

MAYORALTY IN DUNDAS.

Rumor That Gordon Wilson, M. P., May Run.

Queer Mix-Up In West Flamboro Is Probable.

Temperance Question Will Again be a Live Issue.

Dundas, Oct. 16.—There are not wanted indications that the municipal contests next January will be interesting and lively. In Dundas there seems to be a feeling that in dealing with the power company the Council is too easy. The town is lighted by a company practically identical with the Cataract Company, which owns the H. & D. Railway. A good many citizens hold that the town does not get a fair deal from either the H. & D. Railway or from the Electric Light Company. Lately G. C. Wilson has apparently become leader of the dissatisfied element. He has been sending enquiries to the Town Council and writing letters to the press, which virtually charge the Council with neglecting the interests of the town. In reply, Mayor Lawrason has a long communication in the local press this week exonerating the Council of the present year from any neglect of duty or any want of alertness in dealing with the company. The matter has become a live issue and there is a rumor that Mr. Wilson may oppose Mr. Lawrason in his first year, and for many years it has been customary to give the Mayor a second term unopposed. Citizens will watch further developments with much eagerness.

In West Flamboro Townships there seems to be a possibility of a three-cornered contest. These Townships have filled the position for two years past, and seems desirous of securing a third Councillor. Forster is an aspirant for the position and claims that a third term is out of the question for any occupant of the position. There seems every likelihood that both parties will be in the field. This being the case, it is surmised by many that ex-Reeve Brooking will again be in the fight. He was defeated for a third term by Reeve Binkley in 1908 and again for this year. Reeve Binkley and Councillor Forster are both Liberals and ex-Reeve Brooking is a Conservative, and two Liberals running may so split the party as to make the election of Brooking fairly easy. But besides politics, the temperance question may play a considerable part in the contest. In 1907 local option fell short a few votes of securing a three-fifths majority, but the same year's Council reduced the number of licenses by one. The next year the license turned very largely on the question of restoring the cut-off license, Reeve Binkley standing out boldly for maintaining the reduction, while his opponent, Brooking, seemed to receive the almost unanimous support of the electors opposed to reduction. Councillor Forster is an aggressive temperance man, as well as Reeve Binkley, and if the contest is a triangular one it will be a great mix-up of politics and temperance, for a large number of Conservatives of the township are strong opponents of the liquor traffic and as such supported Binkley in former contests. The outlook in the township is, if anything, more interesting than that in Dundas.

Three well-known citizens of Dundas, Wm. Mason, John Douglas and Wyck Harrison, have recently returned from prospecting journeys to the Canadian Northwest, the result being that all of them will become citizens of that great Canadian country, the first mentioned going about the first of November and Messrs. Douglas and Harrison in time to take up farm operations for next season.

Last evening the advanced Bible class of the Y. M. C. A. took up the much discussed late first eleven chapters of Genesis. The result of the discussion is not quite clear, but it may be safely assumed that the orthodox view of this portion of Scripture was well sustained. The question for next Friday evening will be "Is War Justifiable From a Christian Standpoint?"

100,000 BLAZED.
Somerset, P. E. I., Oct. 16.—The Highland Inn here regarded for many years as a popular pleasure resort, and one of the largest hotels of this section of the State, was totally destroyed by fire this morning, entailing a loss estimated at \$100,000.

KILLED BY TRAIN.
Little Falls, N. Y., Oct. 16.—Philo B. Castler, a prominent granger and Democratic leader, and president of the Castler Bookcase Co., was instantly killed today when a West Shore passenger train struck a horse that he was driving at a grade crossing in this city.

HONORED THEIR MANAGER.
The local office of Heintzman & Co. was the scene of a pleasant event yesterday afternoon, when all the members of the staff met and presented Mr. A. L. Garthwaite, their manager, with a memento and a bouquet of American beauty roses.

A Tempting List.
Squab, wild duck, chickens, domestic ducks, home made sausage, crumpets, muffins, maple syrup, sauerkraut, Dil pickles, Neufchatel cheese, new figs, dates, table raisins, apricots, peaches, nectarines, prunes, chestnuts, grape fruit, pine apples, select and standard oysters, comb and extracted honey, O. A. C. butter, strictly fresh eggs, peafowl and ham, head lettuce, sweet potatoes, cauloupes, pears, peaches and plums. Bain & Adams, 89, 91 King street.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES
To rent at \$2 a year and upwards, for the storing of deeds, bonds, stocks, wills, silver and other valuables. TRADERS BANK OF CANADA.
—Mrs. (Dr.) H. C. R. Walker, formerly Miss Winnifred Blandford, Wetaskiwin, Alta, is the guest of her brother, Mr. W. E. Blandford, at his summer residence, 161 Clifton avenue, Mount Hamilton.

FRANK J. HOWARD.
Candidate for Honors in Oratory.

ROBERT J. MENARY.
Candidate for Honors in Oratory.

LLOYD M. HOULDING.
Candidate for Honors in Oratory.

WALTER W. LEE.
Candidate for Honors in Oratory.



JAMES J. JOLLEY, President Hamilton Summer School of Oratory.

The Man in Overalls

What are the men going to do about it? We know what the temperance people intend doing.

It's up to Van Allen to provide a school for the Beach children. Send the triant officer after him.

I class wife desertors on a par with wife beaters. In fact, they are worse. Any plan to chase up these runaways and bring them to justice has my distinct approval.

Now suppose J. J. Scott turns round and does something for the city. It is easy to find fault.

You needn't bother with the storm door just yet. No use in rushing the season.

Should Ward 4 join the temperance movement there is no saying what Trustee Allan and his Tory pals may be provoked to do.

Unless you have a good excuse, the minister expects to see you at church tomorrow. If the pulpit is losing its power and the preacher his grip, a good deal of the responsibility for that lies at the door of the man who stays away. How would you like to preach to a handful of people?

I was talking to that good man, Angus Sutherland, the other day. He had a book with him containing an account of the eviction of the Highlanders from their farms in the early part of last century. He thinks the dukes and the peers are to get what's coming to them at an early day. Time has its revenge, no doubt, no doubt.

I knew that License Inspector Sturdy was an important personage. But I didn't know that he had the power to give permits to break the Lord's Day Act. Wonder if the Rev. T. Albert Moore knows that Mr. Sturdy has more power than has King Edward himself, and that he has the Alliance under his thumb.

I may be innocent or just ignorant. But who is the party boss of ward 4 who also appears to have influence enough to defy Whitney's stationary engine legislation?

Get yourself enrolled in the Liberal club. It doesn't cost much, and it's a good place to spend an evening in.

The Hamilton Herald tells its readers that Ald. Peregrine is both "sly and slippery." But the Herald is an ass.

If you want to go to work tomorrow, better get a permit from Mr. Sturdy.

Now, don't be too late to night, girls. Keeping your window open yet?

Perhaps Rev. Dr. Pringle will now apologize.

Sent in: If any little word of ours can make one life the brighter:

If any little word of ours can make one heart the lighter; God help us speak that little word, and take our bit of singing.

And drop it in some lonely vale, and set the echoes ringing.

INDUSTRIAL OUTLOOK IS VERY BRIGHT IN HAMILTON.

Mills and Factories Loaded With Work That Will Keep Them Busy During the Long Winter.

A Highly Optimistic Feeling Prevails Throughout Industrial Hamilton and In Almost Every Line of Manufacture.

What is the industrial outlook for the coming winter? That is a question that many are asking.

Yesterday afternoon the Times made it its business to find out. To say that the outlook is bright would be too mild an expression; it is positively a rosy one.

Every manager who was spoken to about the outlook was optimistic, and not in one solitary instance was there a note of pessimism struck.

The prospects for a good winter for the workers never were brighter.

The cause of the horizon looking so unusually bright, is due to the bountiful harvest in the West, in a large measure, and to restored confidence.

Besides the factories being busy, building will be exceptionally good right up to Christmas, and, although, in the middle of winter, building is almost at a standstill, yet next winter's will compare favorably with any previous seasons.

The Hamilton Bridge Company is working full force, and will soon put on a double shift, and will continue busy up till next spring.

"Everything is satisfactory from our point of view," said the manager.

The Gurney-Tilden Company will be busy in all lines of goods they manufacture, except stoves, and the plant will be busy all winter.

The Westinghouse rang a merry peal of optimism to the Times' query about how business is with them. With the orders they now have, they will be kept busy till the merry spring comes again.

The International Harvester Company replied when asked what their prospects were, "Good." The manager intimated that the flowers will be blooming again before they begin to slacken up.

"It looks good," said the manager of the Hamilton Steel & Iron Company. The two blast furnaces that were put out of commission by accident some time ago are now in working order, and about to be put in use again. They are expecting some large railway contracts, and if they come along there'll be a halo of activity round there for many months.

"Our business prospects are exceedingly bright," said Mr. Greene, of the Sanford Manufacturing Company.

"Is your outlook better than at this time last year?"

"No comparison at all," was the answer.

"We could give employment to a large number of men," were the last words of the happy manager.

Then, what about the boot industry? McPherson's have increased the size of their factory and the addition will be ready for business in ten days.

That factory will keep working at top speed all winter to meet the demand for their shoes.

The Eagle Knitting Mills are working night and day and old Father Winter will have come and gone before the orders on hand are filled.

Every department of the Canada Screw Company will be kept busy till the daisies bloom again, filling out orders they now have on hand.

"Business is splendid," said Mr. Cyrus Birge, the general manager.

Then the workers in wire will be working full strength at the Greening wire works, and "never brighter," is what Mr. Greening said about his business outlook.

Someone must be buying meters for the Canadian Meter Company have been working 55 hours a week and they are going to work 60, and that is a good sign. The manager says the west is doing a lot of buying from them.

"Chuck full," was the answer the manager of the Bayne Carriage Company gave when the query that had been put to the others was asked him. That firm has built an addition this summer, added new machinery and went out for business. They got all they can handle for many months to come, and it will keep them hustling at that.

If the Frost Wire Fence Company get no more orders for some time the orders now on their books will keep them busy till next June. The factory has been trebled in size and the machinery quadrupled, and so the merry hum will be heard there running full time all through the long cold winter.

With such an outlook for the winter, as the foregoing reliable information predicts, it looks as if there will be little call on the city for help from the unemployed. It will be a season of plenty for all.



AMOS VIPOND, Candidate for Honors in Oratory.

SMALL BOY TO MIMICO.

Frank Sullivan, aged 11 years, was sent to Mimico Reformatory by Magistrate Jelis this morning, for an indefinite period. He is one of the two boys, Clifford Smoker being the other, who were on the Gard-shore-Thomson property the other night, and were smoking cigarettes, when the place took fire. He was found not guilty of arson, but was sent as a bad boy.

Sinker was let go, as there is an Eldorado of sadness around that boy's case.

His father some time ago lost a leg by accident, and his mother is now very sick in the hospital, consequently, the boy has nobody to look after him.

An Italian boy named Lando, who lives at 187 Barton street west, saw the smoke and rang in the alarm at the time of the fire.

After the Magistrate had pronounced sentence on Sullivan, the boy's mother went into hysterics and had to be carried to a side room by several policemen.

Painful Coughs.

Can be relieved by taking Cherry Cough Cure. It allays the irritation and stops that racking cough. It is composed of herbs that have been found to be the best for colds, 25c. the bottle.—Parke & Parke, druggists.



ROBERT J. MENARY, Candidate for Honors in Oratory.

DID NOT HAVE UNION LABEL.

Trades Council Refused to Distribute Technical Literature.

Fund Started For Building a Labor Temple Here.

Other Matters Dealt With at Last Night's Meeting.

The Trades and Labor Council last night took the initial step towards securing a permanent headquarters for organized labor in this city by establishing a Labor Temple building fund. One-half of the proceeds of the Labor day celebration was ordered to be placed to the credit of this fund, and to be used for no other purpose, and it is hoped that by the time the lease of the present building expires the Council will be in shape to move into a building of its own.

Delegates were present for the first time from Dundas, the Garment Workers of the Valley Town having two representatives present.

Secretary Rollo was away in Milwaukee attending the convention of his international, and ex-Secretary Obermeyer, and in his stead.

Literature in reference to the technical school was on the secretary's desk, but as it did not bear the union label, it was ordered not to be distributed. No printed matter without the labels of the printers and pressmen is given any attention by the council, no matter where it may have been printed.

Communications from the Peace and Arbitration league and the Social and Moral Reform Council, enclosing petitions for signature, on the subjects of anti-militarism and the abolition of gambling and the white slave traffic, were received, and the petitions were signed by the delegates.

The Single Tax association also sent on petitions for signature, but the council had already gone on record in favor of this system of taxation at a previous meeting.

The Council's delegate to the Trades Congress of Canada submitted his report of the proceedings of that body, which met with approval.

The council elected President C. I. Aitchison as delegate to the Federation of Labor convention, which meets in Toronto in November.

The Labor day committee were presented with handsome testimonials, in appreciation of their efforts to make the celebration a success. The souvenirs were in the shape of gold lockets suitably engraved.

The secretary was instructed to supply Secretary Morrison to the Federation of labor with statistics regarding hours and rates of wages of affiliated unions.

Representatives of the new-organized Stationary Engineers' union were present and invited the members to attend its inaugural meeting this evening in Traders bank building, when the new officers will be installed by members of the Toronto local.

Secretary Frank Morrison of the A. F. of L. wrote to the effect that he had notified the headquarters of the international unions whose locals had no representatives at the council that these locals should elect delegates to the local council under the laws of the federation.

Satisfaction was expressed that the weigh scales were not to be abolished by the city council.

Mrs. E. A. Isard will be home to her friends at 758 King street east, the third Wednesday of every month.



JOHN M. PEEBLES, Candidate for Honors in Oratory.

HE DUPED AN OLD FRIEND.

A well-known King street east business man's cash account was depleted to the extent of \$150 last Thursday by the act of an old acquaintance, who "was unneeded" and the duped one is trying to locate the absent man.

Last Thursday one John Hill called at the office of the business man in question, on King street, and said he had a good "furnishing store in Valley City, South Dakota, and he was up here looking for Gordon Mackay & Co. He produced a list of the goods he said he had bought, amounting to \$150, and asked the Hamiltonian to endorse his draft for the amount of the goods.

There was naturally some hesitation, the city man from across the line mentioned several local friends and people in Toronto, known to both, which served to make his story appear bona fide. The draft was made and was duly endorsed.

The local man's Traders book was lying on the desk in the office, and that must have been a hint to Hill, for that is where he cashed the draft.

Inquiries have been made at Gordon Mackay & Co's., who know nothing of Hill. They remember a man calling on them last week, who asked to see some goods, and after they were shown to him he said he could buy cheaper in the States.

The stranger, however, took a catalogue and said he would look through it, and would probably decide on some goods. That was the last they saw of him.



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FRANK A. PARLINGTON, Candidate for Honors in Oratory.

BORDEN SUIT.

Carruthers Fined \$100 or Spend Six Months in Jail.

(Special Despatch to the Times.)
Kentville, N. S., Oct. 16. To pay a fine of \$100, or, in default of payment, to serve six months' imprisonment, with seven days in which to pay the fine, was the sentence imposed by Judge Drysdale on Wm. Carruthers, in the celebrated case of the King vs. Carruthers, arising out of the distribution of copies of the Eye-Opener, containing alleged libellous statements regarding Sir Frederick Borden. The Court House was crowded this morning when sentence was pronounced.

A. E. Dunlop, representing the prisoner, said that confinement would be injurious to the prisoner. He lives with an old sister, ill with heart trouble. She took his conviction very hard. He asked for leniency. Mr. Justice Drysdale said he was quite in accordance with the verdict. He did not see how it could have been otherwise. The offence occurred during a hot political contest, but the defence had been aggravated by pleading justification. The Judge animadverted on others who, he thought, were behind Carruthers. He was not the only culprit, therefore the light sentence.

There is considerable public sympathy for the defendant, who, it is thought, got the notion that he was justified in his action.

NOT NOW ON INDIAN LIST.

An Old Timer's Time Expired In September Last.

There was an air of emptiness in Police Court this morning, for there was not one prisoner behind the fence, and not one spectator on the benches aft. Satan had not one of his mortgagees in the toils. P. C. Lord stood at the gate of the pep, evidently from force of habit. When the Magistrate entered the look of pleasurable surprise in his eyes was plainly evident.

Three names were on the roster. "Harry England!" called Sergeant Moore. "No answer." "Harry England!" he called again, and up-stairs and down stairs a search was made for Harry. "He's not here, your Worship," cried several stentorian voices in unison.

"Issue a warrant for his arrest then," England was down charged with a breach of the liquor act by his spouse. It was said he was on the Indian list. License Inspector Sturdy, however, was not present. It was afterwards learned that England's time as a listed man expired on September 23rd, and when his wife laid the complaint she did not know that fact.

W. J. Southam violated a city by-law by leaving his automobile on the street in front of his house all night. He paid \$2.

The aftermath of the James McLarty and Montgomery assault case was heard, when the latter sued the former for \$6,500 wages due. It transpired he had left his job without notice. The case was dismissed.

ON TUESDAY.

Hydro-Commission Promises Decision By That Time.

Although the aldermen believed they had the power question settled as far as Hamilton's connection with the Hydro-Electric Commission is concerned, there still seems to be some reason for doubt. The City Hall officials had been led to believe that the matter of approving of the draft contract for Hamilton was a mere formality. The commission met early this week to pass on it and, according to the Toronto reports, the matter was settled. Hon. Adam Beck telephoned Mayor McLaren last night, however, and told him the commission would meet on Tuesday and give its decision.

Genuine Calabash Pipes.

South African Calabash pipes have revolutionized smoking. They are light in weight and smoke cool, dry and clean. All sizes, with sterling silver mountings, are sold at peace's pipe store, 107 King street east.

The Ontario W. C. T. U. convention is to be held at Belleville on Oct. 19 to 22, inclusive.

HAS REFORMS TO SUBMIT.

Engineer Macallum Will Keep Them For Board of Control.

Building Permits Issued For Large Amount of Work.

No Cases of Typhoid Fever Reported This Week.

City Engineer Macallum admitted this morning that he had a number of important recommendations for the new Board of Control next year, with a view to improving the work of the departments under his control. "Yes, the waterworks' bookkeeping system is pretty punk," he said. There are other things, though, Mr. Macallum explains, that are equally loose and require reorganization. At present there is absolutely no check on stores and supplies, and it is not improbable that the Board of Control will be asked to appoint a purchasing agent to check up all the supplies for the Waterworks, Board of Works and Sewer Departments. Mr. Macallum is inclined to favor this if the Board of Works and Waterworks yards are combined.

The Engineer will also advise next year that tenders be called for the trenching work in connection with the laying of water mains. Some time ago he inspected some work on Hilliard street, where he says the waterworks gang appeared to be anchored to the job. It took him nearly three weeks to find out that the cost of the work was about 21 cents a yard. He finds that other cities do this work for from 11 to 15 cents a yard. Hamilton, however, pays from \$1.50 to \$2 to the laborers, while the wages in these other places is \$1.50 a day.

In connection with the criticism of the waterworks department for its system of bookkeeping it is only fair to Secretary James to explain that he has time and again called the attention of the committee to the looseness of the system and the advisability of having a ledger. He says his instructions were to continue the use of the cash book only, and there was nothing left for him to do but obey. He even says he pointed out to the aldermen the danger of the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board refusing the city permission to issue debentures at any time unless a better bookkeeping system was established.

Mr. Macallum thinks that the bookkeeping system can be improved without going to any unnecessary expense. Some of the present clerks, he thinks, can look after it. The Engineer is of the opinion that many of the employees in the department under his control are underpaid, and among the things he will likely recommend next year are a number of salary increases.

Building permits believed to aggregate in value over \$800,000 were issued today. Although no figures are given for the addition to the Otis-Fensom elevator works, when the company last spring decided to remain in Hamilton, it spoke of extensions costing about \$50,000. The permits issued were as follows:

George H. McMahon, brick house on Hunton street, between Spring street and Ferguson avenue, \$12,000.

Mills & Hutton, steel and brick foundry building, 102 1/2 100, also a warehouse building, foot of Victoria avenue, 112x 190, for Otis-Fensom Elevator Company.

Stewart & Witton, brick house on Ravenscliffe avenue, south of Aberdeen avenue, for H. R. Witton, \$10,000.

Stewart & Witton, brick house on Garth street, south of Aberdeen avenue, for W. J. Southam, \$8,000.

A. W. Peene, three-story brick warehouse, corner Ferguson avenue and Hunton street, for W. A. Freeman Company, \$12,000.

E. H. Hall, two frame houses on Sherburne street, (Continued on Page 16.)

AUTO SMASH.

Brighton Beach, N. Y., Oct. 16.—The Rander car No. 8 in the 24 hours automobile race was practically demolished at 7 a. m. today, when it skidded on a curve, shot through the inner rail, and turned three somersaults. Chas. Bower, its driver, and J. Mause, its mechanic, suffered severe scalp wounds.

SOLD RIFF MINES.

Paris, Oct. 16.—The Matin's correspondent at Oran, Algeria, telegraphs a sensational rumor to the effect that Mulai Hafid, the Sultan of Morocco, has sold the Riff mines, which were the cause of the trouble between Spain and the Moors on the Riffian coast, to a German company. Should the fact of the sale be confirmed consequences of the gravest character would appear inevitable.



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AT R. MCKAY & CO'S. MONDAY, OCT. 18, 1909

700 Yards Plain and Shadow Stripe Suitings

Worth Reg. 90c. Monday Sale Price 75c Yard



Come to this store Monday and take advantage of one of the best selling events from our great Dress Goods Section of the season.

54-inch Two-Tone Stripe Suitings, Worth Reg. \$1.25, Monday Sale Price 79c Yard

Every woman should see this grand bargain for Monday's selling; 54 inches wide and comes in a splendid weight for fall and winter suits.

Big Purchase Sale of Pretty Wool Delaines

75 pieces Wool Delaines on sale Monday at almost half regular. Comes in light, mid and dark grounds with neat spots and floral designs.

Now is the Time to Buy Winter Suits and Coats--A Particularly Good Suit at \$15

In rain, blue, green, brown, black and a splendid assortment of stripes and checks. Coats are semi and tight-fitting models, nicely tailored and trimmed.

Women's Winter Coats \$5.98 Children's Coats \$2.98

25 only to offer at the above price. Black, blue, brown and assorted colors in tweeds, semi and tight-fitting models. Regular \$10.00 and \$12.00.

Women's Skirts \$2.98

Navy, black, brown and a good assortment of stripes. All new up-to-date models; assorted sizes. Regular \$5.00, on sale Monday morning at \$2.98

Monday Specials in Ribbon Department

5/8 inch plain Ribbon, large variety of colors, in demand for girls' hair bows, sashes and millinery purposes; regular 50c quality, for \$25c

Bargains in Auto Veiling for Monday

20 pieces Chiffon Auto Veiling, with chiffon border, in black, brown, navy, sky, pink and white, regularly 35c, sale price Monday \$25c yard

Monday Millinery Greatly Reduced

Handsome French Fur Felt and Velvet Covered Hats, assorted colors and styles, copies of our French models. Do not fail to come and see these hats on Monday, worth up to \$12.00, Monday \$4.98

Exceptional Values for Monday from Jewelry Dept.

