

Births, Marriages.

MARRIED.
TYLER-McINTOSH—On Wednesday, April 3, 1901, in St. Andrew's Church, by the Rev. Robert Johnston, Alfred Tyler to Miss Alice C., daughter of the late Alexander McIntosh.

DIED.
O'NEIL—In this city, on Thursday, April 4, 1901, Josephine O'Neil, aged 24 years, youngest daughter of the late Hugh and Catherine O'Neil, late of St. Thomas.

Funeral from her aunt's residence, Mrs. Ellen Kinsella, 506 Adelaide street, to St. Peter's Cathedral, at 2:30 Saturday morning; mass at 10 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation.

CROSBY—On April 4, 1901, Wm. Crosby, in his 81st year.

Funeral will leave the late residence, 302 South street, on Sunday, April 7, 1901, at 2:30 p.m.; service at 2 p.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

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THE "PIGMY'S VISION"—PRETTY Easter Cantata, by Sunday School of Chalmers' Presbyterian Church, Waterloo street south, Good Friday evening. Admission, 10 cents.

PRINCESS ICE PALACE—SEASON closed. Box holders can remove skates Friday and Saturday nights.

IRISH BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.
Lecture and concert, Auditorium, Monday, April 8. Plan opens at 8 p.m. Phillips, 139 Dundas street, Thursday, April 4.

"GLIMPSES OF IRELAND," LECTURE and views by the Rev. George Gilmore, Auditorium, April 8.

IRISH MUSIC, SONGS AND VIEWS.
Auditorium, April 8.

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Auditorium, April 8.

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MEETINGS.

MACCABEES—LONDON TENT, 17, will meet this (Friday) evening, at 8 o'clock, Knights of Pythias Hall, Dundas street.

MASONIC—A REGULAR MEETING of St. John's Lodge, 308, John P. Egan and A. M. G. R. C. will be held this (Friday) evening, April 5, at 7:30. General business and degrees. Visitors welcome. C. G. Morrow, W.M.; F. Rowat, P.M. secretary.

Liquor License Act.

NOTICE is hereby given that the License Commission of the City of London will meet in their room, 1000 Block, Market Lane, on April 22, at 2 p.m., to consider applications for the sale of liquor in the district for the year 1901-1902, commencing on May 1 next. Number of licenses issued the current year were 28 tavern and 2 beer and wine. Number of applications for ensuing year 20 tavern and 3 beer and wine. The new applicants are J. H. Ross, city of London, for the district for the year 1901-1902, commencing on May 1 next. Number of licenses issued the current year were 28 tavern and 2 beer and wine. Number of applications for ensuing year 20 tavern and 3 beer and wine. The new applicants are J. H. Ross, city of London, for the district for the year 1901-1902, commencing on May 1 next. Number of licenses issued the current year were 28 tavern and 2 beer and wine. Number of applications for ensuing year 20 tavern and 3 beer and wine. The new applicants are J. H. Ross, city of London, for the district for the year 1901-1902, commencing on May 1 next.

FOUNDERS OF CONFEDERATION.

Ottawa, Ont., April 4.—Judge Taschereau has issued invitations to a dinner on Wednesday, April 17, to meet the surviving members of the Provincial Parliament of 1865, who voted for confederation. These are: Sir Henri Joly, Sir Richard Cartwright, Hon. Wm. McDougall, Sir W. P. Howland, Sir Hector Langevin, Hon. J. C. Aikens, Sir John Carling, Hon. G. W. Allan, Hon. J. B. Ross, Hon. J. F. O'Rourke, Hon. A. Vidai, Hon. C. E. B. DeBoucherville, Judge Taschereau, Hon. Joseph X. Perraault, Hon. Ed. Judge Caron, Hon. James O'Halloran, Remillard, Hon. J. D. Brousseau, Hon. P. G. Huot.

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A SERIOUS CASE!

An Entire Family in London Township Prostrated With the Smallpox.

Arva, Ont., April 4.—A distressing sight was presented at the window when Dr. McNeill, medical health officer for London township called at David C. McRobert's house, on con. 16, this morning. Cecil McRoberts, with his face covered with the confluent variety of smallpox, came to the window and said he had chicken pox, and not to be afraid. The whole family of five are down with smallpox, and the oldest girl is in Clinton suffering with the same disease. The doctor called at the school and ascertained that the McRoberts children had been absent since the 19th of February. It appears that one of the boys while going with the hay presser contracted the disease, and since then one by one has been ill with what was supposed to be chicken pox. The health officer was all day vaccinating and quarantining neighbors and those who had been exposed. The young man who had recovered has been all over, even to Granton, to get shaved, so that it is difficult to say where it will end.

A BULLET FOR CZAR NICHOLAS

Attempt Made to Assassinate the Russian Emperor in His Study.

The Shot Fired by an Officer of the Guard—Death of a Well-Known Editor—Serious Illness of the French Premier.

papers at the Cape. He then started printing works and bought "Youth," a paper now defunct. He established the Financial Times and Draper's Journal, and traveled in all parts of the world, except China and Japan, studying finances, customs, commerce and industries, especially mining.

GREEKS AND TURKS CLASH.
London, April 4.—The Morning Leader publishes the following dispatch from Vienna: At Smyrna, on the strength of rumors that the Jews had murdered a Greek lad for ritual purposes, 10,000 infuriated Greeks stormed the ghetto. The Turkish troops charged the mob with bayonets, one being killed and fourteen others wounded.

ILLNESS OF THE FRENCH PREMIER.
Paris, April 4.—M. Waldeck-Rousseau (the premier) passed a very bad night. His physicians today found phlegmon (inflammation with suppurative tendency), beneath the tongue, and decided that an immediate operation was necessary. This was accomplished under chloroform. At noon the patient had improved and was free from fever.

AN EDITOR DEAD.
London, April 4.—Douglas Gordon Macrae, editor of the Financial Times, died yesterday in Switzerland. He was born in 1861. Mr. Macrae began as a printer's apprentice. His first contributions were to Cricket, and then he wrote weekly letters from London to

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DAIRY SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS

In Connection With the Ontario
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Good Percentage Passed of Those
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Work in Bacteriology and
Chemistry.

The final examinations of the Dairy School at the Ontario Agricultural College were held on March 21 and 22. Forty-one wrote on the final examinations; 32 of these took the factory course, and nine the farm dairy course examinations. Over 70 per cent of those who wrote for the factory certificates have had experience in factories. Ten of the class were back for a second term. Owing to the high standard which is required for passing, not so high a percentage of students who attend the course write on the final examination as there would be if a lower standard were adopted. The standard is very much higher than that of any of the American colleges, as students who go from the Dairy School at Guelph find that they can pass the examinations without any difficulty at all after a course in an American school; and usually the students of the Guelph school take a very high rank or stand at the head of their classes. The management of the Central Dairy School, however, think that it is best not to allow men or women who have not the necessary qualifications to obtain certificates from the school. Thus, the standard is placed much higher than it would be if the school were to accept students who are likely to do no more than take into serious account when granting certificates.

In addition to the regular work, as commonly given in dairy schools in the manufacture of cheese and butter, testing milk, etc., a distinct advance was made with the classes, having been started in laboratory work in chemistry and bacteriology.

In chemistry, members of the classes separated the different constituents of milk, and obtained a knowledge of the composition of milk such as cannot be obtained from lectures which may be given on the subject. They also tested the purity and solubility of salt. They made tests to distinguish milk fat from other fats, and common fats. They determined the moisture in cheese and butter. In cheese they found that with a larger amount of rennet than was usually used, there was less moisture than when the normal amount was used. This is contrary to the opinion of practical men on this question, who have always held that an increased quantity of rennet added to the milk increases the moisture in the cheese. In explanation of this difference of opinion and results, it was found that the solubility of the curd compounds was considerably increased by using a larger amount of rennet in the manufacture of cheese. The acidity of cheese made from washed and unwashed curds was also determined. The results showed that, along with the students of the dairy classes, and it was found in the few tests which were made that there was very little difference in the amount of acid in the cheese, what difference there was indicating a less amount in the cheese made from washed curds.

These were the results of the work which was done by the dairy classes under the guidance of Mr. Harcourt, the assistant in the laboratory.

In the bacteriological laboratory, under the direction of Professor Harrison, cultures were made and used in the manufacture of butter and cheese, and the class had some valuable object lessons showing that the flavor of cheese and butter can be entirely changed by the use of a culture or starter. It also demonstrated to them the importance of using nothing but the very best of culture or starter when making cheese or butter. They also went to the stables and got samples of milk from cows where the udders were not brushed and samples of milk into which hair had fallen; and they found that the number of germs was very large indeed. They also found that a much larger amount of germs than the milk from later portions of the milking. The effect of pasteurization was shown, when it was determined that over 90 per cent of the germs in the milk were killed by pasteurizing.

It is hoped that these two factors of dairy school instruction will be perfected before the session of 1902, as the very latest advances in the use of chemical and bacteriological laboratories are bound to assist the practical butter and cheese maker. The Dairy School can give them this training, which cannot be obtained in the factory, or in any other dairy school at present.

It is hoped that the school has been most successful during the term. It has developed speaking and business ability, and the students have been benefited in giving culture and refinement to the members of the classes. Many girls on the farms could take the dairy course with profit, and in the direction of Miss Rose, who is an inspiration to her students.

On the whole, the term has been a very

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STRATHROY.

[J. D. Meekison, Advertiser Agent.]
Strathroy, April 4.—A number of our citizens have entered into an agreement with the town to buy the flats of the Brewing and Malting Company for park purposes. The park committee will start at once to have the grounds put into shape for use this summer.

A special children's service will be conducted in St. Andrew's Church next Sabbath morning. "The Power of God" will be illustrated by some electrical experiments.

