible when in Hamilton, at this store.

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Stanley Mills & Co., Limited, will refund the entire return railway fare of any customer living within 40 miles of Hamilton who purchases goods from us to the extent of \$10.00 or over.

- Men's Leather Heels, pair 80
Men's Best Rubber Heels 25c
Round Rubber Heels, Wood Mill 10c
the very best English quality 25c
Men's best Leather Shoes 20c
Boys' and Women's Socks 15c
Shoe Plates, per card 5c
Waxed Shoe Thread, spool 10c
Unwaxed Shoe Thread, ball 10c
Awl-U-wants 25c
Cobbler's Shoe Nails, package 5c
Cobbler's Outfits 75c, \$1.00
Pegging Awl Hafta 10c
Rubber and Leather Cement 10c
Zinc Oil Cloth Binding 10c and 15c
Padlocks 10c, 15c, 20c
Brass O. C. Binding 15c, 20c, 25c
and 30c
Best 6-lever Padlocks, two keys 25c
Storm Sash Buttons, dozen 25c
Window Blind Hinges, set 20c 25c
Storm Door Hinges, pair 20c
Storm Door Latches 10c, 15c
Foot Scrapers 10c, 15c
Rim Door Locks 15c
Rim Door Locks with knob 25c
White or Black Door Knobs 10c
Door Bells 50, 75c, \$1.00
Push Button Electric Bells \$1.25
Letter Box Plates 25, 45, 50c
Door Bolts 10, 12, 15c
Door Springs 10, 15c
Night Latches 50, 75c, \$1.50
Screw Hooks and Eyes, dozen 25c
Hook, with 2 staples 5c
Hasp and two staples 5, 10c
Bronzed Lamp Hooks 10, 15c
Bird Cage Hooks 5, 10, 15c
Bird Cage Springs 5, 12c
Rubber Tipped Door Stops 2 for 5c
Hat and Coat Hooks, dozen 10c
Iron Bed Casters, ball bearing 20c
Shelf Brackets, pair 10, 12, 15c
Stair Carpet Plates, dozen 20c
Brass Drawer Pulls 5, 8, 10c
Flower Wire, on spools 5c
Copper Wire, per spool 10c
Paroid Roofing, 108 square feet, \$2.10
Tanned Paper, 400 sq. feet, 45, 60c
Heavy Tanned Felt, roll \$1.25
Tin Roofing Felt, per lb. \$1.00
Drivers' Heavy Mitts 25c
Farmers' Driving Gauntlets \$1.50
Unlined Muleskin Mitts 25c
Canvas Gloves, 10, 15, 20, 25c
Stable Lanterns 65, 75c
Reflector Dash Lanterns 90c
Large Reflector Stable Lanterns 1.50
Grain Scoop Shovels 90c, \$1.00
Enslage Forks \$1.50
Cutting Box Knives 75, 85c, \$1.00
Butcher Knives 15, 25, 35c
Hog Scrapers 12, 15c
Chicken Leg Bands, 25 for 25c
Copper Bull Rings 20, 25c
Harness Leather Pouches 20, 25c
Mixed Harness Rivets, box 10c
Handled Axes 85c, \$1.00, \$1.25
Chopping Axe Heads 65, 75c, \$1.00
Choicest Axe Handles 25c
X Cut Saws, 5 1/2 feet, with handles \$1.85
X Cut Saw Handles, pair 15c
Cider Taps 8, 10, 12c
Apple Paring Machines 65c
Cider Presses \$12.50, \$15, \$18.50
Dairy Thermometers 10, 15c
Cream Separators 45c
Separator Brushes 10, 15c
Separator Oil, per can 15, 25c
Separator Rubbers 10c
Barrel Churns \$5, \$5.50, \$6
Butter Working Tables \$3.50
Corn Shellers \$1.75
Wool Cards, per pair 50c
Manure Forks 40, 70, 85c
Stable Wheelbarrows \$2
Lightning Hay Stack Kives 55c
Carriage Bolts of all sizes.
Hot Blast Parlor Heaters.
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BARGAIN FRIDAY

A day of saving opportunities extraordinary that are sure to interest every economical person who is inclined to save on their needful wants for this Fall and Winter season. A few are:

8.30 a. m. for These \$12.50 and \$6.85 \$15.00 Coats - - - - -

On sale Bargain Friday, Winter Coats for women in plain Kersey and Frieze, in black or brown. Smart 3/4 or 5/8 lengths, in loose and half fitting styles; half lined; \$12.50 and \$15.00 values, for \$6.85

A \$5 Dress Skirt at \$3.95

A saving worth coming after Friday. Stylish Dress Skirts of Panamas, Serges and Venetians, in the gored or pleated styles. Faultlessly fitting. Colors in black, navy, brown, green and grey; \$5.00; Bargain Friday, \$3.95

Marmot Stoles at \$3.98 and \$6.98

Marmot Fur Stoles in pretty marked quality, head and chenille trimmed, long length, satin lined. \$3.98, regular at \$7.50 \$6.98, regular at \$10.00

\$8.50 Cravenette Coats for \$3.98

For the rainy and stormy days of the fall season, English Cravenette, in loose 3/4 style, in fawn, grey or sage; storm collar and cuffs; \$8.50; Bargain Friday, \$3.98

\$1.25 and \$1.50 Stylish Autumn Suitings, 89c Friday

Stylish Autumn Suitings in Broadcloth and Worsted Effects, in diagonal twills, chevron and shadow stripes, in navy, wistaria, cardinal, green and olive shades, 50 inches, formerly \$1.25 and \$1.50, Friday 89c

75c Stylish Dress Goods 45c

Stylish fancy cloth effects in checks and shadow stripe, in grey, blue and green effects, 44 inch, very serviceable for coat suits and children's wear, better see these Friday, formerly 75c to-morrow 45c

25c and 30c Cashmere Hose at 19c

About 5 dozen Women's Sample Cashmere Hose in rib and plain makes, assorted qualities, all sizes, 25c and 35c grades, Friday at 19c

50c Women's Underwear at 39c

Women's extra quality Wool Underwear in splendid winter quality in natural or cream, vests and drawers to match, lace trimmed, regular 50c, for 39c garment

Immense Clearing of Braids

Thousands of yards, hundreds of pieces of fancy silk trimming braids, military braids, drawn braids, and edging, all designs and colors, get your share for trimming and fall costumes.

25c, regular at 75c 15c, regular at 25c 10c, regular at 35c 8c, regular at 20c 5c, regular at 12 1/2c 3c, regular at 8c

FINCH BROS., 29 and 31 King Street West ...

Advertisement for Scott's Emulsion, featuring a fisherman carrying a large cod fish on his back. Text: 'This is the trademark which is found on every bottle of the genuine Scott's Emulsion the standard Cod Liver Oil preparation of the world. Nothing equals it to build up the weak and wasted bodies of young and old.'

Advertisement for Amusements, featuring Joe Weber's travesty company. Text: 'Amusements Joe Weber's travesty company, "The Merry Widow and the Devil," did not draw a very large house at the Grand Opera House last evening. However, those who did turn out seemed to enjoy the burlesque, which was undoubtedly funny in parts. The company is a large one and the leading roles are looked after by clever comedians. Burlesque is somewhat of a departure from the regular run of shows at the Grand, and the change, if nothing else, is refreshing. Charles Stine, as De Jolliday, the Devil, provokes many a laugh. Heinrich Dusch, the Prince's valet, is also good. The leading lady, Nina Collins, as Fonia, is a clever actress, as well as a singer of some merit. The chorus is well drilled and contains many good voices. A second performance will be given this evening. BENNETT'S BILL The Bennett bill next week will fea-

Advertisement for The Wishing Ring. Text: 'The Wishing Ring. Hamilton theatregoers are promised an excellent performance at the Grand on Saturday, when Miss Marguerite Clark makes her appearance in her new play, "The Wishing Ring." It is a production on a very elaborate scale, goes up for the large cities, and goes into Chicago next week for an extended engagement. The play was produced in Montreal last week, and was well spoken of. The story is a very pretty one, with the scenes laid in Devonshire, England, and from all accounts it is an unusually good offering. "HAVANA" NEXT WEEK. "HAVANA," the George Edwardes musical play, will be brought here by the Shuberts next Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, which will be the first time this successful musical comedy has been seen on the road. The fact that Leslie Stuart, who wrote the music for "Florodora," is the composer of "Havana," gives some idea of the brilliancy of the score. Everybody is already familiar with "Hello People, Hello." The story is that of Samuel Nix, bos'un of the American yacht "Wasp," which puts into the harbor of Havana. A revolution is brewing at the time, and the leader of the Red Liberators mistakes the Wasp for a filibuster's vessel. Nix is made one of the insurgents, and between his endeavors to escape death as a penalty for planning against the government and his efforts to shun his wife, whom he deserted in the same town seven years before, form much of the amusement. Senor Campo, Mayor of Havana, is unaware of the fact that his own sister is the queen of the conspirators, and is about to do injury to the whole outfit when the discovery is made. The cast is an unusually large one for a musical comedy. Individual parts are taken by players, singers and dancers of note, the aggregate number of performers being the largest ever seen in a musical comedy. The sale of seats commences on Saturday morning. "BEVERLY." Theatregoers are assured of a really clever performance in the presentation of "Beverly" at the Grand next Thursday evening. It will be remembered that this play was seen here last season under the title of "Beverly of Goustaruk," and is a dramatization of George Barr Metchell's book by that name. While the production was most complete last season, it is said that the acting company is even better this year, and the play is presented on the same elaborate scale. Those that have read the book are assured of a treat in this production. "THE BARRIER." Civilization doesn't prevail in the vast solitudes that fringe "the boiling flood of molten gold that issues silently out of a land of mystery and vanishes into a valley of forgetfulness." Alaska—the scene of Rex Beach's new play—which will be presented by Klaw & Erlanger, for the first time at the Grand on Friday and Saturday evenings, and Saturday matinee, November 5th and 6th, is depicted with all its wonders and all its cruelty. "The Barrier" is a virile romance, boldly drawn, abundant in stirring situations, most completely a fine creation in the way of a strong and convincing character, which will be played by Mr. Theodore Roberts, one of America's greatest actors. What theatregoer can ever forget his Jo Portuguese, in "The Right of Way?" MISS MYLOTT. Miss Mylott, who is to sing in the Grand Opera House to-morrow night, appeared in Toronto last evening. The Mail says of her singing: "Miss Mylott has a pleasant contralto voice which is particularly rich and full in the lower registers. Her numbers were varied, but all were rendered with equal expression and vocal skill. The World said: "Miss Mylott has a singularly full, rich and resonant voice—a pure contralto, of great range, with which she displayed thorough musicianly vocalism. "Few singers," says the Quebec Chronicle, "have ever been heard here who have made such a deep and pleasant sensation as Miss Mylott—this delightful song-bird from the Antipodes." The Montreal Herald, in a lengthy criticism, says: "Miss Mylott herself proved as sincere and skilful an artiste as ever. That she succeeds is due in the first place to her thorough training, and in the second to her vocal versatility. Contrary to expectation, her voice proved quite equal to the task of filling the Arena, and she sang brilliantly. Her voice grows in richness and velvety texture, and the beautiful quality of her phrasing is always a delight to hear. It is clear that Miss Mylott is in the very prime of her vocal career, and all her friends will wish her many triumphs yet to come. "We should marry our opposites," remarked the Wise Guy. "On that principle I suppose a cheap man should marry a girl who is a little dear," chuckled the Simple Mug.

