

WOMEN WRITHE WITH FEAR OF THE PENTECOSTAL MEETINGS GIRL COLLAPSED ON THE FLOOR

Gathering Last Night at the Home of Mr. W. H. Wortman Was Characterized by Many Sensational and to Some People Astounding Features.

THE GIFT OF TONGUES BOLDLY CLAIMED

Leader of the Group Addressed Assembly in a Passionate Manner—Says He Was "The First To Be Healed"—A Little Child Wracked by the Nervous Strain.

There is no doubt of the enthusiasm that has been aroused by the Pentecostal meetings being held at the home of Mr. W. H. Wortman, 546 Dundas street. Last night the parlors and halls were crowded to their capacity. It was a gathering that had evidently come prepared for something, and the strained eagerness with which they followed every move of the speaker, Mr. Durham, showed it appeared how easily they were to be played upon by any impulse.

Mr. Durham is a tall man, rather stooped, with a nervous habit of twitching his shoulders, and drawing his breath in sharply between his closed teeth. His hands are long and sinuous, and he uses them with effect. His eyes are dark, narrow and piercing.

MR. DURHAM SPEAKS.

Last night Mr. Durham spoke on the question of the gift of tongues, the passages in the Bible where the baptism of God had come down upon the people and had made them speak in tongues.

"There is only one place where you

CHARTER TO BE GRANTED SOUTHWESTERN TRACTION

Bill Was Amended to Meet the Request of the Municipalities.

A charter will be granted the Southwestern Traction Company in a short time.

The bill was amended to meet with the requests of the municipalities, and so far the amendments have been accepted as satisfactory.

A message was received from Mr. T. H. Purdon, K. C., which stated that the bill was satisfactory and would probably be passed as amended. The changes were not of a serious nature, and will have little or no bearing on the bill itself.

Mr. Purdon is expected to arrive home this evening.

BEAR SAW SHADOW BACK TO THE WOODS

If Any Truth in Old Adage Another Winter Is Due.

If there is any truth in the adage about the bear seeing his shadow on Feb. 2, and going back to sleep for six weeks, Bruin will have the slumber all right, for there was absolutely no chance of his missing his shadow today. He could not have chosen a brighter winter day for coming out to look around if he had had it made to order. According to the saying there will be six weeks of winter, and then the bear will come out of his cave for good, and winter will end.

THREE ELECTIONS YET

All Others Are Over in Britain—A Liberal Gain.

London, Feb. 2.—Three elections are set to be held for Glasgow and Aberdeen Universities, for Edinburgh and St. Andrew's Universities, and for Orkney and Shetland. The Liberals made a gain in Scotland, according to the returns from Wickburgh, which were received yesterday. R. Munro, Liberal, polled 1,537 votes to 1,262 for Sir A. Bignold, Conservative. The seat has long been considered safely Unionist.

SHRINKAGE IN VALUES BROKE ONE FIRM

New York, Feb. 2.—The suspension of Fisk & Robinson, the bond and banking house, whose failure came yesterday when an involuntary petition in bankruptcy was filed against the firm, was announced at the opening of the stock exchange today.

As a result of the unexpected news after the close of yesterday's business the market today opened with declines running from substantial fractions to a point of 80, with considerable volume of business. The market had recovered from their nervousness caused by the market break of a couple of weeks ago. The failure was due to the shrinkage in the market value of certain bonds which the firm had underwritten. That caused the banks which had loaned money on the securities to demand additional collateral which the firm was unable to supply.

The receiver estimates that the secured obligations of the firm will amount to about \$5,000,000, and the unsecured obligations to more than \$1,000,000.

TOMMY BURNS MATCHED.
Sydney, N. S. W. Feb. 2.—Tommy Burns and "Big" Lang, heavyweight champion of Australia, were matched today to fight on March 28, for the Australian title.

A BILL TO REHABILITATE ONTARIO MEDICAL COUNCIL

Scheme to Reduce the Fee and Incidentally the Number of Members Will Be Introduced in the Legislature—Some of the Abuses Said to Exist.

The medical members of the Ontario Legislature have banded together in order to draw up a bill which will abolish a number of abuses that they claim have crept into the exercise of the powers of the Ontario Medical Council, a body chosen from the College of Physicians and Surgeons, says the Toronto News. They will ask the government to forbid the heavy fee, amounting to \$200, and over, which each university graduate is compelled to pay the council before he is allowed to take their examination and practice in the province. They will take the stand that the payment of the university course are sufficient, and that when the council examination is being tried only a small nominal fee shall be charged to cover incidental expenses.

The Membership.
The membership of the council has increased from 17 to 30 since it was established, and they claim a number of colleges are represented which have no right to be, including Victoria and Trinity. They propose to decrease the membership to nine, the same size as the British Medical Council, to be formed as follows:

Four to be appointed by the medical profession outside the city.

Three from the medical colleges, that is, one from Toronto, Kingston and London, and one representing the Homoeopaths and one appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council.

Less Cumberse.
This body, they declare, will be less cumbersome and more representative of the medical profession. They will also restrict the powers of the council to sue and issue warrants for the collection of the annual fee. At present, if this is not paid, the council has the power to prevent a reputable physician from practicing in the province.

Other changes are being considered. The bill, it is understood, will come before the Attorney-General before coming before the House.

Strong support has already been promised for the new bill, and that the application of the osteopaths may be modified so as to conform with the changes in the constitution that are now proposed.

A DECREASE IN SOME PRICES BUT MEAT CONTINUES HIGH

Butter Shows a Drop of a Cent a Pound—A Drop in Beef Prices Is Looked for Shortly—Butchers Claim That Scarcity of Cattle Is To Blame—The Situation in Toronto—A Comparison of Prices.

There has been a slight decrease in the price of food staples during the past week or so, for which the careful householder will doubtless be very thankful, if it happens that she is careful enough to discover the almost microscopic change.

Butter on the open market has been a cent a pound less, than during the past few weeks, and eggs, too, show a tendency to be somewhat easier. The supply is so limited at present, however, that the chance of any appreciable drop is very unlikely. Then, too, the prices on these commodities are dependent largely on the prices of other commodities, that are still high in price.

Meat Prices High.
Despite the talk of a boycott against meat, the prices continue high, while the dealers claim that the prices are only the natural result of the scarcity of the supply, and that they have not been boosted unnecessarily.

Be this as it may, the price of beef does show a tendency to be somewhat easier than it was a month or more ago, as now \$8 to \$9 is a good figure, while a month ago it was selling at \$7 to \$8 a hundred. The chances are, however, that the prices will have to be raised again, as the supply is not so certain, at least, not because of any increased supply, but of a decreased demand. Most of the butchers are beginning to feel a very decided tendency to the right direction. People will not pay beyond a certain figure for meat, and when that figure is passed they simply cease to use it. This is a very decided slump in sales.

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LONDON HOTELS SATISFACTORY SAYS PROVINCIAL INSPECTOR

Second to None in the Province—Mr. Snyder Has Left for the Country and There May Be Trouble for Some People Who Are Not "Keeping Hotel."

Provincial Inspector Snyder, of Toronto, who has just returned from his tour of inspection of the hotels in the Commercial Travellers' Association is making an inspection of the hotels in the district. He has a view of finding out whether adequate accommodation is given or not, completed his inspection of the London houses last night, and found everything most satisfactory.

"I think the hotels of London are second to none in the province," he said, "and everything is in splendid condition here."

Inspecting the County.
Inspector Snyder left this morning to make an inspection of the county hotels, and there is reason to believe, it is claimed, that he will have many cases to report of inadequate accommodation for the travelling public.

A number of cases have, it is understood, been mentioned to him by travellers who go over the ground regularly, and it is likely that if he finds things as represented, he will take the matter up with the hotels, and keep hotel as they should, else recommend that their licenses be taken away.

Commercial travellers state that in some localities accommodation is simply intolerable.

CONSTRUCTIVE WORK AS WELL AS CRITICAL

The Legislature Liberal Caucus Adopts Programme for the Session.

Ten Bodies Washed Ashore—Nine Boats and Forty Men Missing.
Toronto, Feb. 2.—The members of the Liberal Opposition held a short caucus at the conclusion of the legislative session yesterday. The leader, Hon. A. G. MacKay, who got a very hearty reception, briefly addressed the members, pointing out that, while the Liberals was small numerically in the House, the members stood by its principles and record and were full of heart. Plans for the budget debate were discussed, the speakers selected and the character of the work of Opposition outlined. It is the aim of the Liberals to make their influence upon legislation constructive as well as critical.

BIG C. P. R. MOVE

Immense Freight Sheds To Be Erected in the Heart of Toronto.

Toronto, Feb. 2.—Word comes from Montreal that the C. P. R. has decided to erect big freight sheds on the block of land lying within King street, Spadina avenue, the Government House and the bay front. The company already has purchased a considerable portion of this land, and is preparing to expropriate the remainder. When this is done the freight sheds, now situated on the lake front, will be transferred to the new site. This move on the part of the railway company is regarded as an indication that the C. P. R. has become reconciled to the idea of the viaduct.

HUDSON BAY RAILWAY TO START IN SPRING

Will Be Built by Government But Operated by Private Corporations.

Ottawa, Feb. 2.—Canada will begin the construction of a railway to Hudson Bay next spring. This announcement was made to Parliament yesterday by George P. Graham, minister of railways. The road will be built as a Government work, but probably will be operated by one of the existing private corporations or by several joint-ventures.

It is calculated that the route will be available four months in the year, and that the great portion of the Western Canadian wheat crop can be hauled each year at a saving of five cents a bushel in freight. The line is expected to be opened for business in three years.

500 CLUB TO BOOST WESTERN UNIVERSITY

Idea Is That There Should Be 500 People in London Ready to Subscribe \$100 Each.

A "500" club to boost the Western University is the latest suggestion. The idea is that there are or should be 500 citizens in London who would subscribe \$100 each towards an endowment fund for the Western University.

This sum of money would, with Government aid, place the Western in a proud position among the universities of Canada.

A number of gentlemen interested in education have been talking the matter over, and it is probable that a club of this nature will be formed within a very short time.

BAN THE BOOKMAKERS MEANS MORE HAND BOOKS

Head of Thiel Detective Agency Tells of His Experience on the Race Tracks.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Ottawa, Feb. 2.—At the opening of the last day's sitting for the hearing of evidence before the Commons anti-gambling committee this morning a letter was read from the Canadian Standard-Bred Horse Society, protesting against the passage of Mr. Miller's bill, E. R. Carrington, of the Thiel Detective Agency, said he had had experience of race tracks in France, England, Italy, Canada and the States. He expressed the opinion that since the Hughes law passed in New York state the class of people frequenting the race track was very inferior and the law, he said, had increased the number of hand-books.

"Prior to the Hughes law," he said, "hand-booking was very little known. It was done by the bookmakers, and the bookmakers were done away with hand-book men would still continue doing business?"

Mr. Meredith—They would make their own odds?

Mr. McCall, M. P.—And that would be much worse than now?

Replying further to Mr. McCall, the witness said he thought betting on the course was the fairest form of betting. He was against poolrooms, selling advance information or sending it through the mails, hustlers and touts. He believed that the present bill, which would legalize private betting, would make matters worse than they are at the present time. Asked by Mr. Meredith if he knew of any cases where men had got into trouble through betting on the race track, the witness replied that in his experience of twenty years he did not know of a single instance of that kind. He thought the newspapers had often given such statements to the public.

When asked if the bottom where such reasons had been given out, said the witness, "I have found that the real trouble was due to one of several causes. I know of a hundred cases where a race track gambler had been given out to the public as the cause of trouble, but it was without foundation. That is what the newspapers like to put up."

Replying to Mr. Blair, M. P., the witness said he thought 90 per cent of the people attending the race meetings saw the horses before they made bets.

HERMITAGE BALL

Fitzel's Orchestra Is Being Brought Here From Detroit.

The third annual ball of the Hermitage Hotel will be held in the Masonic Temple on Friday evening. It will be one of the biggest affairs of the season, and nothing is being spared to make it a splendid success. Fitzel's orchestra is coming from Detroit especially for the occasion, and the decorations will be under the direction of A. Scream and Co. A great many out-of-town people have been invited and a large number of Londoners.

THE WEATHER

TOMORROW—FAIR.
FORECASTS.
Toronto, Feb. 1-3 a.m.
Today—Southerly winds and milder.
Thursday—Mild, with occasional light sleet or rain.
Friday—Fair.

TEMPERATURES.
Stations. 8 a.m. Min. Low. High.
London..... 38 28 40
Victoria..... 38 28 40
Calgary..... 20 0 20
Winnipeg..... 20 0 20
Port Arthur..... 32 14 32
Toronto..... 32 14 32
Ottawa..... 24 18 0
Montreal..... 24 18 0
Quebec..... 24 18 0
Falmouth..... 24 18 0
Prince Albert..... 24 18 0
Edmonton..... 24 18 0
Kamloops..... 24 18 0
Vancouver..... 24 18 0
Victoria..... 24 18 0
Applique..... 24 18 0
St. John..... 24 18 0
Halifax..... 24 18 0
Minus (-) means below zero.

WEATHER NOTES.
The weather continues dry, with moderate temperatures throughout the Western Provinces.

The low area off the Atlantic coast has caused strong winds with rain and sleet in Eastern and Southern Nova Scotia, and is now passing eastward.

DEVELOPMENTS ARE EXPECTED IN THE JENSEN SUICIDE CASE

Crown May Endeavor to Ascertain Who Is Responsible for the Man Being Allowed to Procure the Acid With Which He Killed Himself—Crown Attorney McKillop Is Looking Into the Case.

There will likely be some interesting developments in connection with the death of Marjorie Jensen, the young Dane, who committed suicide by drinking carbolic acid in Victoria Hospital on Monday evening.

Crown Attorney McKillop has requested that the inquest be adjourned from Saturday evening until Monday evening in order that he may be present and hear the evidence.

May Take Action.
It is understood that some action is contemplated against the hospital authorities for allowing Jensen in his serious condition to remain in the building in an unguarded condition when he was in a dangerous mental condition.

It is known that some weeks ago Jensen escaped from the building and ran down the river bank.

It is also known that only recently when he was taken out for a short walk by a friend it required all the strength of the man to get him back again.

This Is Serious.
Jensen, it is stated, could easily have access to poisons, or even weapons, in the shape of instruments for all the watch that was maintained over him.

Depends on Evidence.
Just what action the crown will take in the matter depends to a large extent upon the evidence, but it is stated that the question will probably be solved once for all as to whether certain classes of patients shall or shall not be permitted to enter Victoria Hospital for treatment.

An opinion has been expressed that Jensen could easily have gotten out of his bed and obtained carbolic acid from one of the nurse's cupboards, where drugs of all kinds are kept convenient. This matter is being investigated.

LOCAL OPTION BYLAWS CARRIED A BITTER FIGHT IN STRATHROY

Recount Shows That Temperance People Win in Dorchester—Judge Also Rules That Bylaw Is Carried in Strathroy, But Eleven Ballots May Come Into Limelight.

Judge Macbeth handed down his decision in the appeals from the local option vote in Dorchester and Strathroy this morning.

In the former case the by-law loses one vote in addition to those disqualified at the recount. This leaves the vote 553 for the by-law, and 556 against, so that the by-law is carried.

In the case of Strathroy the honor struck off five votes in addition to those thrown out at the recount. This reduces the actual majority for the by-law to 2-3. He refused, however, to deal with eleven other votes cast by illiterate voters, who permitted the deputy returning officer to mark their ballots without making the usual statement regarding their inability to do so.

A Legal Fight.
Mr. J. C. Judd, K. C., who acted for the petitioners in connection with Mr. B. Elliott, and Mr. E. W. Seaton, stated that the petitioners will apply to the high court for a writ to compel adjudication on the matter.

This application would either be made at the weekly high court held in this city or in Toronto, the details having not yet been decided.

Mr. John M. Gump and Mr. Jared Vining acted for the by-law in each instance.

MR. W. C. FITZGERALD UNDER THE WEATHER

Could Not Be Interviewed by The Advertiser Today.

Mr. W. C. Fitzgerald, high secretary of the W. O. W., returned last evening from Toronto, where he has been since Monday.

The Advertiser attempted to get a statement from him in reference to the middle in his books, but was informed that Mr. Fitzgerald was under the weather, and that it was impossible to see him.

A meeting of the local board of management was held this morning in the head office, when some business was transacted.