Pearl Setting Blouse Pins 25c Blouse Pins, gold plated, in pearl setting, makes a nice collar or blouse pin. Regular 50c, Monday we will close this line for only 25c

Interesting News from Our Staple Section

Flannelettes 36-inch White Flannelette, soft, warm finish, worth 16c, for \$11c 36-inch Striped Flannelette, firm, close weave, regular 12 1/2c, for \$10c

"House Beautiful" Dept. Offerings

Sale of Madras Muslins Imperial Lace Curtains These beautiful Double Thread Curtains, of English and Scotch manufacture, in white, cream and ecru.

R. MCKAY & CO.

Katharine's Sacrifice

"You have come at last, have you?" he greeted her with a sneer. His eyes went savagely to her face, and a frown came as he looked at her.

"Going out?" she repeated, vaguely. Gordon threw off the silken coverlet that lay across his legs, and pushed himself into a sitting position on the couch.

"Yes, going out. D—n the doctors! They would keep me boxed up here for always. Ring the bell; I shall go for a drive. What is the use of having servants and horses if you do not use them."

"The maid, an old domestic of the house, was silent; but she thought the more she had just come from watching the operation of carrying Mr. Smythe from his room to the carriage, and something like the real solution of Katharine's strange, cold manner had been discovered by such of the household who, like herself, had been present at the scene.

"You must not fret, ma'am," the woman said, offering what she imagined might be sympathy under the circumstances. "Mr. Smythe was put in most comfortably; old Thomas is driving him, and he has got his valet, too. I don't think he can come to any harm—at least, we will hope not. It was a strange fancy; but then invalids do have strange fancies, you know, and they often know what is good for them, ma'am."

"How long Katharine lay in silence and quiet she never knew; it might have been moments, it might have been hours, but all of a sudden she was aroused from the dim, mazy dream into which she had fallen. The door was flung violently open, and in came some man who clutched her knees, wildly, madly crying to her at the same time, in tones of frenzy:

"Come, she almost screamed. 'Come, you may not be late! They are exaggerating, don't they? Bad news is not always true! Come, let us go to him at once—at once! Katharine, why do you hesitate? Are you his wife, and yet you do not rush toward him now?'"

"The words came from her lips mechanically, but the answer she received, given gravely and quietly by her maid, awoke all her slumbering senses. The horses had taken fright at a traction engine, the carriage had been overturned, and Gordon Smythe, insensible and horribly mutilated, had been carried into the Brexley Asylum, which happened to be close at hand. The old coachman had been killed on the spot, and the valet was terribly shaken and frightened, but he had nevertheless ridden back with all the speed he could to tell the news at Charlton Abbey. It transpired that the coachman had entreated Gordon to permit him to turn back half an hour before the accident happened; but with strong and strange perversity Gordon had refused; he seemed possessed with a desire to drive past the Brexley asylum, and nothing would move him from this. The result of his obstinacy was death and destruction to himself and others.

"The village doctor sent word that if his mother and wife would see Gordon Smythe alive once more, they must drive to Brexley village as soon as the news reached them. Katharine heard all this without a murmur. She was trembling in every limb with the sense of horror that had fallen on her; but even ill, worn as she was, she once again sacrificed herself to think of another. Turning to the poor mother, she flung her arms about her neck and drew her for one moment into a tender embrace.

"Be brave, dear; be brave!" she whispered, calling up all her strength and courage to give comfort to this tortured heart. "All may not be so bad. Come, we will drive over to him at once. Lean on me, dear, and keep up your heart. We will soon be there!"

and then the maid interposed hurriedly: "Do you think you are fit to go, ma'am? you are so ill." But Katharine was firm. "My place is with her," she said in her faint, low tones; "but you can come, if you will, also, Marshall."

The long, dreary drive was accomplished at last; Lucy Smythe, worn out with weeping, lay back exhausted on the cushioned seat, but Katharine's erect, her hands clinched tightly together, a bright crimson spot burning fiercely on either cheek, making her face seem illumined with some new strange beauty.

Marshall watched her carefully, and felt a pang go through her at the torture and misery in those beautiful eyes. The doctor met them at the entrance. Without a word Lucy Smythe looked up into his face, then with a groan she dashed past him, and ran into the room where they told her her son was.

"You must be prepared for the worst, Mrs. Smythe," the physician said to Katharine. "Your husband cannot possibly survive his injuries! In his condition it was simply madness to have attempted any exertion, much less take this long drive. I am convinced, even if the accident had not happened, the consequences of such exertion must, in any case, have been dangerous, perhaps fatal."

Katharine grasped the door with her right hand. She had faced the fact of Gordon's death often during the first days of the accident, but now the awful reality struck her. He was going out this world, going without having cleansed his soul from the terrible, the ghastly sin that had laid on it during the past months. She had no feeling of respect for the coward who had so cruelly persecuted her, but the thought of his death, unshriven, unconfessed, was to her most awful.

"Let—let me go to him!" she gasped, urged by the tumult of feeling to rush to him, and on her knees implore him to repent and ask pardon before it was too late. "He has asked for you many times. He seems to have something on his mind. I can't quite understand what it is he wants; but he keeps asking for some person who he says lives here in the asylum. Perhaps you can help us, Mrs. Smythe."

Katharine made no answer, but followed the doctor with slow, faltering steps, into the chamber of death. With her eyes she saw the heap on the floor, beside which Lucy Smythe was crouching, clinging to it with trembling hands. She saw some one in a nurse's garb, and another man's figure, who was standing gazing vacantly at the scene, with wide, staring blue eyes, from under a shock of white hair.

"The nurse moved up to the doctor swiftly. 'We have discovered who it is he wanted to see here,' she said in low tones to the doctor. 'I sent upstairs for some lint, and they gave it to number thirteen to bring down, and directly Mr. Smythe saw him he gave a scream, and exclaiming: 'You here! You here! You have come!' fell back in this swoon, from which I can not rouse him, sir.'"

The doctor knelt down by the dying man, and Katharine, leaning back against the wall, watched him with distended eyes, feeling her heart grow cold and colder within her. Suddenly Gordon moved, his eyelids opened, and he saw Katharine. There was a scintillation of expression in them which the doctor translated. "I think he wants you, Mrs. Smythe."

"The girl drew near, and bent low over the prostrate form of her husband and her son. The pallid lips opened and a whisper came from them: "Pray for—forgive—Katie. I—I am sorry! Be—be good—to—him!" Katharine's eyes were full of tears.

"Yes, yes; I forgive you, Gordon," she answered, quickly. "Do not think of me; think of yourself, dear. Will you ask God to pardon you? Oh, Gordon! Gordon! Before it is too late, will you not do this?" There was a spasmodic movement of the head, then a moment's silence; then three words, uttered in a husky voice, with a glance at the strange man's figure, wide staring, vacant eyes, and whitened hair. "He—is—Craven!" The rest died always; and as a kthleen turned suddenly and gazed at the creature, they called Number Thirteen, Gordon Smythe gave a broken sob, and with his mother's arms clinging about him, passed away from the world and his sins forever.

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If I had my way, I would sweep all such people out of the land!" Lady Clara hummed softly to herself. She began to see daylight.

"By the way, my dear, when do you expect Lord Otway to return?" Barbara's face changed, and she cast down her eyes demurely. "He did not say exactly when in his last letter," she answered.

Lady Clara was silent for a moment. "He is a good correspondent, isn't he?" she remarked. Barbara's brows contracted for a second, then she replied, smoothly: "Yes, very; but then he has so much to say to me, you know, Clara."

Lady Clara pursed up her lips as she sauntered on alone, some one having come to claim Barbara. "What strange things men are! Now, what can be the attraction in Barbara Mostyn for such a nature as Lord Otway's. It is very odd—almost as odd as the manner in which he threw up his career last year, and went out as a missionary to China. I could have wished him a better ultimate fate than marriage with Barbara Mostyn!"

Lady Clara sauntered on and on until, somehow, she had reached the skirts of Brexley Hall, and was looking out on the village road. As she stood there, deep in her thoughts, a smart little carriage, drawn by a pair of pretty ponies, came toward her, and in the slender, black-robed figure of the lady driving Lady Clara was quick to recognize Katharine, Mrs. Gordon Smythe.

A flush mounted on our heroine's lovely cheeks, and then a smile came as, at a gesture, Lady Clara motioned her to draw up, and then went forward gracefully, with her hand outstretched in greeting. "I am delighted to meet you, Mrs. Smythe," she said, warmly and truthfully, for she had both liked and admired Katharine, and Barbara's spite had only deepened this feeling. "You remember me, of course?"

"Perfectly," Katharine answered, with a smile. Not a trace of the serious illness that had fallen on her after Gordon's death remained to mar her beauty; but for the sad expression in her grey eyes, she looked as she did the first night we saw her. Life was now very different to her; she was revered, beloved, and admired by all around her; she had everything that money could procure; her purse was ever open to alleviate suffering and the distressed. By every means in her power she was trying to wipe away from Craven Adair's saddened life the memory of the cruel wrong from which he had endured so much. Her path lay clear and bright before her, with only one shadow upon it, and that one a shadow that would never pass—the bitterness of her hopeless, never-ending love for one who had considered her not even worthy the name of woman.

Lady Clara chatted on briskly. "I hope you will let me come and see you, Mrs. Smythe," she said after a while. "I shall be so glad," was Katharine's reply, given in her simple, unaffected manner. "We are very quiet. I have only my cousin, Mrs. Smythe, an old friend, Miss Weston, and Mr. Adair and his sister staying with me; but I will give you none the less a hearty welcome."

"I shall drive over without delay," Lady Clara's eyes were fixed meditatively on Katharine for a moment. "By the way, how is poor Mr. Adair nowadays—better? Ah, I am glad, and so will Lord Otway, when he hears the news. I must let Barbara be sure and write to him."

The older woman noticed in an instant the quick flush followed by the deadly pallor, and at that instant she had fathomed the real meaning of Barbara's insolence and hatred toward her fair neighbor at Charlton Abbey. (To be Continued.)

STRUCK BY WOOD. Reeve of Greenock Township Dies as Result of Injury. Walkerton, Ont., Oct. 15.—A. C. McKee, reeve of Greenock township, was accidentally killed to-day. Mr. McKee, who owned a sawmill on his farm, about two miles from Pinkerton, was running a circular saw, when a small piece of wood flew off and struck him on the left side of the neck. The neck commenced to swell, but no dangerous results were anticipated. However, the swelling continued, and he died at three o'clock this afternoon.

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DARING FRENCHMAN Paulhan Flew in Violent Wind in a Voisin Aeroplane.

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A BAG OF ELEPHANTS. Roosevelt Kills Several for American Museums.

Nairobi, British East Africa, Oct. 15.—The Roosevelt party arrived here this afternoon from the north of Gwasa Nyoro. All are well. A porter accompanying the party was tossed by a rhino, but he is recovering. (Ed. Roosevelt has killed three more elephants, completing the group intended for the Smithsonian Institution at Washington. He has also killed a bull elephant for the American Museum of Natural History at New York.)

HE'S A BIGAMIST. Toledo Woman Openly Accuses Her Husband.

Toledo, O., Oct. 15.—A decided sensation was created in local society circles here to-day when it leaked out that Prof. Albert Kemp, a prominent musician of northwestern Ohio, had mysteriously disappeared from his home here for more than a week. Mrs. Kemp reported the matter to the local police to-day, and openly declares that her husband is a bigamist. Mrs. Kemp states that she has positive knowledge that her husband was married about a year ago to another woman in Toronto.

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SATURDAY, OCT. 16, 1909.

THE TOOL CONVICTED.

The jury in the criminal libel case brought against Walter M. Carruthers, of Kentville, N. S., by Sir Frederick Borden, Minister of Militia, arising out of the circulation of copies of the Calgary Eye-Opener, containing most atrocious charges of immorality against the Minister, last night returned a verdict of guilty. This result of what appears to have been nothing less than a deliberate attempt by conspiracy and slander to ruin the reputation of a public man and politician, will be highly gratifying to the respectable public of Canada. No one who has read the reports of the trial carefully can fail to agree with Judge Drysdale's remarks in his charge to the jury, on the character of the persons used by those who conspired against Sir Frederick to bring about his undoing, and to approve of the finding of the jury on the evidence. Mr. Ritchie, one of the ablest members of the Canadian bar, conducted the defence, and the court, as the judge remarked in his charge, gave him the fullest latitude in the presentation and examination of witnesses, and allowed him to use extraordinary language in addressing the jury, even to present the matter as "a political case." The jury appears to have been unanimous in regarding the Eye-Opener story as concocted with the intent of assassinating a public man's reputation, and that the most shameless perjury had been resorted to in the effort to enable the accused to escape the consequences of his crime. Great care seems to have been taken by the conspirators to create a situation that aroused suspicion, and to procure witnesses who would not hesitate at any statement necessary to the success of the plot. Indeed, their witnesses seem to have been too ready to be helpful in this direction, with the result that no intelligent court could avoid rejecting the entire contradictory story.

We shall doubtless hear appeals for pity for the tool who has fallen under the jury's censure. He deserves none. The pity of it is that the whole rascally gang of unscrupulous slanderers, many of them holding seats in Parliament, could not be brought to punishment for their share in the conspiracy at moral assassination. Carruthers, in this matter, represents the more depraved element of the Conservative party.

JOHN BULL CRITICISED.

Occasionally we get from some careful observer a glimpse of England from an American point of view unbiassed by narrow national prejudices, and then those who have been brought up to think that England is "slow" and "dead-end" and a land of "tyranny of monarchy" receive a bit of a jolt. Such a clarifying view was given by a series of articles published in the early part of the year in Scribner's, and now issued in book form, by Price Collier. A few extracts, so strikingly in contrast with much of the stuff written by United States critics, may be of interest:

At the Station. The noiseless gliding out and gliding into the station, the English way of running things. No shouting, no nervous snapping of watches, no shrieking of whistles, no clang of bell; a scarcely audible whistle and the thing is done. These people know their business or somebody would be left behind, somebody would get into the wrong train; they do know their business. We are soon to find that this is the country of personal freedom, and also of personal responsibility. You may do as you please unmolested, unchastised, unreported, unphotographed, unrebuked, unnoted even, as in no other country in the world. At the moment you do what you ought not to please to do, from the policeman to the court, and thence to the jail, is a shorter road here than anywhere else. So much personal liberty is only possible where justice is swift, unprejudiced, impartial and sure. The lord, the millionaire, the drunkard and the snatch thief are treated the same.

The English Crowd.—What an orderly crowd it is! Call it by all the bad names you will, and there remains this characteristic of law-abidingness which has been to me for many years, and is still, a ceaseless source of wonder. See them at the great race at the Epsom Downs on Derby Day. As you look from your coach top you see a black mass of people. No sign of a track, no sign of a race. A bell rings, two or three policemen on horseback, half a dozen more on foot, begin moving along the track, and this enormous crowd melts aside, makes a lane. The horses come out, dash away, the race is run, and back the people swarm again. The same at the Lord Mayor's show. A few policemen begin clearing the middle of Fleet street—a narrow street at best. Then mounted police, four abreast, not a word said, scarcely a gesture; no clubs, no noise, a lane is made through these people packed together, without shoving, pushing, elbowing, cursing or angry words, and here comes the procession. I have walked those streets now, on and off, for many years and at all times of the day and night, and I cannot remember being pushed, shoved, shouldered or elbowed. It is marvellous, that showing, pushing.

The King.—At Newmarket in the members' stand, walking from the stand to the paddock, I see a short, heavily built man of sixty odd, with grey beard and moustache, a fine, aquiline nose, clear eyes, a cigar in his mouth, dressed in a brown bowler hat and a formless brown overcoat. It is the King. The King of that crowd in Fleet street. The King of that crowd at Epsom. The King of these quiet people in the paddock at Newmarket. No one stares, points, whispers; no one even looks. He, too, is given fair play; a chance with other English gentlemen to enjoy himself. He does not meddle with them; they do not meddle with him. If it is necessary to have a row, as has happened when there was undue meddling on either side, it is fought out and settled. In the meantime, fair play, and give every fellow a chance, from the King to the coster-monger. As an American I take off my hat. I should take off my hat to this King, anyway. He is the cheapest investment and the most valuable asset

England has to-day. Whenever he has taken a part in national affairs it has been for the glory, the peace and the prosperity of his country. When he meddles it is not to advertise himself, not for the humiliation and undoing of his country, but for her honor.

Britain's Security.—There is much talk and writing these days of the danger to the Empire from Germany and other powers. Much is written of English decadence. * * * No wonder the average Englishman cannot be terrified, or even aroused, to take decent precautions against invasion. They do not need the training of other peoples. They are already trained. When I see this quality of the race I smile to think what would become of a hundred or two hundred thousand Germans landed on these shores, with their machine-like methods, their lack of initiative, and their dependence upon a bureaucracy. They would be swallowed up, or dispersed like chaff. These Saxons would dispose of them as they disposed of the Danes. They are not quarrelsome, not over-sensitive, not inclined to carry chips on their shoulders, or to call attention to the length of their coat tails as offering an opportunity to any who dare to tread upon them, but they are a nasty lot to deal with once the row is on.

The author finds that while the best Englishmen have not been made dominating by long dominance, second and third rate Englishmen are much disliked for "humptiousness," while the mass of the race are much misunderstood, their lack of sympathy and warmth being constitutional, not intentional. The Englishman has a horror of intruding in private matters, and he carries it to a point incredible to Americans. This gives him an apparent lack of vivacity, but it results in a delightful absence of prying and questioning. On the whole the critic seems to think that if John Bull was better and more intimately known Americans would hold him in higher esteem.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Who is the skinflint who disputes that Toronto lawyer's bill for something like \$22,400 for 25 days' work? Why such closeness?

Those who looked for the aldermen who have been warring on the local electric industry to oppose John Patterson's application for an extension of time for building the H. W. & G. R. were disappointed. Those "Build-Up-Hamilton" aldermen hardly dared to come out so openly with an election less than three months ahead. They have done their best to hinder the enterprise from being financed, however.

The Divisional Court at Toronto has decided to allow the case of Smith vs. London, which involves the Hydro-Electric contract of that city, to be passed upon by the court to determine the constitutionality of the legislation which forbids the courts to hear and decide any cases affecting the Commission. It will be recalled that when Mr. Justice Riddell dealt with this matter he held that all actions were stayed by the Ontario special act. The Divisional Court holds that the matter is one which should be heard by the higher courts.

In the annexation discussion at the Civic Committee the other night, one of the aldermen stated that Hamilton's per capita increase in manufacturing in recent years was greater than that of any other Canadian city. We think the statement was an error; it certainly was, if it referred to the last two years. In that time other cities have been walking away from Hamilton while our people have been wrangling over an attempt to crush the one great industry which has given Hamilton its great attraction to manufacturers.

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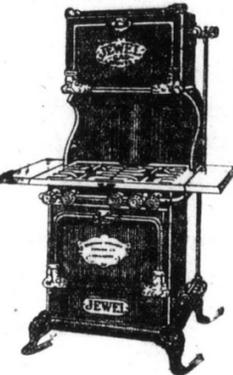
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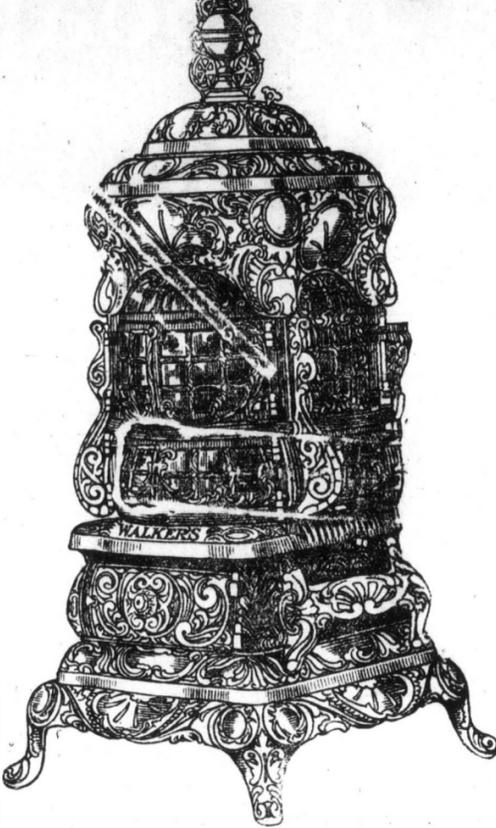
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JUST POSSIBLE. (Chicago News.) "Man was made to mourn," quoted the moralizer. "Yes," rejoined the demoralizer, "and woman was made to see that he does it."

A COMING EPIDEMIC

THOUGHT IT WAS SHE. (Boston Transcript.) Husband, who fell asleep while receiving a candle lecture, hears the morning alarm clock. "Oh, for goodness sake, Maria, shut up!"

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THE END. (Puck.) "I understand, now that he has married a wealthy widow, that Walker Farr, the eminent author, will retire from the stage."

INDIRECT DESCRIPTION

HARDY BOYS. (Cleveland Leader.) "I tell you, my boy's a tough one! He's been in all the practice games

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EVERYBODY'S COLUMN

JUDGE MABEE. Editor.—When was Mr. Mabee appointed to the Railway Commission, and what is his salary. [He was appointed March 28, 1908. His salary is \$10,000 a year.]

ROYAL MILITARY COLLEGE

MORE MARKET, MORE TRADE. To the Editor.—We need more market accommodation to bring trade to Hamilton. Everybody will benefit by it. I think the Times and Mr. Sealey deserve thanks for agitating for some action. You want to get out in the country to hear how bitterly the farmers complain of the lack of accommodation on Hamilton market. I think the Greater Hamilton Association might do worse than take the matter up.—Rural.

GARNISHING WAGES

INTEREST. Sir.—How long will it take for money to double itself at ordinary rates of interest computed half yearly?—Depositor. Money earning five per cent., compounded semi-annually, doubles in 15 years. To be exact, \$1 would in 15 years

SHAKESPEARIAN

Dear Editor,—I have read somewhere that the name of Shakespeare is found hidden in some queer way in the Psalms. Can you tell us about it?—Student.

THE ATHABASCA

Government Steamer Offered to Help Release Her. Owen Sound, Oct. 15.—A telephone message from Tobernorey this morning, from Superintendent Buchanan, who went to the stranded steamer Athabasca, states that the steamer is six feet out of water at the bow and that a boulder had penetrated the bottom of the vessel. He asked that the Alberta be sent up to lighten the stranded vessel, and it is expected that she will be pulled off easily. The Alberta will bring the freight back to this port, and it is expected that the damaged steamer will go to Detroit for repairs.