The death took place in Caradoc on Sunday, March 31, of Louisa Brooks, wife of Hugh Brooks, aged 56 years.

Mr. John A. Auld, of the Amherstburg Echo, M. L. A., in South Essex, visited his mother here Sunday.

Col. Fisher, deputy postoffice inspector, London, was in town this week.

Mr. F. W. Orr is taking a two months' office course at the London Military School.

The annual spring fair of the East Middlesex Agricultural Society will be held in Strathroy on Thursday, April 25.

A meeting of the Union Board of the West Middlesex Agricultural Society will be held in the Firemen's Hall on Saturday afternoon next, at 2 o'clock, for general business.

"Palm Sunday" will be presented at the Lyceum on Saturday evening, April 6.

Mr. Herbert Rapley has purchased the property on Oxford street belonging to Mrs. Munroe, of Exeter, and occupied by Mrs. Brindley. Mr. Rapley intends to erect a fine brick residence this summer.

Mr. R. E. Hulett, of Grand Island, Neb., who is on his way to the Pan-American, to take charge of the agricultural exhibit there, dropped off at Strathroy to spend a few days with Mr. H. Nettleton. Miss Van Camp, of the same place is also a guest of Mr. Nettleton's.

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Results of Settlement Between G. T.
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DETROIT STREET RAILWAY MEN
Detroit, April 4.—The executive board of the Street Car Employees' Association today putting the finishing touches on the proposed new agreement with the company. The men will be more strenuous this year than last for a raise in wages. W. D. Mahon, international secretary of the Street Railway Employees' Association, smiles at the announcement that the street car company of Buffalo has "voluntarily" raised wages 1 to 2 cents an hour as announced in the daily papers. The men were getting 15, 17 and 18 cents an hour, according to the length of time they had been in the service of the company, and the hours were from 11 to 14 a day. All winter long they have been strengthening their organization, and this spring issued a circular demanding 25 cents an hour, with 9 hours' work inside of 10½ hours. "This 'voluntary raise,' said Mahon, 'is simply to prevent the men insisting on the 25 cents. The Pan-American exposition will soon be in full swing, and the men will be worked as never before. Twenty-five cents an hour is not an exorbitant price for the work that will be required of the motormen and conductors in Buffalo during the next six months.'

THE G. T. R. SETTLEMENT.

Montreal, April 4.—The settlement of the differences of the Grand Trunk Railway engineers and firemen involves the reinstatement of several employees whom the brotherhood considered were wrongfully dismissed. Regarding the number of hours the men are obliged to remain on their engines between this city and Island Pond, and between Island Pond and Portland, it is stated that the company's officials

are willing to shorten the hours by engaging two gangs of men for each engine. This arrangement, however, is contingent upon the company being able to make the change pay. All of the other differences were settled to the entire satisfaction of the men.

STREET RAILWAYMEN'S UNION.

Buffalo, April 4.—A circular addressed to the street railway employees of the Buffalo, Lockport, Niagara Falls and Lancaster lines, announces that many of the men had organized a division of the Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employees of America, and that a number of requests would be made on the Buffalo Railway Company. These include a 10½-hour day.

LATE COMERS LOCKED OUT.

Hazleton, Pa., April 4.—The 600 men employed at the Onondaga Community (Coke Bros. & Co.) have been locked out. When the men went to the mines in the morning they were sent home again. The company wants the miners to report earlier for work, but the men refuse to do so. No move has been made for a settlement.

INDIANS ON STRIKE.

Buffalo, April 4.—The Indians employed at the Pan-American grounds on the construction of the bark house, which will be used as the house for the Six Nations during the exposition, went out on a strike. They caught fever from their white brethren and struck without a grievance. They did not know what to demand, but just struck. This is the first Indian labor difficulty on record. When Capt. R. F. Lawton, who has charge of the work, arrived at the grounds, nothing was being done on the bark house. The Indians were all abed, and Peters, a Tuscarora from the Tonawanda reservation, informed Capt. Lawton that a strike had been declared.

"What do you want?" asked the captain.

"Nothing just struck," replied Peters.

There are nine Indians at the grounds. Red Cloud, Old Jake and another, three red men from Canada, offered to return to work. The other six, who come from the Tonawanda reservation, will be shipped back there, and others will be brought in their place. The Indians were getting \$1 a day and their board.

LABOR NOTES.

The striking stamenmen of Newmarket, England, after a ballot, have decided to accept the "trainers' terms, and are returning to work.

Employees of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company's elevated railway system, who have been in the service more than three years, yesterday received an increase of 15 per cent, making their pay \$2.58 a day. Three-year men will get 10 per cent and two-year men 5 per cent.

MEN FOR PRESBYTERIAN MINISTRY WANTED.

Montreal, Que., April 4.—After conferring degrees at the Presbyterian College convocation last evening, Rev. Principal McVicar said, among other things: "I think it proper to direct attention to the inadequate number of men now in training for the ministry. Dr. Robinson, superintendent of missions in the Northwest, who has recently returned from Great Britain, reports in a printed circular sent me that in the theological colleges there the attendance has fallen off greatly, some of the classes being the veriest skeletons. This is not our experience in Canada, but it is possible that we may be on the eve of a similar state of things, unless the spiritual life of the church is decidedly awakened."

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Most Important Bill Ever Presented to the Ontario Legislature.

The Hon. Mr. Ross has the virtue of vigor. He has courage, that "quality that eagle plumes men's souls." He has presented the bill relating to "The Manitoulin and North Shore Railway" to the Legislature. It is the most important bill ever presented to that body for its consideration.

Richelieu says:

"Fail, Fail!"
In the lexicon of youth, which fate reserves for a bright manhood, there is no such word as "Fail!"

It is evidently in that spirit he has approached the question. Canada, the Province of Ontario, and particularly "New Ontario," is in its youth and the quotation is as applicable to a young nation as to a young man. Use the right means and use them vigorously and the future of Ontario will be a glorious one. Millions of happy homes will yet be where now the country is unexplored.

The length of the railway is 255 miles, or nearly the distance from Detroit to Chicago, and between 60 and 70 miles further than from Niagara Falls to Detroit. The country through which it runs is new and until opened up the lands are of little value. The resources of the country are unavailably, but once opened up they can be ascertained and their wealth used for the people's good.

One point made is the part of the country to be opened up pays in land, not in cash, for the opening up. The Province agrees to give 2,542,000 acres of land, but reserves to itself the red and white pine. This is almost certain to prove a magnificent bargain for the Province. All the balance of the land affected by the road will be affected beneficially, and what is now of little value and unaccessible will become of much value and use. It places no burden on the back of the people. It opens up without risk or cost in money to the people an immense and rich country, the benefits of which they can take without having risked in cash one dollar.

Another point made is that the Province holds the right to fix the rates, both passenger and freight. It will be acknowledged that this is a valuable and prudent provision, one that will prevent monopoly in fact, or its evils. It will not need to be said that the railway owns the country by reason of their excessive rates. The Province holds the power, and a just complaint can always be remedied.

Another point conceded is that the Canadian Pacific or Grand Trunk or any other railway company can acquire on fair terms running powers over the road. The value of this will be readily seen and admitted in London, where we are striving even for inter-switching privileges between the great roads, and where the city's road, the L. and P. S. R., is the best check against excessive freight.

Another point agreed on reserves to the Province the right to acquire the railway within fifteen years on certain conditions. The Province would have to pay the cost of construction and other outlays, as varied by the cost of the operation of the road, less the earnings, then add 6 per cent; the Provincial subsidy to be valued at 50 cents an acre, and 50 per cent of any Dominion subsidy granted also to be deducted.

That in this bill the Hon. Mr. Ross has "struck out" there can be no doubt. He is leading, not following. On the whole, the risk, as has been pointed out, is nothing; the benefits may be enormous. It is like calling into existence a new province. It is full of hope. It enables one to see into the future. It is in keeping with the feeling of the people, and is what we would expect from a man of Mr. Ross's vigorous mind. Let us hope, and we have every reason to hope, that the Manitoulin and North Shore Railway will be an accomplished fact, and that soon through that now almost unknown country will

"Flow in strengthening tides,
Trade the calm health of nations."

Let us not forget that in the Premier and his associates we have a competent government, one that has made a judicious bargain for the present and safeguarded for the future the rights and interests, not alone of the people now in Old Ontario but of the people who will inhabit New Ontario, and the conditions of whose life and prosperity there may much depend on the wisdom of the bargain now made and on the conditions of the charter now granted.

The bill is the most important one ever presented to the Ontario Legislature, and is fraught with much good to the whole people.

The well-known Hungarian electrician Zernowski is experimenting with an electric line installed after his plans by the Budapest Ganz Company, on which he intends to attain an average speed of 175 miles an hour.

Dokkhobors, Highlanders and Germans—Unwarranted Attack on a Minister.

The Kingston News, in referring to a recent debate in the Senate on the Dokkhobor population of the Northwest, made a most unfair and unwarranted attack on the Minister of Justice. Because Hon. Mr. Mills, after a personal visit to the districts in which the Dokkhobor population reside, and after investigating their record as settlers in this country, had a good word to say for these hardy agriculturists, the News asserts that he slandered the Germans and Highlanders.

Only a partisan of the bitter type, who was determined to misrepresent the government leader in the Senate, and who hoped to influence against him those who did not know his character for fairness, would have attempted to manufacture a grievance for the Germans and Highlanders out of the speech of the honorable gentleman. Hon. Mr. Mills, referring to the assimilating qualities of the white races, said:

"I am myself of the opinion, notwithstanding the views put forward by Mr. Darwin and those who sympathize with him, that, after all, the human races are of one blood, and that there are merely physical causes for the differences which exist amongst us, and if you bring people from the continent of Europe, from the Republic of the United States and from the British Islands, and from the Provinces of this Dominion, and place them in the Northwest Territories, endued in industrial pursuits under the same influences, reading the same literature, having their thoughts turned in the same channels, that in the course of a generation or two you will not be able to distinguish between them."