INLAND REVENUE SHOWS INCREASE FOR JANUARY

Figures for the Local Port Are \$2,165.70 More Than for January of 1910.

The inland revenue returns for January show an increase of \$2,165.70 over those of December, the figures being \$2,144.48, as against \$2,146.78, the preceding month. The returns were as follows:

Spirits, ex-warehouse	5,884.21
Cigars, ex-warehouse	3,023.55
Cigars, ex-warehouse	1,742.40
Malt, ex-warehouse	2,776.74
Raw leaf, ex-warehouse	13,686.34
Methylated spirits	141.06
Other receipts	48
Total	\$2,144.48

WEST IS BOOMING SAYS A VISTOR

Mr. A. R. Orme, a former resident of South London, and now of Saskatoon, is home on a visit to his brother, Mr. J. E. Orme, of Sydney street. Mr. Orme states that conditions throughout the west are splendid, and says it has entirely recovered from the effects of the money stringency. He instanced the rapid growth of the towns by that of Saskatoon, which, when he went out there four years ago, was a village, and now has a population of 14,000. In 1909 it added 4,000 to its growth. Saskatoon, Mr. Orme says, will be one of the great distributing points. Recently the Government purchased 100 acres adjoining the town for university buildings, and grounds. Eaton's, of Toronto, are building a large store there also, Mr. Orme notes many changes in London, and is strongly in favor of a union station.

LIGHTNING FIRED GUN

Remarkable Death of a Poacher Who Perished During a Storm.

Paris, Feb. 2.—A telegram from Brest tells of the remarkable death of a poacher near Ploumenez. There was a terrible storm, in which the church tower was struck by lightning and partially destroyed.

A few minutes later another flash struck an elm tree half a mile away. A poacher named Bervas was in the tree, and he was killed by the lightning. The lightning exploded the charge, which ripped Bervas' breast, and killed him instantly.

THE ALSO CALLED.
Santiago, Chile, Feb. 2.—The Chilean congress today ratified the proposal submitted by the Also claim of the United States against Chile to the arbitration of King Edward.

WOODS' FAIR J. M. THOMSON'S WOODS' FAIR

20 Per Cent Off This Week on All Goods in Basement

Ladies' White Vests 35c
Ladies' Ribbed Cotton Vests, in white only, shaped waist, taped neck, with lace finish. Extra value **35c**

Ladies' Black Tights 49c
Ladies' Black Ribbed Tights, elastic tops, perfectly fast colors. Special **49c**

20 Per Cent Off This Week on All Wall Paper

Ladies' and Children's Wool Mitts 19c
Ladies' and Children's Wool Mitts, in black, gray, navy and white, regular 25c. Special at **19c**

Ladies' Ringwood Gloves 19c
Ladies' Ringwood Gloves, in black, gray, navy and white, regular 25c. Special **19c**

20 Per Cent Off This Week on All Graniteware, Crockery and China

Ladies' Black Sateen Waists 75c
Ladies' Black Sateen Waists, fronts made of fine tucks, shirtwaist sleeve, shawl collar and cuffs, sizes 34 to 40, regular \$1. Special Thursday **75c**

Now is the time to buy your household supplies. We are offering you one-fifth of your purchase money back on all Basement goods, Toys and Wall Papers. Think this over.

20 Per Cent Off This Week on All Toys, Glassware, Etc.

WOODS' FAIR J. M. THOMSON'S WOODS' FAIR

BIG HEALTHY CHILDREN

Beans are more nourishing than meat—Yet they cost only one-third as much. Children need beans just as much as meat. When properly baked they are thoroughly enjoyed by all.



CLARK'S PORK & BEANS

(just a little piece of corn-fed pork, in each tin) are beans baked to perfection and flavored right. You couldn't bake these beans for twice what Clark's cost you.

AT YOUR GROCER'S—

6c., 10c., 12c. a tin
CLARK'S "CHATEAU" BRAND
5c., 10c., 15c. and 20c. a tin

WM. CLARK, MONTREAL

MANUFACTURER OF HIGH-GRADE FOOD SPECIALTIES



The White Plague Tuberculosis

Coughs and colds often develop into Lung Troubles, Bronchitis, Pneumonia and the most terrible of all maladies: Tuberculosis

WILSON'S INVALIDS' PORT

(A la Quina du Pérou)

—A Big Bracing Tonic

Is the best preventive against Tuberculosis. It lessens the strain and imparts fresh vigor when ordinarily the vitality would be ebbing away.

Dr. CLARENCE J. H. CHIPMAN, B.A., L.C.P.S. Ont. & Que.
Port Arthur, Ont.

"I have found 'Wilson's Invalids' Port' to be a valuable tonic in convalescence from lingering affections, and can recommend it as a reliable and palatable preparation."

BIG BOTTLE

All Druggists. Everywhere.

INSPECTION OF VESSELS

Marine Committee Proposes Exemption for Some Classes.

Ottawa, Feb. 2.—The marine committee reported Mr. Sinclair's bill to exempt British vessels which have been inspected by Lloyd's within a year from inspection by Canada. The bill is said to meet opposition from the shipping interests in the House.

A DECREASE IN PRICES

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both on the part of the wholesale and retail butchers has been noted lately. The case in Toronto. Some facts and figures from other places will be found of interest. The Toronto News has the following article on the cost of living: London, Barrie and Toronto retail prices of various meats, fish and produce are compared in the following lists. Toronto prices are almost invariably higher than the prices in the other market centres. Particularly is this true in the choicest cuts of meat, and in butter and eggs.

The Price to Consumers.			
	Toronto.	London.	Barrie.
Pork—			
Chickens	18-22	18	15
Turkeys	30-35	24	19
Ducks	22	18	20
Geese	18	16	15
Fish—			
White	12 1/2	11	12 1/2
Hallibut	12	10	12
Finnan Haddie	10	10	12 1/2
Per doz.			
Kipperd Herring	25	20	40
Apples, per bbl.			
Spies	3.25	2.40	3.50
Greenings	2.50	2.00	2.50
Russets	1.50-2.00	2.00	1.75
Beef—			
Roasts	14	14	10 1/2
Round steak	14	14	12
Stirloin steak	20-22	13	15
Porterhouse steak	20-22	13	15
Mutton—			
Chops	15	12	12
Loin	14	12	12
Shoulder	8-10	12	10

Things will keep a year and to curtail the time they are kept in the cold storages to two months may result seriously. Mr. Gunn said that if there were no cold storage plants eggs would have to be saved by pickling them in a liquid compound of lime and water, put them in salt, bran or some other supposed preservative. The eggs thus kept are in poor condition in a short time, and hardly fit to eat. The cause for the increase in the price of eggs, Mr. Gunn said, was due to the fact that people are more and more realizing the food value of the eggs, and are consequently eating more eggs. The price now for cold storage eggs, wholesale, is 26 cents a dozen, but a dozen eggs will weigh about a pound and a half. "Are the cold storages responsible in any way for the high prices?" Mr. Gunn was asked. "Positively not in this city," he responded, "and not elsewhere as far as I know."

Farmer's Prices on the Market.

Toronto, London, Barrie.

Chickens, lb. 18-19 14-15 13

Turkeys, lb. 30-35 24 19

Ducks, lb. 22 18 20

Geese, lb. 18 16 15

Apples, bbl. 3.25 2.40 3.50

Spies 2.50 2.00 2.50

Greenings 1.50-2.00 2.00 1.75

Russets 1.50 1.50 1.00

Vegetables—

Carrots, bag 50 50 50

Beets, bag 1.25-1.50 1.25 1.25

Onions, bag 75 75 50

Cabbage, doz. 50 50 40

Potatoes, bag 50-60 50 40

Parsnips, bag 50 50 40

Turnips, bag 40 30 25

Eggs—

New laid 40-45 40 35

Butter—

Toronto Feb. 1.—"That can't be right," said Mr. J. L. Bowes, managing director of the McLean Produce Company, when told by the News reporter that the Chicago Council would be asked today to pass an ordinance prohibiting the cold storage people from keeping produce for longer than 60 days.

"There is no better regulator of the prices of butter and eggs and other produce in the country today than the cold storage," he continued. "They prevent the prices from going abnormally low in times of over-production, and from soaring abnormally high when the production is limited."

"We buy at prevailing prices in the summer when butter and eggs are plentiful, large quantities of these. Then when the production is correspondingly low in the winter we sell at the prevailing prices, and much cheaper than if no eggs or butter had been put in storage."

"The people would be paying 75 cents a dozen for eggs now instead of 45 and 50," he said, "if it were not for the cold storage." The law of supply and demand is one of nature's enactments, and like those of the Medes and Persians, cannot be altered, he says. "With the inadequate supply at the present time," he continued, "the demand creates high prices. All efforts to fix the responsibility of the high prices on anyone will be unavailing, and the only reason that can be given is in supply and demand, as cited."

Restriction of Time.

One year is the longest eggs are kept in cold storage, and butter will last a year and a half, thus saved, but better good quality butter is not kept nearly that long.

Mr. Bowes thought the restriction of the time produce was kept in cold storages to 60 days would be a ridiculous measure.

The Chicago request was characterized as a foolish move by Mr. Andrew Gunn, manager of the firm of Gunns Limited, who have a cold storage at Toronto Junction.

"There are times in the year when stuff will go to waste," he said, "and it is a good thing for the people that there are cold storages to keep the surplus to a time when the supply is less and the demand keen. Lots of stuff is wasted."

This is a strong statement and is only made after years of experience with the use of this preparation in the most horrible cases of eczema which you could imagine.

Relief from the terrible itching comes with the first few applications, and then it is a question of patiently applying the ointment and watching the natural process of healing which is set in operation by this great healer. There are lots of cures to refer to, but what you want is actual trial in your own case, when you will realize that there is no disputing the wonderful healing power of Dr. Chase's Ointment.

If you have Eczema or any form of itching skin disease don't let an hour pass before sending for this treatment. Sixty cents a box, all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto.

Do You Realize What an Important Work the Kidneys Do?

Do you know that every drop of your blood goes to the kidneys hundreds of times every day? Do you know why?

To be filtered and purified from its impurities. That is the great work the kidneys have to do. They filter the blood, and these impurities go to the bladder and are passed out of the body along with the urine.

Do you think it possible for you to be well, unless the kidneys do this work thoroughly?

It is these impurities—this unfiltered blood—these causes of rheumatism, headache, rheumatism, diabetes, Bright's disease, etc. They poison and interfere with the whole system.

If you have any kidney trouble let Doan's Kidney Pills do for you what they have done for thousands of others. They cure all forms of kidney trouble, and they cure them to stay cured.

Mrs. Maurice Doiron, Charlottetown, P.E.I., writes: "I was troubled with my kidneys for five years. They were so bad at times that I could not cross the floor for the pain. I sent to a doctor, but he did me no good at all. I sent to the druggist and got five boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills, and I am glad to say that after taking them I was cured. I have had no trouble for nearly three years now."

Price 50 cents per box or 3 for \$1.25 at all dealers or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

In ordering specify "Doan's."

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"Positively not in this city," he responded, "and not elsewhere as far as I know."

Who Is to Blame?

J. L. Paterson, Ingersoll, writes: "I notice in Thursday's paper that Mr. Robt. Meighan makes a statement in regard to the matter of the increased cost of living, as follows: 'The producer, the farmer, is benefited by the high price of foodstuffs, while the consumer is the case with the consumer.' He goes on to say that the only way to reduce the cost of foodstuffs is to 'produce more.' In regard to articles that are produced and consumed locally, no doubt the farmer is benefited by the high cost, but that is not so, indeed it is far from the truth, in the case of other foodstuffs not produced and sold locally, especially in regard to the staple articles as flour, beef, cheese, etc. The farmer is also getting a fair price for his share in the production of these articles, no larger amount than he has contributed to nothing to do with their production. I went into a store in this town last week and asked for old cheese, which I formerly got two or three years ago at about 15 or 16 cents a pound, and I found the retail price is now 23 cents. This cheese was got from the producer, and he is getting a fair price for it, perhaps less. True, it had been stored a year or two, but here we find the middleman is making actually as much as the producer on this article, in regard to which he has contributed one cent towards its production. He has stored it and handled it, but he has not contributed a single cent to its production. I expressed surprise at the price, but was told that 'it would go much further than ordinary cheese.' But no further than when it was 15 cents a pound. I replied: 'And yet we export millions of dollars' worth of cheese. Produce more' does not explain this instance."

About a Combine.

Gunns, Limited, write the Toronto papers in part as follows:

"In the correspondence and articles recently published by the papers of the city, reference has several times been made to a combine among those interested in the meat slaughtering and packing business. Some people seem to have the idea that packers and combine are inseparable, and a great injustice is done to an important and valuable industry when such statements are made. We are a part of our company, I wish to state that there is not, and never has been, any connection whatever between our company and any other packing plant in Canada or the United States. We court the fullest possible investigation, and in view of the statements made, consider we are entitled to it, knowing that the result will assure the public of the genuineness and severely competitive conditions under which the meat industry of Ontario is carried on."

"The true function of cold storage is not to hoard up immense stocks of product to force prices up, it is to provide the means by which the surplus of producing seasons can be stored under hygienic conditions, and be made available for supplying the demand at seasons of the year when otherwise but small supplies could be obtained, and those at fabulous prices."

"Without cold storage, the present production of farm produce in Canada would immediately fall off to an enormous extent, knowing that there are facilities which enable dealers to buy their production, no matter how large, and a perusal of market reports during the past year will set out that farmers have received for their produce highly remunerative prices."

\$2,000 a Year.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 31.—The Rev. Wright Gibson, pastor of the McKee's Rocks Presbyterian Church, has notified engaged couples among his parishioners that he did not purpose uniting any couples unless the intended bridegroom could prove that his income was at least \$2,000 a year.

The minister declares that with the present price of courtesies, this income is necessary to live. "Poverty leads to divorce," he said, "and I do not purpose to assist the divorce cause."

The new orange district, several miles out of Phoenix, Ariz., is proving all that was promised. The oranges are unusually thin-skinned and are sweet, even though just beginning to color up.

Smallman & Ingram, Limited. WEATHER PROBS: Smallman & Ingram, Limited. MILD.

All Are Now Half Price Ladies', Misses' and Children's Cloth Coats



\$19.00 Coat now \$9.50

Our handsome domestic, as well as imported styles, which have not previously been offered at this price, will be included in this sale. In fact, you have now the choice of our entire stock of Ladies', Misses and Children's Cloth Coats, all present season's styles, beavers, broad cloths, serges and zibelines, in both black and colors.

NOW is the time to buy. It is just like exchanging a five-dollar bill for a ten or a ten for a twenty, and so on, for every coat offered in this sale is worth and their mates have sold for just double what we are now asking. Not a single coat has been reserved from this sale. It is our final clearance, and our purpose is, if possible, not to hold a single coat over. For best selection come tomorrow. We will give a few examples.

Ladies' \$29 Coats for \$14.50

Three coats, in pale blue, reseda and helio, zibeline cloth, shawl collar and cuffs of black moire silk, trimmings of cord and buttons. Price \$29.00, your pick now for **\$14.50**

Ladies' \$22 Coats for \$11.00

Eight coats, in navy, myrtle and taupe, beaver cloth, with corded silk shawl collar and cuffs, body and sleeves of coat silk-lined. Price \$22.00, your choice now for **\$11.00**

Ladies' \$19 Coats for \$9.50

Ten in this lot, navy, myrtle and black, diagonal cloth, military style, as shown in illustration, body and sleeves lined with Skinner's satin, full length, semi-fitting. Price \$19.00, now **\$9.50**

Misses' \$6.50 to \$20 Coats Now \$3.25 to \$10

CARDINAL, NAVY, FAWN, GRAY and MYRTLE.