POTATOES

Coming by the Car Load

And every week improves their quality, clean, sound, white and dry, and they cook perfectly, per bag, this week 80c; per bushel, 60c; per peck, 15c; Jersey Sweet Potatoes, 7 lbs. for 25c; yellow Danver Onions, 40c per basket; 30c per peck; Spanish Onions, 7 lbs. for 25c; Apples, good cooking, per basket 20c.

Finnan Haddie

A small shipment coming forward by express, and it is good, if it were not we would not handle it, per lb. 10c; Boneless Codfish, per lb., 9c, 3 lbs. 25c; Mackerel, Haddie, Fresh Herring, Kipper Herring, and Cascade Salmon, per tin 10c; new autumn leaf Salmon, per tin, 15c; new Tartan or Clover Leaf Salmon, per tin 18c; Iccastice Lobsters, the very choicest, per tin, 20c; worth 25c.

6 Lbs. Tapioca for 25c

Genuine Singapore, the very finest Pearl Tapioca, just received, a new shipment, a big shipment—in fact, it is too big, and we are going to reduce the quantity by selling Friday, Saturday and Monday 6 lbs. for 25c. Only one lot to any customer at this price. Our regular price will be 7c lb., 4 lbs. for 25c. Pure Gold Quick Tapioca, 3 pkgs. 25c. Finest Rangoon Rice, 6 lbs. 25c. Best Japan Rice 4 lbs. 25c. Best White Sago 4 lbs. 25c.

Hallowe'en Specials

Royal Mixed Candy 6c per lb. Peppermints, Humbugs, Butter Scotch, 10c per lb. Chocolate Drops 2 lbs. 25c. Table Figs 11c lb., worth 15c. Table Raisins 15c lb., worth 20c. Dates 6c pkg., 3 for 25c. Oranges, sweet and juicy, 12c per doz., worth 20c. Great, big Oranges 45c per doz., worth 60c. Snow Apples, per basket 30c. Clarified Sweet Oil, a beautiful drink, 8c per quart, 30c per gallon. Mixed Nuts, Walnuts, Almonds, Filberts and Brazil, per lb. 15c.

White Beans

Absolutely new; you do not have to boil them a week in order to get them right; 7 lbs. for 25c. Split Peas 3 lbs. 10c. Pot Barley, 3 lbs. 10c. English Mazarowkt Peas, 3 pkgs. 25c. Germ Meal, the cream of the wheat, 7 lbs. for 25c. Rolled Wheat 7 lbs. 25c. Rolled Oats, the freshest, crispest, nicest Rolled Oats made, 7 lbs. 25c. Corn Meal, grains of gold, 8 lbs. for 25c. Buckwheat Flour, 7 lbs. 25c. Graham Flour 7 lbs. 25c. Minicent, 10c lb., 3 lbs. 25c. Cranberries, 2 quarts 25c. Reckitt's Blue, 4 squares 5c. Keen's Blue, 4 squares 5c. Washing Soda, 4 pounds 5c. Nixey's Black Lead, regular 15c box, going for 10c. 15c Black Knight Stove Polish, per tin 10c. Quick Shine Stove Polish, per tin 10c. Non Stuch Stove Polish, per tin 10c. Matchless Stove Varnish, per bottle 10c. Brooms, each 35, 40 and 45c. Scrub Brushes, 10, 15 and 20c. Washboards, Ben Hur 25c. Glass Washboards 40c. Red Ribbon Powdered Ammonia, 4 packages 25c. Harvey's Powdered Ammonia, 3 packages 25c. Liquid Ammonia, per bottle 5 and 10c. Powdered Borax, per package 5 and 10c. Powdered Bath Brick, 10c package 5c. Gillet's Lye, 3 tins 25c. Sapollo, per cake 10c. Clothes Pins, 4 dozen 5c. Clothes Lines 10, 15, 20, and 25c. Reckitt's Blue, 4 squares 5c. Keen's Blue, 4 squares 5c. Washing Soda, 4 pounds 5c. Nixey's Black Lead, regular 15c box, going for 10c. 15c Black Knight Stove Polish, per tin 10c. Quick Shine Stove Polish, per tin 10c. Non Stuch Stove Polish, per tin 10c. Matchless Stove Varnish, per bottle 10c. Brooms, each 35, 40 and 45c. Scrub Brushes, 10, 15 and 20c. Washboards, Ben Hur 25c. Glass Washboards 40c. Red Ribbon Powdered Ammonia, 4 packages 25c. Harvey's Powdered Ammonia, 3 packages 25c. Liquid Ammonia, per bottle 5 and 10c. Powdered Borax, per package 5 and 10c. Powdered Bath Brick, 10c package 5c. Gillet's Lye, 3 tins 25c. Sapollo, per cake 10c. Clothes Pins, 4 dozen 5c.

Eggs, Butter, Cheese and Lard

Another shipment this week of those fresh gathered Eggs. They are good. Per dozen 30c. Butter, choicest creamery, just a little better than the average, per lb. 29c. Fresh Dairy Butter, about 400 lbs., to go at 27c per lb. Second quality Dairy, only 150 lbs., to go at 22c per lb. Cheese, our usual quality, 15c per lb. Best Pure Lard, per lb. 18c. Peanut Butter, per lb. 20c.

Sugar

Refined purity. Every grain as clear as crystal, 19 lbs. for \$1.00, 9 1/2 lbs. for 50c. If we were selling No. 2 Granulated Sugar we could sell 20 lbs. for \$1.00, but we are not selling that grade. Bright Yellow Sugar, 20 lbs. for \$1.00, 10 lbs. for 50c, 5 lbs. for 25c. 3 1/2 lbs. Cut loaf or King Sugar for 25c.

Flour

Lily White, per bag \$2.65, per 1/2 bag \$1.35, per 1/4 bag 68c. Gold Medal Flour, per bag, \$2.85, per 1/2 bag \$1.45, per 1/4 bag 73c. Five Roses or Royal Household Flour, per 1/2 bag 85c, per bag \$3.25. Corn Dorr Mats keep your floors clean this muddy weather. Only 10c each this week.

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111 John Street South
Cor. Emerald and Wilson
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FARMER COMMITTED

Old Man Must Stand Trial on a Serious Charge.

Orangeville, Oct. 27.—James Duffin, an elderly farmer, of the Township of Mulmur, was yesterday committed to trial at the next assizes by Magistrate Rutherford, of Shelburne, on a shocking charge, attempted assault on a deaf girl about fifteen years of age, and was lodged in the county jail here last night. He was later admitted to substantial bail by Police Magistrate Dattalo and Thomas Stevenson, J. P., on an order of Judge McCarthy. The preliminary hearing took place at Shelburne.

OLD WOMAN ROBBED

A Thief Stole \$300 From Her Bedroom.

Orillia, Oct. 27.—Mrs. Hannah Barnett, of Waubaushene, twenty miles west of here, was robbed recently of about three hundred dollars. She is an old woman and crippled, and lives alone, except for another old woman who is her housekeeper. Mrs. Barnett had drawn the money from the bank with the intention of making some alterations to her house, and had put the money in a locked valise in her bedroom. The following morning the front window was found open and the valise on the verandah. It had been cut open and the money was gone. No clue to the thief has been found.

GO TO SCHOOL

Compulsory Attendance at Montreal Separate Schools Broached.

Montreal, Oct. 27.—After generations of haphazard education there is now a move on foot for the introduction of compulsory attendance at school before the Catholic School Board. At present there is no obligation to send children to school, and thousands of the children of the poorer classes never saw the inside of a school, and go to work as laborers without being able to read or write and without any hope of rising in the social scale. The only restriction on the labor of children is that they must not be employed before fourteen years of age, but the law is not enforced.

JAIL AND FINE

Imposed on Prominent Brantford Citizen For Indecent Assault.

Brantford, Oct. 27.—Joseph Bowes, a resident of this city for 52 years and who is in his 73rd year, was found guilty to-day before Judge Hardy in the county court, of indecent assault, and was sentenced to six months in prison. In addition, he was fined \$1,000. The charge was laid by Albert Osborne, father of a seven-year-old girl, and arose out of a drive to the outskirts of the city which Bowes took with the girl on July 8 last.

RUSSIAN CRAZE IN LONDON.

Everything Muscovite Now Finds a Ready Sale.

London, Oct. 27.—A Russian craze is sweeping over London, probably the outcome of the Anglo-Russian entente. Russian art is popular. Muscovite embroidery are prominently displayed in west-end shop windows and translations of Russian authors find a ready sale.

ABSOLUTE RUBBISH

J. M. Barrie and Wife Not Considering Reconciliation.

London, Oct. 27.—A report that J. M. Barrie and his wife are to effect a reconciliation is absolute rubbish. Neither of them will talk on the subject of divorce, and from the best of authority it is learned that there is not a word of truth in the rumor of their reconciliation.

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23 THE PRINCE

HESTIA'S BOATS CAME ASHORE.

One Contained Three Bodies and the Other One.

Story of the Wreck Told by Survivors.

It Is Now Certain That at Least Thirty-Four Men Lost Their Lives.

St. John, N. B., Oct. 27.—It now seems certain that Captain Newman and 34 men perished in their attempt to reach land from the wrecked steamer Hestia, as two boats washed up on the Nova Scotia coast to-day, one containing three bodies and the other one, account for the boats that left the ill-fated steamer.

The only complete list of those aboard is on file at the head office of the Donaldson Line at Glasgow. The crew were all natives of Scotland, with three exceptions, Smith and Broen, of the survivors, and John Smith, one of the survivors, who are natives of Port Defencra, Ireland.

A despatch from Seal Cove, Grand Manan to-night, says that the steamer struck Third Officer Stewart was below, and is unable to account for the wreck. He stated that as soon as he felt the shock he rushed on deck and assisted in getting the boats ready. There were four large boats and one small one. The boats were swung out on davits about half an hour after the vessel struck and lowered to the rail ready for immediate use. It was very dark at the time and a high wind and sea made it a perilous undertaking to start out in an open boat. The two boats on the port side were carried away by the big sea, that broke over the vessel. In one of these boats the man in charge of the oars had taken his place and he was swept over in an instant.