WAGES TO BE PAID

Wages to the amount of \$25 are exempt from garnishee process, but there is a provision that if it is noted on the summons that the defendant is unmarried and has none dependent on him for support the court may permit even a smaller amount to be garnisheed. Better turn it over to a lawyer.—Ed.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES

"She thanked him with a 'look.' "I s'pose her own was so tight that she couldn't trust herself to speak, eh?"—Washington Herald.

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INTEREST. Sir.—How long will it take for money to double itself at ordinary rates of interest computed half yearly?—Depositor. Money earning five per cent., compounded semi-annually, doubles in 15 years. To be exact, \$1 would in 15 years

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES

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SHAKESPEARIAN

Dear Editor,—I have read somewhere that the name of Shakespeare is found hidden in some queer way in the Psalms. Can you tell us about it?—Student.

THE ATHABASCA

Government Steamer Offered to Help Release Her. Owen Sound, Oct. 15.—A telephone message from Tobernorey this morning, from Superintendent Buchanan, who went to the stranded steamer Athabasca, states that the steamer is six feet out of water at the bow and that a boulder had penetrated the bottom of the vessel. He asked that the Alberta be sent up to lighten the stranded vessel, and it is expected that she will be pulled off easily. The Alberta will bring the freight back to this port, and it is expected that the damaged steamer will go to Detroit for repairs.

WAGES TO BE PAID

Wages to the amount of \$25 are exempt from garnishee process, but there is a provision that if it is noted on the summons that the defendant is unmarried and has none dependent on him for support the court may permit even a smaller amount to be garnisheed. Better turn it over to a lawyer.—Ed.

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SPOKE UPON INFECTION.

Dr. John Amyot Before the Hamilton Association.

Fine Address on Bacteria and Their Functions.

The Useful Kind and Those Which Spread Disease.

An earnest and enthusiastic audience was present at the regular monthly meeting of the Hamilton Scientific Association held in its museum room last evening...

CHURCHES TO-MORROW.

Special Services and Special Music.

In Gospel Tabernacle Pastor Philpott will preach morning and evening. Mr. Sedgewick will preach at both services in Central Presbyterian Church.

At First Congregational Church Rev. E. H. Tippett will preach to-morrow evening on the topic, "A Celebrated Emigrant."

The regular morning and evening services will be held in Trinity English Lutheran Church, Conservatory of Music, to-morrow. Anthems by the choir. All seats free. All welcome.

At Central Methodist Church Rev. Isaac Couch, M. A., B. D., will preach on "The Perfect Life." In the evening Rev. I. Tovell will preach. Attractive singing. Visitors welcome.

In Ryerson Church a meeting for men only will be held at 10 a. m. The pastor, Rev. C. S. Applegath, will preach at both services. Morning subject, "Mysteries;" evening subject, "The Sower."

In MacNab Street Presbyterian Church Rev. Beverly Kelchen will preach at both services. Morning subject, "Social Opportunity and Duty;" evening subject, "Much to Glory n."

At St. Giles' the pastor, Rev. J. B. Paulin will preach at both services. In the morning Miss Robertson will sing, and in the evening Miss Ethel Lawry will be the soloist. Orchestra at all services.

Rev. J. V. Smith, D. D., will occupy the pulpit of Centenary Church to-morrow, his morning subject being "The Reign of the Dead," and the evening "The Preacher's Message." Appropriate musical services by the choir.

At James Street Baptist Church to-morrow Rev. Elmore Harris, D. D., will preach at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Morning quartette, "Incline Thine Ear;" anthem, "Though Dark the Night;" Evening, solo, "Like as the Hart;" anthem, "As On That Night."

Canon Almon Abbott, M. A., will preach morning and evening at Christ's Church Cathedral to-morrow. A mass meeting of the Sunday school scholars, teachers and friends will be held in the cathedral at 8.15 p. m. Addresses will be given by prominent churchmen.

At Simcoe Street Church the pastor will conduct both services. In the evening he will begin a series of talks of special interest to young men, illustrated from the thrilling life story of Will Crooks, M. P., the Great English Labor leader. No. 1, "His Home Life and Early Years."

Sunday will be a day of intercession for Sunday schools throughout Canada in the Anglican churches. At St. George's Church morning and evening services will be devoted to this purpose, and a special service will be held at 8.15, to which all parents and friends of the scholars are invited.

Rev. H. D. Cameron, B. A., will preach in Knox Church to-morrow at 11 a. m. and at 7 p. m. Rev. S. B. Rohold, of Toronto, will occupy the pulpit. The soloist of the evening service will be Miss Edith M. Taylor. In Knox Mission Mr. Russell McGillivray will preach in the morning, and Rev. H. D. Cameron in the evening.

At First Methodist Church the pastor, Rev. E. B. Lancelotti, will preach at both services. His subject at the morning service will be "My Field, the World, or the Garden, Which?" and in the evening he will speak on "A Dearly Contested Victory." Appropriate musical services will be rendered by the choir, under Wilfrid V. Oaten.

In Victoria Avenue Baptist Church the pastor will on Sunday morning deliver an illustrated address to the Sunday school scholars. During the service certificates of honor will be distributed to those who passed the recent written examination on the Sunday school lessons. At the evening service the subject of the sermon will be "An Unfailing Detective."

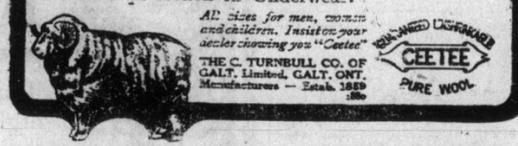
To-morrow the Westminster Presbyterian Church celebrates its sixth anniversary. Rev. S. B. Russell, of Erskine Presbyterian Church, will preach at 11 a. m. and Rev. D. R. Drummond, of St. Paul's, at 7 p. m. Special music at both services, anthems and solos. On Monday evening at 8 o'clock Rev. Dr. Cleaver will give his celebrated lecture, Victor Hugo's masterpiece, the story of Jean Valjean. The lecture is thrilling and entertaining. Everybody should hear Dr. Cleaver. Tickets are 25 cents.

ENTERTAINED AT ZION. Last Monday evening the Epworth League and Excelsior Club of Zion Tabernacle entertained the Normal students to the number of about one hundred and fifty, to a social evening.

Organs and Practice Pianos. Now is your chance to get one cheap. Organs at \$5, \$10, \$15 and \$25. Practice pianos (guaranteed five years) for \$40, \$50 and \$75, at Heintzman & Co., opposite the postoffice, 71 King street east.

CEETEE UNDERWEAR

Soft, velvety and healthy. It is the special method of knitting to the form and the secret shrinking process that makes "Ceetee" Underclothing so comfortable. Only the finest Australian Merino Wool is used, which makes for absolute perfection in Underwear.



Monday, Oct. 18, 1909. SHEA'S MAY MANTON Patterns, All 10c

Women's Suits at \$15

About 20 of them, in a good variety of dark and light colors, long silk lined coats, finished with the fashionable jet buttons. Beautifully hung skirts, entire that at \$22.50 would be talked of as a bargain in other stores, Shea's special price, to clear, each \$15

Women's Skirts \$2.95. Black and colored pleated and nicely trimmed with silk strapping and buttons, regular \$4 value, on sale for \$2.95

Skirts at \$3.49. French Panamas, in brown, navy, green, blue, pleated and trimmed with buttons, made in the very latest styles, regular \$5 value, Shea's special price, each \$3.49

3 Special Values in Mantles

Made in the very newest styles well lined, trimmed with buttons and braiding, beavers, chevrons and kerseys, black and colors. We have not been able to show you such values for a long time. \$6.75, \$8.95 and \$10.95

Women's Trimmed Hats at \$5.00. A splendid lot of becomingly Trimmed Hats, suitable for any occasion. All the swell colorings and shapes. Hats that \$7.50 would not be a cent too much for. Shea's special value each \$5.00

Women's Dress Hats at \$6.50. Very richly trimmed with very best materials on imported shapes in the most becoming styles. All the new colors. A Shea special at each \$6.50

Women's Underwear, worth \$1.25, for \$1.00. Women's Natural Wool Unshrinkable Vests and Drawers, Penman's No. 95, that always sell for \$1.25 and worth it too; on sale at the Shea store for per garment \$1.00

Women's Knit Underwear at 25c. Vests, open front; Drawers, ankle length, both shapes; natural and white; good heavy fall and winter weight; the best value that money and experience can give you; per garment \$0.25

Knit Underwear 50c. Vest and Drawers, beautiful, fine knit, part wool, and splendid quality, all sizes and extra special value, per garment \$0.50

Dressing Sacks 75c and \$1.25. Two very special values in Dressing Sacks, made with and without belt; good, deep collar; dark and light colors; striped and Paisley patterns, very special at, each \$0.75 and \$1.25

Undershirts at 99c, \$1.25, \$1.49, \$1.95. Made of satens, moresans, taffetines, and some fancy materials, splendidly shaped garments, and made in the very best possible manner. Black and all the good colors, and priced one-quarter or one-third less than regularly, each \$0.99, \$1.25, \$1.49, \$1.95

THANKSGIVING CAMPAIGN.

Great Work For the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A.

Hamilton's True Citizens Are Sure of Full Success.

The energetic citizens who have banded together to complete the great work of the Y. W. C. A. and Y. M. C. A. building campaigns have chosen a particularly appropriate time for their splendid efforts. The men have undertaken to raise fifteen thousand dollars for the young women and they are going to begin active work to that end on Thanksgiving Day. At that time there will be a banquet in the Y. M. C. A. building, to be attended by the workers. This will be made an occasion of very great enthusiasm, a fitting inauguration for a whirlwind campaign. During the five days following, the public will be invited to make subscriptions. Thus, throughout Thanksgiving week a pleasant opportunity will be given all the people to engage in a very practical form of thanksgiving by helping along this good work.

That the effort will be successful is a foregone conclusion. The men behind it have the best of reasons for being assured of complete success. In the past the response has always been very generous. The public thoroughly believes in the Y. W. C. A. and the Y. M. C. A. They know that money put into these organizations is a good investment. The Y. W. C. A. needs \$15,000; the Y. M. C. A. \$10,000. These sums are required in order fully to complete the new buildings now under way and to equip them properly. It is proposed Thanksgiving campaign is primarily for the Y. W. C. A. That association, about four years ago, started to raise money for a new building. Many subscriptions have been received from time to time, but the full amount needed has not been secured as yet. Some months ago, however, building operations were begun, and fifteen thousand dollars must be added to the sum in hand. Fortunately, the Y. M. C. A. must have ten thousand dollars in addition to the \$55,000 pledged in June last, for the new boys' building. When the plans were completed it was found that the first estimate was too low. Or rather, it was discovered that at slightly larger cost a very much more creditable building could be put up, and in the interests of real economy it was judged to be wiser to build for the future and have a boys' department which should fulfill all requirements for ten years at least.

Give your stomach "a square deal" by eating SHREDDED WHEAT. The food that is full of nutriment and easily digested. Heat in oven and serve with milk or cream, salt to taste.

STANLEY MILLS & CO., LIMITED Saturday, Oct. 16, 1909

MONDAY THE DAY FOR DRESS GOODS AND TRIMMINGS

We want you to glance over the offerings made in our Dress Goods Department for Monday. Special prices are in order, and there is going to be a big clearing in this already busy department. Mind you, these are new, fresh goods, decidedly so; now turn your attention to these items.

- Tweed Suiting \$1.50 yd. 56-inch Tweed Suiting, all pure wool, in wanted shades of navy, green, brown, grey, taupe, etc.; for tailored suits or separate skirts, for Monday, per yard \$1.50
- Tweed Suiting \$1.25 yd. 54-inch Tweed Suiting, all pure wool, in shades of grey, taupe, navy and brown, especially suitable for suits or separate skirts, per yard \$1.25
- Black Voiles \$1.25 yd. Black Silk and Wool Voiles, in stripe effects, for dresses or separate skirts, firm, even weave, per yard \$1.25
- Cheviot \$1.25 yd. Heavy Black Cheviot, 56 inches, all-wool, extra weight for tailored suits or separate skirts, on Monday, per yard \$1.25
- Cashmeres 50c yd. Wool Cashmeres, in all the wanted shades, also black, a fine French weave, special Monday, per yard 50c

We Can Supply the Many Needs of the Dressmaker, at our Notion Department; nothing has been forgotten, and many new concoits for trimming may interest you.

- Featherbone, either black or white, twill covered cotton, for boning waists or girdles, on Monday 8c yard, 90c dozen yards.
- White or Black Tape 5c roll
- Silk Soutache Braid 3c yard, or 30c dozen
- Dressmakers' Tracers 5 and 10c
- Machine Belts, about 60 inches long, with wire to join, regular 10c, on Monday for 7c each
- Hooks and Eyes 5c card
- Belding's or Corticelli Sewing Silks, 5c spool, or 50c dozen
- White Tape 10c, dozen in bunches
- Tape Lines, 60 inches, 5 and 10c each
- Hooks and Eyes, common black, 2c card, 3 cards for 5c
- Hooks and Eyes, white or brass, 3c card, or 2 cards for 5c
- Coat's Sewing Cotton, 5c spool, or 50c dozen
- Bias Seam Binding 15c
- Rolling Tape Lines 15c
- Skirt Hemmers \$2.50

DRESS TRIMMINGS

A Multitude of New Dress Trimmings are to be seen at the Ribbon Dept. Colored Braided Insertion for dress trimming, 1 1/2 inches wide, latest shades, per yard 50c

STANLEY MILLS & CO., LIMITED

FOR HONORS IN ORATORY.

Public Contest Under Auspices of Temperance Federation

And All the Speakers Will Have Temperance Subjects.

Speakers at the Summer School Will be Judges.

The Hamilton Summer School of Oratory, successfully organized last June by the local Canadian Club, has the distinction of being the first school of the kind established in Canada.

Beautiful Down Comforters at \$5.50, \$6.00, \$7.50 to \$14.00. For beautiful, light, warm bed covering there is nothing to equal a Down Comforter. This season's display is the finest yet, such beautiful designs and colorings, with border effects. Made in England from the finest down, braided, stitched and perforated, in medium and large sizes, Saten and satin coverings. See our range at \$5.50, \$6.00, \$7.50 way up to \$14.00.

Stock of Flannelettes and Flannels

We have built up a reputation for quality for our stocks of Flannelettes and Flannels which people have begun to recognize the best to be had. Full stocks meet you on every hand in these English Flannelettes in variety of stripes in all colors, also plain colors and white, in standard qualities. Prices range at 10, 12 1/2, 15 to 25c.

Attractive Neckwear for Women

Our Neckwear Department for women is conspicuous just now for many new ideas from Paris and New York novelties, made up of fine linen, batiste and real lace stocks and jabots. Guipure Lace Stocks, Yokes, Matine Shaws, Coat Sets, Crepe de Chine and Spanish Lace Scarfs. Spend a moment or two here on Monday and see these new styles. Prices range at 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 to \$12.00.

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

THE LYCEUM.

Collegiate Institute Literary Society Organized For Year. The first meeting of the Lyceum Literary Society of the Hamilton Collegiate Institute was held last evening in the assembly hall. The newly elected officers for the fall term were introduced to the students, each having a few remarks to make on the work that they expected to accomplish. The officers are as follows: Honorary President—Dr. R. A. Thompson

President—Mr. H. Mitchell, First Vice-President—Mr. D. Mitchell, Second Vice-President—Mr. W. B. Collier, Third Vice-President—Mr. W. Howard, Secretary—Mr. F. L. Henderson, Treasurer—Mr. A. Morton, Ladies' committee—Misses B. Rouse, M. Bevis, J. Land, M. Havill, Men's committee—Messrs. R. McGillivray, H. Campbell, F. Kemp, L. Barnes. After the introduction of the officers, Mr. L. M. Houlding gave an address regarding the Vox Lycei.

Dr. R. A. Thompson addressed the meeting and said that the success of the society did not rest upon the officers alone, but upon the other members of the society, who should co-operate with them. Miss J. Pennington gave a very enjoyable violin solo, and responded to a hearty encore in a charming manner. Owing to an important business engagement Mr. Turner was unable to give his much anticipated address. Miss G. Johnson gave a recitation, and received an enthusiastic encore. Miss M. Havill played a delightful piano solo, which was also immensely enjoyed.

THE LIBERAL PRESS will not be living up to its record if it fails to engage in a brave shout at the vindication of Sir Frederick Borden's character. (Toronto Star.)

HE OBJECTS. (London Advertiser.) Lord Monkhouse is one of many Englishmen who refuse to subscribe to the theory advanced by the National Service League that the way to make a man serve his country is to make him drill, whether he likes it or not.

PLAY FAIR. (Brantford Expositor.) There may be no truth in the charge that the world's championship baseball games are being manipulated for the gate receipts, but had this been so the whole thing could not have been better managed. Unconventional people can be tire some as the conventional brand.

GRIMSBY AND BEAMSVILLE.

Some Citizens Want Beamsville High School Closed.

Fashionable Wedding In Presbyterian Church Next Week.

Masonic Funeral of the Late Capt. Andrew Randall.

Beamsville, Oct. 16.—(Special).—Mr. James Jarvis, St. Catharines, was in town during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Deeks, Toronto, were guests at Invergie on Sunday.

Thomas Fisher, Gowanda, has been spending a few days with old friends here.

Mr. Arthur Culp, teller of the bank of Hamilton staff, has been transferred to the branch at Simcoe.

Major Hill, Niagara Falls, was here on Tuesday, and will endeavor to reorganize No. 2 Company of the 44th Lincoln and Welland Regiment.

Miss Anne Sinclair was hostess on Thursday afternoon at an informal kitchen shower, in honor of Miss Jean Gibson. Those present were: Mrs. C. H. Prudhomme, Miss Mackie, Miss Edith Hewitt, Miss Buck, Miss Holden, Miss McCombs, Miss Taylor, Miss Louise Kerr, Miss Florence Beatty, Miss Margaret Paradise, Miss McKee, Miss Annie Gibson and Miss Evelyn Gibson.

The Clinton and Louth Agricultural Society will be fortunate in having a small surplus this year.

James Dufford and Clarence Martin have returned from the West.

The remains of the late Mrs. C. Moyer were brought from Brantford on the Monday morning train, from whence they were taken to the Evangelical Church, Camden, for service. Interment took place in the Mennonite burial ground.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Couse, Ridgeway, were spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Aylmer Couse.

To-morrow in the Baptist Church Rev. Dr. Thomas will preach in the morning. In the Methodist Church the pastor's subject will be, "The True or False Guide." Evening services in the above churches have been withdrawn, and Rev. Jesse Gibson will conduct a union meeting in the Presbyterian Church, the collection to be in aid of the Bible Society.

At the Council meeting on Monday night, a request from the band for a grant of \$100 was considered. Afterwards the organization was granted \$50.

Rev. Amos Kings, Woodstock, has been spending a couple of days with his brother, Mr. Cyrus King.

Children's service to-morrow morning in St. Alban's Church.

E. A. Lancaster, M. P., St. Catharines, was through the district on Saturday last.

A meeting of the Woman's Institute has been called for Thursday afternoon, in the Reception Hall.

Miss Jenkins' resignation from the High School staff has been accepted by the Board of Education, and will take effect on Nov. 1. Applications are in from several other teachers for an increase in salaries.

The ratepayers of Beamsville are already draining their pockets for school purposes, and some of them are arguing that a big saving could be effected by cutting off the High School altogether.

Two-thirds of the pupils who finish the Public School course never enter the High School at all, and this rule has been general during the past five years. A good third of the pupils who enter the High School fall out after a year or two, and this is especially a fact in reference to the boys.

It will be a wedding of unusual interest and one of much eclat that takes place in the Presbyterian Church on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, when Rev. Dr. Macintyre will unite in the bonds of matrimony Miss Jean L. Gibson and Mr. David N. Finney, of Ottawa.

E. J. Amies and Jasper Book have been confined to their respective homes through sickness this week.

J. D. Spence has disposed of his fruit farm on the second concession, Clinton township, to John Geogon.

Miss Margaret Paradise has returned to her home in Buffalo, after a month's visit with her cousin, Miss Hewitt.

The funeral of Mrs. Lewis Cornwall, a former well-known citizen of Beamsville, took place from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Robert Lister, on Tuesday, to the St. Catharines cemetery. Rev. Judson Truax conducted the services. Many residents will yet remember the death of her husband, the late Lewis Cornwall, who perished in his burning home on Nixon street some twelve years ago.

GRIMSBY.

Rev. A. I. Terryberry preached anniversary services in the Sinclairville Methodist Church on Sunday last.

Union Lodge, F. & A. M., had charge of the funeral of the late Capt. Andrew Randall on Thursday afternoon. Friends met at the home of his son, Mr. James Randall, where Rev. John Muir conducted the services. The burial took place in Queen's Lawn Cemetery. By the death of Andrew Randall, Grimsby loses a citizen and landmark who always looked on the bright side of things, and the familiar presence of the good old gentleman with his Bible will be missed on the streets that were familiar to him in every respect for every sixty years.

There will be a meeting of the man's Institute next Tuesday afternoon.

The United Empire Bank has moved into their excellent new offices on the corner. The arrangements for the facilitating of business are alike creditable to the institution and its manager.

Miss Jean Rusk, Mono Mills, is the new assistant on the post office staff, Miss Osborne having returned to her home in Listowel.

Wm. Marsh, Iowa Falls, Iowa, son of Mr. D. Marsh, is here on a visit.

Mr. F. W. Maddox's new innovation of a restaurant and tea room is becoming rapidly popular, and is especially so with transients. Thanks to Mr. Maddox's public spirit, no one need pass through Grimsby now without a square meal.

"A Trip to the Pacific Coast," illustrated by limelight views, should be a delightful program item at the meeting of the Epworth League of the Methodist Church on Monday night.

It was with much sorrow that the body of little Florence Violet Fisher, the three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Fisher, of North Grimsby Township, was laid away on Monday afternoon. The little girl was in fair health until a few hours of her death, which resulted from acute indigestion.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Pigott, were at Abudgon on Saturday last.

Public School report for September—The five pupils standing highest in each division are given below:

Form fourth, seniors—Alice Groat,



FLUFFY RUFFLES.

The clever young lady who is to be at Britannia Roller Rink on Tuesday evening next.

R. Marsh, G. Smith, C. Van Dyke, W. Larsen.

Juniors—Lillian Miller, D. Konkle, H. Clark, G. Phillips, R. Durham.

Form three, seniors—Jessie Walker, Lloyd Marlatt, Pansy Hill, Edgar Fisher, Geo. Walker.

Juniors—Frances Van Duzer, Vera Farrell, Beulah Ryckman, Nina Smetzing, Gertrude Wismer.

Honors: Reading—Geo. Walker, Bruce Ross, Writing—Muriel Bonham, H. Kirke, L. Maddox.

Spelling—Eleanor Ross, K. Walker, M. Doty.

Arithmetic—Pansy Hill, Frances Van Duzer.