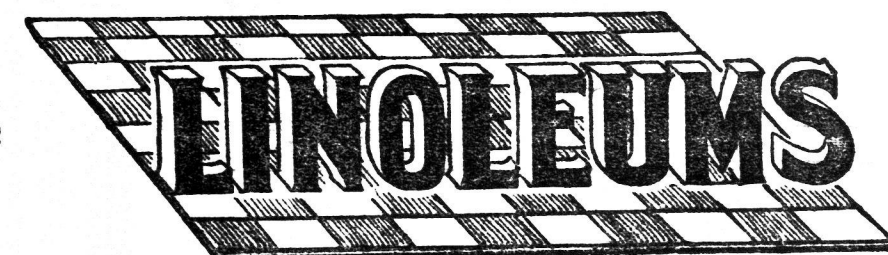
Six Misses' Coats, in cardinal, navy and taupe, beaver cloths. Price \$20, now, each **\$10.00**

Seventeen Misses' Coats, in cardinal, navy, fawn, myrtle and gray. Price \$15, now, each **\$7.50**

Fourteen Misses' Coats, in navy, brown, myrtle and gray. Price \$12.50, now, each **\$6.25**

LADIES' READY-TO-WEAR SECTION—SECOND FLOOR.

February Furniture Sale



February Furniture Sale

Great Sale of Floor Oilcloths and Linoleums

Tomorrow, in addition to our February Furniture Sale, we will commence a Great Sale of Floor Oilcloths and Linoleums, and the price inducements will be such as will make it worth your while to anticipate your wants for the coming season. Our Oilcloths and Linoleums are all thoroughly seasoned and reliable, and we guarantee them satisfactory in every way. All the newest designs.

Floor Oilcloths 22c Yard

A big variety in tile and floral designs, 1, 1 1/4, 1 1/2 and 2 yards wide. February sale price, a yard **22c**

Also our best quality Floor Oilcloth, handsome floral and tile designs, 1, 1 1/2 and 2 yards wide. February sale price, a yard **29c**

Genuine Cork Linoleums 29c Yard

This quality is rarely sold under 50c a square yard, 2 yards wide, in designs suitable for dining-room, hall, pantry, etc.; a well-seasoned stock. To clear at special February sale price, a yard **29c**

Also same quality as above, in 4-yard width, in floral and tile effects, for larger rooms, without seam. February sale price, a yard **35c**

In 2-yard width, on heavier cork, best quality Linoleum, well seasoned, in tile and floral designs. February sale price, a yard **37 1/2c**

Also same quality, in 4-yard width, for large rooms. Sale price, a yard **45c**

BRING YOUR MEASUREMENTS, IF CONVENIENT.

THIRD FLOOR.

Note It is not always the reduction you get that makes an article cheap, but rather the price you pay, and we wish to draw furniture buyers' attention to the fact that our Furniture is not marked at fictitious prices in order to show big reductions, but that our February Sale prices are genuine money-saving prices, in many cases of **20 to 40 PER CENT**. Bought direct from the factories; also that we have no old or out-of-date styles to offer at big price reductions. Our Furniture stock is new, well selected, and our prices, quality for quality, are right always, and that every article on the furniture floor has been reduced for this, our first February Furniture Sale. We invite your inspection.

THIRD AND FOURTH FLOORS.

The Standard "Favorite" Sewing Machine \$16.50

The "Norwood" Sewing Machine \$23.75



BIG INCREASE SHOWN IN BUSINESS SECTION

Assessment Jumps Almost Two Millions in Five Years.

The business section of the city shows a great increase in assessment during the past five years.

The portion referred to consists of six divisions, four from ward 1 south of Dundas street from Wellington west, and two from ward 2 north of Dundas street.

Before the introduction of the new assessment act in 1904, the assessment amounted to \$4,501,500, divided as follows: Real estate, \$4,695,000; personal, \$1,556,450; income, \$239,050.

The assessment at the present time reaches a total of \$8,402,746, divided as follows: Real estate, \$5,809,640; business, \$1,904,326; income, \$689,782.

This is an increase of almost two millions in five years, or to be exact, \$1,902,246.

That is no small increase, and shows the value of property in this section of the city.

The total assessment of the city is now \$26,503,716, and the business section totals almost a third of that.

The total increase in assessment during the past five years is \$5,884,166, and the increase for these six divisions amounts to \$1,902,246, more than one-third of the whole.

"That is very satisfactory," said Assessment Commissioner Grant. "It shows the business section is doing well, and bearing a good proportion of the taxes of the city."

Mr. Grant is preparing figures of other business and manufacturing centres, and these will be published shortly.

Valentines 1c to \$5.00

The Mallagh Bookshop

183 Dundas St. Phone 366.

INJECTION BROU

Gives Prompt and Effective Relief without inconvenience, in the MOST OBSTINATE CASES. No other treatment required. SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

Condensed Advertisements.

No advertisement accepted less than fifteen words.

Amusements—Ten cents per line each insertion, or two cents per word if set solid.

Real Estate—When no admission is charged, one cent per word each insertion.

Articles For Sale, To Let, Help Wanted, Situations Wanted, Board and Lodging, Lost and Found, Rooms to Let, and similar condensed advertisements—first insertion free; each subsequent insertion, one-half cent per word. No advertisement less than fifteen words.

Births, Marriages, Deaths.

DEATHS.

PROUSE—At Toronto, on Jan. 29, 1910, Harriet Annie, beloved wife of William Prouse, of Toronto, Ont.

FUNERAL in this city, from the residence of her mother, Mrs. Harriet Essex, 74 Lorne avenue, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery, funeral strictly private.

TAYLOR—On Feb. 1, 1910, ex-Ald. Charles Taylor, in his 50th year.

FUNERAL will take place from the residence of his son, Thomas J. Taylor, 81 Colborne street, on Thursday, Feb. 3, at 3 p.m.; service at 2:30. Interment at Woodland Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

WATKINS—At Victoria Hospital, Feb. 1, 1910, Jennie Watkins, eldest daughter of George Watkins, aged 30 years.

FUNERAL from Ferguson's undertaking parlors.

HOWE—At the residence of her niece, Mrs. P. F. Boyce, 202 Sydney street, on Feb. 2, 1910, Miss Julia Howe.

FUNERAL private, from above address on Friday, Feb. 4, at 2:30, to St. Peter's Cathedral; requiem high mass at 9 o'clock. Interment at St. Peter's cemetery.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES

GRAND—Saturday
SIR CHARLES WYNDHAM AND MISS MARY MOORE.
"THE MOLLUSC."
SEATS SELLING. Prices 25c to \$2.00.

JUBILEE RINK
CITY LEAGUE HOCKEY TONIGHT
ST. JOHN AND CANADIANS.
BANK OF TORONTO AND MEDICALS.
Admission, 25 cents. Reserved seats, 50c.

SHIPS
Tickets to or from the Old Country, via the Allan Line, C. P. R., Dominion, White Star, Cunard, Atlantic Transport, Red Star, Anchor, Donaldson and other lines.

Direct ships to Germany, France and the Mediterranean.

F.B. CLARKE
416 RICHMOND STREET,
Next Bank of Commerce.

SHREDDED WHEAT BANQUET
Chalmers Church, Feb. 3, 4 to 8. Splendid program, 8 p.m. Tickets, 25c.

WESTMINSTER RINK—CADET BAND
tonight, St. John's Athletic Club Carnival Monday. Skating every afternoon except Friday.

PRINCESS ICE PALACE—SKATING
tonight, Vita Orchestra. Admission: Children, 10c; adults, 15c. Doors open 7:30.

MRS. ALICE HENDERSON, TEACHER
of Scotch and fancy dancing, 51 Adelaide street. Concert talent furnished.

DANCING—PRIVATE LESSONS ANY
hour. Classes: Ladies, Tuesday; gentlemen, Thursday; advanced, Wednesday evening; children, Saturday afternoon. Valentine social, Feb. 14. Phone, Dayton & McCormick.

TONY CORSE, ORIGINAL LONDON
Harpers. Music furnished for all occasions. 161 Maple. Phone 150.

MUSIC FURNISHED FOR PARTIES,
balls, banquets. Phone 125. Tony Vita's Italian Harpers, 12 Queen's avenue.

LEARN TO DANCE—R. B. MILLARD,
25 Princess avenue. Special attention given to waltz and tango. Rapid teaching. Low rates. Lessons any hour.

MEETINGS.
MASONIC NOTICE—MEMBERS OF Union, 380, and sister lodges are requested to meet in the lodge room, Masonic Temple, tomorrow (Thursday), at 2 o'clock, to attend the funeral of our late Bro. C. Taylor. J. H. Moran, W. M.; J. Ward, secretary.

MEETING OF THE WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN
Association will be held at Mrs. Marshall's, 290 Central avenue, on Thursday, 3rd inst., 3 p.m.

WANTED.
WANTED—LOAN OF \$50 OR \$100 ON good security. Address Box 4, Advertiser.

WANTED TO LOAN—ABOUT \$50 OR \$100, on good security. Address Box 1, Advertiser.

W. LEFF & CO., 553 BATHURST, buy iron, rags, rubbers, metals, bottles, paper. Phone 232.

LOST AND FOUND.
LOST OR STOLEN FROM 73 YORK street—Male dog, pointer, dock, black, white and tan; female white, with tan ear and black spot on side. Any person harboring same will be prosecuted.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—BLACK AND
white setter dog. Reward if returned. 579 Dundas street. C. A. Bowman.

WILL PARTY FINDING SEAL STORM
collar in shopping bag on West London car, Thursday afternoon, return to Advertiser for reward?

LOST ON GLEBE OR DUNDAS
street—Green leather handbag, containing bank book, gloves and money. Reward at this office.

ARCHITECTS.
WILLIAM G. MURRAY, ARCHITECT
111 (first floor) Masonic Temple. Phone 157.

MOORE, HENRY & MUNRO, ARCHITECTS, CIVIL ENGINEERS, LAND SURVEYORS, ALBION BUILDING, 433 King street. J. H. V. CARICAR, FRED HENRY, J. VICAR MUNRO.

REMOVAL—GEORGE CRAEDOCK, architect, 461 Talbot.

H. C. McBRIDE, ARCHITECT—SIXTH
floor, bank of Toronto Chambers.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.
MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY W. H. Bartram, 29 Dundas street.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY
H. J. Childs, druggist, 63 Dundas street.

FEMALE HELP WANTED

EXPERIENCED GENERAL SERVANT wanted for family of three. Apply Mrs. Ernest Crouch, 606 Waterloo street. 92c

WANTED—GENERAL SERVANT—also an experienced nurse; references required. Apply in evening to Mrs. Durand, first house over bridge, Ridout street south side. 92c

THREE DINING-ROOM GIRLS WANTED at once. Apply Palace Cafe. 92c

WANTED—HOUSEMAIDS AND KITCHEN GIRL at once. Apply Steward's, Victoria Hospital. 92c

GIRL WANTED FOR LIGHT HOUSEWORK. Apply 24 Prospect avenue. 90c

COMPETENT NURSEMAID WANTED. Apply Mrs. Fred Scream, 17 Craig street. 90c

COMPETENT LADY TO TAKE charge of fitting in ladies' tailoring department. Box 2, Advertiser. 90c

GENERAL SERVANT WANTED—no washing. Apply Mrs. Harry Gray, 353 Waterloo. 89c

WANTED—HOUSEMAID, WHERE parlormaid is kept. Apply Miss Meredith, 555 Talbot street. 89c

MALE HELP WANTED.
HAIR CUT 15c. SHAMPOO 15c. CHILDREN'S HAIR CUT 10c.

WM. PUTMAN
UPSTAIRS.
Cor. Richmond and Dundas. xzt

WANTED—MAN TO ACT AS STEWARD; must have had experience in grocery store. Apply Tecumseh House. 92c

WE HAVE MANY POSITIONS FOR operators this spring; wages, \$80 to \$100 a month; get a good position; railroad trains, wires and roads. Get particulars for catalogue. College of Telegraphy, London. 89c-tx

WANTED—COREMAKER, WITH SOME experience. Apply McClary Manufacturing Company, foundry office, Nelson street. 89c

ORGANIZERS WANTED. APPLY TO Alfred Tyler, 555 Clarence street.

LEARN THE BARBER TRADE—NEW system, constant practice, careful instruction; few weeks complete course; tools free; graduates earn \$12 to \$18 weekly. Apply to catalogue. Moler Barber College, 21 Queen east, Toronto. 21c

TEACHERS WANTED.
WANTED—QUALIFIED TEACHER for S. S. No. 3, O'Connor; \$45 per month. W. H. Hall, secretary, 17 Dundas street. O'Connor P. O., New Ontario. 92c

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.
SOUTH AFRICAN VETERANS' SHIP bought and sold; selected Alberta land for sale at \$10; quarter cash yearly until 1911. John A. Moody, 179 Dundas street. 92c

TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE, 87 1/2 Waterloo street. Apply next door north. 51c-tx

DESIRABLE CITY PROPERTY AND factory—The George White & Sons Company, Limited, are offering their factory and factory, one-half block from the market, having frontage of 110 feet on south side King street, 60 feet north side, 25 feet street, 25 feet street, 25 feet street, 25 feet street. The well-built shops on south side of King street cover 42,500 sq. ft. of floor space; on north side King street, 10,500 sq. ft. On the Ridout street property there are two large, two-story, detached houses. This property will be sold in bloc or in separate parcels; possession, November, 1910. For particulars, apply to the factory and offices to their new east end plant.

FOR SALE—NINETY-ACRE FARM, north half lot 4, con. 4, London Township. Apply L. Mitchell, Fanshawe. 72c

I WILL BUILD YOU A SIX-ROOMED cottage for \$600. Write Box 110, Advertiser. 89c

BOARDING, ROOMS, ETC.
TWO GENTLEMEN CAN SECURE comfortable board; modern conveniences. 343 Dundas. 91c

HOUSES, ROOMS TO LET.
COMFORTABLE SEVEN-ROOMED brick cottage, 34 1/2 King street; city and soft water, bath and w.c. in house; rent low for small family. Apply 361 King street. 91c

IDEAL MOVING VAN—SUCCESSORS to Henderson. Good storage. H. F. Day, 567 Wellington street. Phone 287.

RESIDENCE OF J. M. HICKEY, 255 Central avenue; inspection, may be made from 2 till 5 p.m. Wednesday.

TO LET—BUILDING OCCUPIED BY Graham & Marshall, 155 King street. Apply John Fraser, Fraser House. 90c

ALEX. HENDERSON'S MOVING VANS—Largest in city. Good storage. 356 Chesapeake. Phone 1724.

TO LET—PHOTOGRAPH GALLERY ON Dundas street, East London. Apply 696 Dundas street. 79c

FOREST CITY UNION MOVING VANS—Largest and best in city. Furniture and pianos carefully moved. W. A. Broughton (successor to John Biggs), 414 Broughton street. Phone 1162; residence, 144.

COTTAGE TO LET, 133 BATHURST street; 6 rooms, closet and bath. Apply 119 Bathurst street. 89c

BUSINESS CHANCES.
TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLAR general dry goods business, at 70 cents, for quick sale; easy terms; established, profitable city business; great opportunity. Phone John A. Moody, London. 91c

TO LEASE—LONDON MINERAL Baths, swimming pool, bathhouse and river front, together with splendid site, suitable for Turkish baths, hotel, or place of amusement, etc. foot of Dundas street. For sale—Lot 120, south of Mineral Baths. Apply 61 Elmwood avenue, London. 71c-tx

MUSICAL INSTRUCTION.
JAS. CRESSWELL, MUSICAL DIRECTOR, teaches Violoncello, Violin, Piano and orchestral instruments. 433 King street. xzt

MISS JEAN WALKER, TEACHER OF elocution, Concert engagements accepted. Studio, 351 Dundas street.

MR. CHARLES E. WHEELER HAS studio, 429 Waterloo street. Telephone.

GARMENT CUTTING.
DRESSMAKERS WHO STUDY OUR method of designing are capable of fitting heretofore positions. Skirt-cutting taught separately when desired. Cutting School, 24 Dundas street.

ARTICLES FOR SALE.

PRIVATE SALE OF BRUSSELS CARPETS at 281 Dufferin avenue. 91c

FOR SALE—100-QUART MILK ROUTE. Address Box 5, Advertiser. 91c

FOR SALE—ROADSTER BROOD MARE (in foal to standard-bred horse) dark chestnut, 15 hands, good driver, quiet. Douglas Cameron, Mitchell, Ont. 91c

FOR SALE—YOUNG JERSEY COW, with first calf. Telephone 2222, at nursery. C. Baker. 90c

IF YOU WANT HELP SITUATIONS, want to buy or sell real estate, etc., insert an advertisement in the Hamilton Herald, the recognized want medium of the city. Rate is a word, or three consecutive insertions for 2c a word, cash with order. Subscription: Daily, 2c a month, \$2 yearly; Saturday edition, 30c yearly. Sample copy sent on application.