The third boat, in command of the second officer, contained eleven men, but they were not destined to leave the ship. The forward tackle was let go and the rear tackle held, with the result that all on board were thrown into the water. Ropes were thrown over to the men, but owing to the darkness it was largely guesswork. Two of the occupants were saved, however, Morgan and McVicker. The captain was the last to leave, and he went in the big life boat in which there were at least twenty-five men and possibly more, if any were picked up from the boat that upset.

Those remaining on the steamer did so from choice, and they were fortunate in doing so. Stewart says rockets and bombs were sent up every 10 minutes from the time the steamer struck until the boats left, about 5 o'clock, but though they could see Gannet Rock light about 5 miles from the ship, there was no reply either from there or from Whitehead, about 4 miles distant.

THE BOATS DRIFT ASHORE.

Halifax, Oct. 27.—Mute testimony that fifteen more names must be added to the twenty names that perished in the wreck of the Donaldson liner Hestia came to light to-day. When that steamer crashed on the ledges of the Grand Manan in the Bay of Fundy Tuesday morning twenty men perished, while two life-boats containing fifteen men drifted ashore on the northwest coast of Nova Scotia. One contained three corpses, the other one. All wore life belts, with the Hestia's name on them. Fourteen men put off in the third boat launched. One man who was thrown into the sea when the first boat capsized managed to scramble into the second and two boats in their load of human freight drifted off into the mists of the Bay of Fundy. A boisterous sea was running, and the wind and tide would drive them on the Nova Scotian coast.

What happened after they disappeared from the view of those still on the steamer will never be known, but five men thrown up on the shores to-day proves that all who left the Hestia perished. Fishermen out setting their nets at Pembroke, near Yarmouth, this morning saw a ship's boat tossing in the breakers. They put out to it in dories, towed it ashore and started to examine it. Huddled up under the stern sheets they found three corpses. There were no marks on the boat. The men at once telephoned Yarmouth, and the Coroner from there went down to the scene and took charge of the remains. They will be taken to Yarmouth, where an inquest will be held.

At about the same time another boat drifted ashore at Salmon River, in Digby County. In this boat there was a single corpse. The boat bore the name Cassandra (another Donaldson liner), and on the corpse there were several life belts. That the men who put off in the boats died from exhaustion is indicated by the condition of their bodies, and the general theory is that the boat in which Capt. Newman and thirteen others of the crew set out was capsized, and but three men managed to get into her when she righted, and these and the other man who survived the disaster to the first boat perished of exhaustion. When the name Cassandra was seen on the boat which came ashore at Salmon River it was thought that that steamer had foundered, but she is now in Montreal, and the latter likely had one of her boats on board.

DISINFECTED FINGER



DEATH OFTEN LURKS IN A CUT.

YOU see this danger illustrated in the case of Mr. W. C. Edwards, a well-known Friendly Society leader of Peter Street, Toronto. He cut one of his fingers with a piece of glass, and instead of applying Zam-Buk to prevent blood poison and to heal it, he neglected the cut, and blood poisoning followed. He says:—"The blood poison from the finger spread up my hand and arm and caused me terrible agony. After two months' treatment the doctor said there was no cure, and amputation would have to take place if I intended to save my arm. A second doctor also told me operation would be necessary. He said the bone had become diseased and the finger would have to be opened so that the bone could be scraped. A friend then advised me to try Zam-Buk and I did."

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SHE'D STARVE FOR THE CAUSE

But Let Patient Woman Vote, Pleads Mrs. Pankhurst.

Jail and Worse Quite Acceptable to the Crusaders.

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New York, Oct. 27.—A Carnegie Hall audience to most of whom the question of woman suffrage had hitherto meant academic discussion or the pranks of a band of yellow bedecked limelight-seekers heard Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst tell last night what militant methods really mean.

When Mrs. Pankhurst defined her position it looked entirely different from anything that has been even hinted at in Great Britain.

"We have fought thirty-eight battles at bye-elections," she said, "and have practically made it impossible for Government candidates to be returned to office. We are sure that the men of England are on our side. The only people who will have to fight are a handful of stupid old politicians, and we are prepared to carry the struggle to the bitter end. They must eventually give us the vote, and they had better do it now before they drive us to more extreme measures."

"There are hundreds of women who are ready to go to prison, and ready to submit to that last ordeal of starvation to the edge of death if necessary. It is by going to prison rather than by any arguments we have employed that we have won the support of the English workingman, and it is by going to prison that we will eventually win over all England. It is to women rather than to men that I wish to make my plea."

"Men, I think, understand the situation better. Have they not had a fight for their liberties? Where would our own republic have been if the men of Boston had not thrown the tea overboard into the harbor, and if they had not afterwards fought the King's army?"

"I don't know how our American women feel about it, but I know there is something in the average British woman that makes her want to get out and fight with the other women who are willing to sacrifice even life itself for the cause they know to be just."

"We are not acting selfishly in this matter. It is not an easy thing to go to prison and to starve, but we are willing and even glad to do all that if we can thereby win the vote for other women. Let them, if they wish, disfranchise all of us who are called militant if they will only give the ballot to the women who have been patient. Let them put us in prison for life. It would be a small price to pay for the liberty of our countrywomen."

WAS DROWNED.

Drunken Man Lost Life in Victoria Square Fountain, Montreal.

Montreal, Oct. 27.—An extraordinary fatality occurred here this evening when an unknown man was drowned in the fountain on Victoria Square, in the city heart of the city, shortly after 9 o'clock. The man, plainly a laborer, had been seen by carters at the curb stand a hour before, evidently very drunk and with a friend who, after making ineffectual efforts to get him to go home, left him. Nothing more was seen of the man until a little girl told one of the cabmen that she had seen a body floating in the pond.

The two carters hastened to the spot and saw a body floating face downwards in the water, which is about two feet deep. They, with a policeman, dragged the body out, and found it was the drunken man they had seen before. He had evidently sat at the coping, fallen into the water and been too overcome with liquor to help himself. The body was taken to the morgue, but nothing was found on his clothes which could aid in identification.

WAS WONGED.

Mrs. Rumble Denies She Was Driven From Home.

Chatham, Oct. 27.—"I wish the dynamite had taken effect and cleaned the earth of such people," declared Mrs. Mary Rumble, of Detroit, as she left for the jail this morning, following her arraignment before Magistrate Boston on a charge of dynamiting the home of her husband, John Rumble, of Chatham township, Saturday.

Arrested at 97 Hastings street, Detroit, yesterday by Provincial Detective Mahoney, Mrs. Rumble was brought here last night. Though on the train she admitted her guilt, this morning she pleaded not guilty, and elected to take a jury trial.

"I have been most shamefully wronged and thrown out of my home by a plotting gang of villains," declared Mrs. Rumble in the court, naming her husband, her son, George, and John Rumble, the latter's wife, Ann, and Sydney Knapp, landlord of the farm.

With tears streaming down cheeks Mrs. Rumble told of the young days spent on the farm of which she declared others were trying to deprive her.

"Just as we were beginning to make money they threw me out. My daughter was on her death bed. They drove her to her grave."

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NOAH WAS BLACKBALLED

Detroit, Mich.—The Society of Naval Architects rejected Noah for honorary membership, when his name was proposed as the father of the ship-designing profession.

It all depends on the point of view. It is the same with "Fruit-a-tives." Some people take "Fruit-a-tives" for Constipation and Biliousness. Others use them for Stomach Troubles and Drapes.

"Fruit-a-tives" are sold by all dealers at 50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, or trial size 25c—or sent prepaid on receipt of price by Fruit-a-tives, Limited, Ottawa, Ont.

YOUNG MEN NOT THERE.

Early Frost Struck the Con. Club Opening.

President Grace Laments the Lack of Interest Shown.

Frank Cochrane and W. J. Hanna Among the Speakers.

The Young Men's Conservative Club was opened for the season last night, though the absence of young men was particularly noticeable.

The inauguration was a decided frost, and some behind the scenes had no hesitancy in voicing their opinions to that effect.

Mr. John Hendrie was in the chair and introduced the speakers, giving expression to the great expectations of the club, for the young men during the coming season.

Hon. J. S. Hendrie spoke on the vastness and possibilities of New Ontario. He also said he believed in organization in the wards and polling divisions.

Hon. Frank Cochrane directed his remarks, according to his own conviction, to the youth in the room though one looked in vain for them.

He unloaded compliments about Hamilton, the bait for future purposes. He eulogized New Ontario and maintained that all should induce people to go there.

President Grace, of the Young Men's Conservative Club, deplored the lack of interest shown by young men in political matters.

Gordie Wilson, M.P.P., tried to ginger the young men up (those who were there) in the remarks he made. Hon. W. J. Hanna, the Attorney-General, said he approved the organization proposition.

He emphatically declared there is great room for it in this Province. He said he believed in the English suffragette methods.

"I want to tell you I'm a suffragette," said the Attorney-General. His reason for his support of the female fanatics he gave as their very persistency.

He spoke on what his department is doing, in managing the public institutions. Of course it apparently had no faults.

When the statement is made out at the end of the present financial year they will not have exceeded their allowed appropriation, so he said.

According to the minister's statements his department is positively beyond any criticism whatever.

Speaking of that much-hated institution, the Central Prison, he referred to a recent cartoon in the Toronto Telegram and said according to it, the Central Prison was a matter of local interest.

As to where the farm would be, he said, that matter was not settled, but that it would be between Montreal and Windsor was a sure thing, however, that would be settled before next spring.

John Milne moved a vote of thanks to the speakers and T. J. Stewart seconded it.

Several songs were sung during the evening and an orchestra played some selections.

THE LAST SPIKE. On October 15th the last spike was driven on the Grand Trunk Pacific Rail way, near the crossing of the Whiggon River connecting Winnipeg with Lake Superior.

The grade on the completed line are lower than any other completed line to the head of the lakes, and are four-tenths of one per cent. for the grain haul and five-tenths against it.

Towns are being staked out along the line by the Ontario Government who will supervise the sale of them. The road opens up a rich mining and timber country, as well as a magnificent scenic route.

DECLARED A MURDERER.

Toronto Jury Find Steffoff Guilty of Killing Simoff.

Prisoner Made a Statement to His Counsel.

Reserve Case to be Asked For—The Jurymen.

Toronto, Oct. 28.—Poral Steffoff has been found guilty of murder, of killing with a hatchet Vani Simoff, a fellow-countryman, in a little house on Eastern avenue, in April last. The verdict that condemned the Macedonian to end his life upon the gallows was brought in at 5 o'clock last evening by a jury composed, with two exceptions, of men who were on juries that reduced charges of murder against Walter Blythe and Mrs. Mabel Turner to manslaughter.