Geography—Lloyd Marlatt, Harold Walker.

Senior third—Reta Wilson, Ruth Walker, Stanley Ockendun, Eugene La Page, Eddie House.

Junior second—Ella Wilson, Clarence Farrow, Bert Haist, Harold Gowland, Harold Staniland.

Part second—Helen Smith, Reggie Alexander, Greta Farrell, Gertrude Dipper, Lila Kidd.

Junior honors: Class fourth—Josie Wentworth, Florence Miller, Edward La Page, Meldrum Ockendun, Hazel Stuart.

Class three—Katie House, Eria Dorsty, Hazel Wilson, Dorothy Ross, Earl Phillips.

Class second—Rose Moore, Herman Richard, Harry Coleman, Loraine Terry-bory, Henry Game.

Class first—Arlotta Schaefer, Arthur Groat, Daros Bromley, Helen Liddle, Russell Dalgleish.

At Toronto yesterday in Hamilton Bridge Works Co. vs. General Contracting Co., H. M. Mowat, K. C., for plaintiff, moved for judgment for \$11,700.

G. H. Kilmer, K. C., for defendants, contra. Motion dismissed. Costs to defendant only in the cause.

Society

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario and Mrs. Gibson spent a few days this week in Hamilton.

Mrs. Brouse and Mrs. Kitchen are giving a tea this afternoon at King-George.

Mrs. Hendrie Leggat, Vancouver, is staying with Mrs. H. H. Champ, "Undercliffe."

Mrs. Young and Miss Young, Oak Bank, are at Clifton Springs.

Mrs. George Lynch-Staunton, mountain top, has sent out cards for a tea next Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Martin, Derreclare, gave a large "at home" on Thursday afternoon, when she was assisted in receiving by her eldest daughter, Miss Martin. The tea table decorations were very lovely and consisted of a tall glass vase of shaded pink dahlias and maiden-hair fern. Mrs. Washington and Mrs. D'Arcy Martin did the honors, assisted by Mrs. Clark, the Misses Martin, Miss Violet Grant, Miss Kate Gunn, Miss Carrie Crear, Miss Marie Dalley, Miss Belle Macdonald, Among those present were Mrs. DuMoulin, Mrs. Turnbull, Mrs. Missler, Mrs. Calder, Mrs. Southam, Mrs. Geo. Glasco, Mrs. Carey, Mrs. Olap Linde, Mrs. Howitt, Mrs. Gerald Glasco, Mrs. Geo. Lynch-Staunton, Mrs. H. M. Watson, Miss Violet Watson, Mrs. Dalley, Mrs. Tidwell, Mrs. Young, Mrs. R. H. Labatt, Mrs. Renwick, Mrs. W. A. Wood, Mrs. Simonds, Miss Simonds, Mrs. Powis, Mrs. Campbell Turner, Mrs. Child, Miss MacKenzie, Mrs. D. D. O'Connor, Miss Tull, Mrs. Alex. Gartshore, Miss Bell, Mrs. D. S. Gillies, Mrs. R. C. Thompson, Mrs. Pringle, Mrs. P. D. Crear, Mrs. W. A. Spratt, Mrs. Grenville, Mrs. Miss Mona Murray, Mrs. Merrick, the Misses Bristol, Mrs. F. B. Greening, Miss Greening, Mrs. Braden, Mrs. Alex. Zimmerman, the Misses Hobson, Mrs. Almon Abbott, Mrs. W. R. Marshall, Mrs. E. H. Innes, Mrs. R. L. Innes, Miss Amy Gaviller, Mrs. Woodman, Mrs. Glasco, Mrs. Bray, Mrs. Sydney Mewburn, Mrs. H. E. McLaren, Mrs. Mark Staunton, Mrs. F. S. Glasco.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Holton left this week for California, taking with them Miss Wilnot Holton.

Mrs. Roeliff Breckenridge left yesterday for New York.

Miss Frances DuMoulin has returned from Winnipeg.

The Committee of Management of the Woman's Exchange gave an at-home and informal musicale in the drawing room of the Waldorf Hotel on Friday afternoon in aid of the exchange. A charming novelty of the occasion proved the small bags made in the shape of socks which had been distributed to hold the contributions, and the clever verse accompanying them, asking for a very modest sum.

A short programme of songs and recitations was given, the performers being Mrs. Huerner Mullin, Miss Laidlaw, Mrs. Brennan, Miss Carrie Crear, Miss Jean Findlay, Miss Gladys Marshall, Mrs. Storer and Miss Ridley received, assisted by Mrs. Gardner, of the Waldorf Hotel, some of the many present including Mrs. DuMoulin, Mrs. P. D. Crear, Mrs. Lucas, Mrs. Abbott, Mrs. John Crear, Mrs. Southam, Mrs. Watson, Mrs. R. A. Robertson, Mrs. Almon Abbott, Mrs. Bradley, Mrs. Graham, Mrs. Nesbitt, Mrs. John S. Hendrie, Miss Enid Hendrie, Mrs. George F. Glasco, Mrs. Alex. Beasley, Mrs. Baldwin, Mrs. Robb, Mrs. J. D. Ferguson, Mrs. George Lynch-Staunton, Mrs. M. S. Glasco, Mrs. E. W. Greening, Miss Edna Greening, Miss Frances DuMoulin, Miss Meakins, Mrs. Gerald Glasco, Mrs. H. M. Watson, Miss Watson, Mrs. O'Connor, Mrs. W. A. Spratt, the Misses Bankier, Miss Phyllis Hendrie, Mrs. F. S. Glasco, Miss Marshall, Mrs. Pringle, Mrs. S. C. Mewburn, the Misses Holton, Miss Insole, Mrs. John Eastwood, Miss Mona Murray, Mrs. D. S. Gillies, Miss Kate Kennedy, Mrs. Willie Stewart, Mrs. George Thomson, Mrs. Turnbull, Mrs. Arthur Gates, Mrs. R. H. Labatt, Miss Mason, Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Arthur Rowe, Mrs. Storms, Mrs. Foote, Miss Foote, Miss Bristol, Mrs. Mark Holton, Miss Strathmore Findlay, Mrs. Rosalind Osborne, Mrs. H. E. McLaren, Mrs. Watkins, Mrs. Simonds, Mrs. William Shambrook, Mrs. Annie Young, Miss Jean MacKenzie, Mrs. Will Hendrie, Mrs. Fred Walker, Mrs. Alex. Zimmerman, Mrs. Turner, Mrs. William Gilmour, Mrs. Herring, Mrs. Frank Wanger, Miss Tudor, Miss Jean McLaren, Mrs. H. H. Champ, Mrs. Walter Champ, Mrs. D. S. Gillies, Mrs. R. S. Morris, Miss Buchanan, the Misses Lewis, Mrs. Levy.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Crookston are staying in Detroit.

Mrs. Robert Hobson and Mrs. Ingersoll Olmsted are in New York.

Miss Alice Hope, Charlton avenue, went to Boston this week to be present at the wedding of Miss Drinkwater.

Mrs. Leggat and Miss Leggat are staying at Clifton Springs.

Miss Alice Macdonald left this week for New York, from where she sails for England to spend the winter.

Mrs. James Thompson, Bay street south, entertained at tea on Friday afternoon in honor of her guest, Miss Mary Little, of Woodstock. Mrs. R. B. Harris and Mrs. Bostwick poured the tea and coffee at the table arranged with scarlet flowers. The assistants were Miss Reba Kittson and Miss Alice Balfour. A few of those present were: Mrs. W. J. Southam, Mrs. John Laidlaw, Mrs. Almon Abbott, Mrs. Arthur Rowe, Mrs. Kenneth Bethune, Mrs. Drynan, Mrs. William Shambrook, Mrs. J. D. Ferguson, Mrs. R. L. Innes, Miss Norah Cowdry (Toronto), Mrs. Mark Holton, Mrs. Ernest Lazier, Miss Bessie Balfour, Mrs. Harry Greening, Mrs. Alex. Gartshore, Mrs. Ernest Watkins, Miss Kennedy.

Mrs. James Mills, Main street west, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. K. Luke, in New York.

Mrs. C. I. Kelly will not receive again until she and Dr. Kelly return from Europe.

Mrs. Geo. S. Kerr, 78 Locke street north, will not receive again until the new year.

Mrs. G. S. Findlay has returned from

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the west after spending the summer with her sons, Gardner, at Victoria, B. C., and George, at Winnipeg, and friends at Calgary.

A happy event took place on Wednesday evening at the residence of Charles Holman, King street west, when his daughter, Jessie Elen, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony, to James Hempsstock. The knot was tied by Rev. C. T. Holman, Bracebridge, cousin of the bride. Amy R. Holman was bridesmaid, while A. J. Holman acted as best man, and the flower girls were Amy R. Ward and Amelia Grace Ward, Swansea. After the ceremony about forty guests sat down to a sumptuous repast. The newly wedded couple will reside in this city after the honeymoon, which is being spent in the west.

Mrs. Charles F. Loosley, formerly Miss Maude Magee, will receive for the first time since her marriage on Thursday, Oct. 21st, at 106 East avenue south, and afterwards on the first and third Tuesdays.

The committee of the Aged Women's Home are hoping for a large attendance at the annual meeting on Monday afternoon, when an opportunity will be given to inspect the building and enjoy a cup of tea with the old people.

Mrs. G. F. Armstrong will receive on the first Wednesday and Friday of each month at 218 Aberdeen avenue.

Miss Margaret McCoy is spending two weeks in New York city, hearing the great singers and moving among musical people.

Mrs. J. P. Morton will receive for the first time at her new home, 81 Home-wood avenue, on Thursday afternoon, October 21st.

Notwithstanding the inclement weather of Tuesday, a goodly number of members gathered at the home of Mrs. Logie to hear Mrs. Bertram's account of her impressions of Bisley, 1909.

The warm glow of the open fires and the red berries and autumn leaves, which profusely decorated the picturesque old home, made, with the hostess' hearty welcome, ample atonement for the discomfort out of doors.

Mrs. Bertram's description of the heather-clad common, with the white tents of the contestants who gather from every corner of the civilized world, from Africa, Australia, Straits Settlements, India, Tasmania, Canada and the motherland, was both instructive and interesting.

Accompanying the talk were a number of photographs of the team, the individual winners, the Canadian "hut," evidently an artistic and comfortable structure with greater pretensions than its humble name would imply; also an avenue of maples vainly trying to do credit to their home country under adverse climatic conditions. None the less interesting were the books of telegraphed congratulations from such senders as Arthur of Connaught, Lord Roberts and Lord Strathcona.

Following Mrs. Bertram's address a general discussion of the arrangements for the forthcoming lecture of Mrs. Wood on "General Gordon" in the lecture in the armories on the afternoon of the last Thursday in October took place.

This will be open to the public, and a most unique and instructive treat is anticipated on this occasion.

The afternoon closed by a standing vote of thanks to Mrs. Bertram and Mrs. Logie for their kind entertainment.

Among those present were Mesdames Atkinson, Moody, Bruce, Watkins, Sey, Lester, Bell, McCullough, Milner, Ernest Watkins, Misses Rennie, Meakins, Kilgour and others.

Mrs. J. S. Ireland and youngest son,

Bartonville, returned last evening after a three months' visit in British Columbia, visiting her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Ireland, Nelson, and Miss Kenn, Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Miller are guests at the Chalfonte, Atlantic City.

Mr. F. S. Cummer, from the head office of the I. O. F. Temple building, Toronto, with Mrs. Cummer, are spending Sunday with friends in the city.

Mrs. J. S. Williamson returned today from a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. (Rev.) H. H. Bingham, of Paris.

R. H. PRESS.

Well-Known Contractor Died Suddenly Last Night.

Instantaneous death claimed Mr. Richard H. Press, a well-known contractor, at 7:30 o'clock last night, at his residence, 142 Ferguson avenue north. He had been troubled with his heart for seven or eight months, and while he attended to his business he had not taken any active part in the work for five months. After finishing his supper last evening he complained of a pain in his side and after resting for a few moments, commenced to walk up and down the room, when, without a moment's warning, he fell. Doctors were called and worked over him for some time, but pronounced life as being extinct before they had arrived. Deceased was 68 years of age and had been a resident of Hamilton for over 40 years. He was a native of Kent, England, where he was engaged in a similar business as he had followed here. He was an active member of the old Gore Street Methodist Church, and was also a member of St. George's Society and Sovereign Council, Royal Templars. He leaves a widow, one son, Richard, of this city, and three daughters, Mrs. Martha Seymour, Mrs. W. H. Cooper and Miss Annie, residing at home. The funeral will take place from the family residence to Hamilton cemetery on Monday at 3:30 p. m.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Catharine Bolton took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Aged Women's Home to Hamilton Cemetery. A large number of her relatives were present. The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Canon Wade. The pall-bearers were six of her grandsons. Many flowers showed the esteem in which she was held.

The funeral services of the late John Irving will be held to-morrow afternoon at 1 o'clock at his father's residence, 88 Wellington street south. The remains will then leave on the 2:30 P. M. train for St. Catharines, thence to Port Dalhousie, where the interment will take place.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Thompson will regret the death of their son, Harry A., at their residence, 137 John street south, at the age of 6 years and 9 months. The funeral will take place on Monday afternoon to Hamilton Cemetery.

The death of May Elizabeth, better known as Minnie, third daughter of the late Simeon Doak, occurred at her mother's residence in the village of Amster, at the age of 24 years. She formerly was a resident of this city and was a girl of very fine character. She had suffered much with a lingering illness for over two years. She was a member of Central Methodist Church, of this city. The funeral services will be held on Monday, 2 p. m., and the interment will be in Hamilton Cemetery.

LADIES' STRING ORCHESTRA.

The favorable opinions won by the ladies in their concert last season will no doubt cause music loving people to give a warm welcome to Miss Hunter and her orchestra at their coming concert, which promises to be one of the musical events to be given before Christmas. The ladies continued their practices immediately after their concert last March, and with the beginning of September, the rehearsals were again enthusiastically taken up after the holiday season. By steady and earnest work the orchestra has improved greatly in both tone and finish, and an interesting programme of high class music has been arranged for their coming concert.

FLUFFY RUFFLES.

The Britannia Roller Rink will introduce to Hamilton folks Miss Fluffy Ruffles, the female Sherlock Holmes, who has baffled the best talent in American cities. For her capture \$10 in gold has been offered. By steady and special instruction, Manager De Vaudrey has requested Miss Fluffy Ruffles not to leave the popular east end rink until she is caught. Both spectators and skaters have an equal chance to catch her, for she will be in the balcony between 8:30 and 9 on Tuesday, and while on the floor will not skate many bands alone. The popular rink is now open three times daily, with courteous attendants on the floor at all times to teach patrons the art of graceful skating, etc. Tonight Lomas' Band, with an entire line of new selections.

BIG NIGHT.

At the Alexandra this evening the largest Saturday night's crowd of the season is expected. A special programme of fifteen skating numbers will be given. Skate in the finest rink in Canada. Go to the balcony to-night if you don't skate, and watch the whirling mass of humanity.

CAINE IMPROVING.

London, Oct. 16.—Hall Caine, the author, who was seized with an attack of heart trouble on Thursday night, is reported to-day as improving.

Fred Young, 46 1/2 James street north, fell while descending the stairs at his home this morning, and gashed his head badly. He was taken to the City Hospital, where his condition is considered serious.

The choir of Central Presbyterian Church will don their new gowns at tomorrow's services. It is thought that the wearing of the gowns will make the musical portion of the services more impressive.

The brokerage firm of Ennis & Stoppin, which failed six months ago, will not be permitted to resume business on the Consolidated Stock Exchange.

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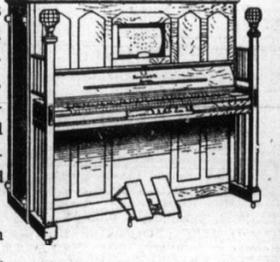
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SIR F. BORDEN WINS HIS SUIT. Carruthers Found Guilty of Libelling Minister of Militia—Judge Charges Against Him.

Kentville, N.S., Oct. 15.—Sir Frederick Borden, Minister of Militia, received his vindication to-night, when the jury brought in a verdict finding Walter M. Carruthers, of Kentville, guilty of criminal libel. The jury retired at ten minutes to four o'clock to consider the verdict. They returned after being out four hours, less ten minutes, to ask whether they were to consider the verdict in relation to count number four of indictment, which referred to the house, 862 Palace street, Ottawa. His Lordship instructed them that the count in relation to the house named was a distinct libel, and as justification was pleaded, they must deal with it as it was on its face. The jury again retired, and, after remaining out for some time further, returned at five minutes to eight o'clock with a verdict of "Guilty." His Lordship then discharged the jury for this term, thanking them for their attendance. The prisoner was then remanded to jail without bail, to appear to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock for sentence.



SIR FREDERICK BORDEN.

The court room was crowded with eager and curious spectators, but there was no demonstration of any kind. This was probably due to the fact that during the progress of the trial his Lordship had warned the Sheriff that order must be maintained in court during the proceedings, and that anyone causing an disturbance whatsoever would be summarily dealt with. The Minister of Militia is receiving many congratulations on the defeat of the attempt to impugn his honor.

MR. RITCHIE'S ADDRESS. Mr. Ritchie, in addressing the jury, said: "This case, gentlemen, and involves a political case, and involves Sir Frederick Borden, Minister of Militia, and the members of this court. I'm told," said Mr. Ritchie, "that many of you men of the jury are Liberals, but I believe that you are all honest men. I know that you will give the prisoner Carruthers the best consideration of your judgment." Mr. Ritchie then laid great stress on the fact that Sir Frederick in open court had referred to him as a political lawyer. This he considered was done for a purpose, and to affect the jury. "I hope that you will treat it in the manner it deserves, and size it up in its true light," he said. Mr. Ritchie then referred to the start of the case, and how Carruthers was trapped with the copies of The Eye Opener. It was with a treacherous motive that the case was planned, but he did not think that Mr. Roscoe had any hand in it.

"The main question for you, gentlemen, to decide is: Did Sir Frederick Borden have improper relations with Miss Chalefour? All the witnesses, I think, are interested persons, with the exception of Miss Archambault, who, it appears to me, does not care what the outcome of the case is. Miss Chalefour admitted that she is a common woman, and, according to Miss Archambault's evidence, Sir Frederick had a good deal to do with her. Mr. Ritchie declared that Miss Chalefour had committed perjury, and that she had endeavored to keep the facts from him so as to shield Sir Frederick. Mrs. McParland, he also said, was a perjured witness. She resided in Ottawa for two years, and this woman went on the stand and swore boldly that she never even saw Sir Frederick in her life. "Why did this woman think that she was suspected of being the person referred to in The Eye Opener as the companion of Sir Frederick?" he asked. The cap must fit this woman, because if she was innocent she would not have stopped there.

Mr. Ritchie thought Mr. Wickwire now regretted that he had made that trip to Baltimore for the purpose of bringing Miss Chalefour to testify, but desperate cases must be met by desperate measures. This woman was willing to swear to anything, but there was a certain evidence that she would not give at any cost. "Some of her evidence, I must say," was most damaging evidence." He then produced a photo of Miss Chalefour's house, and said it was in that house that Sir Frederick's \$2,000 went, so that he could spend his hours of leisure there. If Sir Frederick had paid this woman \$2,000, what was it for? Mind you, Sir Frederick is no chicken; he is no easy mark, unless there was some object in view. Miss Chalefour had no desire to keep the key from being turned on Walter Carruthers. The latter had nothing to do with the writing of those letters. Mrs. Allison admitted that she was the author. No action, however, was taken against her.

Mr. Ritchie then produced a bundle of letters, which he said Miss Chalefour had sent to her mother. He quoted from these quite extensively, and said that many of the statements contained therein had been corroborated by the witnesses. Miss Chalefour was evidently in the receipt of an income, but where did the money come from? These letters, said Mr. Ritchie, knock out all the theories that there was any attempt of blackmail. It was not until near the close of the case that Sir Frederick came into court to vindicate his character. After Hester Chalefour had stated that she received \$2,000 from Sir Frederick, the latter had come forward and gave his denial of that story to save himself. The conduct of Sir Frederick is a matter of public interest, and is open to investigation. In closing, Mr. Ritchie said that he had put the case before them as fully as possible, and he asked them to give their careful consideration and acquit the defendant. He spoke for nearly two hours.

MR. ROSCOE REPLIED. Mr. Roscoe immediately followed for the Crown. In opening his address he said that Mr. Ritchie had misled them as to the facts, and diverted their attention to issues which had not been borne out by the evidence. It had been shown that Sir Frederick had secured a position for Carruthers, and placed him on his feet. Later something occurred that placed him on bad terms with Sir Frederick, and when Carruthers lost his position he bore malice against Sir Frederick. Mr. Roscoe declared that Carruthers was a defaulter. There was no doubt of that. As regards Sir Frederick's conduct in Kentville and Halifax, that had nothing what-

ever to do with the case at issue. The real question was whether or not Sir Frederick Borden was libelled by these letters. Mr. Roscoe said that he had conducted his part of the case fairly and in the interest of justice. The Crown came to try issues, the defence to seek out frivolities in a man's life, some of which were over a score of years ago.

A libel had been published, said Mr. Roscoe, and it was for the jury to decide if a crime had been committed. You will find, according to the evidence, that a paper is published in Calgary, and this man in Kentville finds a bundle of the papers on his desk, which he distributes around. He denies all knowledge of where these papers came from, but do you think that is reasonable? The newspapers were distributed for a malicious purpose, for the injury of a man in his own county. Mr. Carruthers had a system of dealing out this venomous stuff in the Eye Opener. The very fact that he did shows that he knew that he was doing something wrong. This conversation with Pines showed that he was acting from malice and knew that he was committing a wrong deed. There is only one issue for you to decide. Has the defence proven that there was not a libel published. Have they substantiated the statements contained in the libel. It is not a matter for the Crown to prove. Borden has the fact that mother and daughter conspired to blackmail Sir Frederick. Her conduct on the stand was not that of a sane woman. "I think," said Mr. Roscoe, "that Mrs. Allison has two lunatics in her family instead of one." Does it seem reasonable, gentlemen, that Sir Frederick was carrying a thousand dollars in notes of small denomination, and counted them out to Miss Chalefour? What has the defence done to show that the libellous articles are? I fail to see any evidence to substantiate these statements.

Where did my learned friend get his information? Why, from Maria Allison, this master of ceremonies, the author of these letters. Who is the woman? She is the individual who dragged down her daughter's name to the lowest depths; yes, the woman who defamed this girl in the eyes of the world to justify her purpose. This Mrs. Allison was afraid to mention the name of Mrs. McParland, but she just pitched on her, because she was a woman who was not living with her husband. One of the most ridiculous and improbable statements was that Sir Frederick Borden, a man holding a high position, both publicly and socially, should be hiding behind some boxes, awaiting an opportunity to enter the home of Mrs. McParland. Does this seem probable? Why, certainly not. Could a man of Sir Frederick's standing in a city like Ottawa be there without being observed by other eyes than those of this creature, Maria Allison? Against her statement, Mrs. McParland swears she saw Sir Frederick only once in her life. Sir Frederick also gives her story an emphatic denial, and then there is two to one against her.