The Minister of Justice did not represent any race as an inferior race. He simply pointed out the fact that, so far as this country was concerned, they would all alike, at an early period, become Canadians. He continued:

"The man who spoke Gaelic when he came here, and could speak no other language, the one who spoke German when he came here, and could speak no other language, would soon be succeeded by families that would speak the common language of the country, and we will be scarcely able to distinguish the descendants of the Highlander and the descendants of the German."

And this is the "direct and presumably studied insult" to the German and Highlander races that our Kingston contemporary calls upon them to go into hysterical wrath over! Who can fairly allege that there is one word of reflection cast upon either Highlander or Germans in the statement made? All that the Minister was pointing out was the impropriety of objecting to immigration merely because some people who settled here did not speak the English language when they came, when past history had proved that their descendants would, in a remarkably short time, speak the English language, and become indistinguishable from those of English origin. The Kingston News owes the Minister of Justice an apology for misrepresenting him, and for attempting to make political capital by the circulation of an untrue and unwarranted deductions from it.

It is open, of course, for the Opposition newspapers to object to any or every class of immigrants that are brought to the country, but they have no right to build up race antipathies against any statesman, or indeed any representative of the people, by misrepresenting his public contentions. Even in criticising the Dokkhobor population, the News goes out of its way to make everything appear in the worst possible light—to characterize its editorial declarations by no stronger term. It says, "since their arrival nothing has seemed to suit them." Their martial (marital?) relations are Mormonistic, and their personal habits uncleanly. Taken altogether they have not one redeeming feature."

The facts, as witnessed to by the Minister of Justice, by Lally Barnard, the distinguished newspaper correspondent, and by Dr. J. T. Reid, a graduate of McGill College, who has been practicing his profession in the region where these new settlers are toiling, do not bear out our contemporary's allegations. The Dokkhobors are probably about as contented a class of settlers as ever took up land in Canada. They are not Mormonistic—that is polygamists—but on the contrary are of the same sect as the English Society of Friends, which gave to the Empire the sterling statesman, John Bright, and they have had the sympathy and aid of that organization both before and since their coming here, though they are getting along so well that they are not likely long to need assistance of any kind from any one. It is simply an insult to say that the Dokkhobors are uncleanly and without a redeeming feature. Again, we do not rely on prejudiced authority, but quote from Dr. Reid, who has been the medical commissioner of the Presbyterian Church of Canada among these people for the past eighteen months. Dr. Reid says:

"As a people the Dokkhobors are happy and contented in their Canadian home. During the two seasons they have been in this country they have made commendable progress in the cultivation of the land. All of those who were induced to go to California have returned, and are now satisfied that on the prairies of our western provinces there are more promising prospects for them than in the United States. During the season of 1899 the women and children of the Thunder Hills Colony, which comprises 1,500 Dokkhobors, made \$2,025 by picking senega root, while the men made, during the same season, \$30,670 on railroad construction work. The Dokkhobors live in villages and work the land about them, while the Anglicans live on their farms like Anglo-

Saxon farmers. Both are following the system of mixed farming as much as possible, and are thus teaching some Canadian settlers, who are land poor, or wheat poor, a valuable lesson. Many have gone from Eastern Canada to Manitoba and depended solely upon wheat growing, or land speculation, for their profit. When these fail they are ruined. The Dokkhobors are gradually going into stock raising and their success is rendered surer on this account. They find oxen less suited for draught purposes as yet.

"The Dokkhobors are devoutly religious and carry their religion into their everyday life, and their moral tone is high. The fundamental principle of their religion is love—love for their neighbor as well as God. The Dokkhobor looks upon business competition and strife, as well as all war, as being anti-Christian. If we do not love our neighbors they consider we are not Christians. They say Jesus taught his followers to love their enemies—not to kill them. The Dokkhobor lives and works, not for himself, but for his neighbor—for the community, and he gives over all his earnings to the common treasury of the village in which he lives. Among the Dokkhobors of Manitoba are a number of women whose husbands are in exile in Siberia. These, together with their children, are supported out of the common fund. This is not done grudgingly, but freely as a Christian duty."

And later on he says: "Cleanliness is a conspicuous part of their religion. With them it is not 'next to godliness' but a vital part of it. Godliness with them means Godliness. There is a public bath in every village, and every Saturday at least, a bath 'whether they need it or not.' The men perform their ablutions in the morning and the women in the afternoon. Their houses and clothing are likewise kept scrupulously clean."

A people of whom these remarks can truthfully be made are surely not the filthy crowd, "without a redeeming feature," that the Kingston Opposition paper represents them to be. They are honest, sober, well-behaved—not one of the 7,500 has been arrested for any crime whatsoever since they have been in Canada—and they are, as above testified, good farmers. It is an unpatriotic task to run them down or to misrepresent and malign a minister, who, from personal knowledge, has borne testimony to their value as settlers and the likelihood of their becoming in every sense good Canadians.

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All locks on the Erie canal (except at West Troy and Lockport) will be lengthened on one side so as to take two boats, each 125 feet long, 17½ feet wide and 8 feet draft, the adjoining lock accommodating one boat of the same dimensions. The present capacity of the Erie and Oswego canals is sufficient for boats carrying 240 tons each, while the improvement provided by this act will increase the capacity to that which will accommodate boats carrying 450 tons, being an increase in tonnage for each boat of 87 per cent.

The improvement of the Champlain canal will include lengthening, rebuilding and improving all locks. A feature of the act proposed is a clause providing for the unit system of bidding, for the purpose of preventing unbalanced bids. Under the system heretofore in vogue these unbalanced bids entailed large expense upon the state.

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SATURDAY EVENING

7:30 to 10 O'Clock

We offer an exceptional fine array of bargains. Take note of the quantities, and were you see them limited, an early call is advisable. Last Saturday evening some lines were cleared out in less than thirty minutes.

Silks

750 yards China Silks, all colors, regular price 25c. Saturday evening per yard

15c

Kid Gloves

36 pairs Ladies' Colored Kid Gloves, all sizes, Phyllis brand, regular price \$1 50. Saturday evening, per pair

\$1 10

48 pairs Ladies' Colored Kid Gloves, Rocquanne brand, all sizes, regular price \$1 25. Saturday evening, per pair

95c

Wash Goods

280 yards of a Cotton Boucle Cloth, porcelain shade, fast colors, suitable for children's wear, waists, aprons and men's shirts, regular price 12c yard. Saturday evening, per yard

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Men's Shoes

18 pairs Men's Cordovan and Box Calf Laced Boots, welt soles, sizes 7½ to 10, regular \$3 and \$3 50. Saturday evening half-price.

\$1 50 and \$1 75

Hosiery

72 pairs Ladies' Black Cashmere Hose, spliced sole, worth regularly 25c; Saturday evening, per pair

17c

Ribbon

180 yards All-Silk Taffeta Ribbon, 4 inches wide, every wanted shade; special per yard, Saturday evening only,

15c

Gloves

62 pairs Ladies' Lisle Thread Gloves, in shades of tan and brown and black. Regular price 25c; Saturday evening, per pair

15c

Men's Shirts

Men's Fancy Checkingham Shirts, fast colors, all sizes, regular 25c and 35c; Saturday evening only

19c

Men's Hats

40 only—Men's Soft Felt Hats, black and brown, also a few Stiff Hats, regular price \$1 50 and \$1 75; Saturday evening

99c

GOOD FRIDAY TERRORS

London Wants to Abolish Hot Cross Buns and Whitewashing That Day.

[London Daily Mail.]

There are two great Good Friday terrors—the hot cross bun and the whitewasher—and there is hope in some breasts that this year both may be abolished. The hot cross bun, as the older survivors may be expected to have few friends. The people who eat it generally complain afterwards of indigestion. The bakers are its enemies, and are in league against it.

The master bakers of London and the provinces are said to be eagerly looking forward to its abolition. They grumble that the hot cross bun entirely disorganizes the ordinary trade, that it compels their men to work too hard and too long, and it forces them to engage for a few days men who hardly know a bakehouse from a boiler. And then, when the mountain of buns have been sold, they hardly pay for the trouble. The journeyman baker "has his knife into" the bun as much as his master has. Both together hope to see the hot cross bun suppressed altogether this year. They are said to be organizing its ruin.

Now for the whitewasher. He invades offices with special delight on Good Friday, and compels caretakers to stop about the premises when they might be elsewhere but for him and his brush. So the Archbishop of London, the Deans of St. Paul's and Westminster, and 54 clergymen have addressed a respectful circular to occupiers of churches and offices pointing out that the whitewashing custom inflicts hardships on the majority of city residents on Good Friday and prevents them from attending religious services which are specially sacred to the minds of members of the Church of England. They ask the tenants "very kindly to take into consideration whether some other day might not conveniently serve" for the whitewasher and cleaners.

Miss Jones' Voice Greatly Improved. The many admirers of Miss Jones' singing have been greatly pleased at the improved clearness and richness of tone, so noticeable in her late renderings. Miss Jones attributes this improvement to the recent use of Catarrhazone. It gives clearness and brilliancy of tone, and prevents hoarseness and huskiness. Prominent singers, ministers, actors and public speakers use Catarrhazone for the voice, and find it of inestimable value. You breathe the medicated air from the inhaler into the throat and lungs, where it kills disease, prevents and absolutely cures Bronchitis, Asthma and Catarrh. Catarrhazone never fails; never harms; pleasant to use and always successful. Sold with a guarantee on every \$1 package, to cure these diseases, or your money back. Small size, 25c. Druggists or Polson & Co., Kingston, Ont.

The Woodstock street railway resumed operation Thursday morning after having been stopped most of the winter.