22-CALIBRE FLOBERG RIFLES, \$25; shot short or long cartridge. Gurd's, 183 Dundas. 90c

300 TONS BALED HAY AND STRAW, Manitoba and Ontario oats, delivered to all parts of city. Phone 901, James McCartney & Son, 141 Queen's avenue. 90c

ONE-CENT VALENTINES, RED STAR News Company, 10 Market Lane.

TWO UPRIGHT SHOWCASES FOR sale, cheap. J. H. Cunningham, 653 Dundas street, East London.

FOR SALE—ONE SET OF HEAVY sleighs, one butcher's delivery sleigh, one platform wagon, and only a few times. At Smith's, Maple street.

W. T. WILSON
Practical Watch Repairer.
Work Guaranteed. Prices Reasonable. High-Grade Watches, English and French Clocks a Specialty.
302 1/2 DUNDAS STREET. xzv

WEDDING STATIONERY IN ALL THE latest styles. See our samples. The Advertiser Job Department.

BASEBURNERS AND RANGES FOR coal or wood. Also a miller's mangle. 16 Masonic Temple. F. Keene.

Account Books
Order Forms
Loose Leaf Sheets

Any kind to your order. Lowest prices.

THE CHAS. CHAPMAN CO.
PHONE 370. 91 DUNDAS ST.

ON HAND—SALE OF UNPAID CREDIT. Canadian Lady Credit Company, 355 Clarence street. Agents wanted.

JAS. MCCORMICK
Ladies' and gentlemen's Purses, Suitcases, Club Bags and Trunks. Hats, shoes, Blankets, and Robes. All kinds of Mitts and Gloves. 'Phone 2038. 395 Talbot Street.

SOME GOOD SECOND-HAND TOP delivery wagons for sale. Abbott's Carriage Works.

WOOD, TWO DOLLARS PER LOAD; coal, \$5.00 per ton. Dominion Coal Company. Phone 104.

HEINTZMAN & CO.'S JANUARY clearance sale now on—Five pianos at \$100, three pianos at \$75, four pianos at \$50. 252 Dundas street. Heintzman & Co., 242 Dundas street.

STANDARD
House Furnishing Co.
Complete House Furnishers.
656 Dundas St. CASH OR CREDIT.

D. TRIPP, 90 KING STREET—RUBBER boots, for Mackinaw socks, same price as last year.

FISH AND OYSTERS, SEAL-SHIP, all meat. F. S. Orr. Phone 1268.

Couldn't I Figure
on your lumber requirements? Doesn't matter how large or small, I'll be glad of the opportunity.

GEORGE H. BELTON,
RECTORY ST., NORTH OF G. T. R.

FURNITURE OF ALL KINDS AT
lowest prices. Bedsteads, washstands, chests, Stoves, beds, dressers, hallracks, rugs, etc. Barnes & Co., 361 Hamilton road.

LEGAL CARDS.
BUCHNER & GUNN, BARRISTERS, solicitors, 101 Dundas and Talbot and Carling. Phone 99. Money to loan. U. A. Buchner; J. M. Gunn, B.A.

CRONIN & BETTS & COLERIDGE, barristers, etc., Huron and Erie buildings. Private loans to loan, lowest rates.

JARVIS & VINING, BARRISTERS, etc., 101 Dundas. C. G. Jarvis; Jared Vining, B.A.

MACPHERSON & PERRIN, BARRISTERS, solicitors, Money to loan. Robinson Hall Chambers.

J. H. A. BEATTIE, BARRISTER, ETC., 87 1/2 Dundas. Money to loan on real estate.

PURDUM & PURDUM, BARRISTERS, solicitors, etc., Masonic Temple building, corner Richmond and King. H. Purdum, K.C.; Alexander Purdum.

TENNENT & CAMPBELL, BARRISTERS, solicitors, notaries, etc., Money to loan, lowest rates. 73 Dundas.

FITZGERALD & FITZGERALD, BARRISTERS, solicitors, Money to loan. Masonic Temple, London.

BLACKBURN & WEEKES, BARRISTERS, solicitors, notaries, etc., 124 Carling street. G. N. Weekes; H. S. Blackburn.

T. H. LUSCOMBE, BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, etc., 103 Dundas, near Richmond. Money at lowest rates.

GRAYDON & GRAYDON, BARRISTERS, solicitors, notaries, 419 Talbot street. N. Parke Graydon; A. H. Marshall Graydon.

STUART & SCANDRETT, BARRISTERS, etc., 103 Dundas. Money to loan. 103 Dundas. C. T. W. Scandrett; H. S. Stuart.

GIBBONS, HARPER & GIBBONS, BARRISTERS, etc., corner Richmond and Carling. George S. Gibbons, K.C.; Fred F. Harper; George S. Gibbons.

W. H. BARTMAN, BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, etc., 99 Dundas street.

McKILLIP & MURPHY, BARRISTERS, solicitors, notaries, 64 Dundas street. J. B. McKillop; Thomas J. Murphy.

INSURANCE.
P. M. MILLMAN
INSURANCE AGENT.
Archibald McPherson Insurance Agency. Phone 145, 100. 74, 4, and appointment.

G. M. GUNN & SON—ESTABLISHED 1858. General insurance agents. Ten fire companies. Next Free Press. Phone 221.

MAIL CONTRACT—SEALED TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster-General, will be received at Ottawa until noon on Friday, the 11th March, 1910, for the conveyance of his Majesty's mails, on a proposed contract for four years, six times per week, each way, between London and Pasadena, from the Postmaster-General's pleasure. Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the office of the Postmaster-General, London, and at the office of the Postoffice Inspector at London. G. C. ANDERSON, superintendent, Postoffice Department, mail service branch, Ottawa, 15th January, 1910. 80c-x

SLATE ROOFING.

SLATE ROOFING, ASPHALT CEMENT paint for iron roofs. Walter Scott, 594 York street, London.

OSTEOPATHY.

HEDLEY V. CATON, OSTEOPATHIC physician. Consultation free. 554 Richmond street. Phone 1573.

DR. SAGE, GRADUATE AMERICAN School Osteopathy, Kirkville, Mo. The Alexandria Apartments. Telephone 3105.

DR. LEON PATRICK, GRADUATE LOS Angeles College of Osteopathy, member American and Ontario Osteopathic Associations. Telephone 283. 212 Dundas street.

SURVEYORS.

F. W. FARNCOMB, CIVIL ENGINEER and surveyor, Bank Toronto Chambers.

BUSINESS CARDS.

GOULD & MOHAN HAVE REMOVED from 101 Dundas to Wellington, between King and York.

SIGNS.

"THE SIGNIFY" MARLEY & WEEKES—Original signs, show-cards. Phone 1845. At the old stand, 27 Dundas street.

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY TO LOAN AT 5% AND 5 1/2%—Special rates. Room 101, Masonic Temple, London.

PRIVATE FUNDS AT LOWEST RATES—M. P. McDonough, barrister, 418 Talbot.

PRIVATE FUNDS TO LOAN ON MORTGAGES on real estate. Macpherson & Perrin, 17 Dundas street.

PRIVATE FUNDS TO LOAN—LOWEST rates. Macpherson & Perrin, corner Talbot and Carling.

PRIVATE AND TRUST MONEY TO loan on farm and city property; lowest rates, amounts and terms to suit; no commission. Selection of land, Scandrett, solicitor, 93 Dundas street.

HOTEL CARDS.

THE WILTSHIRE—Open all the year. Virginia avenue, overlooking ocean. Carriage and delivery. Electric light, heat; suites with bath, and every convenience, best cuisine and service, music. Special rates. \$2.50 up to \$12.50 per week. Booklet, Samuel E. Ellis, Atlantic City, N.J. 91m

FIRST-CLASS DINING-ROOM SERVICE—Hotel Harrison, corner King and Carling. J. M. Young, proprietor.

METROPOLITAN HOTEL—11 AND UPWARD, Dundas and Wellington. Wm. J. Wright, proprietor.

DENTAL CARDS.

DR. G. H. KENNEDY, DENTIST—Specialty, preservation natural teeth. 163 1/2 Dundas street. Phone 978.

HEALTH INSTITUTE.

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LONDON, WEDNESDAY, FEB. 2.

A SIGNIFICANT CONFESSION.

The Ottawa Citizen, Conservative, moralizes on the by-election result as follows:

"It was in upper town that the appeal for a satisfactory answer to Britain's request for a naval contribution that would be of practical service to her in the event of hostilities was counted upon to influence the silent and thinking vote. Whether because of the present relative strength of the political parties in the House, or because of indifference to the importance of the meaning of the result, the upper sections of the city failed to respond in anything like the manner anticipated."

The Citizen is to be commended for its candor in admitting that "the silent and thinking" English voters ("upper town") is the English district of the city, were not influenced against the Government on the naval issue. The Citizen and Journal tried to make it the only issue. They poured jingo tunes into the ears of the English electorate. The stale epithet of "tin-pot" was flung at the projected Canadian navy; the equally spurious German war bogey was furiously paraded, and the even more ancient imputation of disloyalty was hurled at the Government. The rebuke given to these tactics by "the silent and thinking" voters of Ottawa may have a moral effect upon the unthinking and far from silent wing of the Opposition which has been trying to force Mr. Borden's hand.

MR. ASQUITH'S FIRST STEP.

Mr. Asquith is noted for his faculty of clear statement. He not only means what he says, but he says what he means with admirable directness and lucidity. His election manifesto ought to be sufficient to indicate the first step his Government will take in the new Parliament. He laid emphasis upon two issues only—the budget and the House of Lords—and he referred to the latter as the larger one. Mr. Asquith did not mince words:

"The claim of the House of Lords to control finance is a mere usurpation. But the experience of the Parliament which has today been dissolved shows that the possession of an unlimited veto by a partisan second chamber is an insuperable obstacle to democratic legislation. The will of the people, however, clearly and emphatically expressed, is always liable to be rendered inoperative. Given a Conservative majority in the House of Commons, the House of Lords interposes no check upon legislative innovations of the most violent and unexpected kind, as we saw in the case of the Education act of 1902, and the licensing act of 1904. On the other hand, a Liberal majority in the House of Commons, as has been demonstrated during the last four years, is under existing conditions impotent to place on the statute book the very measures which it was sent to Westminster to carry into law."

"It is absurd to speak of this system as though it secured to us any of the advantages of a second chamber in the sense in which that term is understood and practically interpreted in every other democratic country. The introduction of the veto is the first and most urgent step to be taken, for it is the condition precedent to the attainment of the great legislative reforms which our party has at heart, and which I laid before my fellow-Liberals in a recent speech at the Albert Hall."

Having declared the limitation of the veto to be the condition precedent to everything else, it will be surprising if he does not suit the action to the word by dealing with the Lords before even the budget is reintroduced. There can be no disputing the fact that Mr. Asquith has received a mandate to curb the upper chamber. Whatever view the Nationalists take of some other measures, they are heart and soul opposed to the pretensions of the peers. Mr. Asquith knows he can approach this issue with a solid majority of 125 at his back. The King is too keen a constitutionalist and has too much common sense to refuse to take the advice of his ministers, and thereby enter the arena of party politics, which it is the safety of the crown to avoid.

TO ESTABLISH CROWN FOREST RESERVES.

A conservation measure of some importance has been introduced in the Ontario Legislature by Hon. Mr. Cochrane. It is entitled "An act to establish forest reserves," and empowers the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council, by proclamation, to set apart any portion of the public domain as a crown forest reserve. After such proclamation has been issued, no land within any such reserve shall be located, sold, leased or otherwise disposed of for purposes of agricultural settlement;

and, except under regulations to be made by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council, no person shall use or occupy any such land, prospect for minerals, conduct mining operations, hunt, fish, trap, spear or carry or use firearms, or explosives, within or upon such reserve.

The bill places crown forest reserves under the control and management of the Minister of Lands, Forest and Mines, and the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council may make regulations for their protection, care and administration. Such regulations will be published for four consecutive weeks in the Ontario Gazette, and will immediately thereafter have the force of law, and be laid before the Legislature within the first two weeks of its next session.

Power is given the minister to offer at public sale, subject to regulations to be made by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council, timber on any portion of a crown forest reserve damaged by fire, or which has attained mature growth.

For the purpose of creating a crown forest reserve, the minister may arrange with any holder of a timber limit which has been cut over, and upon which young pine is growing, or which the minister is satisfied will generally reproduce pine timber, for the surrender of such limit or any part thereof, upon such terms and conditions as may be set forth in the report of the minister and approved by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council, but no payment of money shall be made for any such surrender until an appropriation for that purpose has been made by the Legislature.

The Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council is empowered, whenever it is deemed expedient to establish a town site within the limits of a crown forest reserve, to withdraw the lands comprised in the description of such proposed town site from such reserve.

"The navy scare has not the slightest foundation in fact," said Mr. McKenna, the first lord of the Admiralty, a few days ago. But the scare-mongers both in Canada and Great Britain are not concerned about fact.

The Dominion Government will begin the construction of the Hudson Bay Railway as soon as weather permits. The Government cannot be accused of lack of faith in the country. Its faith and works go together.

Montreal has redeemed its good name by wiping out the gang which has misruled the city for years. The French-Canadians refused to listen to the race cry, and the reformers are in full control. With both races working together for good, the Canadian metropolis enters on a new era.

The Franco-Canadian treaty was ratified by both countries yesterday. It gives Canada a wider market, and to that extent will protect her from any injuries that Washington might seek to inflict by way of reprisal. There is little likelihood, however, that Uncle Sam will quarrel with so good a customer.

The Intercolonial shows a surplus of \$662,388 for the past nine months. In the same period receipts went up to \$442,151, and expenditures came down to \$57,087. It is a good showing for the new system of management introduced by Mr. Graham. The experiment has been made in the face of the opposition of journals and politicians of both parties in the Maritime Provinces, who argue that more money, not less, should be spent. The Canadian taxpayers as a whole will prefer the larger figures in the surplus column.

The new system of labor exchanges was inaugurated in Great Britain yesterday. It aims at averaging labor by bringing together the supply and demand. Workmen lose time and effort in searching for employment, and employers often waste time and effort in searching for workmen. The labor exchanges will help to correct these maladjustments. The idea has been borrowed from Germany, where it has worked successfully for years. The system is preliminary to the British Government's schemes of insurance against unemployment and invalidity, and the provision of work for the unemployed on afforestation and other development projects. It will be a scientific method of sifting the industrious workers from the "cadgers" and the unemployable.

THIEF HAS TIMELESS EXCUSE.

Judge—I am led to understand you stole the watch of the doctor who had just written a prescription for you at the free dispensary. What have you to say to this charge?

Prisoner—Well, your honor, I found myself in a desperate quandary. His prescription said "a spoonful every hour," and I had no timepiece.

POSSUM IN THE BOYCOTT.
[Baltimore Sun.]
A little cold sawdust for breakfast. A cup of hot coffee for supper. With a bun and maybe a prune. Thus, solving the high cost of living. We talk with the crowd on the street. But privately in our own kitchens. They're busily roasting the meat.

WHY HE WAS LOCKED UP.
[Pittsburgh Post.]
"Ever been locked up?" demanded counsel.
"I have been," admitted the witness.
"Ah! And what had you been doing to get yourself locked up?"
"I had been doing jury duty."

DISCRETION IN SPEECH NEEDED.
[Washington Star.]
"There's one thing we will have to change if these ladies who wish to vote have their way," said Senator Sorghum.
"What is that?"
"We'll have to quit talking about the wisdom of the plain people."

ONE ON ANDREW.
[Troy Times.]
A belated pun with Andrew Carnegie as the victim is being circulated at Washington.

ington. The ironmaster was on board a ferryboat at Norfolk, on the day the president visited that port. Something when wrong with the compass. The captain appealed to the mate. The mate examined the compass and said: "I guess it must be attracted by that steel magnet over there."

ANOTHER COMMON MISTAKE.

Many a man thinks he has visions when, in fact, he is merely the possessor of a disordered liver.

THE JUNE THAT LIES AHEAD.

The mad wind howls around the eaves. The fields are white with snow. The swaying boughs are robbed of leaves. But what are wild north winds to me? The snow lies deep, but I can see. The clover bloom below.

The mad crowds hurry in the street. I hear men voicing dread; They turn their faces from the street. But sweetly I can hear the love. Songs that shall be the glory of The June that lies ahead.

WHEN FORESTRY PAYS.