SCENE SHIFTS TO MONTREAL. Then the scene shifts to Montreal. Another libel says Sir Frederick was keeping Miss Chalefour at 802 Palace street. What did Mrs. Allison find there? She engaged Montreal secret service men to assist her. The only thing that she found was that her daughter was there, but Sir Frederick was not there. Mr. Roscoe asked why the secret service officers were not called to testify. The only conclusion was that these officers found nothing that would assist Mrs. Allison in her purpose, otherwise they would have been brought forward, as there apparently was plenty of money available to conduct the defence. This Miss Chalefour was not a guileless girl. She was a woman of thirty-two years when she left her home for Montreal to seek a position as a nurse in a hospital. The surroundings in her home forced her to seek other employment. There were other public men whose names were attached to her application for admission to the hospital, and of these Sir Frederick was singled out. She earned her living in a proper way in Montreal, and the Crown brought witnesses to prove that she did hold such positions. The defence failed to produce one witness to prove otherwise.

He then referred to the fact that at the time Miss Archambault said Sir Frederick had visited her home, he was in Nova Scotia running an election. This fact was undisputed. It would be more improbable that he left Nova Scotia during an election to visit this woman in Ottawa. Even had he visited her, does that show that he induced her to leave her home? Why were not all the other persons brought by the defence from Montreal? I think that H. G. Harris, of Kentville, the defence guarded her carefully, and on her arrival here they placed her in the custody of James J. Savage. Think of placing the evidence of this woman against that of Sir Frederick, a man who has risen to a high public position and who has been honored by his Majesty the King.

Then taking up the letters, Mr. Roscoe said that many of them bore no date, and the assertions made by Mr. Ritchie about them were incorrect. Some of the letters were written before this case started. Mr. Ritchie was also very careful to read only such portions of these letters as suited his purpose.

CONSPIRACY FOR BLACKMAIL. One letter proves conclusively that

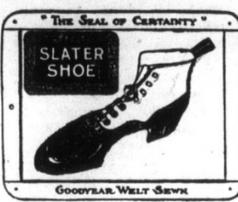
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GOOD SHORT STORIES

"THRICE ARMED IS SHE." Justice is of course loudly demanded by every litigant in a court of law, but it is a frequent infirmity of the human mind to confuse justice with one's own cause. The late Thomas B. Reed, according to a writer in Law Notes, used to tell an amusing story to illustrate this tendency. He was once retained by an enterprising client to prosecute an action. On his way to the court he met a witness. He was talking with the plaintiff's witnesses. Mr. Reed found that their stories were far from consistent, so he reported the fact to his client, and advised that the suit be dropped. The client was somewhat perturbed, but told the attorney what would have a talk with the witnesses and let him know the next morning what he had decided to do. True to his word, he dropped in bright and early, wearing the cheerful look of one who has fought the good fight. "I've seen those witnesses," he explained, "and they say they must have been mistaken when they talked with you. They all see it alike now. I've also seen some of the jurymen, and they think I'll win. Now, if there's such a thing as justice in law, we can't lose."

THE FAMILY PAIR. The wriggly stillness of the study period was broken by a slamming door and a thin boy in dirty, ragged clothes slouched across the room. Half-way to the teacher's desk he drew, "Pa wants that you should let Jim go home right now." As Miss Davis looked a little doubtful, he added: "He kin come back right away." The permission given, the two badly soiled, half-starved sons of the most shiftless family in the district shuffled down the stairs. Very shortly Jim returned, wearing a pleased and important smile on his pathetic little face. "I come as soon as I could. Pa's brother's dyin' to Poplar," he announced, cheerfully. "That's why Pa wanted me."

NOT HER FIRST CHOICE. He was excessively fond of dancing, says a writer in the Utica Tribune. Also he was very clumsy, and, like a good many other people, he was fond of doing the thing he did worst. She, too, was excessively fond of dancing, with the difference that she was the personification of grace. But now she was suffering. Already he had torn her train with his ungovernable feet, and her dainty sleepers bore the marks of his shoes. At last she could stand it no longer. "Let us sit out the rest of this dance," she suggested. "I am tired." He was reluctant. "I thought you said you could die waiting," he said. "So I could," she replied, "but there

are pleasanter ways of dying than being trampled to death."

HER FUNERAL. "Sir, I wish to marry your daughter," faltered the young man. "You do, er?" exclaimed the fond parent. "Well, I have been rather expecting this, and to be thoroughly orthodox, I shall put a few questions to you. Do you drink?" "No, sir, I abhor liquor." "You do, eh? Smoke?" "I never use tobacco in any form." "Well, I didn't suppose you ate it. Do you frequent the race course?" "I never saw a horse race in my life, sir." "Um-m-m. Play cards for money?" "Emphatically no, sir." "Well, young man, I must say you are heavily handicapped. My daughter is a thorough society girl, and I can't for the life of me see what she is going to do with you. However, it's her funeral, and if she wants to undertake the job she can risk it."

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IS THIS TRUE? DID PEELE LIFE-SAVERS LEAVE MEN TO DROWN?

Capt. Grubb, Keeper of Light House, Says Volunteer Crew Were Absent From Station—U. S. Officer Declares They Were Extremely Negligent. Detroit, Oct. 15.—That the life-saving crew at Point Pelee was extremely negligent when it did not attempt to rescue the men who later lost their lives in an effort to bring aid to the steamer George Stone, which was wrecked on Grubbs Reef in Lake Erie, is charged by Lieut. B. H. Camden, head of the United States life-saving service on the great lakes. "Common humanity should have caused them to endeavor to render some assistance to the wrecked and suffering sailors," said Lieut. Camden this morning. The life-saving station on Point Pelee is maintained by the Canadian Government, and Lieut. Camden asserts it is not up to the standard of the U. S. crew of the Stone, to a man, say the life-savers were indifferent. "If they had been on duty they would have heard our whistle, which we kept running up to the time the fires were flooded and the steam gave out," said James Cooney, one of the survivors this morning. "and as for signals of distress, we waved them constantly, as soon as it became light enough to see." The life-savers were absent from their station, according to Capt. Grubb, keeper of the Point Pelee light-house. Capt. Grubb says that he drove to the home of Capt. Morris Atkins, head of the volunteer crew, and told him of the wreck. "She isn't flying distress signals or blowing her whistles," Capt. Grubb says Atkins replied. "Good heavens, man, do you expect full of water, and her fires are out?" asked Capt. Grubb.

WHISKEY PEDDLING. A Profitable Business Going on in Railway Camps.

Port Arthur, Oct. 15.—Commissioner Quibell, of the Dominion police, to-day said that whiskey peddling in the railway construction camps is being carried on on a wide scale in spite of rigid efforts to suppress it. The great profits of the trade make it attractive to smugglers and others. Constables are patrolling the camps all the time, and as evidence of their activity it is said they have seized and destroyed fifty cases of whiskey within the past three weeks. Twenty cases were secured last Monday. These were emptied down the sewer here.

BOTHA PREMIER. Said to be Most Likely Man in South Africa.

New York, Oct. 13.—A visitor in New York just now is Edward Rooth, Chief Government whip and first Lieutenant of General Botha in the Transvaal Parliament. Mr. Rooth is here on a brief vacation prior to the completion of his party's organization for the approaching establishment of the Parliament of South Africa which will be opened some time next year by the Prince of Wales. It is probable that in May next, the Governor-General of the Union will summon one or other of the respective South Africa Parliamentary leaders to form the Government of the Union and General Botha is most likely to be the one chosen.

BLYTHE'S CASE. Counsel Will Ask For Commitment of Agincourt Citizens.

Toronto, Oct. 16.—In addition to his motion to secure a postponement of the trial of his client, Walter Blythe, for the murder of his wife, T. C. Robinette, K. C., is considering an application to the High Court for the commitment for contempt of court of all citizens of Agincourt who spoke to the motion protesting against the delays in the execution of the prisoner. At the opening of the Assizes next week Mr. Robinette will move for the postponement of the trial to a time when it will be possible for Blythe to secure a fair trial, which he declares will be impossible anywhere in Ontario for some time to come, owing to the wide publicity given to the meeting and its resultant resolution. Notice of his intention was served yesterday on Attorney-General Foy and George Tate Blackstock, K. C., Crown prosecutor.

Seventeen Hundred Cars of Wheat Handled This Season.

Winnipeg, Oct. 15.—The Grand Trunk Pacific is playing an important part in the marketing of the season's crop, despite the fact that it has only just been completed. Up to date seventeen hundred cars of wheat have been handled over the line from the west, and yesterday two hundred cars were turned over to the connections at Portage la Prairie for delivery to Port Arthur.

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

MULLIN WILL AGAIN PITCH AGAINST ADAMS.

Cold and Rainy Weather For Tigers and Pirates in Seventh and Decisive Game of World's Series.



ETROIT, OCT. 16.—The seventh and decisive game of the great world's championship series between Pittsburgh and Detroit will be played here to-day, weather permitting. Last night it rained, with high winds and the thermometer hovering about the freezing point. A continuance of the same sort of weather is expected, and if the game is played, it will probably be under conditions which will prevent good baseball by either team. Despite the untoward weather conditions, it is freely predicted that if the game is played it will be witnessed by the largest crowd that ever saw a game in this city. The reserved seats were put on sale at Bennett Park yesterday, and a wild rush ensued. The National Commission regulated the sale and everything possible was done to prevent speculators from securing the coveted pastebords. Long lines extended from the ticket windows and waited for hours to get the opportunity to buy reserved seats. The supply was practically sold out before midnight.

Under the present weather conditions the pitchers will be George Mullin for Detroit and Charles Adams for Pittsburgh. Each of these twirlers has won two games in the series. Adams defeated Mullin in the opening game, but poor fielding behind the Detroit twirler contributed to his defeat, as he held Pittsburgh to one hit less than was made by Detroit. Adams again defeated Detroit in the fifth game at Pittsburgh, and this time he clearly outpitched Summers and Willett. Mullin has pitched three games and won two, while Adams has worked in only two and both were victories for him.

It is almost certain the three Detroit crimpers—Tom Jones, George Moriarity and Charles Schmidt—will be in the line-up. Tom Jones was at Bennett Park for the morning practice, but did not participate in the workout. He is bewailing the loss of his pet glove more than his injury. In the confusion after he was injured yesterday his glove disappeared. He has offered a reward for its return. Schmidt and Moriarity are certain to start the game.

Both teams practised at Bennett Park in the morning and went to the races at Windsor in the afternoon. Large amounts of money have been wagered on the game, and while the bulk is being placed at even money, Detroit has been made an 8 to 9 to 10 favorite in many of the bets.

The Detroit supporters are confident that Mullin will be able to perform the remarkable feat of pitching four games in a seven-game series and winning three of them. Neither Manager Jennings nor Clarke would discuss the outcome of to-day's crucial battle.

HEAVYWEIGHTS CLASH TO-DAY IN CALIFORNIA.

Jack Johnson and Stanley Ketchel Will Meet at Colma For the Championship of the World.

Jack Johnson and Stanley Ketchel will fight for the heavyweight championship of the world this afternoon in the big open-air amphitheatre at Colma, near San Francisco. They are matched to go twenty rounds at catch weights, a side bet of \$10,000 and 60 per cent. of the gross receipts, which may amount to \$30,000. Jack Welch, a California referee, will be the third man in the ring. Johnson, 6 feet 1-3/4 inches tall, says he will weigh 195 pounds when he steps to the scratch. Ketchel's height has been announced as 5 feet 11 inches, but he is fully an inch shorter. He will tip the beam at about 176 pounds, being heavier by sixteen pounds than when he knocked out Jack O'Brien in Philadelphia last spring. Ketchel is 22 years old, and Johnson is 31.

Ketchel shows a longer reach, 73 1/2 inches, Johnson's being 72 3/4 inches. Around the neck each man is 17 inches. In chest development the negro shows 43 1/4 normal and 47 expanded, while the youth measures 38 and 43 1/4 respectively. Trained down to his present weight Johnson shows a girth of 33 inches, two inches more than the white man's waistline.

In physical construction Johnson is built to the lines of J. J. Corbett. Ketchel's strength is more evenly distributed. He resembles Sharkey in build. In style of action the men widely will end the mill.

Johnson, cool and deliberate, is a flat-footed, clever boxer, with marvellous defence and a right-hand uppercut as his best blow. He has trained hard for this battle, and is pronounced absolutely fit.

Johnson predicts that he will stop Ketchel inside of fifteen rounds, and also says that he will try to win as quickly as possible. He has trained hard for this battle, and is pronounced absolutely fit.

If he wins decisively he will come east, prepared to make a match with J. J. Jeffries as soon as the latter arrives here from Europe.

Ketchel is just a fighter. He has a

DID A PITTSBURG PLAYER SELL GAMES?

Detectives in Pittsburg Claim to Have Evidence That One of Pirates Players Was in League With Gamblers.

PITTSBURG, OCT. 16.—Ira A. Berry, an operative in the employ of a private detective agency here, has been retained to obtain the proof that one of the members of the Pittsburgh Baseball Club, in league with local gamblers, had agreed to throw several games of the championship baseball series to Detroit, should the opportunity offer itself. According to Berry, he has obtained enough proof to give every credence to the charge which has been almost rampant in Pittsburg yesterday.

"I have been employed by persons who do not wish their identity known," said Berry, "and to date I have obtained enough evidence to prove that the charge is far from being unfounded. Since the championship series first was started I have ascertained that two of the Pittsburgh players, Leach and Miller, went to Manager Clarke and almost implored of him that a certain member of the team, who had played fairly consistent all season, be eliminated from the Pittsburgh line-up, and that Abbatascio or Hyatt be substituted for him. I am not prepared at this time to say that either Leach or Miller had any suspicions that this man was in league with the gamblers of Pittsburg or if they feared he would blow up at certain moments. However, I know it to be true that they did endeavor to have this man barred from playing, but he played, nevertheless.

"My investigations go to prove that the man under suspicion has been friendly with two particular gamblers of Pittsburg, both of whom are strong Pittsburgh followers, but both of whom won several thousand dollars on the games played to date. They took the Detroit end in every game, and in the last game in Detroit, even after Pittsburgh had scored three runs in the first inning, wore a smile and simply said, 'Wait.'"

Berry declared that his investigations tended to prove that no member of the National Commission or of the management of the Pittsburgh or Detroit clubs had anything to do with any crooked work, and declared further that these men were doing all in their power to ascertain the truth of the "crooked" charge.

HUGH JENNINGS AT LONDON.
London, Ont., Oct. 16.—Manager Hughie Jennings, of the Detroit Tigers, will attend the reception to "Mooney" Gibson in London when the Pirate catcher comes home. Ald. Stevenson was in Detroit and had a long talk with the Tiger leader. "Gibson is a great player, and has done much for the game," he said, "and I will only be too pleased to attend a reception in his honor in his home town. George has made good this season, and it must be a pleasure to him to see so many Londoners out to root for him in the world's series games."

The committee in charge of the arrangements are still working, and a very successful reception is looked for.

FAVORITES DID POORLY AT WINDSOR YESTERDAY.

Detroit, Ridden by the Local Jockey, Willie Hammond, Won the 2 Year-Old Race at 6 to 1—Steeplechase Won by Lizzie Flat.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 16.—A splendid gathering turned out at Windsor yesterday afternoon to witness the racing. There was but little improvement in the weather conditions and overcoats and heavy wraps were still a comfort. Favorite players fared none too well. Woolacosta being the only one that won. The racing, however, was good, and a majority of the finishes close enough to make the contests interesting. It looked as if the lay-offers made the wrong choices in a couple of the events, and the public profited by their error in judgment, as most of the winners found strong support.

In the opening, a six-furlong dash, Chilla was made favorite and the bookies appeared afraid to take the money on her. At post time the mare was held at 3 to 5, while as good as 5 to 1 was quoted about King Avondale. The latter won in handsome fashion, after leading his field all the way, while the best that Chilla could do was to finish third.

After many disappointments, Lizzie Flat finally managed to win a purse. She found no trouble in beating the favorite, Class Leader, in the last half a dozen lengths, although the latter proved a strong factor up to the last jump.

After Forez had led his field until the last 50 yards in the third race, Detroit got up and beat him out in the closing strides. The latter showed a decidedly improved performance over his previous effort.

Woolacosta made a runaway affair of the fourth, as did also Anna L. Daley in the fifth event. Pinte was made favorite in this race, but stopped to a walk in the stretch run, and when he pulled up, it was found that he had spread one of his front feet in the race, which means that he will probably have to be thrown out of training temporarily. Cablegram, under a change of riders, also showed improvement over his previous effort. Zienty had the mount on him this afternoon and he found no trouble in winning. When the break came St. Elmwood ducked across to the outside and caused a jam, in which every horse outside of him suffered.

W. Shields, acting for M. Hutchison, claimed Elgin out of the sixth race on Thursday, after he was beaten by Caper Sage.

E. Rathman has purchased at private sale the two-year-old filly Fuffill of Jule Garson, and she will be shipped here and raced. Summary:
First race, 3-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs—King Avondale, 110 (J. Wilson), 4 to 1, won; C. W. Bart, 113 (J. Howard), 6 to 1, 2nd; Chilla, 105 (Davenport), 3 to 5, 3rd. Time, 1:13.45. Pils, Patriot, Pal and Night Mist also ran.
Second race, steeplechase, 3-year-olds and up, about 2 miles—Lizzie Flat, 133 (McClain), 5 to 2, won; Class Leader, 144 (Pollock), 7 to 5, 2nd; Duleain, 133 (Grantland), 7 to 1, 3rd. Time, 4:30.15. High Hat lost rider, Bilberry refused and Green Light ran out.
Third race, 2-year-olds, 6 furlongs—Detroit, 103 (Hammond), 6 to 1, won; Forez, 96 (J. Wilson), 18 to 5, 2nd; Alfred the Great, 102 (Ganz), 13 to 5, 3rd. Time, 1:15. Colonel Jot and Dixie Knight also ran.
Fourth race, 2-year-olds and up, one mile and a sixteenth—Cablegram, 104 (Mentry), 6 to 1, won; Oberon, 111 (J. Howard), 6 to 1, 2nd; Kokomo, 98 (Ganz), 10 to 1, 3rd. Time, 1:49.15. Alfred Mack, Little Minnie, Gold Dust, Harry Richeson and St. Elmwood also ran.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

TURF—2:45—Hunt Club's run; rendezvous at Limestone Ridge. Windsor races.

BOXING—Johnson vs. Ketchel at Colma.

BASEBALL—Pittsburg at Detroit; St. Patrick's at G. S. & M.

RUGBY—Interprovincial, senior—Argos at Hamilton, Ottawa at Montreal.

Intermediate Interprovincial—Argos at Dundas.

Junior Interprovincial—Guelph at Galt, Hamilton Y. M. C. A. at Dundas, Alerts at Tigers.

O. R. F. U. Senior—Parkdale at Peterboro'.

Intercollegiate, Senior—McGill at Varsity, Queen's at Ottawa.

Intercollegiate, Intermediate—O. A. C. at Trinity, McMaster at Varsity II.

SOCCER—Lancashires at Labor Party, S. O. S. at Scots, Westinghouse a bye.

Cubs Beat Sox In Pitchers' Battle.

National Leaguers Take Final Game From White Sox.

Chicago, Oct. 16.—Exceptional pitching by Mordecai Brown gave the Cubs their fourth victory over the White Sox in the series for the championship of Chicago yesterday by a score of 1 to 0, clinching the honors to the West Side Club. Out of the five games played the Cubs have been able to win but one game. Brown was in great form this afternoon, allowing but one hit and giving two passes. Up to the ninth inning but one man, parent, got to first for the Sox and he then stole his way to second. In the ninth inning Brown pitched down Brown walked while Altitier, but neither Bell nor Cole could bring their team mates over the plate. In addition to the home run walked Brown's curves, while Altitier fanned twice. Doc White was opposed to Brown on the mound. White pitched great game, barring the third inning when the Cubs secured four of their six hits and counted one run. White also had good control and allowed but one run.

The crowd yesterday was the smallest of the series, the official receipts being \$1,134. With the receipts \$2,602. The totals for the series are—Attendance, 76,532; receipts, \$45,581.92; players' share, \$10,000; winning club, \$14,246.39; players' share, losing club, \$8,546.36; each club owners' share, \$2,113.12. Commission, \$1,000. There are twenty-one eligible Cubs with twenty to share in the White Sox winnings.

Score:
Cubs. A. B. R. H. O. A. E.
Ever, 2b. 4 0 2 0 0 0 0
Scherer, cf. 4 0 0 3 0 0 0
Schulte, rf. 4 0 0 3 0 0 0
Chance, lb. 2 0 1 12 0 0 0
Steinfeldt, 3b. 4 0 0 0 0 0 0
Hofman, m. 2 0 0 3 0 0 0
Tinker, s. 3 0 1 0 1 0 0
Moran, c. 2 0 0 8 1 0 0
Brown, p. 3 1 1 9 2 0 0
Totals. 26 0 2 27 11 0 0
By Innings: A. B. R. H. O. A. E.
Sox. 2 0 0 3 0 0 0
Altitier, rf. 2 0 0 3 0 0 0
Lavelle, lb. 2 0 0 0 0 0 0
Coe, m. 4 0 0 1 0 0 0
Doubert, cf. 2 0 0 1 0 0 0
Parent, s. 3 0 1 1 2 0 0
Parsons, p. 2 0 0 1 0 0 0
Ata, 2b. 2 0 0 0 0 0 0
White, c. 2 0 0 5 0 0 0
Totals. 28 0 1 24 11 0 0
By Innings: A. B. R. H. O. A. E.
Americans. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Nationals. 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Summary—Left on bases—Cubs 5, Sox 3. Bases on balls—off Brown 2, White 1. Struck out—By Brown 8, by White 5. Sacrifices—Moran, Steinfeldt, Hofman, Steien, bases—Parent, Ever. Time 1:45.

Sir Thomas Lipton Is Still Hopeful.

London, Oct. 16.—Sir Thomas Lipton, who will sail for New York on the steamer Cedric to-day, talks rather more encouragingly yesterday for the prospect of securing another race for the America's Cup.

"I am going to New York," he said, "in the hope of arranging another race. I realize that there are many difficulties in the way, but am convinced that they can be overcome, because I know that the New York Yacht Club is composed of good sportsmen, who, rather than have the race die a natural death, will, I feel sure, do their utmost to meet me. Neither country wishes the race to become a dead letter. I made three attempts to lift the cup, always being defeated fairly and squarely, and I am anxious to make another try. I know the New York Yacht Club wants to build a wall around the old mug, and I look forward to having a fighting chance with a fourth Shamrock under conditions which will be favorable to all. If both boats start on even terms at Sandy Hook it is bound to be one of the best races the world has ever seen. For the sake of international sport, I say, win or lose, let's have a race."