The case was placed in the hands of the jury at 3.20 p. m., and an hour later a ballot showed ten voting for a verdict of murder, with two dissenting. The point on which the disagreement arose was concerning a statement Steffoff was said to have made to the police through an interpreter, and the jurors filed back into court to have the point cleared up.

The statement was read over to them by the court stenographer, and after forty minutes more of discussion a ballot showed them unanimous in their opinion as to the guilt of the prisoner.

As the foreman of the jury stood up to give the verdict, the Macedonian turned inquiringly toward Heller, the interpreter. His unshaven face was haggard with anxiety, and his hands, as they clung to the rail in front of him, twitched slightly.

"Guilty," said the foreman, and the interpreter gave the verdict in the Bulgarian tongue to the prisoner. Steffoff shook his head slowly in denial, and the interpreter had to explain at length before the Macedonian appeared to realize the meaning of the single word.

When asked by Mr. Justice Riddell if he had anything to say, Steffoff leaned forward eagerly and through the interpreter said he wanted to tell "something." His Lordship suggested that Steffoff talk to his lawyer, who could present his statement to the court, and suspended sentence until this morning for that purpose.

Mr. J. M. Godfrey, the defence counsel, will ask for a reserve case on the ground that Steffoff was not properly warned by the police on his arrest. His conviction was, to a large extent, due to statements he made to the police through interpreters shortly after his arrest. This evidence was objected to very strongly by Mr. Godfrey during the trial, but his Lordship overruled the counsel's protests, holding that no warning was necessary, and that so far as no inducements were offered, and there was no torture of the prisoner, either bodily or mental, the police were justified in securing evidence of this nature.

After Steffoff was led out of the court, a constable holding him on either side, he was taken into a side room, where he had a tea-table talk with Mr. Godfrey. Steffoff's story to his counsel is that the statement of one of the interpreters that he (Steffoff) had stated he met a lad named Toshy Marco at the Canadian North-ern yards on the morning of the murder is untrue. He claims that his story of being there can be corroborated by the foreman in charge. He also told Mr. Godfrey that a Macedonian, whose name he gave, had seen him with a hundred-dollar bill a month before the murder of Simoff.

The defence counsel will investigate Steffoff's story, and in the event of a reserve case being granted by Mr. Justice Riddell new evidence may be produced.

The fact that all but two of the jurors who convicted Steffoff served on the jury in either the Turner or Blythe trials, was a curious fact, commented upon in an indirect way by Mr. Justice Riddell in his charge. His Lordship said he had been informed that the most of the jurors had served on juries in the former trials in this session of the Assizes.

"If," he said, "it is a fact that some juries have been found fault with—and as to that I have nothing to say—it is nothing to you. It is your duty to cast that aside."

Only one witness was called by the defence yesterday. George Baile, a Macedonian, testified that he had seen Simoff, the murdered man, draw three one hundred dollar bills from the Imperial Bank some months before the murder. He also testified that he found on Steffoff after his arrest was a Bank of Commerce note. Mr. Godfrey in his address emphasized this.

DEFENCE COUNSEL ADDRESSES JURY. In summing up his address to the jury, Mr. Godfrey made a striking contrast, showing on one side all the power of the Government, its staff of clever detectives, and its great wealth, and on the other, as he dramatically termed it, pointing to the prisoner, "that poor, dumb foreigner."

Mr. Godfrey then referred to the criticism of juries in connection with recent verdicts.

"Gentlemen, don't allow yourselves to be moved by the demand for victims, and take as your victim this unfortunate foreigner, who doesn't understand the language, and who can't defend himself against the wiles of the detectives."

Mr. Godfrey closed his address after speaking for an hour and five minutes. Mr. Blackstock, in opening his address, characterized as "moonshine and gaudy-dash" the picture drawn by Mr. Godfrey of the Government and the "poor, dumb police" arraigned against the "poor, innocent prisoner, a conspiracy to see him hanged."

"If his statement of the case is true," remarked Mr. Blackstock, "it is an awful state of affairs. But it isn't; you know it isn't, and he knows it isn't. So once more let us try to get rid of this truck and rubbish," continued Mr. Blackstock, "and let us get at the truth, no matter where it leads to." Mr. Blackstock then reviewed the evidence.

Mr. Justice Riddell, in charging the jury, spoke for over two hours. His charge was against the prisoner. He deprecated the criticism of the police.

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A STRANGE STORY.

CHARCOAL DEALER'S SON REBORN, SAYS TOKIO NEWSPAPER

Father Wrote His Son's Name on the Arm of Corpse—A Babe Born in Another Family With Same Markings.

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 21.—Has Araya Buehi, the son of the charcoal dealer, been reincarnated; or are the marks that were tattooed on his arm when he was laid in the grave, and now on the arm of a babe born to the wife of the steward of Japan's Premier, Marquis Katsura, merely a coincidence?

This is the question which is agitating Tokio. The Tokio Mainichi says Araya Buehi has been reincarnated in the family of the Premier's steward, and some papers, notably an English weekly of Yokohama, offer complimentary details. The R. M. S. Empress of India, which reached port-to-day, brought Japanese newspapers which told the strange story.

"There is a report to the effect that a man (aged 27) by the name of Araya Buehi, eldest son of Araya Kojiro, dealer in charcoal and fuel, No. 27 Kitamachi, 6 chome, Aoyama, Tokio, died in February of last year, when his father put a minute record of the name, date of birth, and of character, etc., of the deceased down on a piece of paper and buried it, together with the body.

"At that time some people thought that the deceased would transmigrate into a high-class family in consideration of his virtuous deeds done during life. Some time last spring a baby was born in the family of a steward of Marquis Katsura, bearing on its arm the characters clearly representing the name, etc., of the aforesaid deceased."

This is a literal translation of the Japanese of the Mainichi.

The Box of Curios, a weekly edited by H. V. Thorn, published at Yokohama, says: "This statement (of the Mainichi) has been verified to a certain extent by a trained nurse in our employ, who stated that Araya Buehi was her cousin, but that instead of her uncle writing the details, as stated in the Mainichi, on a piece of paper, they were placed on the arm of the deceased by the father in India ink. She states her uncle is a strong believer in reincarnation and he did as stated to test his belief. The nurse also said that at the age of seven years the young man had had a severe attack of meningitis, and for twenty years, up to the time of his death, he had not spoken a word, but possessed such a lovely character that he was highly esteemed by all who knew him, and his father believed he would be reincarnated and return to life in a higher position than the lowly one he occupied at the time of his death. His father now firmly believes that such has been the case and feels that his son has been reincarnated.

"The family of the nurse is greatly excited over the phenomena as reported by the Mainichi, and if the latter's account is a truthful one, it seems to us that it is a matter worthy of the investigation of Japanese scientists, and their report would be awaited with great interest. The nurse states that the parents of her reincarnated cousin are unknown to her family. It is a queer story that should either be verified or denied."

KERCHIEF SALUTE. Unhealthy and W. C. T. U. Abolish It—Resolution on Suffrage.

Omaha, Neb., Oct. 27.—The establishment of Feb. 17, the anniversary of the death of Miss Frances Willard, as a special memorial day, when contributions to the Frances Willard memorial fund are to be made, was the most notable work of the National W. C. T. U. to-day.

It has also been decided to establish a printing plant, where the organization may do its own printing; to make an addition, valued at \$10,000, to the Willard Rest Cottage at Evanston, Ill., and to abolish the "Chautauqua salute," the waving of handkerchiefs, for sanitary reasons.

The convention also adopted for suffrage work the motto "Woman's ballot for the King's business."

MONEY IN POTATOES. It is Said They Pay Better Than Wheat Out West.

Winnipeg, Oct. 27.—Farmers with large areas under potato this year are making more money out of tubers than out of wheat, although the latter is high in price and potatoes abnormally low. One farmer at Balmoral secured a yield of 480 bushels per acre on his patch, which, at 27 cents, gave him \$129 per acre return. His best wheat was scarcely one-fourth of that. Potatoes are a remarkably heavy crop this year.

Washington, Oct. 27.—Scientists in Washington show a marked reluctance to discuss the reported Martian disaster without fuller knowledge of the details of the phenomenon. Nothing had been observed here to prepare their minds for the disclosures of the British journal, and until the full story of the British observations reaches them it is doubtful that they will have much to say.

Prof. W. S. Eichelberger, of the Naval Observatory, said nothing of other planets, so that scientists offhand had nothing with which to compare the present crisis in Mars. The journal of the British Astronomical Society, he said, is a journal of recognized scientific weight, though of this particular account he knew nothing.

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Silk Tailored Waists \$5 Values for \$1.50. In black, brown and navy and made with deep pleats or tucks. We are clearing out these assorted sizes during the Inauguration Sale for \$1.50. Another Inauguration Sale line—regular \$6.50 and \$7.50 Waists in crepe de chine, taffetas and cream net in assorted shades and sizes; nicely trimmed and well made. These must be sold at once and therefore have the Inauguration Sale price of \$2.50 each 2nd Floor.

Lawn Waists 1-4 Regular Prices. These Waists have 3/4 sleeves, but the prices are such that it will pay any purchaser not liking the short sleeve to alter them. The Waists in question represent some beautiful lingerie work and the finest of mull with the daintiest trimmings. Others with beautiful embroidery, lace or medallions. Look over the cuts which have been made in the prices of these waists: \$1.50 value for 35c, \$3.25 values for 98c, \$5.50 values for \$1.95, \$4.50 values for \$1.50, \$9.00 values for \$3.98, \$6.00 values for \$1.98, \$6.50 values for \$2.25 2nd Floor.

Hosiery at 25c Underwear at 50c. Special purchase of manufacturers' over-productions ladies' all wool Black Cashmere Hose, double heels and toes; regular 40c value, 25c. Turnbull's famous Cotton and Wool Vests, with high neck and long sleeves. Drawers of ankle length, open or closed. Inauguration Sale price 50c 1st Floor.

\$8 Fall Jackets Going for \$3.50. Ladies' and Misses' Fall and Spring Coats in fawn, brown and black, some lined, some loose, semi and tight-fitting. There are some of these coats which are correct styles for small ladies. The coats in question have been \$8 to \$11, but the Inauguration Sale price is \$3.50 2nd Floor.

Soiled Corset Covers 25c and 39c. The regular value of these Corset Covers is from 50c to 75c each. They are all nicely trimmed with lace or embroidery and are in assorted sizes. The 45c values are 25c. The 75c values are 39c 2nd Floor.

Special Suiting Sale. Worsteds Suitings, 50 inch stripe in navy, green and brown and of the regular \$1.50 value for \$1.19. Regular 90c value of 46-inch stripe Worsteds Suitings in Burgundy, brown, green and navy shades. 1st Floor.