[Louisville Courier-Journal.]
The Kingdom of Prussia is getting \$2,000,000 a year out of its cultivated forests. It seems that forestry pays good dividends when the timber grabbers are kept in their proper place.

A LOGICAL CONCLUSION.

[Morrisburg Herald.]
Instead of establishing a navy we ought simply to hand the price of one over to the mother country. It would be well for us to carry that idea to its logical conclusion by disbanding our militia and making contributions of gold to the British war department.

A BROAD SMILE.

[Montgomery Advertiser.]
Mr. Jones had recently become the father of twins. The minister stopped him on the street to congratulate him. "Well, Jones," he said, "I hear that the Lord has smiled on you."

"Smiled on me?" repeated Jones. He laughed out loud at me."

SKEPTICAL.

[Brookville Times.]
It is a significant thing that one seldom or never hears professional dog breeders or handlers of long experience bothering their heads about "mad" dogs. It is not rabies, but ordinary blood-poisoning which has to be guarded against in dog bites. It is time the "mad dog" tradition was knocked on the head.

INSATIABLE WOMAN!

[Puck.]
Man wants but little here below, but woman wants everything that other women have.

SALT MAKES IT EASY.

[Toronto Telegram.]
A sprinkling of coarse salt will cure the most stubborn ice, if you will wait a few hours. The salt will not shovel the ice off, but it will disintegrate it to such an extent that it can be easily cleared away.

SOME DAY.

[Toronto Globe.]
A Scotch bootmaker who had been out of work for several months in Toronto committed suicide in despair. Some day such a condition may be impossible for a man able and willing to do any useful work.

WHOLE LOT MORE VALUABLE.

[Buffalo Express.]
"Seventy-five dollars cash—not a cent less!" thundered the farmer.

"Seventy-five dollars?" repeated the automobilist. "Do you think it was a cow I ran over?"

"No, it wasn't a cow," said the farmer, firmly; "it was a hen, and a layin' hen at that."

A CALAMITOUS POSSIBILITY.

[Baltimore American.]
This threat to increase the price of golf balls only goes to show that the cost of living has not done its worst.

BUYING A HORSE.

[Lynchburg's Magazine.]
"You say he's a young horse. Then why do his knees bend so?"

"To tell you the truth, sir, the poor animal's been living in a stable too long for him, and he had to stoop."

SUMMING IT UP.

[Louisville Post.]
High prices are due to six causes. First, to the vast production of gold; second, to the high tariff; third, to the various pure food laws, which have increased the cost of producing beef, butter, milk and drugs; fourth, to the enormous demand for an increasing population; fifth, to the trusts; sixth, to waste and extravagance. They do not all act together on all things alike, but together they "get there."

BUT DON'T DO IT.

[Guelph Mercury.]
"If you would know just what people say of you behind your back, listen to what they say of others."

SUCCESS GUARANTEED.

[Victoria Colonist.]
A correspondent wants to know the best way of increasing the population of British Columbia. Marry and raise a family, we suggest.

A LA LLOYD GEORGE.

[Philadelphia Press.]
Teacher—Where do the sponges come from?
Bright Pupil—From the noble families of Europe.

SIR GEORGE DRUMMOND DEAD AT MONTREAL.

Canadian "Sugar King" and Captain of Finance Passes Away.
Montreal, Feb. 2.—The death took place at 3:30 o'clock this morning of Sir George A. Drummond, president of the Bank of Montreal, and for many years known as the sugar king of Canada, he having been president of the Canada Sugar Refining Company, one of the largest establishments of its kind in the Dominion. Sir George had been in failing health for some months and his end was not unexpected. His family was summoned to his bedside some weeks ago, but he rallied for a time. Sir George was born in Scotland in 1829, and came to Canada in 1854 for the purpose of assuming the management of the Redpath refinery. He was prominently identified with all forward movements in Montreal, and was well known for his philanthropy. He was twice married.

THIRTY-FIVE DEAD IN KENTUCKY MINE.

Drakesboro, Ky., Feb. 2.—A telephone message from the Broadview mine this morning places the number of dead in yesterday's explosion at 35. The bodies of 33 have been recovered.

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12 only Alaska Sable Scarfs at.....\$13.50
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TOO MANY BOOK MAKERS AT VICTORIA'S TRACK

Hon. Mr. Templeman Says They Take Vast Sums From Pockets of People.

Ottawa, Feb. 1.—Hon. W. D. Templeman was a witness before the anti-racing bill committee this morning, and gave evidence concerning Victoria races, condemning them for the length of meetings and the large number of bookmakers present. Counsel for the bookmakers (Mr. C. J. O'Brien) said that the racing business was a legitimate one, and that the bookmakers were not taking any unfair advantage of the public. He said that the bookmakers were not taking any unfair advantage of the public, and that the racing business was a legitimate one.

TWO COBALT MINERS BLOWN TO PIECES

Cobalt, Ont., Feb. 2.—Sandy Christie and James Hope, two miners, were blown to pieces in the shaft of the Silver Leaf mine.

The two men went down the shaft to load some holes. The dynamite had been packed in and the fuses set. Hope was at the top of the shaft, and Christie was at the bottom. When the dynamite exploded, it blew both men to pieces.

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Certainly it seems like carrying coals to Newcastle to speak of exporting oatmeal to Scotland and yet, every year the Quaker Oats Company sends hundreds of thousands of cases of Quaker Oats to Great Britain and Europe.

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THE INTERCOLONIAL MADE GOOD SHOWING

Net Surplus for Nine Months to December 31 Was \$662,388—Minister's Statement.

Ottawa, Feb. 1.—The I. C. R. accounts for the nine months to Dec. 31, shows a net surplus of \$662,388. Hon. Mr. Graham made his statement before the House today.

The gross receipts showed a gain of \$412,151 over the same period of the preceding year, and the working expenses a reduction of \$75,087.

Expenditures on capital account for the year Mr. Graham estimated at \$1,412,151, as against \$3,367,292 last year.

The average number of employees per month on the I. C. R. for the nine months past was 8,833. The average number of employees was \$477,470.

Contracts have been let for new rolling stock to the value of \$445,924, including maintenance of equipment for the period charged to working expenses, cost \$432,329, whilst ordinary repairs amounted to \$1,189,290.

The charges for ordinary repairs included over half a million for locomotives, and \$444,990 for freight cars.

During the nine months 52½ miles of track were ballasted, 11½ miles of track were relaid with 80-pound steel rails, and 5 1-3 miles of track were relaid with 67-pound relaying steel.

These are the main financial features of the I. C. R. annual statement made today in the Commons by Hon. George P. Graham.

THE COST OF LIVING

An Average Increase of 25 Per Cent in Canada in Seven Years.

Ottawa, Feb. 2.—An average increase of 25 per cent in the cost of living during the past seven or eight years, will, it is stated, be indicated by the investigation which is now being made by the department of labor

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LARENCY CHARGED

Wall Street Firm Must Explain Disappearance of Large Sums.

New York, Feb. 2.—Seven indictments charging grand larceny were filed by the grand jury today against the brokerage firm of Tracy & Co., which failed on May 17, 1909, for \$1,500,000. An attorney for the firm told the court when the indictments were filed today that the members of the indicted firm were out of the city, but that he would surrender them as soon as he could communicate with them.

The firm had memberships in the New York Stock Exchange, and the Chicago Board of Trade, and did an extensive business. Its affairs have been under investigation by the grand jury for several months past in an effort to find out what became of the large sums claimed to have been deposited with the firm by creditors, who were heavy losers by the failure.

MRS. ROBERT LAND DEAD.

Hamilton, Feb. 1.—Mrs. Robert A. Land, wife of one of the original Land family, the earliest settlers in Hamilton, died yesterday morning.

She was born in 1818, and was the daughter of Dr. Case, who years ago was one of the prominent physicians in Western Ontario.

LOOSE TEA LOSES FRESHNESS

and flavour quickly and is soon quite unfit for use. It takes on the odors of other articles. It deteriorates by exposure to the sun and air. It is uncleanly—dust and dirt get into it.

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PART TWO.

CHAPTER I.

The wheels of justice, London, in the spring, shimmered. The Thames gleamed with silver ripples, singing as it flowed. Joyous London, that had emerged from fogs and larks beneath blue skies! Thrillings that give forth a glad hum, wheels singing, two whips that crack in sprightly, breezy, on the streets, people, not shadows, who walk with a swing; who really seem to breathe, and not sink unmanly by! Eyes that regard you with human expression; faces that seem capable of emotion; figures adorned in keeping with the bright realities of the moment. London, old London young again; grimy, repulsive London, now bright, shimmering, beautiful!

In such a London, on such a day, about ten o'clock in the morning, three persons whose appearance distinguished them from the ordinary passers-by turned into a narrow thoroughfare not far from the Strand.

"Quite worth while going to hear John Steele conduct for his client, I assure you," observed one, a tall, military-looking man, who walked with a slight limp, and carried a cane. "He's a new man, but he's making his mark. When he asked to be admitted to the English bar he surprised even his examiners. His summing up in the Douglass murder case was, I heard his lordship remark, one of the most masterly efforts he ever listened to. Just to see the circumstantial evidence, to pieces and freed his man! Besides his profession at the bar he is an unusually gifted criminologist; takes a strong personal interest in the lowest stratum of life, and is writing a book, I understand, one of the kind that will throw a new light on the subject."

"Just what is a criminologist?" The speaker, a girl of about eighteen, turned as she lightly asked the question, to glance over her shoulder toward several persons who followed them.

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"One who seeks to apply to the criminal the methods of psychology, psychiatry and anthropology," he answered, with jesting impressiveness. She laughed. "But you said this Mr. Steele comes from our part of the world, did you not, Capt. Forsythe?" "So I understand, Miss Jocelyn. Not much of a person to talk about himself, don't you know?" tentatively stroking an imposing pair of mustaches, tinged with gray—"but he has mentioned, I believe, living in New Zealand, or was it Australia?"

"Australia," the cold, metallic tones of the third person, a man of about thirty and thirty, inquired, "Most likely the other place, or we should have heard."

"True, Lord Ronsdale," said the other man, pausing before a great door. "But here we are."

"All ye who enter, etc.," laughed the girl.

"Not if one comes just to do it, you know," was the protesting answer. "I have found the thing to take in the criminal courts."

"When one is only a sort of country cousin, a colonial, just come to town," she added, waving a small, daintily gloved hand to the little group of friends who now approached and joined them. "Capt. Forsythe is trying to persuade me it is a legitimate part of our slumming plan to take in murder trials, and I confess to a slight amateur interest."

"Just because it's a fad of his!" Speaking of this acquaintance or friend of yours, Mr. Steele—you are something of a criminologist, too, are you not, Capt. Forsythe?"

"Well, every man should have a hobby," returned that individual, "and although I don't aspire to the long amateur interest."

Lord Ronsdale shrugged his shoulders, as if to say, everyone to his taste, but the girl laughed.

"Slight," she repeated, "Would you believe it, aunt?" to a pretty lady among those who had approached—"he never misses a murder trial! I believe he likes to watch the poor fellows fighting for their lives, to study their faces, their expressions when they're being sentenced, perhaps, to one of those horrible convict ships."

"I don't speak of them, my dear Jocelyn," returned the aunt, "but I think of the Lord Nelson, and that awful night—"

"You were three days in an open boat before being sighted and picked up, believe me, Lady Wray?" observed Capt. Forsythe.

"Three days? Years!" returned the governor's wife. "At least, they seemed so to me. I thought every moment would be my last, and goodness knows why it wasn't! How we managed to survive it—"

"Narrow squeak, certainly!" said Lord Ronsdale, his lids lowering slightly. "But all's well that ends well, and

"Everyone behaved splendidly," interposed Sir Charles. "You," gazing contemptuously at the girl, "were but a child, then, Jocelyn."

She did not answer; the beautiful face had abruptly changed; all laughter had gone from the clear blue eyes.

"She is thinking of the convict who saved her!" observed Sir Charles in an explanatory tone to Capt. Forsythe.

"Quite an interesting episode," "pon honor. Tell you about it later. Never say anything finer or better. And the amazing part of it is, the fellow looked like a brute, the low, ignorant face of an ex-bruiser. He'd gone to the head, taken to drink, and committed I don't know how many crimes! Yet that man, the lowest of the low—"

"You must not speak of him that way!" The girl's hands were clasped; the slender, shapely figure was very straight. Her beautiful blue eyes, full of varying lights, flashed, then became dimmed; a suspicion of mist blurred the long, sweeping lashes. "He had a big, noble spark in his soul. And I think of him many, many times," she repeated, the sweet, gay lips trembling sensitively. "Brave fellow! Brave fellow! The words fell in a whisper.

"Fortunate fellow, I should say, to be so remembered by you, Miss Jocelyn!" interposed Capt. Forsythe. "Eh, Ronsdale?"

"Fortunate, indeed!" the thin lips replied. "He should have been drowned, though!" Capt. Forsythe went on. "He would, I am sure, have made a most interesting study in contrasts."

"Fortunately," he continued, "he either complied—or consented, he stood for a moment as in a reverie. "I am almost sorry I was persuaded to come here today," she said at length. "Fortunately, I don't believe I shall like courts, or," she added, "find them amusing."

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habit of thought, of looking up, not down, when he turned from the page of the heavy tomes in his study; his face conveyed an impression of intelligence and intensity; his eyes, dark, deep, searched fully those they rested on.

He had reached a point in his cross-examination where he had almost thoroughly discredited this witness for the prosecution, when turning toward a table to take up a paper, he noticed, casually lifting, rested on the distinguished party in the rear of the room, or rather it rested on one of them. Against the dark background, the girl's golden hair was well-calculated to catch the wandering gaze; the flowers in her hat, the great bunch of violets in her dress added insistent alluring bits of color in the dim spot. She sat. Erect as a lily stem, she looked oddly out of place in that large, sombre room; there, where the harsh requiem of bruised and broken lives unceasingly sounded, she seemed, some presence typical of spring, waited thither by mistake. The man continued to regard her. Suddenly he started, and his eyes almost eagerly searched the floor and the faces.

His back was turned to the judge, who stirred nervously, but waited a fraction of a second before he spoke.

"If the cross-examination is finished—" he began.

John Steele wheeled; his face changed; a smile of singular charm accompanied his answer.

"Your lordship will pardon me; the human mind has its aberrations. At the moment, by a curious psychological turn, a feature of another problem seized me; it was like playing two games of chess at once. Perhaps your honor has experienced the sensation."

His lordship beamed. "Quite so," he observed unctuously. "I have to confess that once in a great while, although following a very close case, I have found it possible to consider at the same time whether I would later have port or sherry with my canvas-back."

(To Be Continued.)

DEARTH OF HORSES

Alarming Deficiency Revealed by the Government Inquiry.

London, Feb. 1.—The census of horses, announced by Mr. Haldane, has now been practically completed.

Farmers and others have rendered an account to the Government of not only of the quality and age of their horses, but the nature of each of their vehicles, and there is in the hands of the Government a list of almost every horse, wagon, and cart to be found on the farms.

No figures have as yet been published, and it may be some time before the statistics are arranged and tabulated; but it is quite clear that the deficiency of horses will be very serious, and that various causes, innumerable firms have given up the usual purchase of horses from abroad.

Buyers have been afraid to make the usual purchases, the omnibus companies and cab proprietors have steadily reduced their quantities, and it is a commonplace among farmers that the Government has been the cause of the shortage, or, in exceptional cases, the show backney.

The British Government will give only £40 for a good 12-year-old horse, which the French, for example, will give £50 or so. The result of this is an appalling shortage.

Probably the census list will contain the 12,000 horses additional to the 42,000 on the army registers. It being reckoned that 150,000 is the minimum required for army purposes, but the number of horses existing in the country has been alarmingly reduced, and no allowance has been made for reserve.

Without an increase in the stock of British horses, no army organization can be effective.

BETWEEN TWO FIRES

Meat Boycott Disastrous to the Retail Merchants of New York.

New York, Feb. 1.—Retail meat dealers' situation. With the demand from consumers fallen off to a certain extent before in the history of the trade, the retailers found themselves confronted by an advancing scale of prices in wholesale markets. Wholesale rates went up only a fraction of a cent, but the dealers were advised that curtailed shipments were likely to lead to a further advance today.