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COMMENT AND GOSSIP

Owen Moran, the English feather-weight, will probably arrive in New York from the other side to-day prepared to make a match with Abe Attell. If articles are signed they can secure a big purse for a forty-five round bout at Colma. Moran was matched to meet Jim Driscoll in a twenty round bout in England not long ago, but it was finally declared off because the purse offered was not considered large enough. Driscoll will come over soon and will be ready to fight either Moran or Attell.

Steeplechase Rider Kelleher, who was successful in keeping Reginald from running out in Wednesday's race at Windsor, was tried yesterday on Bilberry, and it looked for one turn of the field as if he would do what no other rider has been able to do this season—make Bilberry go the course. At the fence opposite the stand, though, Bilberry refused, and his race wound up the same way as all his other starts. He had the foot of the rest of the horses and jumped cleverly, and would probably have won if he could have been made to finish. He was backed from 8 down to 4 to 1. The finish was a hard drive between Lizzie Flat and Class Leader, which the mare won.

Explorer Ketchell says he will present his proofs to-day.

Class still remains all that it has been cracked up to be, and class applies to football as it applies to every other game.

Ty Cobb says his spikes are the shortest in the league. Just think what Ty-rus would do if he wore long spikes.

There are many who still maintain that the world's series is framed up, but a frame-up would hardly necessitate putting three men on the hospital list.

The dope before the series that made Detroit look easy had to be revised. It is a toss up which team is the best at this minute.

Italian Runner Upsets Record.

(By Tip Wright).
What do you know about this Emilio Lunghi person who came here from Italy, trained on a diet of spaghetti and chianti, and of the off with the half-mile championship of the United States, cutting three-fifths of a second from the half-mile record?

Pretty tough to see Kilpatrick's great performance of 14 years ago smashed over by an Italian foreigner to the front with Lunghi. An interesting little table showing how the world's record has been sliced from time to time by the 80 yard men is appended. It tells a story of athletic development hard to refute.

Date	Name	Nation	Time
1864	R. E. Webster	(England)	2:07 1/2
1865	P. M. Thornton	(England)	2:05
1868	E. J. Colbeck	(England)	2:02
1870	R. V. Somers-Smith	(England)	2:02
1872	G. A. Templer and T. Christie	(England)	2:01
1873	A. L. Pelham	(England)	1:59 3/4
1874	W. Slade	(England)	1:58 3/4
1875	F. T. Edborough	(England)	1:57 1/2
1881	L. E. Meyers	(America)	1:56
1884	L. E. Meyers	(America)	1:55 3/5
1885	L. E. Meyers	(America)	1:55 2/5
1888	F. J. K. Cross	(England)	1:54 3/5
1892	C. H. Kilpatrick	(America)	1:53 2/5
1893	E. Lunghi	(Italy)	1:52 4/5

"Two heads are better than one," quoted the Wise Guy. "Yes," agreed the Simple Mug, "until it comes to discovering the North Pole."

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The prescription comes from a physician who has made a special study of men and I am convinced it is the surest-acting combination for the cure of deficient manhood and vigor failure ever put together.

I think I owe it to my fellow man to send them a copy in confidence so that any man anywhere who is weak and discouraged with renewed failures may stop dragging himself with harmful patent medicines, secure what he believes is the quickest-acting restorative, unobtrusive, SPOT-TOUCHING remedy ever devised, and so cure himself at home quietly and quickly. Just drop me a line like this: Dr. A. E. Robinson, 439 Loock Building, Detroit, Mich., and I will send you a copy of this splendid recipe in a plain ordinary envelope free of charge. A great many doctors would charge \$2.00 to \$5.00 for merely writing out a prescription like this—but I send it entirely free.



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TIGERS ARE FAVORITES FOR THE FINAL GAME.

Despite Inconvenient Weather Condition Record Breaking Crowd Turning Out to See Deciding Game in World's Series.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 16.—What is believed to be the largest crowd that ever saw a baseball game in Detroit went out to Bennett Park to-day to witness the seventh and decisive game of the world's championship series between Pittsburgh and Detroit. The weather was cold, with the thermometer registering between 35 and 40 degrees above zero.

The sky was clear, although the weather forecast promised snow flurries. Detroit turned out en masse for the final game of one of the greatest baseball battles that has ever been fought.

The great majority of the crowd that went to Bennett Park was confident of a victory for the American League champions. Many wagers were made at even money, and several were recorded with Detroit a slight favorite at 5 to 4 or 10 to 7.

Geo. Mullin, the hero of the series in the eyes of the Detroit supporters, was confidently expected to be the choice of Manager Jennings as the man to pitch the crucial game. The day was too cool for Donovan. Mullin warmed up in fine shape, and the crowd sent up a great cheer when it was seen that he was the pitcher upon whom Jennings had depended to win the world's championship. Mullin's work in the series has made him one of the greatest heroes ever known in this city, and if he wins

to-day he will be in a position to at least make the great Ty Cobb share his niche in the hall of baseball fame.

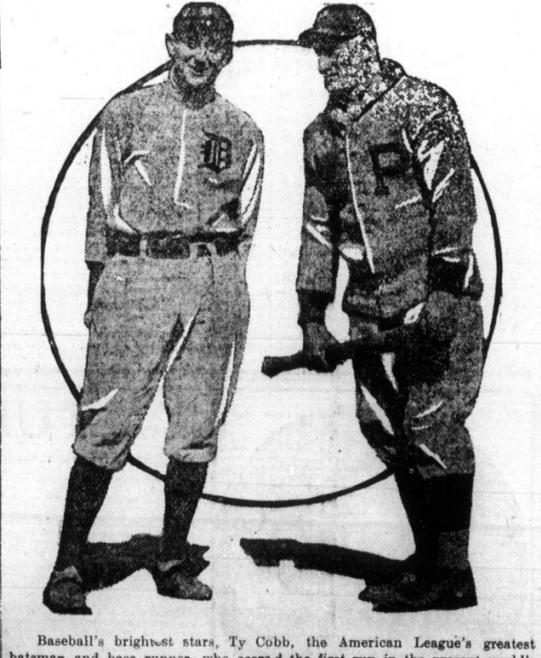
Manager Clarke refused to make any definite announcement concerning his selection for pitcher. He had Adams, Maddox and Philippe working this morning, and the three showed up well.

The three Detroit players, who were injured in the ninth inning of Thursday's game were all in the line-up during the practice. Tom Jones was apparently none the worse for his collision with Wilson, and worked snappily around first base. Schmidt was behind the bat, and showed no ill effects of the spiking he had received, while Moriarity's sore knee did not appear to cause him any trouble.

The regular Pittsburgh team was in the field, and practiced in brilliant style. The infield worked well, with Wagner making some clever stops and catches.

O'Loughlin was the umpire behind the bat, with Tom Jones on the bases, and Klem and Evans along the outfield foul lines.

Following is the line-up of the two teams:
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Old Time Sundials

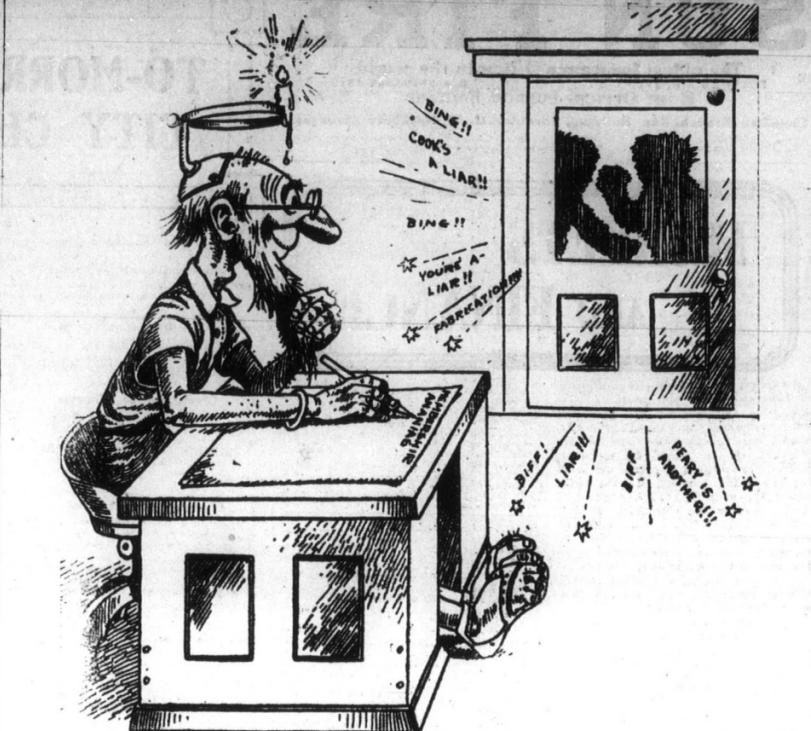
Not many years before the middle of the nineteenth century the New England villagers commonly told the time of day by means of a "noon-mark," perhaps a groove in the floor just inside the house door and at an angle with the threshold, or else a series of rule notches cut in the window casement. A yet earlier device was a pole stuck in the soil, the shadow of which reached certain marks on the ground as the day passed by—a plan not unlike that adopted by the Montagnais Indians of Canada, who set up a staff in the snow and approximated the time of day by noting the angle between shadows from time to time. A later method among New Englanders was to incline the pole so as to point to the north star and run parallel with the earth's axis.

All of this antedated the construction of the complete dial, marked with regard to the special locality for which it was made, or, by special contrivance, adaptable to several localities. There is a combined pocket dial and compass of this kind in the collections of the National Museum at Washington, made by Menant, of Paris, with a hinged gnomon that shuts down flat, and figured for latitudes 43 degrees, 46 degrees, 49 degrees and 52 degrees, while the latitudes of twenty-four important cities are engraved on the back. A very interesting dial in this collection is so devised that it can be sent for any one of one hundred and fifty-eight different places, including points as far distant from each other as Berlin, London, Copenhagen, Constantinople, Palermo, Stockholm, etc. Another dial in the same collection—apparently made in Italy and finely constructed of brass—not only indicates the time in many different latitudes, but is also used for making observations of the planets. It has a folding gnomon and compass, and is covered with very elaborate astronomical tables bearing inscriptions in Latin.

A student of biblical archeology states that the invention of the pole and gnomon combined, producing an instrument perfect in itself for all observations, was probably connected with the rectification of the Babylonian calendar in B. C. 747—nineteen years before the accession of Ahaz. A flight of steps caught the shadow in the open air, or more probably within a closed chamber, into which a ray of light was admitted from above, and which passed from winter to summer up and down an apparatus in the form of steps. Such chambers, he remarks, were in use in eastern observatories till the middle of the eighteenth century. The shadow of the dial of Ahaz, which was probably set up about 800 years before Christ, was in all likelihood nothing more than a circular staircase leading up to a column or obelisk, the shadows of which, falling on a greater or smaller number of steps, according as the sun was low or high, indicated the position of the sun and thus told the time of day.

According to the Bible story, the shadow was miraculously made to recede ten steps, as a sign that Isaiah's prayer in behalf of Hezekiah for an extension of his life had been favorably answered. The almost universal use of sundials in ancient times is well assured. In the history of ancient Greece, frequent references occur to a shadow by means of which the time of day was determined, but it is not known what means was employed for casting the shadow. One theory advanced was that the gnomon was each man's figure, the shadow of which he measured, probably by pacing off the distance it covered. But whatever the method was it was imperfect and the dial required frequent alterations during the year. Far less determinable, however, is the secret of the method employed by the first inhabitants of Arabia, who without the use of any instrument, could determine the time of year or day with accuracy. At a later date, when Rome was at the height of her glory, the great sundial in the Campus Martius was one of the wonders of that imperial city. On the triumphal return of Augustus from Egypt he brought with him a towering obelisk, which he set up as the gnomon of a huge sundial among the stately arches and porticos where the Roman citizens were wont to assemble at the public games. The hours were marked out by a circle of gigantic figures so arranged that they might catch the earliest and latest rays of sunlight and thus mark the dawn and the close of each day. Not a trace of this obelisk is left. How long it remained in position is not known, but, like many others of note, it disappeared, and the practice of setting up sundials gradually fell into disuse. The usual form of the Greek and Roman dial was the "hemicycleum," which is described as "an excavation nearly spherical in a square block of stone," within which the hour lines are traced and having the interior face sloped away from above so as to give it a forward inclination, adapted to the polar altitude of the place for which the dial was made." The hours were unequal and varied according to the season of the year. The gnomon was placed upright on the edge of the hollow, and was then bent at a right angle over it, so that the horizontal portion projected as far as the equinoctial line. At Athens there was The Tower of the Winds, built by the astronomer Andronicus, forty-five feet high and octagonal in shape. Figures representing the winds are carved on them, while the hour lines were engraved below. This formed both a wind and sundial, and formerly a bronze Triton, holding a wand, stood on the marble roof and acted as a weathervane.

In Mohammedan countries sundials are very common, and on many of the mosques they are to be found bearing a line with points toward the five divisions of the day when prayers are regularly offered. In China, too, dials are frequently met with, and in various places, such as on the flat board in front of a palanquin, on the houses, or dials that are portable, fixed in boxes with silken strings for gnomons, and sometimes combined with moon-dials and compasses. In Iceland not a hundred years ago, the method of telling time was very crude. The natural horizon of each township was divided into equal parts, either by mountain peaks or by pyramids of stone, which had been kept in repair for many generations. There is a dial on the Isle of Man that is formed of a ring round forty-five feet in diameter, and has eight radiations. Parallel rods of stones regularly placed on these form the dial. The ancient Mexicans had a huge, vertical sundial weighing nearly fifty tons and known as the "calendar stone." It



"KNOCKING" FOR ADMISSION.
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was cut out of porphyry by the priests about one hundred years before the Spanish conquest and was set up in one of the temples. In 1790 it was discovered buried in the great square of what is now the City of Mexico, was excavated and was built into the wall of the cathedral. Later it was taken down and installed in the National Museum of that city, where it may be seen at the present time. The civil day was divided by the Mexicans into sixteen parts, and like most of those of the Asiatic natives, began with sunrise. This colossal calendar stone proves that the early Mexicans had the means of settling the hours of the day with precision, the periods of the solstices and the equinoxes as well as that of the transit of the sun across the zenith of Mexico. There have also been discovered pillars of costly and curious workman ship erected by the Peruvian Indians which served as dials, and from which they learned to determine the time of the equinox. The columns are believed to have been destroyed by the Spaniards.

The moral use and beauty of the sundial are unquestionable, but as life became more practical and strenuous gradually gave way to clocks and watches. It was the primitive clock—the horologe of the first world and dignified recorder of the passing of time. "It was the measure appropriated for sweet plants and flowers to spring by," writes one authority, "for the birds to apportion their silver warblings by, for flocks to pasture and be led to fold by. The shepherd carved it out quarterly in the sun, and turning philosopher by the occupation, provided it with mottoes more touching than tombstones."

Astronomy and mathematics played their part in the construction of the finished dial, but once fixed, these chronometers were good for all time, and only one thing was essential to the performance of their duty, and that was sunshine. In order that a sundial may give correct results it is necessary that the gnomon, the shadow of which points the time on the dial slope to the horizontal plane at an angle equal to the latitude of the place, and also lie due north and south. During the Middle Ages the progress made in the manufacture of sundials in England is hardly traceable but during the Renaissance their construction was revived and received much attention. They were either portable or were set upon pillars or on walls of houses. A famous place for them was on top of crosses in the churchyards. It is recorded that in 1631 the Company of Clock makers of London "was given jurisdiction not only over clocks and watches, but over dials also, and was authorized to search for and break up all bad and deceitful works." In the fashion in England among people who prided themselves on having up-to-date gardens. At Hampton Court, at Windsor, and other royal palaces they were to be seen. In the courtyard of St. James Palace was one which King James had caused to be set up at a cost of between six and seven pounds, while at Whitehall was an elaborate specimen costing forty-six pounds.

Spent Your Money at Home.
A drummer paid his hotel bill in Homeville, handing the clerk a \$5 gold piece.
A few minutes later the hotel cashier handed that five to the local butcher in payment of a meat bill.
The butcher dropped into a shoe store and left the V in exchange for a pair of shoes for his wife.
That evening the shoe man passing by the hardware store handed out the gold piece for a lawn mower.
It remained in the hardware man's till all that night.
Bright and early next morning, the hardware man handed it out to the grocery man in payment for his month's account.
The grocery man's wife next took possession of the coin and exchanged it at the drygoods store for sundry purchases.
The next man to get it was the drayman, who had a bill for hauling.
He in turn passed it on to the doctor, who had treated his sick child.
The doctor handed it over to the druggist for value received, and the druggist deposited it in the bank.
Next day the bank cashier returned the gold piece to the hotel man in payment of his board bill.
The busy little coin might have continued its merry round in the town, but the next day it passed into the hands of a farmer selling chickens.

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THE HOUSEKEEPER

COLD MEAT LOAF.
Two cupfuls chopped fresh or cooked meat, one egg, piece of butter, if meat is lean, one cupful of sweet milk, two cupfuls of crackers or bread crumbs, one apple chopped fine, one onion chopped fine, salt pepper, and sage to taste. Bake one hour.

LEFLOVER STEAK.
Boil till tender in slightly salted water, to which has been added four cloves and a dish of paprika. Chop fine, almost to a paste. Add chopped parsley, onion, half a green pepper, a beaten egg, and mix. Season with salt paprika, and juice of half a lemon. Cook together one cupful of cream, a tablespoonful of butter, and flour to thicken. Season with nutmeg. Put this sauce into the chopped mixture, shape into cutlets and set in ice box for a half hour. Dip in egg and crumbs and fry in deep fat till a golden brown. Serve on rounds of toast and garnish with parsley and slices of lemon and tomato. Cold veal, chicken or potroast may be used instead of steak.

VEAL CHOPS AND BACON.
Get rib chops instead of the more expensive cutlets. Mode: Fry bacon first and keep hot. Dip chops in egg and flour (having previously seasoned the flour with salt, pepper, and sage if liked) and fry in bacon fat, using more fat if necessary. Cook quickly at first to seal the juices, then slowly for about three quarters of an hour, as veal should always be well done to make it digestible. Lay the bacon around the outside edge of the chops while serving. Try it and see if you ever tasted a more savory or delicious dish.

CASSEROLE OF BEEF.
Line a casserole or baking dish with boiled rice about one-half inch thick. Fill this cup with well seasoned boiled beef or any left over meat, ground. Place a rice covering over all and heat them in the oven. Serve with sauce of one cupful strained tomatoes, eight teaspoonfuls of flour, and butter, salt, pepper, and sugar to taste; place one onion in mixture, removing when done.

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THE THRIFTY JAP.

His Ingenuity in Making and Using Paper.

One scarcely realizes the many various uses to which paper may be put until he has considered the ingenuity of the people of Japan. The Japanese use paper for all kinds of articles in domestic use—for clothing and for house building. Some of the unusual and interesting uses for paper in Japan are as follows:
Houses are made of paper. The frame is of wood, but the walls are paper, which is so treated that it will keep out the winds. Paper walls make it possible to dispense with glass for windows, as they let in plenty of light, resist the rain, and in a measure keep out the cold.
Oiled paper is made in Japan into umbrellas and wearing apparel which are astonishingly cheap and durable. The jirinkisha men wear paper raincoats, which last a year or more with constant use. Oiled tissue paper is used in Japan as wrapping paper. The paper is tanned with the fermented juice of green persimmons. Tea sacks, strong and durable, are made of this paper.
Tobacco pouches and pipe cases are made from "leather paper," which is strong and at the same time soft and pliable. Paper pots are used in Japanese households as are similar articles made of tin in an American home.

In the art of making napkins, parasols and lanterns from paper it is a recognized fact that Japan has taught the whole world, both Occidental and Oriental, many lessons.
The employment of paper in these ingenious ways is one of the many devices that the Japanese have evolved which enable so many millions of them to live on the productions of a cultivated area about one-third the size of the States of Illinois.
There are nine plants used by the Japanese to make paper from, according to writers in that country. Three of these are wild forms of small tree. One—the Mitsuamata plant—furnishes America and Europe with large quantities of paper every year for legal documents and diplomas. There is a shrub with a characteristic vase-like form and bearing pretty delicate flowers.
All along the mountain streams in the interior of Japan are scattered diminutive paper factories. Paper-making consists in the uniting of any porous material so that it will form a continuous sheet.

Compensation.
First Girl (looking at statue of the Venus de Milo)—What terribly thick waists girls must have had in those days.
Second Girl—Yes, but perhaps the gentlemen's arms were longer.—Human Life.
A fellow sometimes wakes up feeling like the deuce because he felt like a king the night before.

SCIENCE IN NEWS OF DAY

According to a note by Professor Ewart in Nature, it has been generally assumed that the native British horses at the time of the Roman invasion were too small to carry men. Against this assumption, however, had to be set the old accounts of the ancient British war chariots, armed with scythes, to cut down their enemies. If sufficiently large and powerful to draw such chariots, surely they might also have ridden them. It has also been thought that the horse was not domesticated in Britain until about the end of the Bronze, or beginning of the Iron Age. And this, if the story of the chariots is true, would be about the time of the coming of the Romans, or earlier.

But the remains of a horse recently discovered at Bishop's Stortford, and considered to be of Neolithic or Bronze Age, indicate, according to Professor Ewart, an animal as powerful as the Galloways formerly used in border raids. And if the above view of the age of this interesting fossil be correct, the animal, as far as to the size of the horse possessed by the ancient Britons will have to be modified accordingly. The skeleton lay in an undisturbed deposit some six feet below the surface, but the exact age of the developing stags is uncertain. According to Professor Ewart, the Bishop's Stortford horse closely resembles one from Walthamstow, believed to be of Neolithic, or Bronze Age. It measures, however, some 14 hands, thus exceeding the Walthamstow horse in the British Museum by several inches.

ALL INTERESTING WOLF.

In some interesting notes in the "Zoologist," Dr. James Clark points out that nowhere, probably in Great Britain are the conditions so favorable for abundance and variety of crustacean life as on the coast of Cornwall. And among the numerous species there found none, perhaps, are of greater interest than those which appear from time to time as drift wood on the shore. Dr. Clark notes the curious little gulf-weed crab (Planus minutus). This species has its headquarters and breeds among the drift weed of the Fargasso Sea. The Gulf Stream occasionally carries it to our shores. It is usually found on drift timber covered with barnacles. Such casual drifting illustrates how a species may extend its geographical range, but it does not appear that the Cornish waters are suitable for the gulf-weed crab.

ENORMOUS ENERGY IN MATTER.

The energy stored up in ordinary matter on the electron theory is enormous. Assuming that each atom of hydrogen contained only one corpuscle—and the probable number is several hundred—then one grain of it would contain as much energy as that produced by burning five tons of coal. And all ordinary matter contains this vast store of energy kept fast bound by the corpuscles. If any appreciable fraction of this were at any time to escape it is pointed out that the earth would explode and become a gaseous nebula.