Ostrich Feather Tips Any One for 50c. These Tips are of a regular value running as high as \$2.00. They are black and white and must be cleared out to make room for new stock. Regular values \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00. Inauguration Sale price 50c 2nd Floor.

Two Silk Bargains. Bengaline Silk in yellow, Cerise, brown, wistaria, pink, Copenhagen, myrtle, navy and moss of the regular 75c values for 39c. Shan Tung Silk in cadet, grey, Copenhagen, helio and reseda shades and of the regular 85c value for 39c 1st Floor.

ESTABLISHED 66 YEARS AGO THOMAS C. WATKINS HAMILTON, ONTARIO

TRUE BILL FOR MURDER. Dundas Man Who Shot Spectator at Charivari is Indicted. Corwall, Ont., Oct. 27.—The Fall Assizes opened last night before Mr. Justice Clute. True bills were found against Isaac Garlough, of Dundas, charged with murder, and W. W. Hall, of Matilda, charged with arson. While a number of young men were annoying Garlough on May 13 by throwing stones on his roof, he put a gun out of a window and fired. Next morning the body of Ross Beckstead, a young man who had been attracted towards the scene by the racket, was found in an adjoining field, having evidently been killed by the shot. Garlough claimed that he did not see Beckstead, and fired to scare away his tormentors. In the case of Hall, it is said that he acknowledged setting fire to barns belonging to a man named Beckstead. He talked in a rambling way about being inspired. Experts will give testimony as to his sanity. POPE BARS THE CURIOUS. Will Only Grant Audiences to Persons With Proper Credentials. Rome, Oct. 27.—The papal major domo has sent a circular to the rectors of all religious institutions forbidding them to recommend anybody for audiences unless they personally know them or they are furnished with credentials by their own bishops. The object is to limit audiences and exclude the merely curious. R. M. C. BEST MODEL. Transvaal M. P. Getting Pointers for College in South Africa. Kingstons, Oct. 27.—Sir Percy Fitzpatrick, member for Pretoria in the Transvaal Government, has been spending several days with Col. Crowe, commander of the Royal Military College, gathering ideas for the establishment of a military college in United South Africa. He thinks the Royal Military College here is the best model he has yet seen for the Federation to copy. At the Victoria Rifle Association's annual meeting the shooting was unprecedented in Australia, possibly in the world. For the King's Prize at 200, 500 and 600 yards, out of a possible 105, 58 marksmen scored over the 100 and seven scored 103.

WHAT IS GOING ON TO-DAY IN THE WORLD OF SPORT.

TIGERS ARE WORKING HARD AT PRACTICES.

It is Not Likely That Davey Tope Will Turn Out This Year—Dundas and Tiger Intermediates Play on Saturday at Cricket Grounds.

The Tigers still have their hardest games ahead of them, and realizing this fact the players are at the Cricket Grounds every afternoon, running, passing and tackling to get into the best possible condition. The game on Thanksgiving Day showed that both the yellow and black and the Winged Wheel players were in good condition, as only in one or two instances were players put out and the game delayed. The experts say that it will be condition that will count in the game with Varsity for the Dominion championship, and the Tigers, like a wise team, are taking heed.

It is not likely that Davey Tope will be seen in his molokins this year. The famous little full back is somewhat loath to jump into the game so late in the season, and besides there is another very good reason to keep him out of it.

A game that will be well worth seeing will be played at the Cricket Grounds on Saturday afternoon, when the Tiger intermediates and Dundas teams hook up. Both teams put up an article of football as good as anything seen in senior company outside of the "Big Four," and as the battle for the intermediate championship will be between them the Saturday game promises to be a hot struggle.

The Alerts look to be the best junior team in the city, and another good game will come off when they clash with the Dundas juniors on Saturday. Walter Howell says his pets are playing great ball this year, and expects them to win the junior championship.

"What happened to the Rooters' Club?" is a question that is agitating the minds of the fans. It also is a question that nobody seems competent to answer. It is rumored that the section that was to have been reserved for their use in the grand stand on Thanksgiving Day was partly sold out, and that they became huffed at this slight and refused to sing.

Most of the Tiger team will leave tomorrow morning on the G. T. R. for Montreal, and in the evening the officers and supporters will leave on the same road. It is not likely that a special train will be run down, but a special coach will be attached for the accommodation of the Jungle Terrers.

"Kid" Smith's leg is in bad condition.

and it is not likely that he will be able to play next Saturday. Frank Burton is out again, and will likely be put in his old position at left half.

WILLIAMS MAY PLAY.

Ottawa, Oct. 28.—That the Ottawa Football Club has sized up the Toronto Argonaut team as a dangerous aggregation is quite evident from the preparations which King Clancy's men are making for next Saturday's match against the Oarsmen at Toronto. Jack Williams, who has been at his home in Kingston since the Montreal game, arrived last night. He still limps and it is very doubtful if he will be able to play against the Argos this week. Williams will turn out to practice to-day, and if he is at all able to stand the pace he will be in line at centre half. The club hoped to have Williams in the best of shape. Last night it was not considered likely that Williams will play. He may start out in the game. The Ottawas are taking precautions against being defeated by the Argos, however, and are trying Stuart Christie out at centre half. He played there in place of Pope yesterday and will be in that position Saturday should Williams not be able to play. Christie made good at centre half. He is a great runner, but not much of a punter. Eddie Phillips was over at right outside yesterday, and will be a fixture in that place should Christie be kept behind the line. The team yesterday showed great improvement all round. Charlie McGee, who has been out of the game for six years, was in uniform again, also Kilross, a big Scotch player, who looks guilty of having the football goods on him. The back division and line showed much improvement. They expect a very hard game, but the players are ready to back themselves to beat Argos.

ARGOS WORKING HARD.

The Argos had another good practice last evening for their game with the Rough Riders on Saturday. The team gave the Ottawa fourteen a bad scare last week, and the Easterners are bringing up their strongest line-up for the game.

While the management have been keeping mum as to the line-up of the local team, still there will likely be several changes. Newport made good at quarter-back last Saturday and another position will have to be found for Corvett. There is some talk of the ex-Varsity star being played on one of the outside wings, but it is more likely that he will be played on the half-back line somewhere. Mert Kent was hurt in the Ottawa game and may not be able to

play for a few days. Knight, the American College man, will take his place at centre half if Kent does not recover sufficiently Friday night. The rest of the back division will remain unchanged. Green and Swack being the outside halves, and "Dee" Taylor at full.

"Joe" Wright is keeping the team working hard and is making a strong effort to overcome the tendency of the backs to fumble the ball. He realizes that it was this weakness that lost them the game last Saturday, and in order to strengthen the team in this department he intends to hold special practices of the back division at 1.30 each afternoon for the rest of the week. A new tackling dummy is to be installed this afternoon and the men will also be given some extra practice in tackling.

Quite a few Rugby enthusiasts are going to Toronto on Saturday to get a line on the Ottawa team for their game a week from Saturday at Hamilton with the Tigers. Argonauts are working hard and think they will put a crimp in Ottawa's aspirations for the championship on Saturday.

What would have been the result had Jack Williams been playing with Ottawa, instead of being laid up at his home in Kingston with a sprained knee? He is the brains of the Rough Riders, and will make a big difference to that team when they meet Hamilton again, a week from Saturday, at Hamilton.

George Ballard thinks that if the Tigers and Varsity meet for the Canadian championship the Hamilton team will win because of the protection their heavy line will afford the Hamilton backs.

Midshipman Earl D. Wilson, of Covington, Ky., whose neck was broken while playing for the United States Navy team at the Annapolis Naval Academy, is in a dying condition.

In the junior City League the games for Saturday are: Tigers at Hurons; Blue Labels at Broadviews. A meeting of the Executive will be held on Friday night at 8.30 o'clock at J. W. Nelson's to take action on the game between the Blue Labels and Hurons, and also to make arrangements to have all the names of the competing players given in on Friday of each week, before the games on Saturday.

The Executive of the Knox, St. Andrew's, Eskine and Y. M. C. A. Church League will hold a meeting to-night.

ATHLETICS

Toronto Telegram: There is deep gloom among the village sports in Hamilton, Ont., and the morning ones who "made hook" on the Herald road race are gazing dolefully at large punctures in their bank rolls. And while in Beaver-ton sundry young men are exhibiting fat rolls of currency and gleefully telling how it all happened.

One short year ago Beaver-ton, in a body, engaged a special train and swooped down on Hamilton with a running wind-up, and won the prize. They took along their entire summer's wages, and on the way down a lightning calculator figured that the money placed at the prevailing odds would give them just \$17,000 to take back to the Scotch village.

But alas and alack! For when they reached the foot of the mountain they found that a tip had preceded them, and that Jimmie George had been wiped off the slate. They couldn't get up a dollar, and in their despair they almost "scratched" their man. But wiser counsel prevailed, and they let him start. He was never better than third, and was worse than fifth up to the eighteenth mile, when his mentor and guide loaded him into a buggy, drove him to the hotel and then to his own stable in Beaver-ton. All the sporting world, and the greater part of Beaver-ton were led to believe he was simply another busted phenom.

All year Jimmie toiled in the village barber shop, and gathered wisdom from the local vets who laughed long and loud because he kept right on running. Two weeks ago the man who loaded him into the buggy at Hamilton brought him down to the Ward Marathon, where he said nothing, and ran a careful twelfth. And the plan was all loaded for those guileless Hamilton bookies.

He went to Hamilton without any special train this time. The odds were 7 to 1 against him, and the few "in the know" went to him strong. Then Jimmie George, still as silent as only an Indian can, jogged out in front, and never quit jogging till he passed the winning post nearly half a mile in front of his nearest competitor. The Scotch men indulged in their favorite amusement of collecting money.

The Stanley.

Edmonton Intends to Come East With a Stronger Team.

Ottawa, Oct. 28.—The Edmonton Hockey Club has again challenged for the Stanley Cup. Yesterday Mr. Martin Rosenthal, Secretary of the Ottawa Hockey Club, received a letter from C. Chauvin, Secretary of the Edmonton Club, in which Chauvin notified the Ottawas that it was the intention of the Edmonton Club to seek dates again. They have, according to Chauvin, a much stronger team than last year, when they held the Wanderers to a close score in the first match, and succeeded in beating them out by one goal in the second. Chauvin did not disclose to the Ottawas the personnel of the Edmonton team, but he emphasized the fact that it would be the greatest ever sent from the West in quest of the famous silverware. Fred Whitecroft will again manage it, and most of last year's players will be available.

The Edmonton challenge has been received by the trustees, and they are now considering it. Whether or not it will be accepted will not be known until the trustees finish their revision of the new set of rules. Mr. Foran states that nothing will be done regarding cup challenges for two or three weeks, but in the meantime they are pouring in. The Nelson challenge is understood to be on its way from Lester Patrick, while the Galt team have sent word that they are open for dates. Cobalt, champions of Temiskaming; Renfrew, champions of the Federal; and Winnipeg Strathcons,

OTTAWA ARE DOUBTFUL ABOUT NEXT ARGOS GAME.