There was no appreciable change in retail meat quotations today, but the demand from consumers for lower prices was as insistent as ever. Housewives who have not eliminated meat entirely from their daily menus were inclined to scrutinize quotations closely, and refused to buy unless prices met their approval.

"Something has got to drop hard pretty soon," said one prominent meat man today. "Somebody is piling up and the cold storage capacity of the city is limited. Already egg men are throwing over their holdings at reduced rates, and butter has come down. Meat will have to follow, but reduced rates of consumption is maintained, no matter if shipments are heavily reduced."

The 8-cent rate for milk rules now, except on the routes of two big companies, and one of these has announced a reduction effective March 1.

FATAL AUTO CRASH.

Denver, Col., Feb. 1.—Two women who were killed here last night in a collision between a motor car and an automobile in which they were riding, have not yet been identified. One

Cured Constipation Quickly

TELLS OF A REMEDY THAT IS SAFE FOR YOUNG AND OLD, FOR ALL STOMACH AND BOWEL TROUBLES.

Writing from his home in Barcelona, Mr. Frederick G. Hamilton states: "I think no one ever suffered as severely from constipation as I did for nearly six months. So many serious symptoms were developing as a consequence of this evil condition of the system, that I realized I must find a remedy. The strong pills of various kinds I tried seemed after their first effects were over to make me feel worse, and I did not know which way to turn for relief. I saw Dr. Hamilton's Pills advertised, and the first box used satisfied me. I found a relief from the griping by gripping by undue activity. Dr. Hamilton's Pills acted as naturally as if physics had not been taken. I never had to increase the dose, and, indeed, within a month I reduced it, and the system finally acted of its own accord as a result of Dr. Hamilton's Pills. I took a dose twice a week only, just to make sure that the old condition would not come back."

No other remedy cures constipation and biliousness so easily or safely as Dr. Hamilton's Pills; they are an ideal family remedy for all diseases of the stomach, liver and bowels. Sold in 25-cent boxes, all dealers, or The Catarrh-ozone Company, Kingston, Ont.



OUR GREAT WHITE GOODS SALE

PROVES THE PRINCIPAL STORE ATTRACTION IN THIS VICINITY

Store crowded, sale soaring, values winning enthusiastic approval—such, in brief, is the story of the opening hours of this real triumph in White Goods retailing. It is already an established fact that White Goods buying at this season can most profitably be centred here.

Assortments provide the most complete selection of New White yards goods, White Outer and Underwear, White Staples, Lawns, Vestings, etc. Sale continues, with all its attraction. Tomorrow's host of shoppers will find all that met with the instantaneous approval of those who have already bought.

Now Is the One Opportunity To Supply White Goods Needs for Weeks to Come

Lines From the White Wear Section Every Garment a Bargain

Drawers at 25c, 39c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 to \$3.50.

Gowns at 75c, 85c, 98c, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 to \$3.50.

Skirts at 75c, 85c, 98c, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 to \$3.50.

New White Waists at 89c, 98c, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50.

Laces and Embroideries

300 yards of Embroideries, bought at a great reduction, worth up to 12½c, for, yard 5c

Other lines at 10c, 12½c, 15c, 20c, 25c.

500 yards of Valenciennes Laces selling special at 5c

Other new lines at 4c, 7c, 10c, 12½c to 25c.

Corset Cover Embroidery selling at, a yard 19c, 25c to 75c.

White Yard Goods

Victoria and other Lawns selling at, a yard, 7½c, 8½c, 10c, 12½c to 25c

White and Colored Vestings selling at 12½c, 15c, 18c, 20c and 25c yard.

New Prints, English and Canadian, selling at, a yard, 7½c, 8½c, 10c and 12½c.

New White Cross-Bar Muslin selling at, a yard, 8½c, 10c, 12½c, 15c, 20c to 35c.

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BREAKFAST FOODS IN BIG MERGER

Minneapolis, Feb. 1.—The reported consolidation of all cereal manufacturing concerns of Minneapolis, one in Battle Creek, Mich., two in Chicago and one in Iowa, in a new million-dollar corporation to handle the output of the breakfast food concerns, was confirmed today by Thomas W. Hicks, who has been prominent in the deal here.

WOULD PUT NAVVIES ON THE INDIAN LIST

Coroner's Jury Charge Mancuro With Causing Merino's Death.

Grafton, Feb. 2.—The coroner's jury yesterday returned a verdict charging Gregor Mancuro with the murder of Frank Merino. They also recommended that the Government take steps to prohibit weapons or intoxicating liquors from the construction camps, where foreigners are employed, and that all foreigners employed in such camps be placed on the Indian list to prevent them obtaining liquor.

Mancuro will be arraigned before Magistrate Holland in Cobourg, today on the murder charge. He has already been committed on the charge of attempting to murder James McCormick.

DEFIED THE JUDGE.

Quebec, Feb. 1.—In the practice court today, Mr. Justice Malouin, presiding, the case of Mr. Boudreau, of Ottawa, vs. Mr. A. B. Vanfelson, of Quebec, was taken up. This is a case arising out of the recent investigation held here into the marine department. Mr. Vanfelson's statement, which if proven correct, would implicate Mr. Boudreau in some of the alleged fraudulent practices. When the case was called, Mr. Galipeault, counsel for the defence, asked leave to withdraw from the case, as he was not affluent enough in his pocket to proceed with the case, but when this was denied, he notified his lordship that he would not proceed to act, and immediately left the room.

TELLS OF MURDER.

Waterbury, Conn., Feb. 1.—A signed statement made by Kulvinskis before he died at the hospital was put in evidence today at the trial of Sophie Krutchen, the young music teacher, who is charged with murdering Kulvinskis. This statement was as follows: "On Friday, Sept. 17, Sophie Krutchen, asked me to take a walk with her in the woods. When we arrived at the spot in the woods she told me to lay down, and she said: 'I will cover your face with a handkerchief, and I was unable to sleep at night, and so see who is coming.' A minute later she said: 'Don't you, I am going to kill you!' Then she shot me five times. At 5 o'clock Friday afternoon she

NO HOME WORK FOR THE KIDDIES

Board of Education Protects Those Under the Fifth Grade.

HALF HOLIDAY PROPOSED

For the Schools During the Made-in-London Exhibition—Reports Presented to the Board.

There will be no home work for kiddies attending the public schools under the fifth grade.

At the meeting of the board yesterday afternoon, Dr. Balfour asked what was the practice regarding home work.

"It has been understood that there was to be no home work under the fifth grade," said Inspector Edwards.

In order to make that impressive, I issued a circular this year, advising the teachers not to give any work at home for children under the fifth grade, and to grade the work after that, so that in no case was more than an hour and a half's work given to any pupil.

"That is very satisfactory," said Dr. Balfour. "No child should be given home work in the first four grades. The time after school should be given for play, and there should be no worry in the evening."

A Half-Holiday.

Mrs. M. Blackburn, on behalf of the ladies having in charge the "Made-in-London" exhibit, asked that the board give the children a half-holiday on the Wednesday afternoon of the exhibition.

She also announced that Mrs. Adam Beck would give a prize to the public school pupil, and the Collegiate Institute pupil, writing the best essay on the exhibition.

"I think the exhibit will be of considerable educational value," said trustee Weekes. "I move that the request be granted."

This was seconded by Trustee Graham, and No. 1 committee and Inspector Edwards will work out a school exhibit for it also.

Miss Jean R. Laidlaw asked for a grant of \$25 for extra kindergarten supplies. Granted.

Principal E. Wyatt asked the board to attend a concert of St. George's school. Accepted.

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Principal McCutcheon reported the attendance at the Collegiate to be as follows:

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Traut Officer Weir reported he had visited the different schools during the term, and had served nine notices, summoned one person, was issuing another summons.

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The board was recommended to apply to the Government for the usual bonus to teachers. No. 1 committee will deal with this.

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Mrs. H. A. Winnett asked for lights to be placed in the Aberdeen kindergarten. No. 2.

Principal Wyatt suggested improvements to the seating of St. George's school. No. 2.

Trustee Wyckoff, chairman of No. 2 committee, reported that the contractors, John Hayman & Sons, owed the board \$3.99, and was instructed to collect.

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Board of Education Yesterday Abolished the Compulsory Rule.

DR. BALFOUR GIVES VIEWS

Says It is a Matter For Boards of Health, Not For Boards of Education.

The anti-vaccinationists have succeeded. At the meeting of the board of education held yesterday afternoon, the clause of the rules of order compelling every child to be vaccinated before entering the schools of the city was abolished.

There was little discussion. Trustee Weekes brought the matter up, as he had given notice of motion at the previous meeting. Trustee Graham seconded the motion.

"I have not changed my mind a particle on this subject," said Trustee Teasdale. "I believe vaccination to be one of the best things in preventive medicine yet discovered. I am of the opinion that it is a difficult matter to obtain a seat on this board, so we will have to bow to the will of the majority."

A Glance Ahead.
"I believe that in ten years, if this rule is abrogated, not 10 per cent of the children attending school will be vaccinated. If the work is to be done outside the board, I doubt that much of it will be done. In my practice in London of over fifteen years, I am of the opinion that very few would have had their children vaccinated, had it not been for this rule. It will not be done if the board of health, or the council have anything to do with it. Of course, I will not defy this august body, but I am of the opinion that the rule is beneficial, and has done much good."

Abrogate the Rule.
"I favor the abrogation of this rule, because it is a matter for the boards of health, not for the boards of education," said Dr. Balfour. "They have unlimited power, and in matters of public health they are, and should be, supreme. It is not in the province of the board of education to say that I shall or shall not have my children vaccinated."

The motion was then put, and carried unanimously.

Joseph J. Slechia, American vice-consul-general at Rio Janeiro, gives the number of cattle in that country at 25,000,000.

PLAN FELL THROUGH.
Ottawa, Feb. 1.—A movement was started to have a petition circulated in favor of the release of Conrad and Woods, the American crooks who pulled off the McMillan diamond robbery here last summer, and who are undergoing sentence of a year's imprisonment. It leaked out too soon here, however, and as a result the press opinion is strongly against it. Both men are said to be victims of tuberculosis.

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The Collegiate.
Principal McCutcheon reported the attendance at the Collegiate to be as follows:

THE COAST AGAINST THE RACING TRACKS

Letter From Victoria Merchants Point Out Evils of System.

EVIDENCE FROM WINDSOR

Police Magistrate Testifies He Finds Everything Well Conducted There.

Ottawa, Feb. 1.—Mr. Stewart Houston, of Toronto, was to have been called as a witness before the anti-gambling committee this morning, but was excused on account of his serious illness.

Mr. E. T. Malone, K. C., of Toronto, representing the Niagara Racing Association, explained why John Madigan, the president of the Niagara Racing Association, was not present. Mr. Madigan had travelled all the way from Houston, Texas, to a Simcoo man, but owing to ill-health spends his winter in the south. It was at the risk of his health that he was coming north at this season to give evidence in support of the opponents to the bill. He had reached Buffalo, but having a relapse there, had to remain there to recover.

Gambling in Victoria.
Hon. Mr. Templeman, minister of inland revenue, was called after all explanations had been given. He gave evidence as to gambling conditions in Victoria.

"My general statement," he said, "is that I don't know the modus operandi of betting, but Victoria has had some race meetings for years. A sixty-day season was had recently, there were about 500 horses, and a large number of people attended. The young and the old, pretty near everybody gambled a little. The bookmakers were there in the stands, from what I heard, a good many young men went broke after the meeting."

"What do you think of the financial effect of the meet in Victoria?"
"Finally it gives a detriment. I have heard leading citizens saying that."

"What was public opinion in Victoria after the meet?"
"It was strongly against the repetition of any such meeting held again."

Don't Want Any More.
"Have you any letters bearing this out?"
"Yes, I have," and Mr. Templeman then read a letter after the meeting from the city business men expressing the belief that no such race meet should ever be allowed in Victoria again. The writers were on the whole men who liked horses, racing, and who bet themselves, but in their business they found the evil effects of the meets. The writers were in almost every case "the largest dealers in" whatever line of business it was."

The head of the biggest department store in Victoria declared that the race meet was detrimental to the best interests of the city, and had hurt his business particularly.

The head of the biggest insurance company in the city said: "The meet was injurious in every particular. We would be sorry to see the repetition of such a meet."

A large real estate firm wrote: "The effect of the meet was decidedly injurious, as the result of the gambling, and open bookmaking. Though I am not very straight-faced on this matter, I think bookmaking should be not only discontinued, but made illegal."

"The meet was a disgrace to the city," said another.

A merchant: "Money was staked and lost which should have gone to pay just debts."

Another: "People purchased goods on credit and declared they could not pay for them. We couldn't collect our money for months afterward, yet these people were people of the best credit."

Another writer said that while there had been a certain increase in the circulation of money, yet the race meet had had an injurious effect on the city. He did not want to see the "good old sport" cut out, but he did not want to see gambling continue.

Minds Filled With Races.
Another firm said it would not employ clerks who attended the races because they were only tempted to dishonesty, but because their minds were too much interested in the races to be faithful to their duties.

One ex-American said he had seen much of the evil in the United States, and thought the Dominion, as a young nation, should legislate against them, so as to keep the "bad following" away, and suppress excessive gambling.

Another writer declared that at least one business failure was due to that race-track.

The Windsor Track.
Gordon J. Leggett, police magistrate of Windsor, was the principal witness at the hearing.

Mr. Leggett said he had been police magistrate for one year and one month. The only cases he had had before him in connection with the Windsor races was one of pocket-picking, one case of night-riding, and two or three cases of vagrancy. Order was well kept at the race-track, and he had heard no complaints of disorderly conduct.

Answering Mr. Tracy's witness said that 90 per cent of the people who attended the Windsor races came from Detroit. He said he knew very little about horse racing.

E. T. Malone, K. C., counsel for the Niagara Racing Association, on behalf of Mr. Madigan, the president, who was unable to be present, read a statement prepared by a gentleman showing the working of the association. Mr. Madigan was of the opinion that the proposed bill would put an end to the Fort Erie race-track. The Niagara Racing Association was organized at \$100,000, but nearly \$200,000 had been invested in it. The value of the property of the association was estimated by Mr. Madigan at \$350,000. A dividend of 15 per cent was paid in 1909 to the shareholders.

TREATY WITH FRANCE IS NOW IN FORCE
Ottawa, Feb. 1.—The Minister of Finance made the important statement in the House of Commons today that the exchange of ratifications in respect to the Franco-Canadian treaty had taken place at noon today, and that in consequence the treaty was in force between the two countries.

It is planned to extend the New York City electric light to North White Plains.

There will be no home work for kiddies attending the public schools under the fifth grade.

At the meeting of the board yesterday afternoon, Dr. Balfour asked what was the practice regarding home work.

"It has been understood that there was to be no home work under the fifth grade," said Inspector Edwards.

In order to make that impressive, I issued a circular this year, advising the teachers not to give any work at home for children under the fifth grade, and to grade the work after that, so that in no case was more than an hour and a half's work given to any pupil.

"That is very satisfactory," said Dr. Balfour. "No child should be given home work in the first four grades. The time after school should be given for play, and there should be no worry in the evening."

A Half-Holiday.
Mrs. M. Blackburn, on behalf of the ladies having in charge the "Made-in-London" exhibit, asked that the board give the children a half-holiday on the Wednesday afternoon of the exhibition.

She also announced that Mrs. Adam Beck would give a prize to the public school pupil, and the Collegiate Institute pupil, writing the best essay on the exhibition.

"I think the exhibit will be of considerable educational value," said trustee Weekes. "I move that the request be granted."

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LITERARY NOTES
"History of the Union Jack, and 'Flags of the Empire,' by Barlow Cumberland, M.A. This work is a complete history of the origin of the Union Jack, showing how it first appeared in a proclamation of Charles the First in 1634, in which it is called the 'Union Jack,' and in the proclamation of Queen Anne in 1707 as 'Our Jack, Commonly Called the Union Jack.' The 'Jacks' of the several countries are fully described, and how they became unionized. There are 69 illustrations, with 9 colored plates, and it is certainly a very full and complete history of our flag. It is a book of 320 pages, well printed, on fine paper, and bound in cloth. It should be in the hands of our young people, as it inculcates patriotism in their minds and inspires respect and devotion for the old flag. The publisher is William Briggs, Toronto.