THEY NEVER KNEW FAILURE.—Careful observation of the effects of Par-melee's Vegetable Pills has shown that they act immediately on the diseased organs of the system and stimulate them to healthy action. There may be cases in which the disease has been long seated and does not easily yield to medicine, but even in such cases these Pills have been known to bring relief when all other so-called remedies have failed. These assertions can be substantiated by many who have used the Pills, and medical men speak highly of their qualities.

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Lieutenant-Governor Henry Joly, accompanied by his physician Dr. Robertson, left Vancouver, B. C., today on a visit to California for the benefit of his health. Chief Justice McCall, will act as administrator during the lieutenant-governor's absence.

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No Gripes, Pain

Or discomfort, no irritation of the intestines—just gentle, prompt, thorough cleansing, when you take

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AROUND THE CITY.

From Yesterday's Last Edition.

—Mr. John Lee, of Highgate, is in the city.

—The corporation laborers will be paid this afternoon at 5 o'clock.

—Mr. Jack Hill, son of Rev. W. J. T. Hill, is visiting friends in Windsor.

—The Children's Aid Society concert will be held in the Opera House on Thursday, April 11.

—The new dial and hands for the G. T. R. corner clock will be placed in position next week.

—Mr. J. Birnie Smith has received the appointment of temporary assistant to City Clerk Kingston.

—Mr. Hyman left Ottawa last night for Montreal, and will be in London tomorrow or Saturday at latest.

—Mr. Harry Bruce, of Annan Cottage, London township, has been seriously ill, but is now improving.

—Judge Wm. Elliott held a session of the first division court this morning and disposed of about 30 cases.

—Detective Bleakley, of Hamilton, left at 2:30 p.m. with the boy arrested yesterday for breach of the apprenticeship act.

—Miss Pearl A. Hooker, of Central avenue, is spending the Easter holidays with friends in Detroit, Ypsilanti and Ann Arbor, Mich.

—Misses Dolly and Etta Johnston, of the Forest City Business College, are spending their Easter holidays at their home in Wingham.

—The London street railway will give an hourly service to Springbank tomorrow. The cars leave the corner of Dundas and Richmond streets on the half-hour.

—The funeral of the late Mrs. Durbin was held this afternoon from her late residence, 181 Hamilton road. The remains were interred at Woodland cemetery.

—Mr. C. A. Whitman, of King street, is making satisfactory recovery from his recent accident, but it will be some time before he will be able to leave the house.

—Mrs. H. T. Gerrans, of Oxford, England, who has been visiting her brother, Dr. W. M. English, for the past month, leaves today for Portland, whence she sails on Saturday for home.

—Two of the six new cars, ordered by the London Street Railway Company for the Springbank service, have arrived, and are now being unloaded at the C. P. R. freight house.

—Charles J. Grant was prevented by rain Tuesday night from making a public exhibition of expert bicycle riding, but will give it this afternoon and tonight on the market square at 7:30 o'clock.

—Mrs. Jennie MacDonald, wife of Allen MacDonald, formerly of London, died in Algoma, Mich., on March 23. She was the only surviving sister of Mrs. Reddick, Victoria street. She leaves a family of four children, one son and three daughters.

—The funeral of the late Miss Shannon took place from the residence of her niece, Mrs. Brown, 246 Talbot street, on Wednesday morning, at St. Peter's Cathedral. Miss Shannon was a resident of Ingersoll and highly esteemed by all who knew her.

—Miss Josephine O'Neill, youngest daughter of the late Catherine O'Neill, of St. Thomas, died this morning, aged 24 years. The funeral will take place from the home of Mrs. Ellen Kinsella, aunt of deceased, 506 Adelaide street, at St. Peter's Cathedral, at 5:30 Saturday morning.

—Scores of thousands of eggs are being shipped from here to Quebec each day. They are sent in crates holding from 30 to 45 dozen each, and two car loads have been shipped by the Canadian Express Company on every regular train for several days.

—"The Pilgrim's Vision," a pretty Easter cantata, will be rendered by the scholars of Chalmers Presbyterian Church, Waterloo street south, Good Friday evening. All the parts have been well rehearsed and will be assisted by a large chorus and orchestra.

—Mr. Chas. Currie, formerly of London, has resigned his position as superintendent of the Big Consolidated Street Railway of Cleveland, to accept the position as general manager of the Everett-Moore Syndicate, with headquarters at Detroit. On his departure from Cleveland his employees presented him with a diamond ring.

—At a meeting of the creditors of A. E. Pavey & Co., Mr. Pavey was given an opportunity to show the stock in at 70 cents on the dollar. The offer will probably not be accepted. Mr. C. B. Armstrong was continued as assignee, and the following were appointed inspectors: Messrs. P. de C. O'Grady, manager of the Bank of Commerce; R. G. Fisher; George D. Forbes, Hespeler; George H. Bishop, Montreal, and A. J. Robertson, Toronto.

—A telegram from Vancouver, B. C., says: Mayor Benson, D. O. C., from this district, left for London yesterday. Col. Holmes, his successor, is expected here this week.

—GOOD FRIDAY AT THE POSTOFFICE.

Today being Good Friday the postoffice will be open from 8 to 10 a.m. and from 6 to 7 p.m. All outgoing mails will be dispatched as usual. There will be one a. m. delivery by the letter carriers.

—OIL REFINED BY NATURE.

Much interest is being taken in the letter from Mr. H. E. Nelles, of San Diego, Cal., published in Wednesday's Advertiser, in which he describes a marvelous "gushing" well in California, the product of which is pure refined oil of a very high quality. Mr. Nelles sent a sample bottle of the oil which anyone interested may examine by calling at the Advertiser counting rooms.

—MORE BUILDING OPERATIONS.

Mr. Joseph Hamilton, of Ann street, is to erect a brick veneer cottage on the south side of Sydenham between Talbot and St. George streets, and Mr. Thomas Ryan has taken out a permit for a one and a half story brick veneer residence on Orchard street. Since March 8, permits for 21 residences and several alterations have been issued at the city engineer's office.

—COL. MOORE'S FUNERAL.

The funeral of the late Lieut.-Col. Wm. Moore, whose sudden death occurred Tuesday, was held this afternoon from the family residence on Elmwood avenue. Many of the family's friends and citizens who had known and esteemed the deceased gentleman in past years attended the impressive services, conducted by Ven. Archdeacon Davis. An exceedingly beautiful floral square and company was sent by 2098 A. F. and A. M. Interment took place at Woodland cemetery.

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION IN SESSION.

The annual meeting of the City of London Teachers' Association was held today in the Collegiate Institute. The meeting opened with the usual exercises and an address by Rev. Dr. Sowerby, followed by President Little's address. Mr. F. W. Merchant then gave an instructive paper on "Habit in Training," dealing with his subject from both a physiological and psychological standpoint. A discussion on the resolutions passed by the Ontario Educational Association in April, 1900, closed the morning session. The association met again at 2 p.m.

NO INQUEST NECESSARY.

The remains of young Edward Simcoe, who was killed in the Grand Trunk yards, were removed to his parents' home on Colborne street this morning, and will be buried tomorrow at Mount Pleasant cemetery. The fatal and most unfortunate accident has brought forth innumerable expressions of sympathy. His father had just left the yard for Toronto and knew nothing of the accident. He was met there at Bathurst street with the sad news and his engine taken so that he might return to the city. Mrs. Simcoe is ill at her home. Dr. McLaren, coroner, investigated the circumstances of the fatality thoroughly, and has decided that an inquest is unnecessary. It was an accident in which no blame could be attached to any one.

OF INTEREST TO BARBERS.

Local barbers will be interested in the bill to amend the Ontario shops regulation act, which was given its first reading in the Ontario Legislature on March 25. The bill provides as follows: "No employer shall require, permit or suffer any employee in any barber shop to work on Sunday, and no proprietor of any barber shop shall open his barber shop or vacant section of his barber shop or any part thereof at any time between the hours of 12 o'clock in the afternoon on Saturday and 12 o'clock in the forenoon on Sunday. Any employer or proprietor of a barber shop who violates the provisions of the preceding section shall on conviction thereof be liable to a penalty of not less than \$20 besides costs, and in default of payment of the same, shall be imprisoned for a period of not less than thirty days and of not more than six months."

FROM THE CAPITAL

Writ for West Hastings To Be Issued at Once—Rise in the Rideau River.

Ottawa, April 4.—A writ will be issued for an election in West Hastings, the resignation of Corby having been received.

It is reported today that Joseph Godbout, member for Beauce, will get the senatorship in Quebec, made vacant by the death of Senator Paquet. It is said that this may be settled at today's cabinet meeting.

A two days' rain has caused quite a rise in the Rideau River, and a large section of land between Janville and New Edinburgh is under water, but so far residential sections have not been inundated. A wide channel is being cut in the ice in order to prevent a flood, if possible.

BYLAW BREAKERS

Appear in Police Court and Have Varying Punishments Meted Out.

A big batch of offenders against the bylaws of the city faced Police Magistrate Love in the police court yesterday. Maurice Baldwin was fined \$10 for cruelty to a horse by beating it over the head, and he was fined \$2 or five days. D. H. Porter, who kept a van for hire without a license, took out a license and paid 85 cents costs. The same disposition was made of the cases of Frank Sage, keeping a livery without a license, and John E. Barnhart, keeping a delivery van without a license, on the basis of the requisites authority. Similar charges were laid against George Dear and Maurice Sullivan, but the former charge was withdrawn, as Mr. Dear has sold out, and Mr. Sullivan's case was adjourned, he promising to take out a license when his horse gets back. Three citizens who walked on the remains of last year's grass at Victoria Park were fined \$1 each. The police magistrate was evidently in a lenient mood, for he allowed Sidney Sare and Catherine Hastings, both drunks, with former appearances to their discredit, to go unpunished.