LATEST LIFE-PRESERVER.

The latest improved life preserver is a hollow belt of rubber, to which is attached a cylinder filled with liquid carbon dioxide. On turning a tap the liquid gas escapes into the belt, volatilizes, and inflates it to its full capacity. It is made of rubber, which makes it superior to any cork belt.

JAPAN INVESTIGATING AIRSHIP.

The Japanese Government has appointed an Aeronautical Commission, which will visit the principal European cities shortly. The Commission are naval and military officers, all members of the recently-formed Aero Club of Japan, and are to report on the progress of aerial navigation in the European States, and especially in Germany.

CONCRETE AND EARTHQUAKE.

Since the earthquake catastrophe of Messina, says the Scientific American, the question has come up of the use of reinforced concrete for buildings in order to resist earthquakes, and we may expect good results from it in such cases. The village of Favallini, in South Italy, was entirely rebuilt in reinforced concrete after the earthquake of 1908, and these, as well as several houses in Messina of the same material, were found to have escaped the late disaster. An Italian engineer, M. Danusso, finds that reinforced concrete buildings hold together longer and fall but slowly, so that the dwellers have time to escape. The shock proofing is bending and cracking at first, which gives warning of the disaster. Cellars should not be used, according to the principles he deduces for construction, and a smooth cement surface on the soil is best as a platform for building the structure. One or two stories should be the limit. M. Cesare Pesenti, another Italian engineer, prescribes separating the building completely so as to make it independent of the ground platform, resting on it simply, and this with as small a surface as possible of contact between the building and the platform, so as to allow for displacements and deaden the vibrations.

Artificial nitrates are made extensively in Norway and sold in competition with the natural product of Chile. The annual production of nitrate of soda in Chile is 1,800,000 tons. In 1920 this may be expected to be increased to at least 2,500,000 tons. At the same time and at the same rate of production, the Norwegian production will amount to about 300,000 tons, or only 12 per cent. of the Chilean. It is probable, however, that other factories may be established, which will largely increase the total production of artificial nitrates. From experiments made in various countries it may be concluded that artificial nitrate is as good a fertilizer as Chile salt-petre, and on some lands a better one.

A MONORAIL SUGGESTION.

A suggestion has been made by those interested in the promotion of the monorail system to relieve the transportation problem of New York city by the erection of these lines on a structure to be thrown up over the present elevated structures. It is said that arrangements have been made to demonstrate their practicability by the construction and operation of one of these lines in a suburb near that city, and, if entirely successful, the Public Service Commission will be formally asked to give its consent to the scheme of making use of the present elevated structures.

A TRIUMPH OF SURGERY.

An extraordinary surgical operation is reported from Paris. It appears that Dr. Doyen, who is well-known in connection with cancer research successfully transplanted a vein of a live sheep to the leg of a man suffering from arterial

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andurism, with the result that the circulation was restored. The patient has now completely recovered. The vein transferred was over ten inches in length. Numerous grafting operations have been performed in modern surgery, but this is the first time that an organ from a lower animal has been transferred to man.

Earliest Glass-making.
The manufacture of glass dates from the earliest times, and no doubt originated with the Egyptians, as the oldest known specimens are those found in the tombs of Egypt, and the earliest mention of it, dating back to 3300 B. C., has been found in inscriptions of that country. After the Egyptians, the ancient people most renowned for glass-making were the Phoenicians, and the legend of that people concerning the discovery of the art has been often told. Certain Phoenician traders, it is said, returning to their home in a ship laden with natron or soda, and being compelled to land on a sandy tract on the Syrian coast, in building a fire on the sand to prepare their supper, placed their cooking pots on lumps of soda. The sand and the soda were both melted by the heat of the fire and flowing together formed a substance new to the sailors, but recognized by them as of probable value. Thus, says the tradition, was the manufacture of glass discovered. But, as the heat of a driftwood fire would hardly fuse, and it has been said that this story only proves that the art of glass-making was very ancient.—The Housekeeper.

Turtle Worship.
At a place called Kotron, on the French Ivory Coast the natives believe that to eat or destroy a turtle would mean death to the guilty one or sickness among the family. The fetich men, of whom there are plenty, declare that years ago a man went to sea fishing. In the night his canoe was thrown upon the beach empty. Three days afterward a turtle came ashore at the same place with the man on its back alive and well. Since that time they have never eaten or destroyed one of that species, although they enjoy other species.

If one happens now to be washed ashore there is a great commotion in the town. First the women sit down and start singing and beating sticks, next a small piece of white cloth (color must be white) is placed on the turtle's back. Food is then prepared and placed on the cloth, generally plantains, rice and palm oil. Then amid a lot more singing, dancing and antics of the fetich people it is carried back into the sea and goes on its way rejoicing.—London Globe.

Many a man has no peace of mind because his wife is constantly giving him a piece of hers.

The World of Amusement

General Gossip

Some of the big attractions booked for Bennett's week after next include: Homer Lind, the famous operatic star, and a talented company in a delightful sketch, entitled "The Opera Singer."

Charles and Fanny Van in their latest comedy success, "A Case of Emergency."

Marion Garson, who has been one of Sam Bernard's leading supports for the past two seasons, in a dainty musical offering. She has a remarkably fine voice.

The three Donalds, European acrobats, and Hallen and Hayes, dancing comedians.

A recent despatch from Pittsburg declares that Booth Tarkington is dissatisfied with his vocation.

"I never wanted to be a writer," Mr. Tarkington is reported to have said, "and unless I am absolutely forced to do so I have written my last book. My ambition in life was to become an illustrator, and I once thought I was in a fair way to reach my goal. I have but one ambition—to make money enough to get out of this playwrighting mess and purchase a nice farm in Indiana, where I may lead the life of a country gentleman, with just enough to keep me from want—nothing more."

Yet "this playwrighting mess" has assisted toward the bucolic ambition. It is an interesting point of view.

Arthur Lipson, who succeeded George Behan in the role of the oscillating French Count in "The American Idea," is proving, with Tricie Friganza, one of the most pleasing and humorous features of that Coban production. The piece is now at the Auditorium in Chicago, where the buxomly beautiful Miss Friganza and Mr. Lipson are dividing honors about equally.

The researches of Professor Wallace among ancient records in London prove that Shakespeare was an actual stockholder with others in the Globe and Blackfriars Theatres. And as will appear strange, perhaps, to certain aberrant minds, Bacon is not mentioned in the documents.

Count Chittow, grandson of Tolstoy, will open a theatre in December for dramatic productions by a stock company, the members of which will all be of the highest social circles. In Chittow's opinion only ladies and gentlemen by birth and social position can impersonate ladies and gentlemen.

Alonso Harch, once a well known opera singer, was arraigned in the Night Court Friday night on the charge of begging. He was discharged. Twenty years ago he was a singer appearing under Colonel Mapeson. He had sung in the Academy of Music and with Oscar Hammerstein.

George H. Summers is to be featured in a comedy role in the Clarence Bennett Production Company's new play, "Under the North Star, or, A Dash for the Pole," which goes on tour November 1. The production will feature the direction of Max Rosenberg, of the Bennett Company.

Charles Cartwright returns to England this week.

Miss Mylott came among Quebecers last evening as a stranger, but her superb voice soon won the hearts of all, and it is safe to say that the large and fashionable audience which assembled at the Auditorium has seldom been so deeply stirred as it was by her rich and mellow contralto, and the high pitch of enthusiasm to which she aroused her hearers is a safe guarantee that the Auditorium will scarcely contain the assemblage who will wish to hear her upon her next appearance, which everyone will hope will not be long deferred.—Quebec Chronicle, Oct. 7.

Miss Mylott will sing here on October 29th, assisted by Dr. Lavon and Miss Moroney.

At the Grand

Hamiltonians who witnessed Dr. Henry Coward's marvelous handling of the Sheffield Choir on its visit to this city last fall will be interested to learn that he has resigned his position as chorus master of the Sheffield Musical Festival. Yet Dr. Coward has been practically a self-taught musician, who seemed at first to have everything against him. Till the age of twenty he was engaged in business, then he turned school-master, and not till he was nearly forty did he turn his attention to music as a profession. He reckons that he has conducted now for over twenty years some 25,000 singers and players per annum.

According to theatrical story tellers, there are certain scenes in Shakespeare's plays that are most prolific in reminiscences of elderly players, for in the good old stock days nearly every actor included one or more roles of each of these plays in his repertory.

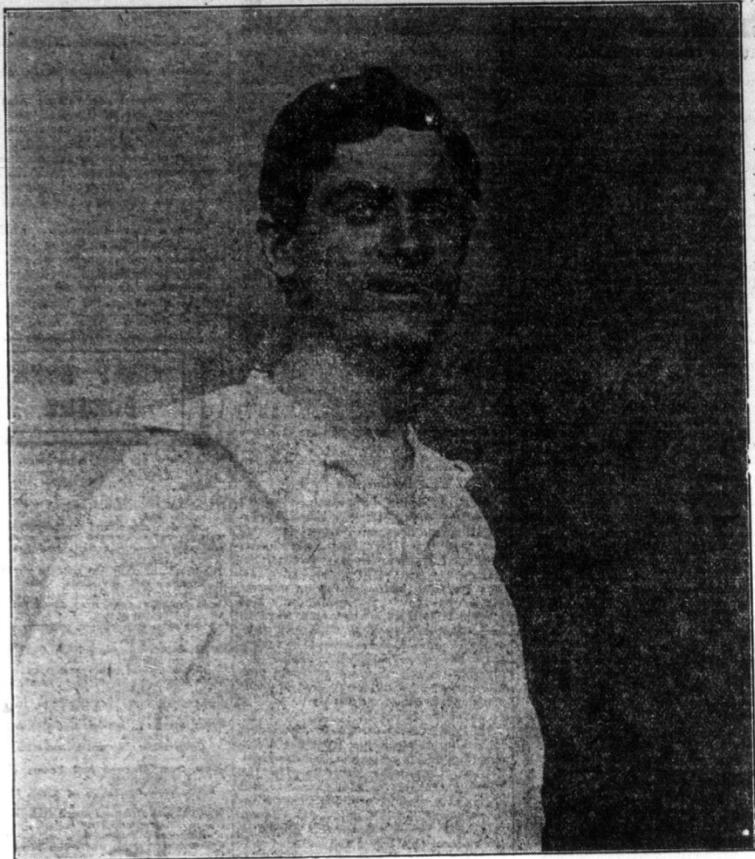
The role of Catesby in "Richard III," has frequently proved a trying one to a beginner, especially where he announces the taking of Buckingham.

That fine old actor, J. H. Stoddard, used to tell a story of this scene, the incident having happened during his early days on the English stage. On this occasion the part was taken by a young beginner in the profession who was exceedingly nervous at his debut. This special line seemed to have possessed him to the exclusion of the others of his part. Taking a wrong cue, he rushed on before the action of the scene demanded his very important line, and tragically exclaimed, "My lord, the Duke of Buckingham is taken."

"Get off, get off, you're too soon," angrily exclaimed the Richard of the play in a deep stage whisper, a command which the poor, humiliated fellow obeyed with trembling limbs that scarcely could carry him to the wings. Again mistaking his cue, he came on and announced the taking of the duke.

"Somebody take that fool off and hold him till he gets his cue," whispered Richard. Another actor in the wings held him by the arm till the right time for the line, then half pushed the shaking beginner on to the scene with the instruction, "This is the time—go on now—will Richard be taken?"

Completely and desperately rattled,



BERNARD DALY IN "SWEET INNISFALLEN," AT THE GRAND NEXT WEEK.

the boy rushed out, and in trembling tones, said:

"We've got him, we've got him this time."

Stoddard relates that the curtain was quickly rung down at this point.

It is well for a man to write what he knows. That is why "The Barrier," Klaw & Erlanger's production of Rex Beach's famous narrative, which will be produced shortly at the Grand, is so powerful. The author knows. When Rex Beach wrote "The Spoilers" people nodded their heads sagely and murmured: "Wait for his next play." "The Barrier" is better than "The Spoilers." The scene of "The Barrier" is laid in Alaska; the last frontier, as one character in the play picturesquely and regretfully terms it, is the little, rough settlement at Fiambeau, on the Yukon. There are many players involved in the play's unending, but the main romance centers in Nedra, the daughter of old man Gale, the trader of Fiambeau; also Captain Burdell, the Kentuckian sent by the United States Government to maintain order in the settlement. He falls desperately in love with her, but does not marry her because of the barrier of blood between them. Gale is a "square man," having married an Indian, and Nedra, the half-breed, Burdell would have to forsake every instinct and inherited tradition which he holds sacred. All the great primitive forces of love, hate, greed and ambition dominate each scene and leave the spectator aghast. The atmosphere of "The Barrier" is raw, the country and the characters depicted are new, free, untrammeled. Might makes right, yet the quiet but sure power of justice and clean dealing makes itself felt. Klaw & Erlanger have provided a company of exceptional merit, headed by America's greatest character actor, Mr. Theodore Roberts, who will be seen as John Gale. His support includes such favorites as Miss Florence Rockwell, so well remembered for her charming performance in "The Round-up"; Mr. W. S. Hart, last seen here as "The Virginian"; Mr. Alphonse Ethier, the recognized "Ben-Hur"; and Mr. Richard Thornton, late leading man with Mrs. Leslie Carter.

There are times in the life of many when an ounce of practical assistance is

worth a ton of sympathy. There are many who are prone to give advice when silence would be more appropriate. Every one who has read Charles Dickens and some few have not, have heard of Micawber, one of the famous characters in the heart touching work, "David Copperfield."

Playgoers who have enjoyed Edward C. White's most successful dramatization of this famous book is presented by the excellent cast he has selected to portray the quaint characters in "David Copperfield."

A new play of romantic character, entitled "Sweet Innisfallen," fresh from the hands of the scenic artist, will be the vehicle which the young Irish comedian, Bernard Daly, will use to entertain Hamilton theatregoers at the Grand next Thursday evening. Instead of his older successes, "The Kerry Gow," and "Rory of the Hills," as Dan O'Hara in the "Kerry Gow," Mr. Daly was a worthy successor to Joseph Murphy in "Sweet Innisfallen." Mr. Daly has fitted himself with dramatic garments quite as attractive as was his Dan O'Hara in the "Kerry Gow," the hero of the old play; for as Larry O'Connell Mr. Daly has unlimited opportunity to display his sweet tenor voice. He has written a number of new songs for this production, and he will sing one song familiar to many, many millions of people, "The Wearing of the Green," which will no doubt find a response in every Irish heart.



WILLIAM CLIFFORD, As James Steerforth, in "David Copperfield," coming to the Grand next Tuesday.

perfield." Wherever the English language is spoken, the word "Micawber" is freely used to designate the man who is free in bestowing advice. Dickens pictures Micawber as both bluff and quaint and the character, when carried to the stage, fills the play with a unique drollery which is infectious. Micawber, Irish Heep, Peggotty, Mrs. Gummidge, Little Emly and the other strong depictions in "David Copperfield" will be admirably portrayed when Manager Edward

Joe Weber's travesty company in "The Merry Widow and the Devil," which will be presented in this city for the first time at the Grand the week after next, is the most pretentious production that Mr. Weber has ever put forth. The cast contains such well-known artists as Helen Redmond, Frank Mayne, Charles Stine, Oscar Ragland, Marcia Harris, Marise Naughton, Hazel Tupper and Joe Weber himself, as well as the usual handsome Weber chorus of forty young women.

Harry Woodruff, who was seen here in "Brown of Harvard," will appear at the Grand shortly in "The Prince of To-night." It is a big musical show with elaborate stage settings, a large chorus and a number of prominent musical stars.

Vegetable Suspension Bridge.

A remarkable suspension bridge spans the River Apurimac in central Peru. The ropes of this bridge are composed of pliable roots and vines, while the planks are made of branches. In the humid climate of Peru it would be by no means extraordinary, if this vegetable bridge were one day to start growing.—From the Wide World Magazine.

No man has such a horror of old age as to want to die young.



MR. AND MRS. JIMMIE BARRY, In their rural comedy sketch, "At Hensfoot Corners," at Bennett's next week.

At Bennett's

Perhaps the strongest array of vaudeville talent the Bennett management have assembled this season will be seen next week on a bill that will include old favorites in new offerings, as well as a number of seasonal hits making their first appearance here. Chief of these will be the presentation of "The Vital Question," one of the most talked of sketches in vaudeville, written by Lester Longman from Hamilton O'Brien's great story. It is an intensely dramatic episode, dealing with political corruption, presented by an exceptionally capable cast. The sketch bristles with action and excitement. The climax is cleverly worked up, and arouses the audience to an unusual pitch of interest.

The story concerns a young lawyer who has his choice between a stiff battle against heavy odds, and a smooth but crooked career. Four men appear in the cast, and they are all actors who have been prominently identified with the legitimate stage. The leading role is played by Kello Lloyd, and his chief support is William Powell, who made a very favorable impression here last season in Hal Davis' stirring sketch, "Pals."

Undoubtedly one of the most thoroughly appreciated numbers will be the hilarious little farce, "At Hensfoot Corners," to be presented by Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Barry, who are so well and favorably known here. Barry is easily one of vaudeville's cleverest comedians, and is carefully supported by his clever wife. Their material is noted for its refreshing brightness and originality.

On the strength of the hit they made last year at Shea's Toronto theatre the Sisters Gash should be assured a warm welcome. They have a sensational gymnastic act, performing hand balancing and other feats of strength that make people talk. The act has been featured at the Berlin Wintergarden and the principal music halls of the old country.

Happy Jack Gardner, of minstrel fame, will be seen in a brand new monologue. In fact, that is his first appearance in vaudeville since closing with Deekster's minstrels. He was featured with that celebrated organization this season. Gardner is known as one of the best black-face comedians on the stage.

Eckhoff and Gordon, musical comedians, are always pleasing in their odd little comedy skits. They will be seen in a new offering next week.

Dainty Nella Vesta, a warm favorite here as a pleasing singing comedienne, whose extensive wardrobe is always a feature of her act.

Opening the show will be the Leander Bros., comedy bicyclists, who have a number that is as sensational as it is funny. The kinetograph, with moving pictures, will offer something out of the ordinary.

KIDNAPPED THEM.

St. Louis Children Found Alone in a Chicago Street.

Chicago, Oct. 15.—Two Italian children, identified from photographs to-night as Tomasso and Grace Viviano, kidnapped from St. Louis August 2 last, and sought since by the police of many cities, were found early today on the north side of the city by Detective Stephen Parodi of the Chicago Avenue Police Station.

The children were found sitting on a curbstone weeping. The girl, who is less than four years old, was sobbing bitterly, and Tomasso, her cousin, seven years old, was trying to comfort her.

Remembering the Viviano case, Detective Parodi asked Tomasso, who said he did not know where he lived, if his name was Viviano. The boy nodded his head and identified some photographs from the Central Detective-Bureau. Tomasso could tell nothing as to where he and Grace had been since they were taken from their home.

SENDING MONEY HOME.

Large Amounts Being Transmitted From Winnipeg by Foreigners.

Winnipeg, Oct. 15.—Frequently comment is made upon the large amounts of money which are transmitted to Europe by foreign immigrants for the support of families or for bringing out relatives to this country. This year the amount is unusually large, over one hundred and two thousand dollars having been transmitted through the little post department in the immigration hall alone. This deputy has handled half a million remittances during the past two years. This is outside of the business handled by the express companies, banks, and the main postoffice. Russia is the principal place to which money is sent.

FREEDOM OF NEW YORK

Bestowed on Dr. Cook by Aldermen of That City.

New York, Oct. 15.—Dr. Frederick A. Cook, of Brooklyn, came back to New York to-day as calm and as smiling as ever, received the freedom of the city as conferred by the Board of aldermen, granted as by the affidavit of Edward N. Barrill, the guide who says he did not attain the summit of Mount McKinley, and finally filed the shot which started a 24-hour automobile race at Brighton Beach. He will remain in New York until Sunday night, when he will start for the west on another lecture tour. In the meantime he may issue a detailed affidavit in reply to Barrill of the conferring of the freedom of the city upon the explorer was a formal affair, conducted jointly by the Board of Aldermen and the Arctic Club of America. The club presented to him a gold medal in recognition of his discovery of the Pole, while the aldermen took the occasion to recognize him officially for the first time since his arrival on home shores. George Horn and Prof. Donald R. McMillan, of the Peary expedition were among the spectators of the ceremony.

Set Fire to Leaning Tower.

Rome, Oct. 15.—It is reported that a mob has wrecked and set fire to the cathedral at Pisa and has damaged the celebrated leaning tower. Serious disorders and conflicts with the police have occurred at Milan and Naples.

GAVE THIRD DEGREE.

For Ninety-Four Hours the Prisoner Was Kept Awake.

East St. Louis, Ill., Oct. 15.—After he had been kept awake for ninety-four hours by the East St. Louis police Arthur Fowler was permitted to sleep for half an hour to-day. At the end of the half hour detectives threw him to a sitting position and resumed the "third degree."

For four days the police have tried to wring from Fowler a confession that he is the burglar who killed Chief of Detectives Patrick F. Gill on September 5 last. He has confessed to three burglaries and twenty box car robberies, but denies the killing.

"They are murdering me," said Fowler to-day. "The nap they let me have was the worst torture. I would rather have been killed than awakened. My heart is weak and if this keeps up much longer I will die."

Fowler admits he has served two terms in the Joliet Penitentiary.

AN ACCIDENT.

Ingersoll Man Probably Had Percussion Cap in His Pocket.

Ingersoll, Oct. 15.—Mr. James A. Buchanan, who was seriously injured by an explosion at the Kirwin House on Tuesday afternoon, has expressed the opinion that the explosion was an accident and not a malicious attempt to injure him. He says he has no knowledge of how the percussion cap or whatever it was that exploded, got into his pocket, but all the circumstances lead him to believe that whatever exploded must have been in his hand at the time.

The most likely thing he can imagine would be a percussion cap, such as are used for exploding dynamite cartridges. One of these might have got fastened to a match, and, escaping notice, became heated and thus exploded.

WARSHIP'S RIBS

To be Used as Rafters and Supports in Connecticut House.

Greenwich, Conn., Oct. 15.—In the residence which I. N. Phelps Stokes is building here the timbers of the Wellington, once a British battleship, will find final repose. They have arrived at New York from England to be transported here.

The timbers will be used as rafters in the great dining room and as supports of the new house which Mr. Stokes is having constructed at an estimated cost of \$200,000.

The Wellington has many historic associations, but Mr. Stokes when he bought the timbers was indulging no antiquarian tendencies. His idea was to get a good strong wood. The wood is teak, which has great durability. There are firms in England which make a specialty of breaking old vessels to procure this wood.

MYSTERY CLEARED.