Rough Riders Will Take Their Strongest Team to Toronto—Jack Williams Will Not Play—Hayes and Robbins Are Good Officials.

OTTAWA, OCT. 28.—The Ottawa Football Club, having played all its home games, now enters upon the hardest two weeks of the season. On Saturday of this week King Clancy will lead his Colts up against the Toronto Argonauts at Toronto. Argonauts looked, two weeks ago, to be the weakest team in the union, but they have been improving rapidly and are likely to be decidedly dangerous on Saturday. Argos will do their utmost to beat the league leaders, as they have not yet won a game this season, and would give almost anything within their reach for the satisfaction which they would derive from lowering the red, white and black pennant from its present proud position. It's do or die with the Ottawas, however, for a defeat from Argos would just about kill their championship chances.

GAME MEANS MUCH.

A week from Saturday they go to Hamilton to meet the Tigers. A win from Argos and another from Hamilton will bring the Big Four championship to Ottawa. A win on Argos field and a loss on Tigers would tie the locals with the Jungle Kings. Two defeats would knock Ottawa out of the running, and give the championship to the Tigers.

HIGHFIELD SENIORS BEAT THE COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE

At the Cricket Grounds by a Score of 24-0 Yesterday Afternoon—The Score Was No Indication of the Play and Game Was Interesting.

HIGHFIELD SENIORS and the Hamilton Collegiate Institute team played a game of football last evening at the cricket grounds, the Highfield team winning by 24 to 0. The game was interesting and the teams more evenly matched than the score would indicate. Highfield's victory was due to the greater familiarity of its players with rules and plays—that familiarity which enables a player to do just what is right without having to stop a moment to think. Highfield also showed better hands and better feet—hands particularly—and had two or three star players who could be depended upon for brilliant individual work. While the whole team was playing together. The Collegiate has a lot of good boys. They are strong and fearless, fast and good tacklers, but they need drilling, most particularly in the follow up and the kick. They tried a good many trick plays but did not do them well. The teams lined up as follows:

Highfield.	Back.	Collegiate.
Holland	Half-backs.	Graham
Storms	Laing	Higgins
Grant	Thompson	Fawcett
Vallance	Quarter.	Smith
Grassett	Scrimmage.	Edwards
Hay, M.	Yeates	Colquhoun
Hay M.	Wings.	Hughson
Fraser	Parke	Mathieson

ST. YVES AND SHRUBB TO MEET AT 15 MILES

In Race at Seattle Next Sunday—John Marsh, the Winnipeg Runner Will Also Start—Five Distance Men Are Entered.

THE LONG-DISTANCE bug, which created such a furor around these parts last year, has a strange hold on the Pacific coast athletes, and some of the pro runners who drifted there when the game died out in the East are fairly going home. The recent Marathon held in Seattle, a race in which Henri St. Yves, the scuttling little Frenchman, beat his own world's record for the distance by almost eight minutes, paved the way for a fifteen-mile race to be held in Seattle next Sunday, in which the promoters hope to line up St. Yves against Alf Shrubbs, the Englishman. If Shrubbs falls in line there will be five starters—Shrubbs, St. Yves, Johnny Marsh, the Canadian; Johnny Hayes and Fitzgerald. Marsh has a hunch that he can trim both Shrubbs and St. Yves at fifteen

miles, and Hayes and Fitzgerald are going into the race for whatever appearance money there may be in it, and on the chance that something may happen to one or more of the three favorites. Fitzgerald hails from Calgary and has never gone further than fifteen miles.

In the Marathon, Marsh hung to St. Yves almost to the finish and was right on top of him as the 15th mile post was passed. St. Yves holds the climatic conditions responsible for the fast time made in that race. It was neither too hot nor too cold, and he went the route without experiencing fatigue of an exhaustive nature. It is said that fifteen minutes after the race, when examined by physicians, St. Yves was in perfectly normal condition. For a runner supposed to be suffering from a weak heart, the report given out after he had met with a defeat recently, St. Yves shows remarkable recuperative powers.

champions of Manitoba, have also challenged. The Strathcona challenge has first call, and they are sure to get dates. There will be only two or three series at best, and it is likely that the trustees will reject those of all the teams which intend making up all-star teams from all over the country. Jumping from one team to another is now prohibited, and Trustees Foran and Ross will likely bar from future Stanley Cup games all who were not with their present teams when the various championships were won last year.

Nell—Do you believe a second love is worth more than first? Belle—Well, he's generally worth more money.

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"Why do so many women rest their chins on their hands when they are trying to think?" "To hold their mouths shut so that they won't disturb themselves."—Cleveland Leader.

Some people are so constituted that they are never comfortable unless they are making others uncomfortable.

Debt hangs like a padlock about the mouth of labor.—Dutch.



The Auto-Ulster

A tomobiling has had its influence on the dress fashions of the day—for men as well as for women.

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have an intense faith in the goods made—and every know system is studied and practised to live up to our ideals and yours. Plain prices—one price to everybody—and that price the lowest that can be made on the high-class of garments we sell.

Suits and Overcoats as low as \$15 and as good as \$30 and \$35. Finished to order in an hour.

Semi-ready Tailoring

Joseph McClung, 46 James St. North

LIPTON MAY BUILD CHALLENGER IN CANADA.

Suggestion Is Made to Avoid Dangerous Trip Across the Atlantic—New Yorkers Agree With Sir Thomas.

New York, Oct. 28.—Prominent yacht designers on this side of the Atlantic are joining with Sir Thomas Lipton in his suggestion that a fairer and better race for the America's cup could be sailed with larger and more seaworthy boats than with the lighter "racing machines" which have been developed under the old rules governing previous contests.

TAKE LIPTON'S VIEW. Wm. Gardner, A. Cary Smith and Henry J. Gielow, all noted builders and designers, said yesterday they saw no reason why a challenger under the American rules of measurement, which were adopted in 1905 by the New York Yacht Club, should be refused. Some of the designers declare that even faster and better boats can be built to comply with the new ideas, and a con-

test under more normal and satisfactory conditions would result. BUILD YACHT HERE. Sir Thomas received a number of prominent yachtmen and members of the New York Yacht Club in his rooms at the Waldorf yesterday, and the sentiment of the club is being carefully determined by the Irish yachtman before he decides to issue his formal challenge. There has been some talk of the possibilities of building a challenger in Canada, which would preclude the hazardous trip across the Atlantic. It is pointed out that a challenger on the lines could be built there and sail "on her own bottom" from St. John, Halifax, Sydney or some other point to Sandy Hook with perfect safety. Such an undertaking, however, does not appear to be feasible to most of the yachtmen and designers to whom it has been suggested, on account of Canada not having the necessary facilities for building racing yachts.

Champion Arnst Takes No Chances.

Sculling Wonder Is Touring the Country With Picture Show.

A Taihape despatch to the Wellington, N. Z., Dominion says: "Dick" Arnst, champion oarsman of the world, is now making his way overland to Auckland as proprietor of a moving-picture show, which depicts the champion's triumphs. Arnst runs the whole business in his usual thorough manner, but he confided to-day that "there was too much worry about the game." From further statements made by him, it appeared that it would take very little to set him off on a world's tour. Negotiations were proceeding, he said, for a match between himself and Barry, to be rowed on the Zambezi, for £500 a side. The Zambezi was mentioned as the possible locality of the race, owing to the fact that it was a South African syndicate (backing Arnst) which was attempting to bring off the match. The champion, in reply to a question, said that he would be quite willing to travel to any part of the world, and row anybody, provided that he was allowed expenses.

Vanderbilt Cup Race Will be Fast.

New York, Oct. 28.—"This year's Vanderbilt cup race will be the best, fastest and safest contest of the kind ever held in this country," said W. K. Vanderbilt, jun., to-day, after he had watched some of the trial spins preparatory to Saturday's event, and had made two circuits of the course in his own machine at a fast clip. "The altering of the conditions of the race so that only stock cars will compete this year, is, in my opinion, a distinct advance. Under the new rules, I think the contest will show that the American built car is now on even terms with the foreign machine. "My original idea, when I presented the cup for competition away back in 1904, was to develop a product of the American manufacturer and put us on a level with the foreign makers. For years France led the world in the manufacture of automobiles largely because of the information which their makers gained through road races. Now the American builder is beginning to show them. "No, Jagway, I'll not go out and drink with you. You ought to quit the habit, anyhow." "Wh-wha' for?" "Because it's undermining your constitution." "What's the constitution 'tween friends? Come on, ol' fell!"—Chicago Tribune.

COMMENT AND GOSSIP

Logie Armstrong, the Montreal footballer who suffered a slight concussion of the brain in the Thanksgiving Day game, is recovering rapidly at the City Hospital. He will leave for home tomorrow night in company with the Tigers.

Patrick Powers is still the big noise in the Eastern Baseball League.

According to the despatch, it was Buffalo that decided the deadlock, due to promise of reward. Bisontown is to get Cincinnati's surplus players for switching to Powers, owing to family connection—and there you are. Buffalo may win a pennant in the Eastern next season, like Cincinnati does in the National! They are great fixers, these baseball magnates.

A good many people think the same as Jeff's pa does.

The Vancouver Province says that the Canadian runners were robbed of their places in the Seattle professional Marathon. Each of the men was set back from two to four positions at the finish. One of the Canadian representatives, John D. Marsh, is now being trained by Roddy Lamont, the former Toronto football and baseball player.

Jack Johnson has so many social duties to perform in Chicago that he is in no hurry to reach New York. He pined yesterday for his joy wagon, which is held by the enemy in San Francisco.

Tom Williams means to keep the spark of horse-racing on the coast no matter how far back the operation sets him. One of the items of preliminary expense is the purchase of some thick woollen hose for his associates who are subject to chills below the fetlocks. There is no money in expurgated horse racing. Mr. Williams realizes that, but he is willing to heel a losing game against the return of better conditions.

Dave Bennett, the old-time champion long-distance runner of Canada, defeated David Hill, known as "Young Deer-foot," in a ten-mile race to Dutton for a \$250 purse. Bennett won by two yards.

Mel Sheppard beat Emilio Lunghi in the thousand yard run at the Monument A. C. meet at Celtic Park by two yards. Kiviat was third. Time, 2:19.45.

Kentucky Todd (3), 2:08.3-4, will be in the stud another season at Elmhurst Farm, near Lexington. Miss Katherine Wilkes, owner of the stallion, has consented to Bob Estell's urging, and, as last season, the great son of Todd will stand in the Blue Grass country in 1910.

Jeffries says he is working hard every day, but it's his press agent who is doing the real work of the campaign.