BIG HEARTED BEN.

A C. P. R. Engineer Who Never Loses an Opportunity to Help a Fellow-man in Hard Luck.

Haywood, Man., April 1.—A pathetic story of a little chopping but had to stop and come home again. I was in such despair for my poor family that I would have shot myself, had I not met Mr. Ben Rafferty. He bought me two boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills. I commenced on three pills a day. In two weeks I was working as hard as ever, and have not

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over FIFTY YEARS by MILLIONS of MOTHERS FOR CHILDREN WHILE TEETHING, with PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES THE CHILD, SOFTENS THE GUMS, CURES PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for DIARRHEA. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's"

Saturday At Bayley's

Tomorrow will be interesting for Easter trading in these stores. Specially low prices on special articles and correct prices—prices that make the best value sure in all departments.

KID GLOVES—Our wonderful dollar quality is excellence itself. Real French Kid, every pair fitted and warranted perfect, regular \$1.25. Try a pair for satisfaction at \$1.

HOSIERY—Such values as these are not ordinary. Ladies' Fine Cashmere Hose, worth 35c, for 25c.

Ladies' Extra Pure Cashmere Hose, 3 pairs for \$1.

Children's Ribbed Hose, six-fold knees, all sizes, 25c.

BELTS—Latest New York Style Belts, circular form, in seal and patent leather, from 25c.

TIES—Beautiful assortment of Ladies' Net Ties, correct styles, open work ends, at 40c and 50c.

CORSETS—Need we say a word about our Corset stock? Hundreds of ladies can tell you of the beauty of the fit and styles of the new Erect Form, worth \$1, now selling at 50c.

WHITEWEAR—New clean stock. Special drives in gowns at \$1; Skirts at \$1, and Corset Covers at 25c and 35c.

BAYLEY'S

ONLY ONE OF THE FAMILY SAVED!

Wife and Five Children of Alex. Terrien Drowned in the Saguenay.

Murray Bay, Que., April 4.—News reached here this morning that the wife and five children of Alexander Terrien, of Tadoussac, were drowned yesterday in the Saguenay River. The whole family were coming down in a boat from above the Saguenay, where they had passed the winter, when the boat capsized. The husband and father saved his own life only with the greatest difficulty.

KILLED BY A YARD ENGINE.

North Bay, Ont., April 4.—John E. Bell, C. P. R. inspector, was killed here this morning by the yard engine. He leaves a widow and family.

The News Summary

Dr. Schlichter, the African traveler and geographer, is dead at Berlin.

A glass lamp trust has been formed in Pittsburgh with a capital of \$6,000,000.

The Nipissing election trial is billed to take place at North Bay on Good Friday.

Mrs. R. Dillabough's block at Iroquois, Ont., was destroyed this morning by fire. Loss \$8,000 to \$80,000.

A monument to the late Benjamin Harrison, in front of the new federal building in Indianapolis, is projected.

A fierce forest fire is raging through the timber and along the main line of the Long Island Railroad, near Patchogue.

Another oil well was developed at Beaumont, Tex., yesterday. It is about 1,050 feet deep, and is in the immediate vicinity of other wells.

Judge McCreary is to give a dinner on the 17th to the surviving members of the Provincial Parliament of 1865 which voted confederation. There are 19 survivors.

Col. Otter has taken up the subject of the formation of a company of mounted riflemen and the enrolment of the corps will be at once proceeded with. The officer chosen for the command is Capt. G. Peters, G. G. B. G.

Destructive forest fires have been raging in the Ramapo Mountains near Suffern, N. Y., since Sunday, and sent down a death in a barn near there. Many persons are fighting the flames to save valuable property.

Six trotting horses, valued in all at \$10,000, and owned by Edward E. Perkins, of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., were burned to death in a barn near there on Wednesday. Incendiarism is supposed. Total loss, \$15,000; insurance, \$7,000.

Chief Justice Armour made the announcement that the court of appeal at a court would give no decision in the Lord's day observance case. The question submitted by the government of Ontario would be answered by each of the five judges individually.

Toronto coal merchants have been notified of a reduction across the line in the wholesale price of anthracite coal. The rate for the spring opening is \$4 a ton, about 25 cents lower than the winter schedule. The summer price will be \$4.25, and the winter price \$4.50. The rate will likely remain as at present for a month or six weeks.

Assemblyman M. E. Lewis introduced a bill in the New York Legislature making provision for the payment of bonds to the amount of \$5,000,000, for the share of the state in the cost of the construction of good roads in the various counties, and providing for submission of the same to the people at the next election.

DEEP SNOW MAKES A LOT OF TROUBLE

Pittsburg Experiences One of the Worst Storms in its History.

Pittsburg, Pa., April 3.—From early morning Pittsburg has been in the toils of one of the worst snowstorms ever experienced in this region. At about 7 o'clock this morning a heavy, clinging snow began falling, and it was not long before the snow piled up to a depth of from ten to fifteen inches in places. The snow upon the mountains is from twelve to fifteen inches in depth, and is so heavy that has brought down poles and wires all along the road. Extra engines have been required on all trains, and unless the snowfall ceases a blockade is imminent. The Buffalo and Allegheny Valley system is in almost the same condition. On the Western New York and Pennsylvania division the snow is from ten to fifteen inches in depth. The wires are down, and the train schedule has been abandoned.

BADLY FROZEN.

Ottawa, April 3.—With both legs and his face badly frost-bitten, Telesphore

A. SCREATION & CO.**Great April Carpet & Rug Sale**

This is a sale of all the best and most desirable patterns made this season by the leading Carpet manufacturers in the world. Our new store is filled with all the best and most reliable makes, and you will do yourself an injustice if you buy any floor coverings before coming to inspect our stock and prices.

Ingrain Carpets, new designs, 36 inches wide.....22c
Ingrain, extra super, strictly half wool.....45c
Ingrain, all wool, beautiful patterns, worth 50c, for.....50c
Never before has All-Wool Carpet been sold in London at above prices.
Ingrain, all wool, Brussels patterns, worth 90c, for.....55c
Ingrain, all wool, elegant variety of styles, worth \$1, for.....75c
Tapestry, all-wool face, new patterns, worth 65c, for.....50c
Tapestry, all-wool face, new patterns, worth 70c, for.....55c
Brussels, fine line of patterns, worth 90c, for.....75c
Brussels, fine line of patterns, worth \$1.10, for.....90c
Wilsons, extra quality, very high pile, worth \$1.50, for.....\$1.25
Axminster, English, nothing like them, cut pile.....\$1.45
Synma Rugs, 8x9, reversible, worth \$10, for.....\$7.50
All-Wool Rugs, 8x9, worth \$8, for.....\$5.00
Japanese Rugs, 6x9, worth \$7.50, for.....\$4.50
Japanese Hall Strips, 3x9, worth \$4, for.....\$2.50
Japanese Hall Strips, 3x12, worth \$5, for.....\$3.50
OUR MOTTO—ALWAYS GIVE WHAT YOU ADVERTISE.

RUSSIA RECEIVES A CHECK!

By the Unexpected Stand of the Viceroy.

China Declines to Sign the Manchurian Treaty—Medley of Declarations and Contradictions.

London, April 4.—There is a fresh medley of press declarations and contradictions respecting the Russian-Japanese complications. The practical inference drawn by close students of the China question is that Russia and Earl Li have been checked by the unexpected stand made by the viceroy, and that Japan, having been warned that the Anglo-German agreement does not offer any safeguard against foreign aggression in Manchuria, will insist upon having a separate settlement about Korea, and will get it. As Earl Li's Russian bargain has fallen through he is embittered, and the Times' Pekin correspondent continues to sound a warning that Manchuria is doomed to be severed from the Chinese Empire. As Li lacks the support of the Chinese viceroy, so, also, the Times' correspondent does not have behind him the foreign office, which is inclined to the German policy of allowing events to take their natural course in Manchuria. However much she may be less indifferent on the China question if the end of the South African war could be forecast with any confidence. As long as the Boers hold out Russian designs will not be of chief interest here, and Japan and the Chinese viceroy must pull their own chestnuts out of the fire.

WONT SIGN.

A Pekin dispatch says: The Chinese Government has formally notified Russia that China, owing to the attitude of the powers, is not to sign the Manchurian convention. "It is China's desire," says the formal notification, "to keep on friendly terms with all nations. At present she is going through a period which is the most perilous in the empire's history, and it is necessary that she should have the friendship of all states. Li Hung Chang says this letter seals the matter definitely, and that Russia was informally notified to the same effect on March 23. Prince Ching asserts that every Chinaman, except Li Hung Chang, was against signing the convention.

THE INDEMNITY QUESTION.

Pekin, April 3.—The ministers are considering proposals submitted by financial experts for the raising of a sufficient sum for the payment of the Chinese indemnity. It is probable that some arrangement will be arrived at on the basis of the communication of Robert Hart, director of the imperial maritime customs, which it is calculated will provide 20,000,000 taels yearly, sufficient to pay 5 per cent interest on 20,000,000 taels, and clear the whole of the principal in less than forty years. Two hundred and fifty million taels is equivalent, roughly estimated, at £36,000,000, but the total amount of the indemnity is likely to be much more. Some of the powers are greatly averse to compelling China to contract a loan for the payment of the indemnity. It is thought that the increased cost of raising the money required in this way is likely to hamper the commercial development of China, and it is therefore believed to be desirable to have the money raised internally in China.

ON THE LIST.

Li Hung Chang and Prince Ching have sent to the court for approval a list of names presented by the ministers of the powers for punishment. The death list has been reduced to four names for degradation and to 91 for loss of office. No objection is anticipated, as the men are only prominent in local communities.

The German war office has received a dispatch from Count Von Waldersee, formally reporting the defeat, on March 31, of a thousand Chinese robbers by a company of Germans, seven miles north of Tien Tsin. The robbers are being pursued.