"The Man Hunter," a tale of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police that James O. Curwood has written for the February Red Book Magazine, it possesses in its thirteen pages more drama than commonly goes into a four-act play. In striking contrast the same issue contains a delicately tender tale of love by Sophia Chandler, entitled "Their Romance." There are several other good stories by clever writers. Louis V. De Foe writes of the newest metropolitan plays, and the issue is rounded out with 28 exquisitely printed portrait studies of men and women whose beauty illumines the American stage.

A valuable find of opal has just been made in Queensland. A party, after sinking to a depth of four feet, came on a pocket of opal which yielded \$500 worth of the precious stone.

RHEUMATISM IN THE BLOOD
LINIMENTS AND RUBBING WILL NOT CURE IT—THE DISEASE MUST BE TREATED THROUGH THE BLOOD.

The trouble with men and women who have rheumatism is that they waste valuable time in trying to rub the complaint away. If they rub hard enough the friction causes warmth in the affected part, which temporarily relieves the pain, but in a short time the aches and pains are as bad as ever. All the rubbing, and all the liniments and outward applications in the world won't cure rheumatism, because it is rooted in the blood. Rubbing won't remove the poisonous acid in the blood that causes the pain. But Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will, because they are a blood medicine acting on the blood. That is why the aches and pains and stiff, swollen joints of rheumatism disappear when these pills are used. That's why sensible people get no time in rubbing, but take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills when the first twinges of rheumatism come on, and the system is driven the trouble out of their system. Mr. John Evans, 12 Kemp Road, Halifax, N. S., says: "About three years ago I had an attack of rheumatism which settled in my right leg and ankle, and which became very much swollen and was exceedingly painful. I wasted a good deal of time trying to get rid of the trouble by rubbing with liniments, but it did not do me a bit of good. My daughter was using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills at the time, and finally persuaded me to try them. Inside of a week the pills began to help me, and after taking them a few weeks longer the trouble had completely disappeared and has not bothered me since. My daughter was also taking the pills at the time for weakness and anaemia, and was cured by them, and I am now a firm friend of this medicine."

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ALL THE NEWS
THAT IS NEWSMANY PLAY-OFFS
WERE ARRANGED

Paris Will Meet Woodstock and
If Victorious Go on to
Drumbo.

OSHAWA VS. FRONTENACS

Gravenhurst Juniors at Midland—Port
Hope Must Win to Tie.
Trenton.

[G. N. W. Service.]
Toronto, Feb. 1.—The O. H. A. today
arranged the following play-offs:
Paris will play their postponed game
with Woodstock on Thursday, instead of
Wednesday. If Paris wins they will meet
Drumbo in the second round, Monday,
the 7th, at Paris, and Wednesday, the 9th,
at Drumbo.

Oshawa and Kingston Frontenacs will
meet in the second round of the Junior
O. H. A. championship series on Thurs-
day at Oshawa, and the following Wed-
nesday at Kingston, total goals to count
on the round.

CHICAGO TEAM FOR
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

League Offices Removed to the Windy
City, and Gossipers Get Busy.

[By Associated Press.]
Chicago, Feb. 1.—The headquarters of
the American Baseball Association were
formally opened here today, having been
removed from Milwaukee. The removal
again revived the report that a Chicago
team would open here today, against the
Chickering team, today announced Feb. 15
as the date for the schedule meeting.

VAUGHN LOSES CASE
WITH COMMISSION

Upholds New York Club and Refuses
Salary Claimed by Player.

[By Associated Press.]
Cincinnati Feb. 1.—The salary claim of
James Vaughn, of the New York
American baseball club, was yesterday
disallowed by the national baseball com-
mission. Vaughn claimed a salary at the
rate of \$20 a month from Sept. 28 last to
Oct. 15. He had been sold to the Louis-
ville team of the American Association, but
the sale has been annulled, and he there-
fore asked for his salary up to the close
of the season. The commission ruled that
he was only entitled to salary for the actual
time during which he played with the New York
team.

COMISKY AND JOHNSON
AFTER WATER FOWL

Houseboat "White Sox" Carries Mag-
nates to Arkansas.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Chicago, Feb. 1.—President B. B. John-
son, of the American League, and C. A.
Comiskey, of the Chicago American
League club, left for the south last night
for a week's hunting and fishing trip on
the latter's houseboat "White Sox."
They expected to invade the White
River district of Arkansas in search of
ducks and geese, and according to their
plans were to leave the boat on the re-
turn trip at Helena, Ark., in time to
reach Chicago on Saturday night or Sun-
day.

EARL GREY RINK

Skating Clubhouse at Montreal Will
Be Worth About \$170,000.

[G. N. W. Service.]
Montreal, Feb. 1.—Details given out to-
day show that the new Earl Grey skating
clubhouse, which is to be built on Drum-
mond street, near Sherbrooke, will cost
about \$170,000. Skating on the ice will be
permitted. No hockey matches will be al-
lowed. Among the dozen or so of mem-
bers who have put their hands in their
pockets to supply the necessary funds are
Sir Edward Clouston and Sir H. Montagu
Allan.

3 YEARS INDIGESTION

3 Boxes Little Digesters—
Entirely Cured

It was a lucky day for Mr. Payn,
whose portrait appears below, when he
saw a "Little Digesters" in the paper, for
it marked his first step on the road to health. Read
what he says about it himself:



King, Ont., Nov. 12, 1909.
THE COLEMAN MEDICINE CO.
Gentlemen,

Having suffered for three years with
indigestion, nothing could relieve me,
having seen your advertisement in the
paper for "Little Digesters," took
three, was entirely cured. I feel con-
vinced that anyone suffering with same
will not fail to try "Little Digesters."

PHILIP PAYN, Junior.

"Little Digesters" are dainty little
tablets compounded of the purest and
best ingredients for the relief of
stomach troubles. They are positively
guaranteed to cure even chronic cases
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will be refunded.

In little red boxes—25c. from your
druggist or by mail from Coleman Medi-
cine Co., Toronto.

JOE PATCHEN II. PACED
2:17 3-4 MILE AT OTTAWA

Great Performance at Central Canada
Ice Meet—Yesterday's Results.

[G. N. W. Service.]
Ottawa, Feb. 1.—The Central Cana-
dian Ice Association had another
successful day of events today. Joe
Patchen II. paced a mile in 2:17 3-4
and came back in the 2:19 and 2:20.
The summary:
2:35 pace, Windsor Hotel stakes, \$1,000:
Joe Patchen II. (T. Hodgson, Osh-
wa) 1 1
Flying Jib (L. M. Brooks, Osh-
wa) 2 2
Hail B. Jr. (P. L. Kastner, Se-
bringle) 3 3
Minnie (C. A. Brown, Toronto) 4 4
Jennie Hal (W. A. Collins, Sun-
derland) 5 5
Direct (Adair, C. Cam-
anta, N. Y.) 6 6
Wa Wa (H. Leady, Cookstown) 7 7
2:23 trot and pace, \$500:
Hail D. (W. Brigham, Glandford) 1 1
Lou R. (O. A. Rozon, Montreal) 2 2
Purloona (E. B. Cowan, Lindsay) 3 3
Dan K. (R. Kennedy, Ottawa) 4 4
Time—2:21 1/4, 2:23, 2:21.

FITZHERBERT SOLD
BY SAM HILDRETH

Purchaser Pays \$40,000 for Best Race
Horse in America.

[By Associated Press.]
New York, Feb. 1.—Fitzherbert, rated
by the handicappers as the best race
horse in America, was sold by Sam Hil-
dred for \$40,000 today. The name of
the purchaser was not made known, but
it is understood that he is Charles
Koebe, a wealthy Englishman, a manu-
facturer, who recently bought Uncle
from Hildred.

[By Associated Press.]
New York, Feb. 1.—Handicapper Vos-
burgh has announced the weights for the
Brooklyn and Brighton handicaps. They
are features of the Brooklyn Jockey Club
and the Brighton Beach Racing Association
respectively, which closed Jan. 2.
S. C. Hildred, who is the stable mate
of Fitzherbert, the champion of last year, is at
the top in each handicap. In the Brook-
lyn handicap Fitzherbert is to ride up
12 pounds, which James R. Keene's
Ballot is under 12. Ballot does not ap-
pear in the Brighton, and the second on
the list to Fitzherbert is his stable mate,
King James, who is required to pack 125
pounds. Waldo leads the 3-year-olds in
the Brooklyn handicap, and the second
does not appear in the Brighton handi-
cap. Sweep, James R. Keene's Purity
winner, leads the young horses with 107
as his burden.

JOHN "DOTS" MILLER
A PITTSBURG HOLD-OUT

Pirates' Second-Base Man Not Satisfied
With Contract for \$2,100.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
New York, Feb. 2.—John "Dots" Miller,
the sensational second baseman of the
Pittsburgh Pirates, is a hold-out.
Winter, who is wintering in Kearney,
N. J., says he has a salary argument
known to him as a salary argument.
The Pirates' manager, John McGraw, has
been told that Miller is not satisfied with
the contract for \$2,100, and he has re-
fused to sign it. McGraw is now trying
to get Miller to sign it, but he is not suc-
cessful. Miller wants at least \$3,000, and it
probably will effect a compromise.

PLAN TO STOP SUNDAY
BALL IN NEW JERSEY

They'll Be Holding Mass Meetings for
That Purpose.

[By Associated Press.]
Hackensack, N. J., Feb. 2.—The first
of a series of mass meetings to be held
throughout New Jersey to protest against
the proposed legislation of Sunday base-
ball in the state, will be held at the
Methodist Episcopal Church here on Sat-
urday evening. The meetings will be
under the auspices of the State Pastors
Association.

ASKIN ST. CHURCH
TEAM BEAT MIDGETS

Methodists Pulled Out of Game at
Westminster Rink With 7 to 4
Victory.

A fast, clean game of hockey was
played at the Westminster rink last night
between the pick of the Askin Street
Methodist Hockey League and the Mid-
dletons. The Midgets held them down to
the first half, but their superior
weight told, and the Askins won, 7 to 4.
O'Rourke and McFarlane starred for
the winners. The lineup:
Askins—Wiley, goal; W. Blackwell,
point; B. Childs, cover; L. Kilbourne,
right; Seltzer, left.
Midgets—R. Talbot, goal; C. Tait, point;
H. Beattie, cover; S. Keyes, centre; B.
Orr, cover; E. O'Rourke, right; E. Din-
more, left.
H. Callahan, of Rugby fame, referred
to the satisfaction of the Askins.
The Midgets would like to arrange
games with any local or outside teams.
Average age, B. Address: S. Keyes, cap-
tain, 730 Richmond street, city.

HAL CHASE TO COACH
AT GEORGIA VARSITY

Great First-Sacker Gets Leave of Ab-
sence from Carroll.

[By Associated Press.]
New York, N. Y., Feb. 1.—Hal Chase,
first baseman for the New York Ameri-
cans, will coach the University of Geo-
rgia nine this spring. He announced to-
day that he had secured the consent of
President Frank Farrell, and will leave
for the south in a few days.

BEAUMONT TO CUBS

Former Pirate and Dove, Goes With
Former Champions.

[By Associated Press.]
Chicago, Feb. 1.—A deal was completed
today whereby Clarence Beaumont, for-
merly outfielder of the Pittsburgh team,
later with the Boston Nationals, will
join the Chicago Cubs in the coming sea-
son. Fred Lisse, pitcher and outfielder,
was given to the Boston team, in addi-
tion to a cash consideration.

THREW YANKEE ROGERS

Zbyszko, Polish Champion, "Dumped"
the Buffalo Man Twice.

[By Associated Press.]
Columbus, Ohio, Feb. 1.—Zbyszko, the
Polish champion, tonight threw "Yankee"
Rogers, Buffalo, twice in a wrestling
match. The falls were in 36 1/2 and 21
minutes respectively.

FIVE CHAMPIONS
IN SINGLE SHOW

Jeffries, Ketchell, Nelson, Gotch,
Attell, Roller and Berger,
May Tour World.

FRAZEE'S GREAT PLAN

Promoter of Present Show is Arrang-
ing for a Wonderful Combination.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 1.—James J.
Jeffries, Stanley Ketchell, Battling Nel-
son, Abe Attell, Frank Gotch, Dr. F. B.
Roller and Sam Berger are to tour the
world in company if Jeffries is successful
in his July 4 battle against Jack John-
son for the stake of the heavyweight cham-
pionship.

Harry Frazee, the present promoter of
the Jeffries-Gotch-Roller show, was in
this city yesterday and on occasion for
the first time to outline plans for this
tour of champions.

Seven Principals.
There are seven principals, among whom
will rest five great, for the tour is made
the heavyweight, middleweight, light-
weight and featherweight pugilistic hon-
ors, and heavyweight wrestling title in
addition. Immediately after the Jim
Jeffries battle in July the troupe will be
assembled, and for 60 days it will tour
the United States and Canada, going
thence to Europe and then on to Australia.
From the Antipodes the show will
come back to the Pacific coast, where it
will disband.

Jeff Will Win.
Frazee believes Jeffries a sure thing
winner of the coming fight, and will pro-
ceed with the details of this triumphal
parade of champions as though Jeffries
had already won.

FRANK CHANCE WOULD
WELCOME JOHNNY KLING

Cub Manager Says He Would Be a
Big Help to His Team.

[By Associated Press.]
Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 1.—"I would
be glad to have Johnny Kling back on
the team again if he was in good condi-
tion. He would be a big help to us," said
Manager Chance, of the Cubs. The great
leader of the former world's champs was
guarded in his statements when seen at
his orange ranch near Arcadia, but ad-
mitted that he had heard Kling might
return.

Chance also said that he would start
back for Chicago near February 15, and
February in compliance with a request
from President Murphy that he hurry
back. "We will have several things to
straighten out," said Chance. "The spring
training trip always has to be talked
over, and trades which I have had in
mind since last year will in all probability
be discussed. We are going out after the
National League flag for sure this sea-
son."

HUNDRED CURLERS AT
COLTS' LEAGUE 'SPIEL

London, St. Thomas, Stratford, Drum-
bo, Goderich, Seaford and
Others Entered.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Brantford, Feb. 2.—Over a hundred
curlers will attend the bonspiel of the
Western Ontario Colts' League, which
will open in this city today. The
Sturgeon Harris has received entries from
London, Seaford, Stratford, St. Thomas,
Drumbo, Parkhill, and other clubs are
also expected to send rinks along.

WILL TAKE CONCEIT
OUT OF AD WOLGAST

Nelson Says He Has No Use for His
Boasting.

[By Associated Press.]
Los Angeles, Feb. 1.—"Battling" Nel-
son will attend the bonspiel of the
Western Ontario Colts' League, which
will open in this city today. The
Sturgeon Harris has received entries from
London, Seaford, Stratford, St. Thomas,
Drumbo, Parkhill, and other clubs are
also expected to send rinks along.

JACK JOHNSON IS
INDICTED IN N. Y.

The Heavyweight Champion is in for
Trouble as a Result of Assault
Case.

[By Associated Press.]
New York, Feb. 2.—Jack Johnson, the
heavyweight champion, was yesterday
indicted by the grand jury here for as-
sault in the second degree. The charge
arose against Johnson when he was in-
volved in a fight with a negro in an up-
town hotel recently.

WATERLOO LOST

Galt Team Won Fast Game by 5 to 4
Score Last Night.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Galt, Feb. 2.—Waterloo was beaten by
the local team in a very fast game here
last evening by 5 to 4, half-time score be-
ing 3 to 0 in favor of the winners. The
teams:
Galt—Merco, goal; Charlton, point;
Murphy, cover; Cochrane, rover; Platt,
cover; Doherty, left; Dunsome, right.
Waterloo—Cross, goal; Galt, point;
Price, cover; Malone, rover; Manson,
centre; McDonald, left; Outman, right.
Referee, Waggoner, Toronto.

HOCKEY RESULTS

The following were the hockey re-
sults last night:

Senior O.H.A.
Parkdale 14, Varsity 4.
Intermediate O.H.A.
Newmarket 23, Toronto C. C. 2.
Milton 9, Preston 1.
National Pro.
Wanderers 8, Hailbury 3.
Ontario Pro.
Galt 5, Waterloo 4.
A. S. C. H. A.
Dunnville 5, Waterloo 2.
O. W. H. A.
Ayr 4, Baden 3.
Northern.
Mount Forest 17, Listowel 4.

INGERSOL DEFEATED
LONDON IN GROUP 8

Thistles Won by Default in Group 9—
Results of Play Here Yesterday.