That Bobby Ke... the superior of Frank Halhaus right now is something sprint race followers must admit on the dope. Halhaus won from Sebert by a

RACING AT THE BALTIMORE TRACK.

Stanley Fay Was Outside the Money in Fifth Race—Night Rider Callahan Was Sent to Central For 9 Months, Davis Allowed to Go.

BALTIMORE, OCT. 28.—Two favorites, three third choices and an outsider, won here yesterday.

In the fifth race, Dreamer showed a great reversal of form over Monday, and won handily at 6 to 1.

In the steeplechase all fell with the exception of Southwest. Grantland re-mounted Peter Young and finished second.

Juggler burnt up a lot of the public's money in the last race, as he was well played, and the books reaped a harvest.

Fockey, McCarthy was suspended for the remainder of the meeting by the stewards on account of his poor ride on Dreamer on Monday.

First race, six furlongs—Lothario, 105 (Davenport), 1 to 1, 2 to 1 and even, 1; Compton, 110 (Goldstein), 12 to 1, 1 to 2 and 1 to 2; Acumen, 107 (J. Reid), 9 to 2, 8 to 5 and 4 to 5, 3; Time, 113 4-5. The Speaker, Kid Oper, Rebellon and Louise Welles also ran.

Second race, 1 1/16 miles—Arvandack, 108 (McCahey), 4 to 5, 1; Emperor William, 111 (G. Burns), 7 to 5, 2; St. Abe, 108 (Goldstein), 12 to 1, 3; Time, 1:46-4-5. Only three starters.

Third race, six furlongs—Tophno, 105 (G. Burns), 2 to 1, 4 to 5 and 2 to 5, 1; Jubilee Juggins, 113 (Davenport), 5 to 1, 2 to 1 and even, 2; Jubilee, 113 (Grand), 13 to 5, even and 1 to 2, 3; Time, 1:13-2-5. Hannonia, Tillmingsht, Monte Carlo, Duke of Roanoke, Ida Rock and Disobedient also ran.

Fourth race, Elkhridge Steeplechase; about 2 1/2 miles—Southwest, 150 (Brawley), even, 1; Peter Young, 164 (Grantland), 6 to 5, 2; Picket, 150 (Heider), 7 to 10, 3; Time, 5:47. Clovercroft lost rider.

Fifth race, 1 1/16 miles—Dreamer, 112 (Goldstein), 5 to 1, 6 to 5 and 1 to 1; Gretna Green, 112 (G. Burns), 13 to 5, 7 to 10 and out, 2; Stanley Fay, 115 (Ramsey), even, 2 1/2 and out, 3; Time, 1:46-1-5. Cave Adum also ran.

Sixth race, 1 3/16 miles—Oragna, 96 (Ramsey), 40 to 1, 10 to 1 and 4 to 1, 1; Nethermost, 99 (McCahey), 6 to 2, 8

to 5 and 3 to 5, 2; Hiacko, 100 (Davenport), 5 to 1, 6 to 5 and 3 to 5, 3; Time, 2:15. Cuning, Howard Shean and Juggler also ran.

CALLAHAN TO CONTROL. W. C. Callahan, night rider of the horse Caper Sauce, yesterday before Police Magistrate Leggett yesterday morning.

Callahan, who did the riding, was sentenced to nine months in the Central Prison, and Davis, his accomplice, was let off with a fine of \$10 and costs, was an option of serving 30 days in Sand-wich jail.

Callahan, the principal defendant, confessed he planned the affair. "I went to the track stables shortly after midnight Saturday, and having previously located Caper Sauce's stall, entered the barn, where I found Davis, half drunk and asleep. He agreed to assist me in giving Caper Sauce a run, as I assured him we could make a lot of money.

"I had previously made an agreement with a man who said he was a book-maker, J. L. Brown, at the Pontchar-train Hotel, in Detroit. He agreed to give me 25 per cent. of his winnings if Caper Sauce lost. He agreed to send one of his clerks out to the track Friday night to assist me. He was there and I thought everything was all right until he cornered me in the Manning House at the point of a revolver and had me in a revolver and had me arrested."

The man who took the part of Brown's clerk was Noah Howard, a Sandwich. He gave evidence for the prosecution. He had acted under instructions from Samuel E. Farmer, superintendent of the Windsor track.

MEADOW'S GOOD PERFORMANCE. Dallas, Texas, Oct. 28.—Meadow, a three-year-old, carrying 113 pounds, and ridden by Lowe, came within less than a half second of breaking the world's record for a mile and a six-sixteenth on the Dallas track yesterday afternoon.

Meadow has done sensational racing on the Canadian circuit this year. She beat Orbicular, the great Southern stake horse, carrying 125 pounds, and ridden by Molewirth, by only a half length in the Texas State Fair Handicap, purse \$1,000. The world's record for a mile and a sixteenth was made at Oakland, Cal., on November 11, 1905, by Royal Tourist, also a three-year-old, but he carried only 104 pounds. His time was only three tenths of a second faster than Meadow's 1:44 1/4, made in Dallas yesterday. Meadow is owned by Wade McLe-more of Albany, Texas.

Baseball Players Were Banqueted

At East End Y. M. C. A. Last Evening.

The final chapter of the history of the East End Soft Ball League, composed of the East End Y. M. C. A., Emeralds, Nationals, Frost Wire Fence Company, and Woodlands, who played a successful series of games during the summer months at Woodland Park, and which was eventually won by the East End Y. M. C. A., was written last evening in the parlors of the East End Y. M. C. A. A large number of friends assembled to honor the players, who were the first aggregation to win a trophy for the East End branch, which has gained much popularity since it was opened. The affair was in the form of a banquet, and the presentation of the challenge trophy donated by J. W. Nelson. The trophy must be won three times before it can become the permanent property of any team.

Representatives from all the different teams in the league were present, also a few prominent citizens, who enlivened the evening by their clever and jocular speeches. The parlors were artistically decorated with bunting and flags, and the tables were arrayed with the most tempting and choicest things, adding greatly to the zest of the evening. To the strains of music provided by Accompanist Vansickle, the boys sat down to their repast, headed by Paul Dreesback, as toast master. Around him were seated C. Powis, the physical director of the East End Y. M. C. A., Mr. Vansickle, President of the East End Y. M. C. A., and J. W. Nelson, who presented the cup. One side of the table was prepared for the players of the winning team, while directly opposite sat their opponents. After the table had been relieved of its burden, the toasts were introduced. "The King" was proposed by the President, and responded by singing the National Anthem. He then Chairman then called upon Mr. Vansickle, who spoke for some time, pointing out the advantages obtained by boys becoming members of the Y. M. C. A., especially mentioning the fact that it was the only way the boy could develop body, spiritually and intellectually.

Mr. Dreesback spoke, congratulating the Y. M. C. A. for the enjoyable evening they had given the boys. The feature of the programme was the presentation of the cup by J. W. Nelson. He was given a rousing reception, and the general J. W. was there with his usual instructive advice, telling the boys of the benefit derived by joining the Y. M. C. A. He also said that the soft ball game was the means of developing the athlete, as it requires a person to be a quick mover and a brainy thinker. W. G. Lambert, in accepting the trophy, handed out the most encouraging words of the evening. He talked about progressiveness, and said that next year they would try to secure Britannia Park, forming a club league, composed of the classic teams of the city. He said that between 800 and 900 people attend the games regularly last season, and was confident that with more teams, they could have a still larger crowd. George Smith, star catcher, and half-back of the Tigers, made a neat little speech, in which he referred to the classic teams of the city. He said that between 800 and 900 people attend the games regularly last season, and was confident that with more teams, they could have a still larger crowd. The representatives of the other teams also spoke briefly.

The league officials were the recipients of handsome presents, the gift of the league, in which Jack Davis was presented with a silver ring, while Mr. Anderson was given a hat. During the evening a lengthy programme was run off, including a wrestling match between "Chick" Sheridan and Norman Geddes, and a fencing match between Mr. Powis and Mr. Cloke. Others who helped to make the evening enjoyable were Fred Myers, J. Snyder and W. Lambert.

Changes in Bowling Rules.

General Committee of H. B. A. Met Last Night.

A meeting of the general committee of the Hamilton Bowling Association was held at the Hamilton Bowling & Athletic Club last night, with fifty captains and the Executive Committee in attendance. The constitution and by-laws were gone over, and many changes made for the betterment of the bowling game as controlled by the Association in the H. B. A. & C. Leagues.

It was decided to divide the teams into three classes, A, B and C. A class to consist of bowlers with an average of 165 or over, B class, 145 to 165, and C class with averages of 145 and under. It was decided to permit one class A bowler to play with each B team, and one B class man to play with each C class team, each team to register several players in all, who must be a resident of Hamilton or within a radius of 20 miles.

On account of these important changes in the bowling rules for the coming season, it was decided to accept additional entries of teams for the league to start Monday, Nov. 1, after which date the schedules will be drawn up. The official opening of each league and sections of leagues has been set for Monday, Nov. 8, and all games will be scheduled to be played at 8 o'clock throughout the season.

James Smith won the gold club button for high single last week with a score of 255.

The big game between the Royal Hamilton Yacht Club and the H. B. A. C. forty men, will be played to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock.

Olive and Cod Liver Oils.

We offer this week importations from France of guaranteed pure olive oil of fine flavor and rich in taste, and from Norway, cod liver oil of the finest quality. Lowest prices for these oils—Gerrie's drug store, 32 James street north.

TWO KILLED

New York, Oct. 28.—Two persons were killed and three injured in a fire which swept through a three story tenement at 4th street and Third avenue before daylight. Fire Chief Croker believes it was the work of an incendiary and the police have started an investigation.

Fireman who entered the rooms on the third floor found the bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Biele. Several persons did not wait until the firemen arrived and leaped from the windows and were injured. Others were hurt by falling from a fire escape in the rear.

MARKETS AND FINANCE

Thursday, Oct. 28.—The offerings on Central Market this morning were much larger than on Tuesday, but the demand was good and easily equalled the supply.

In the meat market the price of dressed hogs again soared 50 cents per hundred-weight, making the price steady at \$11. Suu v apples were fairly plentiful and sold for 25 to 30 cents per basket. There was also a good offering of hand-picked Apples, selling at \$2.75 per barrel. A few loads of chickens were in and bought \$1.15 per pair.

There were no noticeable changes in the price of other produce, all being steady. The ruling prices at 8 a. m. were:

Dairy Produce. Dairy butter, 0.27 to 0.30; Cooking Butter, 0.23 to 0.25; Creamery butter, 0.28 to 0.32; Eggs, new laid, dozen, 0.22 to 0.25; Eggs, cooking, 0.18 to 0.20.

Poultry. Chickens, pair, 0.80 to 1.25; Spring Chickens, 1.00 to 1.50; Old Turkeys, 0.15 to 0.25; Ducks, pair, 1.00 to 1.25; Geese, lb., 0.12 to 0.15.