CRUSHED TO DEATH

A Young Man Almost Instantly Killed at Hamilton.

Hamilton, Ont., April 4.—Geo. Rodden, 21 years of age, employed as spare man at Rogers' coal docks was almost instantly killed yesterday afternoon by being crushed between a coal wagon and an upright spreader. He died before medical aid arrived.

THE PLAGUE SPREADS.

Cape Town, April 3.—Ten fresh cases of bubonic plague, including one European, were officially reported yesterday.

THE CELTIC LAUNCHED!

White Star Line's New Steamer Is Largest Vessel Afloat.

Report of Committee Regarding Changes in British Civil List—Increase of \$335,000 in the Total.

LAUNCH OF THE CELTIC.

Belfast, April 4.—The new White Star Line steamer Celtic, the largest vessel ever built, was successfully launched here this morning in the presence of a large and representative gathering. The christening was performed by the Marchioness of Dufferin. Among the prominent persons who participated in the ceremony were the Countess Cadogan, wife of the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, the Marquis and Marchioness of Dufferin, the Marquis and Marchioness of Londonderry and the Earl and Countess of Shaftesbury. The arrangements for the launching were similar to those of the Oceanic, and the new vessel glided from the ways and was pulled up within her own length by dropping three pairs of anchors. The launching occurred amid the enthusiastic cheers of the people and the blowing of horns and fog horns. The Celtic has nine decks, and capacity for 2,553 passengers. She will carry a crew of 325 men. Her tonnage is 3,600 greater than that of the Oceanic, and nearly double that of the Kaiser Wilhelm Der Grosse, and her displacement is 12,500 greater than that of the latter vessel, while her displacement and tonnage is 10,300 over that of the Great Eastern.

THE BRITISH CIVIL LIST.

London, April 4.—The report of the committee appointed to consider changes in the civil list recommends that the civil list be fixed at about £470,000, as follows:

Privy purse, £110,000; salaries of household and civil list allowances, £125,000; expenses of household, £133,000; works, £20,000; royal bounty, alms and special services, £13,000, and sundries, £8,000.

The report recommends an annuity of £20,000 to the Duke of Cornwall and York, £10,000 to the Duchess of Cornwall and York, and £6,000 to each of the King's daughters.

The Queen's annuity, in the event of her surviving the King, is increased to £70,000, and an annuity of £30,000 is provided for the Duchess of Cornwall and York in the event of her surviving the Duke.

The proposals for the civil list show a net increase of £67,000.

Mr. Henry Labouchere, Advanced Liberal, the sole signatory of the minority report, thinks that no increase is necessary. In a piquant paragraph he says:

"The committee did not deem it within the scope of their inquiry to consider whether a continuance of pomp and pride and ceremony of the court is desirable. Suggestions have been rife that the cost of living has gone up among the wealthier classes since her late majesty ascended the throne. This idea seems to be due to the present ostentatious expenditure of some of those who have suddenly acquired large fortunes. But your committee does not believe the sovereign would desire to enter into monetary competition with such persons, or encourage by his example such vain-glorious prodigality on the part of his subjects."

SCARLET FEVER SCARE

In Kingston, N. Y.—All the Day and Sunday Schools Closed.

Kingston, N. Y., April 4.—The board of health has ordered all day and Sunday schools here closed on account of the rapid increase of scarlet fever.

Livery stable men have been ordered to fumigate their carriages after funerals.

MARRIAGE A FAILURE

At Least That is What the Jersey Lilly's "Freddie" Says.

Sioux Falls, S. D., April 4.—Frederick Gebhard, the New York clubman, has taken up a temporary residence in this city, for the purpose, it is said, of securing a divorce from his wife, formerly Louise Hollingsworth Morris, one of Baltimore's most beautiful women.

At the time of Lily Langtry's first appearance in this country, in 1882, Gebhard had been engaged for a year to Miss Leonie Jerome, now Mrs. Jack Leslie. He was fascinated with the actress and followed her about the country for two years, since which time she has resulted in much scandal and several filings. He married Miss Morris in 1894, and the disagreement that is now to end in divorce dates back about two years, since which time she has resided with her relatives in Baltimore.

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(Green) composed only of fresh
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Japan tea drinker what "SAL-
ADA" black is to the black tea
drinker.

A STERLING HEART.

"I shall not feel that I am doing right
unless I lay my soul bare before you,"
Clifton gravely responded. "I regret my
past more than I can express—you have
taught me to regret it. I can look back
and realize how culpable I have been to
waste my time and energy in a sense-
less round of pleasure and dissipation.
I will henceforth be a man—I will try to
live for nobler aims and purposes. While
Shirley, if you will bless me with the
rich gift of your love, I shall have cour-
age to achieve great results. Tell me,
Shirley, that you will be my wife." He
pleaded, as he bent down and folded her
hand in both of his. "If you have learned
to regard me with anything of affec-
tion during our short acquaintance, I
beg that you will not conceal the fact
from me from any mistaken ideas re-
garding so-called social prestige, do not
send me away, my courage broken and
with despair in my heart, and all my
future a blank."

His earnestness was too genuine to be
doubted, and Shirley felt that every
word he uttered came straight from his
heart—an honest heart she believed it
to be.

She did not doubt his love for her; she
saw that he was moved to the center of
his being.

She did not withdraw her hand from
his clasp, for her own heart responded
to every word he had uttered, and she
though his parents might not approve his
choice she felt that she had no right to
keep back from him the knowledge
which he craved so earnestly, that, hav-
ing been so honest with her, it was due
to him that she should be equally sin-
cere.

She lifted her beautiful, expressive
eyes to his, and allowed him to read
within them the assurance which he so
eagerly craved. Shirley's grave, almost
holy sweetness stole over her face and
trembled upon her lovely lips.

It was only for a moment, however,
then the deep blue eyes shrank drooped
beneath his impassioned gaze, while wave
of rich color leaped over her
face and neck, tingling her delicate ears
and losing itself among the ripples of
her golden hair, as she breathed:

"I cannot send you away, Clifton."
"Your face," he said, "is a luminous
with joy."

"You love me! You love me! Oh,
Shirley!" he cried, in a tone of eager
triumph, as he laid upon his breast the
hand he held, and pressed it closely
over his bounding heart.

"Yes, I do love you, Clifton, with all
that is strongest and best in my nature,"
she softly answered.

The words were scarcely uttered be-
fore his arms had encircled her slight
form, and the glossy head was pillowed
where, but a moment before, the small
white hand had rested.

"This hour has crowned my life with the
richest blessing I have ever had or ever
hope to have."
[To be Continued.]

THE WORLD OF SPORTS.

Bates, of Rondeau, Leads in the
Grand American Handicap at
Interstate Park.

Toronto Baseball Team is at Patter-
son, N. J.—Mrs. Willie Campbell
Appointed Golf Instructor.

BOWLING.

There will be an interesting match this
evening between the Leamington team,
crack cricketers of Western Ontario,
and the London team. P. Moss and A.
Joseph will represent Leamington, and
Riddle and W. J. Joseph, London.
The match will take place at 197 King
street.

THE RIFLE.

RIDGE TOWN MAN TOPS THE SCORE.
Interstate Park, Queens, L. I., April 4.—
Shooting in the Grand American handi-
cap at five birds began here this
morning in a drizzling rain. There was
very little wind to bother the shooters,
who had the advantage of the birds, in-
asmuch as the rain tended to make them
a bit slow. In addition to the 20 regular
entries, there were 12 post entries made
up to the time the shoot began. The
list now contains 22 names, and there
will possibly be half a dozen more post
entries. Allowing a reasonable number
of forfeits, the field of contestants will
be about the same as last year, when 21
shooters took part in the handicap. The
conditions of the Grand American handi-
cap are: Twenty-five birds, \$5 entrance,
birds extra, high guns, not class shoot-
ing, \$1.00 guaranteed, \$50 to first and
silver cup, \$500 to second and \$400 to
third; all extra moneys to be divided on
a percentage basis to the next 51 highest
scores.

At the end of the first round of the four
sets of trials, 132 men had straight scores
of four kills each. Twenty-one men paid
forfeits, and there were exactly 201 con-
testants. The time of the first round was
1 hour and 2 minutes. Among the most
prominent in the list of those who
scored eight kills when they had finish-
ed their second round were: Bates, Cros-
by, Naumap, Phil Daly, J. M. Fox, Ted
Sloan, Dr. Knowlton, Bunks, Gilbert and
Marshall.

TURF.

THE QUEEN'S PLATE.
Toronto News: The Queen's Plate mar-
ket shows little change. The Seagram
colt, John Rusk, who may or may not
be the best of the Waterloo lot, is still
favorite at 4 to 1 with Mr. Hendrie's
Swordfish second choice. Of the Valley
Farm entries, Maple Sugar, a sister of
Butter Scotch, has come down to 10 to 1.

AT BENNING.

Washington, April 5.—Yesterday's races
resulted as follows:
First race, 5½ furlongs—Scorpio 1, Lex-
ington Pirate 2, Charley Moore 3. Time,
1:12.
Second race, 2-year-olds, 4½ furlongs—
Carroll D. L. Dolce Far Niente 2, Wait a
Minute 3. Time, 38.2-5.
Third race, selling, 7 furlongs—Matt
Simpson 1, Prompt 2, Cherished 3. Time,
1:22.
Fourth race, maidens, 5 furlongs—Lady
Padden 1, Irene Lindsay 2, Sylvan Dell 3.
Time, 1:16.
Fifth race, 7 furlongs—Gink 1, Albert
Edward 2, Street Boy 3. Time, 1:34-5.
Sixth race, selling, 1 mile and 10 yards
—Knight of the Garter 1, Kirkwood 2,
Big Gun 3. Time, 1:54.