Ingersol defeated the London curlers
in the primaries for the Western Onta-
rio tankard honors at the Thistle Rink
yesterday afternoon, when but two
clubs were represented.
The Thistles won by default in Group 9.
Following were the scores of Group 8:
London. Ingersol.
A. Wanless Geo. Wood
W. Smith S. C. Purdie
F. H. Allen W. C. Elliott
J. Stevenson 7 R. B. Hutt 19
McKay W. J. Peters
J. P. Evans B. Jacob
J. Gillen C. H. Sumner
J. Richardson 14 J. E. Gayer 11
Total 21 Total 30
Ingersol, 9 up.

WANDERER'S DEFEATED
HAILEYBURY BY 8 TO 3

Winners Had Better of Argument
Throughout Contest at Montreal

—Half-Time Score, 3 to 1.

[G. N. W. Service.]
Montreal, Feb. 1.—The Wanderers de-
feated Haileybury tonight in the National
hockey series by a score of 8 to 3. The
Wanderers had the better of the play
throughout. The score at half time was
3 to 1 in their favor. The lineup was:
Wanderers—Herr, goal; Marshall, point;
Johnson, cover; Glass, rover; Russell,
centre; Gardner, Hyland, wings.
Haileybury—Moran, goal; Ross, point;
Bonar, cover; Day, rover; Currie, centre;
Throop, Gaul, wings.

LONDON THISTLES
BEAT WOODSTOCK

Locals Were Up Four at the Finish
of Curling Match.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Woodstock, Feb. 2.—Four rinks of Lon-
don Thistles defeated the local curlers
here last evening by 4 shots. The
scores:
Thistles. Woodstock.
J. Burnett, skip, 14 P. Holmes, skip, 12
W. Fulton, skip, 12 E. Karm, skip, 12
J. Purdon, skip, 15 P. J. Cre, skip, 16
S. D. Swift, skip, 12 A. Gardiner, skip, 9
Total 33 Total 49
London, 4 up.

FOUGHT A DRAW

Carroll, of Toronto, Was Entitled to
Decision at Hamilton, However.

Hamilton, Feb. 1.—Three boxing
bouts, the principal of which was a
ten-round affair between Frank Carroll,
of Toronto, and Jimmy Brennan, of
Philadelphia, were held tonight.
The big affair was declared a draw,
though Carroll was entitled to a deci-
sion on his showing. It was agreed
that there should be no hitting in the
clinches, and Brennan was not accus-
tomed to infighting and could not con-
tinue to the rules for which reason
Referee William Carroll declared the
bout a draw. Preliminary to this,
Hunt and Britten battled four rounds
to a draw. Nott, of Brantford, and
Artie Fair, a local boy, also went four
rounds.

BEAUTIES TO PLAY

Advertiser Hockey Team Will Go After
Helena Septette.

The Advertiser \$10,000 Beauties will play
the Helena Costume Company on Satur-
day, from 5 to 6 o'clock, at the Princess
rink.
[G. N. W. Service.]
Newmarket, Feb. 1.—In the intermediate
O. H. A. game played here tonight, Tor-
onto Canoe Club lost to Newmarket, 23
to 2. This leaves Newmarket and St. Paul
a tie for the district, which will be fought
out at Barrie on Friday evening.

GALT RINK GOING.

Galt, Feb. 1.—A. R. Goldie, president of
the Ontario Curling Association, and one
of Galt's prominent curlers, will take
a rink to the Winnipeg bonspiel,
leaving here on Saturday night. The
rink is one of the strongest in the C. I.
is made up of the following: Lead, E.
Hawke; second, W. V. McDougall; third,
W. Veitch; skip, A. R. Goldie.

A BASKETBALL CHALLENGE.

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ing got together at the C. I. and I. I.
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LONDON BOWLERS
BEAT PORT HURON

Nationals Revenged in Return
Match on Own Alleys

Last Night.

CULHAM EQUALS RECORD

By Rolling 276 in First Game of Team
Match—Locals Also Won in
Doubles.

The Nationals defeated the Port Huron
crowd last evening before a large
first class evening, and incidentally put
back the automobile people at city records. Bill
Culham rolling 276 in his first game and
finishing with a total of 637.
He had eight straight strikes and a line
score of 100 in the first game. The
visitors were 47 up on the round by 106
pins. The locals on top on the round by 106
pins.

London Won Doubles.
Culham and West also won in the
doubles. The Port Huron pair were 28 up
on the first, but went down on the total.
The score of 276 by Culham in the team
work equals the city record.

Last night's scores were as follows:
Five-Men Team.
Port Huron—
Smith 178 189 226 271
Murray 178 189 226 271
Sietman 178 189 226 271
Proctor 178 189 226 271
Currie 178 189 226 271
Totals 815 815 815 815
London—
Ayars 178 189 226 271
Murray 178 189 226 271
Culham 178 189 226 271
West 178 189 226 271
Totals 815 815 815 815

Singles.
Sietman 178 189 226 271
Murray 178 189 226 271
Currie 178 189 226 271
Smith 178 189 226 271
Totals 815 815 815 815

Doubles.
Sietman 178 189 226 271
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JACK GLEASON WANTS
THE FIGHT FOR FRISCO

Held a Conference With Jeffries and
Berger, and Left for Nevada to
Meet Rickard.

[By Associated Press.]
Seattle, Feb. 1.—Jack Gleason,
who arrived from San Francisco last
night to confer with Sam Berger and
James J. Jeffries with reference to the
place of holding the Jeffries-Johnson
fight, announced after a short conference
that he would leave at once for Nevada
to confer with "Tex" Rickard, his part-
ner in the enterprise, in an effort to in-
duce him to hold the fight in San Fran-
cisco.

Berger and Jeffries declined to take
any part in the controversy, leaving the
matter entirely in the hands of the pro-
moters. Jeffries and his party left for
the coast last night.

MOTOR CAR GOSSIP

Plans have been completed by the Mas-
sachusetts highway commissioners where-
by the work of registering automobiles
and issuing licenses to chauffeurs for 1910
will be facilitated considerably.
A good tool kit is especially valuable
in winter touring, when roads are hard
and winds are chill. In addition to the
regular outfit it is advisable to have
twine, tape, copper wire, spare springs
for valves, rubber bands, hand saw, me-
dium Stilson wrench, small bow, torch,
soldering iron and solder, brace and
several drills. These are waste and a
pair of gloves for working.

An effective way to cover up grease
spots or small oil stains that are used
in such parts as steering knuckles and
connections, spring shackles and rear
axles, the best way is to keep free
from the dirt and mud, is to procure a
number of hollow rubber balls of just
size, and to enclose the holes so that
they may be forced over the cups and
get a tight grip on the bottom of the
cups. The balls will make absolutely
tight coverings for the cups, and if
they are painted the color of the car they
do not by any means detract from its
appearance.

Cooling fans, the blades of which are
riveted to a metal base, should be exam-
ined occasionally to see that they are
securely fastened. The high speed at
which they revolve makes it dangerous to
work on them, and in time making a
hurried exit through the radiator or bon-
net, with accompanying disastrous ef-
fects.

After a car has been in use some time,
especially if the body is rather weak,
the wood unseasoned or the frame un-
duly sprung, the doors will rattle. Al-
though the actual play is very small it
makes a most annoying noise. All that
is necessary to stop a rattling door is to
get a thin brass plate or a thin piece of
fibre or leather, and fix it on to the door-
post. It is obviously a makeshift, but
there is no other easily applied remedy,
as nothing but entirely refitting the doors
would stop the looseness.

A number of Chicago motorists have or-
ganized the Auto Drivers' Protective As-
sociation with the avowed purpose of
making "war on reckless drivers, rich or
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has more than 115 charter members.

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LONDON AND DISTRICT

Coming to London.
Chatham Planet: A number of the
officers of the Twenty-fourth Regiment
will leave for London Saturday night,
where they will take a week's course
in military work at the barracks.

Inquest on Monday.
The inquest into the cause of the
death of Marine Jensen will be held
at the police station on Monday even-
ing instead of on Saturday, as was
first arranged, in order that Crown
Attorney McKillop may be present.

Class in London Poultry.
Hamilton & Scoville's Black Orping-
tons at the Buffalo poultry show last
week made a good showing, winning
first, second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth,
seventh, eighth, ninth, tenth, eleventh,
silver cup, and the Buffalo special,
\$5 in gold. They had only five
entries.

Late Charles Taylor.
The funeral of ex-Ald. Charles Tay-
lor will be held on Thursday after-
noon from the residence of his son,
Thomas Taylor, 604 Colborne street, to
Woodland Cemetery, and will be of a
private nature. Mr. Taylor was a
life member of Union Lodge, No. 389,
of the Masonic Order, and also a life
member of St. John's Royal Arch
Chapter. He was a member of the In-
dependent Order of Foresters, the
Royal Arcanum, and a past district
representative in the Royal Black Knights
of Ireland of the Orangemen.

Death of Mrs. McDougall.
The death occurred in Toronto re-
cently of Mrs. Horace McDougall for
many years a resident of this city.
Mrs. McDougall was a daughter of the
late Charles Jones, and was 63 years
old. Shortly after her marriage she
went to Winnipeg to live, and remain-
ed there more than twenty years. Then
she returned to London, and only left
here about ten years ago for Toronto,
where she was survived by one son and one
daughter, three sisters, Mrs. P. A. Fitz-
gerald, of this city, Mrs. P. F. Peters,
of Winnipeg; Miss Charlotte Jones, of
this city, and one brother, city en-
gineer, Bunting-Ferguson.

A very pretty wedding was celebrat-
ed at St. George's Church yesterday
noon when Miss Myrtle May Fergu-
son, the eldest daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. R. T. Ferguson, of 631 Tal-
bot street, was united in marriage to
Mr. Edward Bunting, of Yellow Grass,
Sask. Rev. George R. Beamish, an
uncle of the bride, and Rev. Dr. Sage,
performed the ceremony. The bride
was very handsomely gowned in ivory
white satin, with hat to match, while
her sister, Miss Hazel Ferguson, who
acted as bridesmaid, wore a dress of
pale blue charmeuse and carried pale
pink carnations. The groom was as-
sisted by his brother, Mr. A. E. Bunt-
ing. The groom's gift to the bride-
maid was a handsome pearl pendant,
and to the groomsmen gold cuff link-
set with diamonds. The wedding din-
ner was served at the home of the
bride's parents and Mr. and Mrs.
Bunting left on the 5:40 C. P. train
for the west.

MONEY IN APPLES

**Annual Meeting of Ilderton Apple-
Shipping Association.**
The annual meeting of the Ilderton
Apple-Shipping Association was held
in the I. O. F. Hall, Ilderton, on Fri-
day afternoon, and a lively interest
was shown by the 25 members who
were present. It was shown that some
\$5,000 had been received for the past
season's output of about 3,000 barrels,
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versary banquet of the Prudential
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seh House last evening. About
forty agents with their wives and
friends attended, and a most pleasant
time was spent.

The very excellent dinner had
been disposed of by a musical pro-
gramme introduced by Mr. Geo. H. Davis,
the local superintendent, who acted
several songs in excellent style, and
was compelled to respond to many en-
cores. Mr. Chris. Pink, the tenor,
made himself very popular with his
excellent singing of songs, such as
"Nora." Mr. C. L. Mountjoy sang
"Nora." Both made excellent im-
pressions. The piano accompaniment
was given by Miss Edith McBride, who
rendered many well-played selections.
Miss Nash recited in clever fashion.

The Toast List.
After the programme had been dis-
posed of a toast list was introduced.
When the King's health was
drunk, Mr. Eichbauer and Mr. F. N.
River, of the head office, Newark,
N. J., responded to the toast to
"The Company," expressing the
remarkable progress the company was
making in Canada and the United
States, and predicted that this growth
would be permanent.

The toast to "The Agents," brought
a response from Mr. A. H. Davis,
assistant superintendent of St. Thomas,
who spoke of the fine work being
done by the company's employees in
Western Ontario. The success of the
Prudential was largely due to the en-
thusiasm of the agents in this section.
Mr. Newton St. Thomas responded
for "The Assistants," making a
happy speech.

"The Doctors."
Dr. A. V. Becher, Dr. Guest (St.
Thomas), and Dr. E. J. Simpson, replied
on behalf of "The Doctors," express-
ing the pleasure they enjoyed in being
associated with a company such as the
Prudential.

The toast to "The Ladies" in capital style, while
Mr. Chas. L. Boyd, of Hamilton, replied
on behalf of "The Ladies," Mr. P. B.
Bullard, of St. Thomas, made the
toast to "Canada," and in an excellent
speech pointed out the glories of this
country.

Those Present.
The employees of the company pres-
ent were: Geo. H. Davis, superintend-
ent; W. C. Wood, H. E. Parsons, J. H.
P. Wood, A. Rouse, J. E. Riordan, F.
C. Pope, E. J. Avery, R. J. Newton,
assistant superintendents; W. H. Ford,
C. L. Mountjoy, E. J. Griffith, F. Fran-
cis, F. E. Coldham, C. A. Ostrander, A.
F. Mantle, W. A. Snowden, G. F.
Welch, W. G. McAlpin, J. N. Kipp, R.
J. A. O'Neill, W. H. McNeice, A. H.
Davis, A. L. George, W. J. Wilson, P.
T. Goddard, T. S. Priestman, E. P. Ball,
F. E. Rich, H. E. Straith, C. S. Frank-
land, B. F. Lawrence, J. J. Wilson,
agents; Miss Wilson, stenographer,
and Mrs. Murphy, cashier.

Other Guests.
Among the other guests were: Mrs.
A. Rouse, Mrs. J. N. Kipp, Edith Nash,
Blackwell Lawrence, Mrs. Sadie Mc-
Gregor, Mrs. A. Mountjoy, Miss Ada
Parsons, W. A. Snowden, Wm. V.
Collins, Mrs. E. J. Wood, Mrs. H. P.
Wood, T. A. Rich, Mrs. A. S. Hall, C.
A. Mantle, Mrs. H. E. Straith, Mrs. A.
B. Westervelt, Mrs. A. L. George, Mrs.
E. J. Avery, Mrs. F. E. Coldham, Mrs.
H. Davis (St. Thomas), Miss A.
Taylor (St. Thomas), Mrs. A. B. Mc-
Calpin, Mrs. R. J. O'Neill, Mrs. W. H.
Ford, Mrs. P. N. Everett (Newark, N.J.),
F. E. Bullard, superintendent (Strat-
ford), Mrs. Geo. H. Davis, Chas. L.
Boyd (Hamilton), Mrs. Marie Murphy,
(Erie, Pa.), Dr. Becher, Miss Florence
Bucke, Miss Louise Meehan, Miss
Laura Swayzie, and others.

Great Britain consumes 47,000,000
cwt. of meat a year, or 120 pounds per
head of the population. Of this 54 per
cent is produced at home.

BOARD CONSIDERS RAISE IN THE COLLEGIATE FEES

**Motion Passed to Have No. 1
Committee Inquire Into
the Matter.**

The first movement towards raising
the fees and making the Collegiate
self-sustaining was made on the board
of education yesterday afternoon.

A motion introduced by Trustee
Weekes was passed, instructing No. 1
committee to inquire as to the fea-
sibility of raising the fees, and if
it was considered advisable to arrange
a schedule and report back to the
board.

"There is a growing impression that
the fees of the Collegiate should be
raised," said Trustee Weekes. "We
should make a thorough inquiry into
this, and if feasible the committee
should arrange a schedule."

Trustee Graham seconded the mo-
tion, and it carried without dissent.

FIFTH BOOKS MAY BE ESTABLISHED IN SCHOOLS

**A Scheme to Relieve the Con-
gestion at the Collegiate.**

The advisability of organizing a fifth
book in three centres in the city to
relieve the congestion at the Collegiate
will be investigated by No. 1 commit-
tee of the board of education.

The matter was brought up by
Trustee Graham at the meeting of the
board yesterday afternoon.

"I think this question should be re-
ferred to No. 1 committee to investi-
gate and report," said Mr. Graham.
"The Collegiate is overcrowded. We
are up against the problem of furn-
ishing more room. In conversation
with High School Inspector Spotton,
we discussed whether or not fifth
forms could be established to take care
of the students who will take but one
year in the Collegiate, and give them
special training along the lines most
adapted to their needs. Mr. Spotton
thought it would be a good idea, and
stated that three centres would be suf-

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