Fruits. Plums, basket, 0.15 to 0.35; Peaches, basket, 0.20 to 0.50; Apples, basket, 0.15 to 0.25; Summer squash, each, 0.12 to 0.20; Hickory nuts, bushel, 2.00 to 2.00; Walnuts, bushel, 1.90 to 1.90.

Vegetables, Etc. Celery, dozen, 0.40 to 0.60; Lettuce, per bunch, 0.40 to 0.60; Parsley, dozen, 0.40 to 0.60; Potatoes, bushel, 0.50 to 0.60; Radish, bunch, 0.02 to 0.02; Watercress, 2 for, 0.25 to 0.40; White onion, bushel, 0.40 to 0.40; Spinach, bushel, 0.40 to 0.40; Vegetable marrow, each, 0.20 to 0.20; Cauliflower, \$1 doz., each, 0.10 to 0.12; Parsnips, basket, 0.20 to 0.20; Egg fruit, each, 0.05 to 0.05; Tomatoes, basket, 0.15 to 0.20; White pin onion, basket, 0.75 to 0.75; Onions, large, basket, 0.40 to 0.60; Peppers, basket, 0.40 to 0.60; Summer squash, each, 0.12 to 0.20; Hubbard squash, each, 0.05 to 0.15; Pumpkins, each, 0.05 to 0.10.

Meats. Fair supply, demand small, prices steady. Wool, pound, washed, 0.18 to 0.18; Wool, pound, unwashed, 0.12 to 0.12; Bacon, sides, lb., 0.17 to 0.19; Bacon, hams, lb., 0.16 to 0.17; Shoulders, lb., 0.15 to 0.18; Bologna, lb., 0.08 to 0.10; Pork sausage, lb., 0.09 to 0.10; Fresh sausage, lb., 0.10 to 0.12; New England ham, lb., 0.10 to 0.12; Mushrooms, quart, 0.13 to 0.20.

Flowers. Palms, 1.50 to 2.50; Geraniums, 0.15 to 0.25; Asters, dozen, 0.15 to 0.15; Rubber plants, 0.40 to 0.50; Ferns, each, 0.05 to 0.05; Roses, each, 0.05 to 0.05; Gladioli, dozen, 0.25 to 0.25; Cyclamen, 0.25 to 0.25; Carnations, pot., 0.25 to 0.25; Snap dragons, doz., 0.50 to 0.50; Chrysanthemums, 0.50 to 0.50.

Meats. Good supply and demand. Beef, No. 1, per cwt., 7.00 to 8.00; Beef, No. 2, per cwt., 7.00 to 8.00; Mutton, per cwt., 8.00 to 8.00; Dressed hogs, 9.00 to 10.00; Veal, per cwt., 9.00 to 10.00; Sorlin lamb, per lb., 0.10 to 0.11.

Fish. Good supply and demand. No change. Power fish, 0.15 to 0.15; Salmon, 0.15 to 0.15; White fish, 0.10 to 0.10; Herrings, lb., 0.10 to 0.10; Halibut, lb., 0.10 to 0.10; Cod, lb., 0.10 to 0.10; Flounders, lb., 0.10 to 0.10; Smoked herring, lb., 0.10 to 0.10; Finnan haddock, lb., 0.10 to 0.10; Haddock, 2 lbs., 0.10 to 0.10; Perch, lb., 0.10 to 0.10; Mackerel, lb., 0.10 to 0.10; Oysters, qt., 0.20 to 0.25; Haddock, lb., 0.10 to 0.10; Kinged Herrings, 2 for, 0.10.

The Hide Market. Calf skins, No. 1, lb., 0.15 to 0.15; Calf skins, No. 2, lb., 0.15 to 0.15; Calf skins, flat, 0.00 to 0.00; Sheep skins, 0.10 to 0.10; Sheep skins, each, 1.00 to 2.50; Hides, No. 1, per lb., 0.15 to 0.15; Hides, No. 2, per lb., 0.15 to 0.15; Oveal, qt., 0.15 to 0.15; Lamb skins, 0.00 to 0.00.

Grain Market. Barley, 1.02 to 1.02; Oats, 0.69 to 0.69; Rye, 0.85 to 0.85; Buckwheat, 0.85 to 0.85; Cheoned corn, 1.50 to 1.50; Corn, 0.80 to 0.81; Peas, 0.80 to 0.81.

Hay and Wood. Straw, per ton, 5.00 to 5.00; Hay, per ton, 15.00 to 17.00.

Toronto Markets

FARMERS' MARKET. The offerings of grain to-day were only 600 bushels. There was no wheat, which is worth \$1.05. Barley, firm, 300 bushels selling at 61 to 62c. Oats—Unchanged, with sales of 200 bushels at 42 to 43c. About 100 bushels of buckwheat sold at 80c per bushel.

Hay—Firm, with receipts of about 20 loads; timothy sold at \$17 to \$22 a ton, and clover at \$10 per ton. One load of bundled straw sold at \$17 a ton, and one load of loose at \$8.

Dressed hogs are unchanged, with prices ruling at \$10.75 to \$11.25. Wheat, white, new, \$1.04 to \$1.05; Do., red, new, 1.04 to 1.05; Do., goose, 1.00 to 1.01; Oats, bushel, 0.42 to 0.43; Peas, bushel, 0.85 to 0.90; Rye, bushel, 0.81 to 0.82; Do., No. 3, 0.85 to 0.88; Hay, timothy, ton, 17.00 to 22.00; Do., clover, ton, 10.00 to 0.00; Straw, pre ton, 16.00 to 17.00.

Alsiak, fancy, bushel, 6.50 to 6.75; Do., No. 1, 6.25 to 6.50; Do., No. 2, 5.75 to 6.00; Do., No. 3, 5.00 to 5.40; Red Clover, bushel, 7.50 to 8.00; Timothy, 1.40 to 1.60; Dressed hogs, 10.75 to 11.25; Butter, dairy, 0.26 to 0.30; Do., inferior, 0.21 to 0.23; Eggs, new laid, dozen, 0.35 to 0.38; Chickens, lb., 0.23 to 0.15; Ducks, lb., 0.13 to 0.14; Turkeys, lb., 0.20 to 0.22; Danforth avenue; George Croft, aged 40 years, 160 St. Patrick street; William North, aged 34 years, married, 13 North Yonge street; Frank Farmer, aged 27 years, married, 659 Markham street; Robert Higgins, aged 35 years, married, 175 Eglinton; Frank Wilson, aged 18, 284 Clinton street; Fred Robertson, aged 16 years, 7 McAlpine avenue; Robert Harris.

NEW YORK SUGAR MARKET. Sugar—Raw strong; fair refining, 3-8c to 3.55c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4.30c to 4.35c; molasses sugar, 3.55c to 3.60c.

COBALT STOCKS. The Mining Market in Toronto continues dull, with a further recession in La Rose. There was some little movement in Beaver, but the general list was dormant and devoid of interest. Silver Leaf was weak around 17 1/4. Tretthewey was firmer.

The third and last sale of the Government land in the Gillies Limit, tenders for which close on Nov. 15, is averaging a general interest in the camp, says the Cobalt Nugget. There is hardly an old-time prospector in the camp that has not his hidden vein down in the limit, which he will uncover for a consideration, and there is all kinds of dicker-ing going on. The land has not been prospected by the Government, or for that matter, at all except in a very cursory manner. Prospectors who went on the limit did so by stealth, and they, of course, could do no trenching or blasting. So that the 1,188 acres now offered by the Government should hold more possibilities than any of the parcels of land sold at previous auctions.

TORONTO HORSE EXCHANGE. West Toronto, Oct. 27.—There was no trade on Monday at the Horse Exchange owing to the holiday, and to-day a large number of horses was on hand. But trade was dull, and out of a run of 125 horses only about 60 were sold. The main demand is from the railway camps which take the very best heavy draughts, but local demands and inquiries for western horses were very light.

The quality of the animals on the market this week is of the very finest and prices range fairly high in the heavy draught class. The general range of prices, as seen in the sales this week, is as follows: Heavy draught, \$1800 to \$2200; general purpose, \$1400 to \$1750; elegant and expensive horses, \$1500 to \$1900; drivers, \$1000 to \$1250; serviceably sound, \$835 to \$850.

NINE HURT.

Gasoline Explosion in Parker's Dye Works, Toronto. Toronto, Ont., Oct. 28.—An explosion occurred at Parker's Dye Works, 791 Yonge street, about 11 o'clock this morning, which blew out the wall at the rear of the building and injured at least nine persons, several of whom have been removed to the hospital. The explosion, which was caused by the ignition of gasoline in a tank used for cleaning purposes, set fire to a small building behind the dye works, under which is a tank containing 150 gallons of gasoline, and the firemen are now fighting hard to keep the flames from this, using sand. The persons injured are: J. Graham, 330 Danforth avenue; George Croft, aged 40 years, 160 St. Patrick street; William North, aged 34 years, married, 13 North Yonge street; James Tattain, aged 18 years, 93 Yonge street; Frank Farmer, aged 27 years, married, 659 Markham street; Robert Higgins, aged 35 years, married, 175 Eglinton; Frank Wilson, aged 18, 284 Clinton street; Fred Robertson, aged 16 years, 7 McAlpine avenue; Robert Harris.

ITO'S ASSASSIN. Former Editor of Seoul Newspaper One of Twenty. Harbin, Manchuria, Oct. 28.—The assassin of Prince Ito was identified to-day as Ipehan Antean, a former editor of a newspaper at Seoul. He said that he was one of an aggregation of twenty Koreans who had taken an oath that they would kill the Japanese statesman.

MILLS BURNED. Clarkburg, Ont., Oct. 28.—The main building of the woolen mills here was burned last evening. The water power dyehouse, wool storage and blanket buildings, with some machinery, were saved. Loss, \$10,000; insurance, \$3,000.

New York Stocks

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Amalgamated, 10 12.4; Beaver, 31 31.4; Cobal Central, 28 29; Cobal Lake, 14 15; Crown Reserve, 53.7 54.6; Chambers-Perland, 34.1 35; Kerr Lake, 8 8.5 8; La Rose, 6 6.0 6.0; Little Nipissing, 18.4 19.4; McKinley-Darragh, 87 88; Nipissing, 11 11.0 11.06; Nova Scotia, 34 35.4; Peterson Lake, 23.4 23.6; Giff, 19 21; Roch., 13.3 13.4; Silver Leaf, 18.5 18; Silver Queen, 31 32; Temiskaming, 87.6 89; Tretthewey, 155.4 157.

LIVERPOOL MARKET. Opening—Wheat, unchanged to 1/8 lower. Closing—Corn, 1/8 to 1/4 higher.

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