BASEBALL.

The players of the Toronto baseball
team reported yesterday at Peterson's
J. The Toronto aggregation is looked
upon by competent baseball critics as
quite strong enough to give any team in
the Eastern League a lively tussle for the
penant.

GOLF.

WOMAN'S UNIQUE POSITION.
The first woman to hold the position
of golf instructor in America is the wife
of the late Willie Campbell, who has
been appointed to this position by the
Boston park commissioners. Mrs. Camp-
bell is a Scotch woman, and it is
said that she was able to play her late
husband's very close game so skilfully
that she was able to play her late
husband's very close game so skilfully
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FOOTBALL.

THE SEAFORTH CLUB.
Seaforth, Ont., April 4.—The annual
meeting of the Seaforth football club last
night, for numbers and enthusiasm, has
not been exceeded for many seasons. The
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Dr. Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tab
lets a Positive Cure for This
Complaint.

The constant bending over that of
necessity a shoemaker must do when
at work, comes hard on his back and
hard on his kidneys. Backache and
lame back are the great bugbears of a
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Pitcher's Backache Kidney Tablets
can ease the aching back and cure the
kidney trouble, is amply proven in
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says: "A shoemaker's work requires
lots of sitting and leaning forward,
and invariably, as in my case, in time
bring on a pain in the small of the
back and kidney trouble. This has
been my complaint for two or three
years, and I was about tired of it.
Someone told me about Dr. Pitcher's
Backache Kidney Tablets, and I got
a bottle at John Farrell's drug store.
The taking of this one bottle was fol-
lowed by complete relief. This is nat-
urally a big lift to me in my work,
and I am correspondingly glad to
recommend the Tablets conscienti-
ously to others."

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ing cured, insist on having Dr. Pitch-
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dent, Dr. McKay; president, W. G. Willis;
vice-president, W. H. Barr; secretary,
treasurer, J. L. Killoran; manager, H.
M. Jackson.

The Kidneys and the Skin.
In the spring the kidneys have much to
do. If they are weak or torpid they will
not do it well, and the skin will be pim-
ply or blotchy. That is telling the story
of the year.

Hood's Sarsaparilla strengthens and
stimulates the kidneys, cures and pre-
vents pimples, blotches and all cutaneous
eruptions.

Attempts are being made in Cali-
fornia to acclimate the Chilean palm
(Jubaea spectabilis), which has seeds
that resemble almonds and are edible.
Each tree also yields 50 to 60 quarts of
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THE GREAT LUNG HEALER is found
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Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. It soothes and
diminishes the sensibility of the mem-
brane of the lungs, and cures all coughs,
colds, hoarseness, pain or soreness in the
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when supposed to be far advanced in
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We have secured a splendid list of bargains for you on Saturday. As space is very
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prices talk for themselves. Read over every item. These prices ring with true economy.

Oranges = = = = 1c each
Lemons = = 10c for one dozen
Bananas = = = 15c a dozen

It will pay you to buy your fruit here. Everything is
of the very best.

1,500 Collars, in latest styles. These are the kind you
do not have to wear under ribbons. Manufactured from
pure linen. Saturday 6 for 25c.

Our \$1.50 Kid Glove, in all popular shades and sizes, Easter's price, \$1.
Pay a visit to our Hosiery Department. We offer you the truest values in the city
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Bargains reign in every department. Come to our store on Saturday and you will
go away pleased and satisfied. Your wants attended to promptly. We have secured
extra help.

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Ladies' Vests, long sleeves, for... 5c
Ladies' Vests, short sleeves or
sleeveless, Saturday 2 for... 15c
Ladies' Vests in extra fine quality,
regular 25c, for... 15c
Men's Fancy Striped Shirts and
Drawers, each... 25c
10 dozen Ladies' Wool Health
Bozen Vests, each... 49c

Hosiery

This department is always at the
front with its reliable goods. Our
spring stock is the best we have ever
shown. We carry a full line of Ladies'
Gentlemen's and Children's Hosiery. Sat-
urday we will put some more bargains
at the department for you. Highest
qualities at lowest prices.

Stationery Department

Toilet Paper in rolls or packages,
500 sheets in packages, Saturday... 5c
Mourning Note Paper, 40 sheets
note paper and 40 envelopes, in
military gray for... 15c
50 Envelopes for... 3c
24 Sheets Note Paper... 3c
Scrapblers, large size, for... 5c
120 boxes of our 25c and 30c Station-
ery, each box contains 24 envel-
opes and 24 sheets of paper, Sat-
urday... 15c

New Skirts Just Arrived

Black Luster, with full flare, lined
with heavy percale, deep canvas
facing, velvet bound; sale price \$2.75
Figured Luster, in three different
designs, with full flare skirt,
heavy percale lining, 9-inch can-
vas facing, velvet and brush bind-
ing; sale price... \$3.50
Heavy Black Serge, full flare,
overstitched seams, linette
lined, deep canvas facing, brush
binding, sizes 40 to 44 in length;
special at... \$4.00
Heavy Black Serge, new flare
style, 20 rows of contrasting brush
binding, new inverted pleat back;
regular \$6, for... \$5.00
Fine All-Wool Serge, linette lined,
fine deep interlining, full
flare, with taffeta silk band of
six rows of stitching, brush bind-
ing; regular \$7.50, for... \$6.00
Six only of our Homespuns, in
gray and navy, linette lined,
canvas faced, velvet bound; reg-
ular \$3.50, Saturday... \$2.50
Six only, in Navy Blue and Wool
Serge Skirts, sizes 38 to 42; regu-
lar \$2.75, for... \$1.90
Black Underskirts, with mercerized
frill from knee, 9-inch pleating
on frill, lined and shaped yoke;
Saturday price... \$1.00
Black and Colored Macramé Skirts,
12-inch lined, accordion
pleating on bottom, regular
\$3.50, for... \$2.90

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Round trip tickets will be issued as
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ing up to and including April 9, 1901.
Territory between line stations in Can-
ada, Port Arthur, Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.,
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from, Buffalo, N. Y., Black Rock, N. Y.,
and Suspension Bridge, N. Y. Teachers and
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Port Arthur and Windsor. Single first-
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The Maritime Express will leave
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Maritime Provinces.
The Maritime Express from Halifax,
St. John, the Sydneys and other points
east will arrive at Montreal daily, ex-
cept on Monday, at 5:30 p.m.
The Local Express will leave Mon-
treal daily, except Sunday, at 7:45
a.m., due to arrive at Levis at 1:05
p.m.

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Perhaps it is your throat or your bronchial tubes that you are troubled with. Take Scott's Emulsion. It checks any tendency in your system to serious lung trouble.

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Meteorological.

METEOROLOGICAL.
Toronto, April 4—8 p.m.—The disturbance which was over the Middle Atlantic States last night continues to disperse. The weather has cleared in the lake region, but throughout Eastern Canada it is still very unsettled, and a moderate easterly gale is blowing on our Atlantic coasts. Another depression of importance now in the West Southwest States promises unsettled conditions again on Saturday in the lake region.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 55-62; Kamloops, 56-52; Calgary, 14-44; Qu'Appelle, 22-30; Winnipeg, 30-48; Port Arthur, 26-42; Parry Sound, 34-42; Toronto, 36-45; Ottawa, 34-42; Montreal, 34-42; Quebec, 32-38; Halifax, 32-40.

FAIR AND MILD.
Forecasts for the lower lakes and Georgian Bay—Fair and mild today; unsettled, with rain, on Saturday.

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A LOCAL BUDGET.

—Miss Ena and Master Gordon Calvert, of Napier, are visiting friends at Stratford.

—Walkerton Telescope: Mr. Jack Cummins left on Wednesday morning for London, where he has secured a position as a bridge builder.

—Mr. W. D. Thomas, the well-known Piccadilly street grocer, has sold his residence and store, and will engage in a departmental business.

—Rev. Dr. Sowerby has been secured to preach the anniversary sermon to the Oddfellows of the city. They will parade to the Tabbot Street Baptist Church on Sunday, April 28.

—The Bishop of Huron will preach in Christ Church this evening. The musical services will include Gounod's beautiful composition, "There is a Green Hill Far Away," which will be rendered by Mr. J. T. Dalton, the choir leader.

—No. 2 committee of the board of education met last night, those present being Chairman Hamilton, and Trustees MacRobert, Wilkins and Blackwell. A quantity of routine business was transacted, and the architect was instructed to advertise for tenders for the erection of Park street school, tenders to be in by April 19.

—Strathroy Age: An association of London "Old Boys" is likely to be formed in town. In the neighborhood of one hundred ex-Londoners are said to be numbered about our citizens, and it

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is thought that Strathroy, the birthplace of "Old Boys" reunions, should be numerously represented at London's coming reception to her at one-time sons and daughters.

—A Woodstock deputation comprising Mayor J. A. Mackay, Ald. Rice, M. D., Odium, M.D., and John Mitchell and Town Engineer F. J. Ure, was in the city yesterday inspecting the Queen's avenue tar macadam. They were advised by Engineer Graydon not to use it on a main thoroughfare, but he would recommend it highly for residential streets.

—At the anniversary service of praise to be given in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church on Monday evening, April 8, the choir of the church, under the leadership of Mr. Charles E. Wheeler, will be assisted by Miss Greta Masson, Toronto's leading soprano, and Master Harry Carson, the sweet-voiced boy soloist. The programme arranged by Mr. Wheeler is of unusual excellence, and includes selections on the organ by himself.

THE PARKER CONCERT COMPANY

The following excellent programme was rendered last night by the C. M. Parker Concert Company, which comprises: Miss Ruth Burrell, soprano; Miss Beatrice Mori, mezzo-soprano; Miss Juanita Boynton, mezzo-contralto; Miss Charlotte MacDonald, alto; Mrs. C. M. Parker, contralto; C. M. Parker, conductor.

Quintet—"On Gallant Company"....Buehr

Quartet—"Concert Waltz"....Buck

Reading—"The King's Ransom"....Goodwin

Trio—"Questioning"....Meyer-Helmund

Violin solo—Faust....Sarasate

Statue Posting....Miss Boynton

Song—"Old Kentucky Home"....Foster

Soprano solo—"Robert le Diable"....Meyerbeer

Quartet—"Why Do I Dream?"....Moring

Song story—"Rock Me to Sleep"....Moring

Quartet—"When Shadows Fall"....La Voile

THE L. AND P. S. LEASE.

The London and Port Stanley Railway board met yesterday afternoon to overlook the terms of the lease, to the Walkers. Necessarily, the task was one that could not be given summary treatment, and only a few preliminary changes were made. Clauses of absolute character were expurgated, and at another meeting to be held on Tuesday the modifications and extensions will be considered.

AN EVERETT MATCH FACTORY.

An Akron, Ohio, dispatch says: "The Buckeye Match Company, with a capital stock of \$200,000, was organized here today, and will erect a large plant for the manufacture of both matches and match-making machines on which it holds patents. The company is independent of the Diamond Match Company, and will enter into competition with it. The incorporators of the new company are members of the Everett railway syndicate of Cleveland."

AN ARVA ENTERTAINMENT.

The League literary department of Arva Methodist Church gave a most enjoyable literary entertainment in the church last Wednesday evening, April 3. Excellent choruses were rendered by a special choir for the occasion. Duets and solos were given by Ray, Louis and Emma Smith. Pleasing recitations were heartily received from Mrs. MacMorgan. An amusing reading was given by Miss Rose Brierly. Miss Annie Hatch ably presided over the organ. A most entertaining part of the programme was a debate by Messrs. Brierly and Stoneman for the affirmative, and Messrs. Salter and

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Shobbrook for the negative, on "Resolved that the moderate drinker is more injurious to society than the drunkard." Messrs. Cummings and Taylor acted as judges and decided in favor of the negative by 9 to 7. Rev. W. H. Cooper acted as chairman and critic. Miss Shepherd, vice-president of the literary department, and her committee who had charge of the programme, are to be congratulated upon the success of the evening.

EVANGELISTIC SERVICES.

The Rev. Arthur Murphy, B.A., whose mission work in this city was so appreciated, after returning from his present encouraging work at Buffalo, intends to begin a series of evangelistic services in the east end of the city, at St. Matthew's Church, Dundas street, west of Quebec.

The opening services will take place on Easter Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., and the week day services will continue Easter Monday and following days, Saturdays excepted, at 4:15 p.m. and 8 p.m.

OLD BOYS' MEETING.

The London Association of Old Boys met at the city hall last night, but unfortunately, so many other meetings of one kind and another were being held, that many of the home guard were necessarily absent. That they, too, might be present at this most important meeting, it was adjourned until next Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Officers will be elected and other interesting business transacted. It is desirable that the adjourned meeting should be well attended and influential.

AN OLD RESIDENT DEAD.

One of the city's oldest residents died last night in the person of Wm. Crosby, of 362 South street. Mr. Crosby was born in England in 1820, and had been a resident of this city for many years. His death was due to heart failure. Mr. Crosby being ill only a few days. He leaves a widow and one daughter, Mrs. John Longfield, of North Dorchester township. The funeral takes place at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday, services being held at 2 p.m.

TEACHERS TALK

ON LIVE TOPICS

Many Important Subjects Discussed at the London Teachers' Association Convention.

At yesterday afternoon's session of the London Teachers' Association, the members divided into the following sections: (1) Grades I, II, and kindergarten; (2) grades III, IV, and V of the public schools; (3) grades V, VI, VII, and VIII of the public schools, and the teachers of the Collegiate Institute.

SECTION 4.

Section 4 met in the physics room, the president, Mr. W. M. Govenlock, in the chair. In the absence of the secretary, Miss Skelton, through illness, Miss Skelton took the minutes of the meeting.

Mr. F. W. McCutcheon, teacher of physics in the Collegiate Institute, gave an interesting talk on hisssuous curves, showing a means of determining harmony of sounds by the eye, instead of by the ear alone. The apparatus used was borrowed by Mr. McCutcheon from the laboratory of the Toronto University.

Mr. S. B. McCready, science master of the Institute, read an instructive and interesting paper on "Industrial Chemistry," dealing more particularly with the derivation and manufacture of the various sugars and their products. His talk was illustrated by lantern views, showing the various parts of his subject.

The following officers were elected: President, W. M. Govenlock, B.A.; secretary, Miss Skelton; committee, Messrs. Althouse, Kirk and McCutcheon, B.A.

SECTION 5.

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Mr. Wallis, of London South, took up an interesting and profitable paper on "Drawing," illustrating in an admirable way his method of teaching the subject. To be completely successful, he pointed out, a teacher must be an artist himself. Mr. Wallis also outlined his method of dealing with the sphere.

Inspector Carson dealt exhaustively with the subject of "Reading."

The officers elected were: President, Miss Crowley; secretary, Miss Tyler.

SECTION 2.

At the meeting of Section 2, the subjects of "Reading" and "Towards" were discussed by Miss McNaughton and Miss Gahan, respectively.

The officers elected by Section 2 were: President, Miss Phillips; secretary, Miss B. Gahan; committee, Misses McNaughton, J. Walton and Gahan.

SECTION 1.

Before Section 1, Mr. W. E. Saunders gave a very interesting lecture on "Birds," illustrating his address from the collection donated to the school by Dr. H. Arnott. His remarks were greatly appreciated by the teachers present.

MORE CASES ENTERED

Civil List for the Assizes Totals Nine Jury and Three Non-Jury Cases.

The following additional civil cases were entered yesterday afternoon for the spring assizes next week, all being jury cases except the last. This brings the total up to nine jury cases and three non-jury cases:

Kent vs. St. John—Action to recover \$1,000 damages, for personal injuries, sustained in a scuffle between the parties, John Kent, farmer, of McGillivray, and Robert St. John, hotelkeeper at Lucan. Dickson & Carling, Exeter, for plaintiff; Meredith & Fisher, for defendant.

Corp vs. North American Life Insurance Company—The plaintiffs, Albert T. Corp, painter, and his wife, Mary, of London, sue to have the cancellation of a policy in the defendant company declared illegal and void. R. K. Cowan, for plaintiff; Kerr, Davidson, Patterson & Co., Toronto, for defendant.

Struthers vs. Robinson—R. C. Struthers & Co., London, sue Mrs. Esther Robinson, of Stratford, to recover \$703.20, amount due on two bills of sale. Gibbons & Harper, for plaintiffs; McPherson & Davidson, Stratford, for defendants.

Braithwaite vs. G. T. R. Company—The plaintiff, Wm. J. Braithwaite, is a motorman on the London street railway, and was injured in the accident at the Rectory street crossing of the G. T. R. on Dec. 12, 1900, when a shunting engine backed into Braithwaite's car. He claims \$2,000 damages. M. P. McDonagh, for plaintiff; John Bell, K.C., Belleville, for defendant.

Brennan vs. Harding & Leathorne—The plaintiff, Edward Brennan, sues the defendants for \$5,000 damages for injuries sustained in their employ, by the carrying in of a sewer near the cove on Nov. 7, 1899. McEvoy, Pope & Perrin, for plaintiff; Meredith, Judd, Dromgole & Elliot, for defendants.

Struthers vs. Kersey—R. C. Struthers & Co., on behalf of themselves and all other creditors of Isaac Kersey, sue Isaac Kersey, merchant, of Edy's Mills, Walter Kersey, and Albert Kersey, his brothers, to have set aside an alleged fraudulent sale of business. Gibbons & Harper, for plaintiffs; Shaumsey & McKenzie, Petrolia, for defendants.

Bennett vs. Wortman—Joel Bennett sues W. H. Wortman, manufacturer, to compel specific performance of an agreement relating to the making and sale of an article invented by the plaintiff, and to recover \$328.01, due plaintiff, under said agreement. U. A. Buchner, for plaintiff; T. H. Luscombe, for defendant.

THEIR BUSY SESSION

Public Library Board Meet and Get Through Considerable Business.

A meeting of the Public Library board was held last night, those present being Chairman J. C. Judd, Messrs. R. H. Dignan, T. Macbeth, J. C. Hazard, Geo. C. Gunn, Dr. Jeffery and Librarian Blackwell.

The Woman's Art Club notified the board that they are giving up the room occupied by them on the upper floor of the library building. A deputation from the club waited upon the board and suggested some improvements, which would be appreciated by future tenants, such as the deadening of the floor and the improvement of the heating system.

The board decided to join the Ontario Library Association, which holds its annual meeting in Toronto, on Monday and Tuesday, April 8 and 9.

Sheriff Cameron offered to donate to the library the files of the local papers for the last 30 years, and his offer was accepted.

The finance committee recommended

payment of accounts amounting to \$21.34.

The contract for the board's printing was awarded to the Catholic Record.

Insurance of \$2,000 was ordered to be placed on new books.

The librarian's monthly report showed a total circulation for the month of 8,299 volumes, an average circulation per day of 273 books and 38 magazines, or a total of 350 per day. The amount collected for fines was \$31.04, a daily average of 51 cents. Ninety cards were issued during the month, making a total to date of 8,536.

A resolution was passed requesting that the city council place at the disposal of the board the services of the city engineer to superintend the proposed improvements.

LEAMINGTON'S LUCK

Good Gas Well Struck on the Lake Shore—Welcome News for Windsor.

Windsor, Ont., April 4.—An excellent gas well has been struck at Leamington on the lake shore just east of the old wells. According to the town's agreement with Mosler, who drilled the well, he was to receive no pay unless he got a well