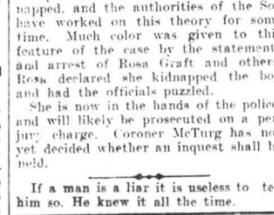
W. Delisle Found Drowned at Sault Ste. Marie.

Sault Ste. Marie, Oct. 15.—The mystery surrounding the disappearance of Wilfred Delisle, nearly two weeks ago, has been solved by the finding of the remains in the river, near the International dock this afternoon. The remains were found between the dock and a scow, which had been tied up at this point for some time. The body was badly decomposed, and was removed at once to Mahon's morgue. Constable Bowers declares he can identify the remains from the clothing.

The boy's father is out of town at present searching for his son, and conclusive proof of his death was not reached. The parents of the boy always maintained that he had been kidnapped, and the authorities of the Soo have worked on this theory for some time. Much color was given to this feature of the case by the statements and arrest of Rosa Graft and others. Rosa declared she kidnapped the boy and had the officials puzzled.

She is now in the hands of the police, and will likely be prosecuted on a perjury charge. Coroner McTurg has not yet decided whether an inquest shall be held.

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Please mention this paper.

In the matter of the estate of John McQueen, late of the City of Hamilton, in the County of Wentworth, grocery clerk, deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897, and an Act of the said John McQueen, deceased, who died on or about the fourteenth day of August, 1909, at the said City of Hamilton, are required to send by post or deliver to the undersigned on or before the thirtieth day of November, their claims with full particulars and proofs thereof, and that after the said date the administrator of the said estate will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate among the persons entitled thereto, and will not be liable for the said claims, and no claim shall not have been received at the time of the said distribution.

WILLIAM HUGH WARDROPE, Hamilton, Solicitor for William McQueen, Administrator of the Estate of the said John McQueen. Dated at Hamilton this fourteenth day of October, 1909.

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WHEN TO USE DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS.

The Quiet Hour For Thoughtful People

FAREWELL. (By the Rev. H. T. Miller.) My frequent speech with God dispersed my care...

PRAYER. Our Heavenly Father, we thank Thee for this wonderful message of Thy love to the children of men...

THE EASE OF DUTY DOING. Only those really know the ease of living who never try to dodge the hard things in life...

DOUBTING CASTLE. (Alexander Whyte, D. D.) Every schoolboy has (Giant Despair) by heart. The rough road after the meadow of lilies...

HUMILITY. Humble people are mild and peaceful, of a contrite heart, merciful and compassionate. They are obedient, watchful and fervent...

THE THEORY OF FLIGHT. A simple explanation has been given to account for the fact that when a light body of large area is moved rapidly through the air at a slight angle...

Tungsten in Nova Scotia. A recent discovery of tungsten ore in the Moose River gold mining district in Nova Scotia shows so far as exploration has gone...

divinity, that where despair has slain its thousands, presumption has slain its ten thousands. The agonies of the former are indeed more terrible...

THE QUEST OF THE POLES. (By a Banker.) From the time of King Alfred, who has left on record the account of an Arctic expedition made by one of the old vikings...

But what a dreary, joyless and dismal region is this melancholy waste of frozen waters and snow-covered land. No trees, no shrubs, no flowers to beautify the scene...

LORD MAYOR OF LONDON. Questions Out of the Usual Order at His Election. (London Standard.) With all the ceremonial traditionally associated with the function, the City of London elected its new Lord Mayor...

And, judging from the vague references in holy writ to the material glories of heaven, the flashing splendors of those celestial realms may perhaps, though of course on a far more transcendent scale...

Humility is a garment, home-made—a large garment; it covers the man, reaching down to the feet; nay, covering the feet that he may walk softly; a veil to cover the face...

Humility is a spirit. It asks questions, it floats on the wings of wonders. It makes an estimate of God; it accumulates self-knowledge. I was adrift on a surging ocean; no chart, no pilot; why did He give me a hull, come on board, make himself fast to me...

Oh, the depths! It is past finding out. I ask a thousand times, and get no answer; the decks of my soul are swept as by a hurricane, and yet I am saved. How is this? I am helpless as a derelict, no masts, no sail, no flag; I am abandoned, self-abandoned; the cargo all out, the hold clean swept, when I begin to look up...

There are rumors of the wedding being abandoned. Some say the bridegroom is not here. The bride is about to faint! "Come, come! Let us have a search before we have any hysteria. He may be kicking around somewhere. You look in yonder corner and I'll look behind these palms."

The Sunday School Lesson

LESSON III.—OCTOBER 17, 1909.

Paul a Prisoner—Before Felix.—Acts 24: 10-27.

Commentary.—I. The charges against Paul (1-9). Within five days the high priest, Ananias, together with representatives from the Sanhedrin, accompanied by a professional orator, Tertullus, arrived in Caesarea...

Mr. Paul Charbonneau, a young man well known in the town of St. Jerome, Que., is one of the best who bear testimony to the value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. He says: "When I left school I became a bookkeeper in an important office. Probably due to the confinement, I began to suffer from indigestion and loss of strength. I became pale and seemingly bloodless and was often seized with palpitation of the heart and violent headaches. I tried several remedies, but they did not do me a bit of good. I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and did so, and the use of eight boxes brought me back to perfect health and strength. I have since enjoyed the best of health, and cannot say too much in praise of this valuable medicine."

LORD MAYOR OF LONDON.

With all the ceremonial traditionally associated with the function, the City of London elected its new Lord Mayor, Sir John Knill, at Guildhall. But amid the scenes of civic splendor there was struck one note distinctly out of harmony with the rest, and only the fact of the new Lord Mayor himself saved the situation. Sir John is a Roman Catholic, and when he stood before the bar to submit himself to the "scrutiny" of the assembled liverymen as a fit and proper person to hold the high office of chief magistrate, Sir Robert Rogers rose and put forward his four questions. It was an exciting moment. The crowded Guildhall seemed to have anticipated the incident. The buzz of conversation in the body of the ancient hall ceased of a sudden. The ladies in the side galleries, among them the Lady Mayress and the wife of Sir John Knill, leaned forward expectantly.

"I have to ask Sir John Knill four questions," said Sir Robert, "and no doubt Sir John will answer them. First, will you undertake, if appointed to the office of Lord Mayor, to attend St. Paul's Cathedral and other churches on all ceremonial occasions, according to ancient custom?" "Yes, but firmly," Sir John replied. "I will not attend St. Paul's Cathedral, but I will attend other churches on all ceremonial occasions."

"Second," said the questioner, "will you appoint a Protestant chaplain?" Sir John replied that he should appoint a Protestant chaplain, for the purposes, and also a private chaplain. Sir R. Rogers resumed: "Will you undertake that all charitable funds raised at the Mansion House for any religious or philanthropic purposes shall not suffer on account of the denomination of purposes for which they are raised?" "Yes, but firmly," Sir John replied. "I will not attend St. Paul's Cathedral, but I will attend other churches on all ceremonial occasions."

On all occasions of ceremonial, 'no' meaning that he would not put the Pope before the King; "anything private affects me alone." Some diversion was created by Mr. J. Newby, who wanted to know what effect the budget, if passed, would have on the finances of the corporation. Amid several protests against the introduction of politics, Sir John replied that it was impossible to give a satisfactory answer to the question at this juncture.

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Paul a Prisoner—Before Felix.—Acts 24: 10-27.

Paul preaches as a faithful apostle should have preached to such hearers. They heard much more than they cared to hear. Felix trembled. In view of his past sins, and the judgment to come. Go thy way—Felix was troubled, but instead of asking the way of peace, he sent the messenger of warning away.

Paul defended the faith. I. Paul speaks. "Forasmuch as I know" (v. 10). Tertullus began his accusation of Paul with abject flattery (vs. 2-4). Paul respected Felix's office and what it represented, but did not flatter the bad man in the office. He was "subject unto the higher powers" (Rom. 13: 1). He spoke truly and availed himself of a plain fact, when he said, "As I know that thou hast been for many years a judge unto this nation, I do the more cheerfully answer for myself" (v. 10). A great man will honestly praise; he will never flatter. Jesus commended (Matt. 8: 10; John 4: 17); he never flattered.

II. Paul reasons (v. 25). To the judge, in public, the prisoner gave the deference due to his office; to the sinner, in private, the preacher dared to give the warning that his official character and his private conduct would both come in judgment. To this unjust extortioner, this defrauder of widows, this plunderer of children, this buyer and seller of judicial decisions, "he reasoned of righteousness." To the woman, who had lost everything for which a wife and mother ought to live, whose passionate desires had never been checked, he dared to speak of self-control, self-restraint, self-government. To this tyrannical prince, this unjust judge, he dared to tell of "a judgment to come," until the man "trembled" at the sight of the great white throne and the opened books whose record was red with the blood of private murder and public massacre.

III. Felix trembles (v. 25). "Paul was not the only one who was being weighed or judged in this season. Felix also was fear of the consequence of his sin. Many times men have committed sin which has against the love that bought them with the price of blood. This is cowardly, ungrateful, rebellious."

Worth Knowing. A new use for the mechanical toys sold on the streets and in the shops is suggested in a recent number of one of the household magazines. At a child's party the toys were being played with, a handsome silk pennant going to the child whose toy won. This might be made an amusing feature of a grown-up party, each guest bringing his own toy, and of course, trying to select an especially rapid one. They might be raced for prizes, or partners, or tables, if the party included a progressive game of cards. The very absurdity of the proceeding would make it interesting.

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The DAY of the DUEL

AT THE WORD OF THE PROMPTER

(A TRUE STORY)



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"AND what have we here?" murmured the Duke d'Alva to General de la Concha. It was the Marquis de Turgot, French Ambassador to Madrid and the host of the evening, who gave him his answer.

"Pierre Soulé, shepherd and gardener, pirate and fiend, come now as Minister of the United States," he whispered before leaving his two friends. Then he made his way, bowing and smiling, toward the group that had appeared in the arched entrance to the ball-room.

Pierre Soulé, a slight, handsome figure, was escorting his wife. At a respectful distance followed their son, Neville. Each of the three would have attracted attention in any gathering. The Minister was then in his fiftieth year and was noted for his resemblance to the first Napoleon, with his splendid, flashing eyes and his quiet air of dignity and command. Mrs. Soulé had been one of the beauties of the South and the years had dealt more than kindly with her. Her charm of feature and manner had been passed to her son, whose strong, clean cut face and upright carriage brought admiring glances from all sides.

The Soulés received the formal welcome extended by De Turgot with equally formal salutations and passed on into the crowded room, where moved the glitter and fashion of diplomatic life and the upper social circles of the Spanish capital. The Duke watched the little stiff scene in the archway and turned to the General.

"So this is the man who proposes to take Cuba from us?" he asked.

"To take or buy it," nodded the other. "It appears that if we prove amenable we are to have some millions of pesos. If we are stubborn and refuse to accept the generous offer made by this republic of cotton planters and ship builders then must we stand and deliver."

"Truly, a flattering policy," snorted D'Alva. "But has this man the authority of his country to advance such preposterous schemes?"

"Not, as I understand, a full commission to negotiate. But he has been what they call a Senator and has repeatedly urged in public speeches the annexation of Cuba. President Pierce, we are informed, is secretly in accord with the plan. Such is the explanation of the presence of Soulé here."

"What did De Turgot mean, gardener, pirate and the rest?"

"Soulé has led an adventurous life. I was at some pains recently to collect information wanted by—well, never mind by whom. But it was wanted when we first had word of his appointment. He was born in France and at the age of fifteen was forced to flee to the Pyrenees as a result of a political conspiracy against the government. While in hiding he was a shepherd, as de Turgot says.

"Later he was a journalist in Paris and was arrested for treason. He escaped to Hayti and at the age of twenty-four landed in the United States penniless, knowing not a word of English. Yet here he is as you may see, rich, they say, and certainly powerful."

"A remarkable place, this adopted country of his," said the Duke, with a sneer. "And how did he bring about his rise?"

"How shall I say, my friend? It is a nation of madmen, I think. For a time he was a common laborer in a place they call Kentucky. He trained himself as an advocate and in time became widely famed as a pleader. It was then but a step into the political field. In their senate he was a leader of that faction which seeks to maintain human slavery and his other interest was the annexation of Cuba. And there, so far as I know, you have the story of Pierre Soulé."

The two were rejoined a moment later by the Marquis, who made no secret of his dislike for the newcomers or his irritation at having to receive them.

Close to a Secret.

"He is probably well aware of your sentiments," remarked De la Concha after De Turgot had fumed for some minutes.

"If the accounts of his passage through France are correct he should be," flashed the Marquis. "It was made uncomfortable for him en route, we are told, and I can well believe it. Louis Napoleon has little love for the American Republic and still less for this expatriate. When one remembers the trouble he has caused over this 'Cuban' affair it is easily seen that my imperial master would not strew his path with roses."

The General glanced keenly at him. "Perhaps you will receive specific instructions as to your treatment of him," he suggested. But De Turgot answered with a shrug.

Presently the orchestra made itself heard above the hum of voices and the gayly dressed company began to separate toward the sides to leave the floor clear for the dancers. Those who took no part moved slowly after a time in decorous promenade, and the three noblemen watched the procession in silence. Suddenly D'Alva turned to De Turgot.

"All the same, my friend, this Mme. Soulé is the most wonderfully handsome woman in the room," he said.

Some little distance away they could see the Americans approaching. The opinion ventured by the Duke seemed to be shared by those in the vicinity of the Soulés, for the wife of the Minister drew many eyes. General de la Concha warmly supported it.

"In truth a noble, queenly woman," he said, watching her with enthusiasm. The Marquis de Turgot did not answer immediately. With the movement of the crowd the Americans came nearer. A minute later they were abreast of the noblemen. And then De Turgot leaned toward D'Alva, raising his voice a trifle above the conversational tone.

"Do you think so?" he said. "For my part I scarcely share in your admiration for the woman. She is handsome, if you like, but she reminds me too forcibly of Marguerite de Valois."

His words did not reach the ears of the Soulés, but they were heard distinctly by several persons who accompanied the Americans and were friendly with them. Before they had half completed the circuit of the room once more the Minister had been drawn aside and the insulting remark had been repeated to him. He needed no elaboration. To his mind, as to all others, the reference to Marguerite de Valois could only be a deliberate attempt to cast a slur upon Mrs. Soulé, suggesting all that might be associated with that famous beauty of another century, divorced wife of Henry IV. and licentious daughter of Catherine de Medici.

If the General and the Duke were surprised at the course of action, chosen by De Turgot they showed no sign of it. No further comment was made, but a common purpose held them in their places. Something must come of this, and when it did the Marquis would have need of them. Meanwhile De Turgot seemed to have forgotten his remark and his two friends seemed not to have heard it. The situation was quite in hand, repressed, as was fitting with gentlemen of distinguished birth and position. And then, moving toward them through the press as the



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music came to an end and the dancers intermingled upon the floor, they caught a glimpse of Pierre Soulé.

The Challenge.

No one of the three but admitted reluctantly to himself that a prince of the blood royal could not have conformed himself with greater gallantry. Soulé's head was up and he advanced at a dignified pace. His eyes, always expressive, were like veiled flames, but his countenance and actions were under perfect control. Noting only De Turgot, he came to a halt at that gentleman's side. The Marquis affected not to notice him, keeping his gaze fixed upon a distant corner of the hall. Noting this Soulé applied a significant pressure with his elbow and spoke in a low tone, using French.

"I have heard, sir, of your indecent remark. You shall hear from me to-morrow."

As he turned his back and retraced his steps De Turgot turned to the others with a significant gesture. They understood, without a word of explanation, that the Marquis had fulfilled one of the direct and peremptory commands laid upon him from a source brooking no disobedience. General de la Concha permitted himself a quiet smile. But the Duke d'Alva did not smile. His wife was a sister of the Empress Eugénie and he did not always approve of the methods of his imperial brother-in-law.

The centre of the floor was almost empty now, and through the space they were interested to see Neville Soulé apparently making his way toward them.

"What now?" exclaimed the general. "Is his own son to act as his second, or is the young man to have a chance at you himself, De Turgot?" The Marquis shook his head and waited the approach of the Minister's son. When Neville stopped before the three, however, it was evident that whatever his mission he was not concerned with the French Ambassador. His clear, assured glance was fixed upon the Duke d'Alva. The Duke returned the look. When Neville was certain that he was observed he spoke.

"Pardon me for the intrusion, Monsieur, but may I have a word with you?"

"Certainly," said d'Alva, stepping forward.

"I have the honor to make myself known to you. I am Neville Soulé. It has reached my ears that you made certain remarks concerning madame, my mother, a few moments ago. You shall hear from me to-morrow." The Duke was too surprised to be ready with a reply. He merely bowed and the other walked rapidly away.

"Come. Here is consequence enough for one short sentence in one short evening," the General burst out. "First the Minister challenges De Turgot, then the son calls out D'Alva. Is there not a cousin or an uncle or some one to fall upon me? Will you fight the young fire-eater, D'Alva?"

"Certainly not," returned the other. "I am no murderer. It is a mistake. He will learn what he has done as soon as he and his father compare notes."

"At least, my affair is to go forward," said De Turgot, grimly. "But I am forgetting my hospitality. We will talk further of this. Good evening."

As D'Alva had divined, the two Soulés had acted independently. It was not until after they had returned to their home at the Embassy that each learned what the other had done.

"Father," began Neville. "I have no doubt you will say I should have told you, but I learned that the Duke d'Alva insulted my mother this evening, and I challenged him."

"You challenged D'Alva?" exclaimed the other. "You were mistaken. It was not the Duke but De Turgot who offended. And I have challenged him."

"I acted upon exact information," said Neville.

"And so did I," returned Pierre. "Who gave you yours?"

"Monsieur Doumouriez."

"Ah," said the Minister, pacing the room slowly. "Doumouriez. I think I understand. Did the Duke accept?"

"He bowed. I took that for acceptance."

"Well, you cannot draw back now and I would hardly care to have you. If my suspicions are correct the same hand that brought about the situation to-night would bring it about again if necessary. The Duke is reckoned one of the best duellists in Spain, my son."

"The same may be said of the Marquis when he is in France, father." And so they parted for the night.

By noon the next day the Duke d'Alva had further occasion to shake his head and grumble over the name of his brother-in-law. It was clear that his remark as to settling the misunderstanding with Neville made at De Turgot's ball had been repeated by wire in Paris not many hours later. He was holding in his hand a cipher message from no less a personage than Louis Napoleon himself.

Broadwords Selected.

The message gave him to understand, in vague terms, that he was no longer to call himself a member of the French Emperor's family if he failed to accept Neville's challenge. He did not like it. He was not accustomed to fighting without due excuse. Such tactics savored too much of the ruffian and bravo. But there were very real and vital reasons why he could not afford to sacrifice the friendship and good will of Napoleon III.

His decision was fully formed by the time Neville's seconds called upon him, a few hours later. He gave no intimation that there had been a mistake, but confined himself to the formal preliminaries. He acknowledged acquaintance with the two gentlemen, Secretary Perry and Colonel Milans del Bosch, and referred them to those he had already picked out, General de la Concha and Count de Panoostro.

A meeting between the four seconds took place that evening. General de la Concha recited the terms of the affair which his principal, as the challenged party, had the right to name. The weapons chosen were broadswords and the time set was three days off. These arrangements were not pleasing to the representatives of the American, who had hoped for pistols. Neville had never held a broadsword in his life, and D'Alva was an accomplished swordsman.

While these matters were being discussed a curt communication from Pierre Soulé was delivered to the Marquis de Turgot. It called attention to the fact that a meeting was in process of arrangement between the Minister's son and a Spanish nobleman.

"It is, therefore, Minister Soulé's privilege to request the patience of the Marquis de Turgot for a short time. He assures the Marquis that after the meeting referred to has taken place he will be entirely at the disposal of the Marquis."

De Turgot was quite willing to postpone the affair, and within a few hours it was known throughout Madrid that Neville would have precedence over his father in settling the dispute. Madrid was indifferent as to how or in what order the Americans fought, but it was most anxious lest in some way they should escape the necessity of fighting at all. The popular notion was that Americans had small stomach for personal combat, that their sole interest was in keeping a shop or in selling a bale of cotton, and that if actually dragged to the field of honor they must inevitably be killed. Fear was freely expressed that they would escape under cover of night and leave the country, thus depriving the capital of that desirable consummation.

Perry hurried back to the Embassy after the interview with D'Alva's seconds. Both the Soulés were awaiting him.

"It's rather too bad, Neville," was Perry's greeting. "He's picked broadswords, and you've got three days."

"I expected that," said the Minister. Neville was indifferent. "You can't expect to bring yourself abreast of the Duke in cleverness within three days," went on Pierre. "But there is one thing you can do. You can learn the difference between swinging a sabre and using a hunting knife. There is a good master of a broadsword in the city. You shall take a long lesson each day."

The Duel.

He accompanied Neville to Le Grand, a professional duellist, next morning, and for three hours the young man was drilled in the use of the heavy weapon with which he must defend his life. Neville took little interest in the manoeuvres and went through them half-heartedly. His father took him to task when they went home together.

"Consider a moment," said Pierre. "It is your right to risk your skin as often and as carelessly as you please, but it is to be remembered that you are here as an American and that you are fighting for an insult placed upon the name of your mother, whether or not D'Alva was guilty."

"It wears me, father," was the answer. "I can see no object in all this following of rule. The broadsword is a weapon, not a dancing stick. Let D'Alva be a villain that fights by the book of arithmetic. I have learned how to stand on guard and that's enough. Let the Duke look to himself when we have one laid to with the blades." And Pierre, glancing with approval at the athletic build and square shoulders of his son, was content.

In the event it proved just as well that Neville had formed his own conception of the way in which he would conduct his share of the duel. When the young man presented himself at the home of the fencing master the next day he learned that Le Grand had left the city hurriedly. The explanation, which Pierre was not slow to grasp, was that the same power of which De Turgot and D'Alva were pawns had sent a peremptory order to the duellist.

On the morning set for the meeting the young American, with his two seconds and a surgeon, drove in a carriage to a field about five miles from the city, according to prearrangement. The Duke arrived a few minutes later.

The preparations were quickly made. To D'Alva the affair was one of slight moment, now that he was fully embarked upon it. He would kill or seriously wound the young man and he hoped that his brother-in-law would be satisfied. Three parallel lines were marked in the turf with a sword point. Across the central one the men would face each other. Neither must retreat beyond the line behind him on pain of being branded poltroon and coward.

Neville was a model of strength and virile youth as he stood with arms and neck bared, ready for the first word. He was lithe but firmly muscled and he moved on his feet with the exact poise of an animal. To D'Alva's seconds he looked dangerous. But the Duke, while approving the handsome figure before him, saw nothing but a fair target for his blade and a man who could not hope to equal the skill of a Spanish duellist. The Duke himself was sturdily built and his reach was a thing to fear.

The two men faced each other for a long minute, eyes flickering against eyes in the first clash of personality that precedes such a combat. In Neville's face was no trace of fear or uneasiness. The Duke's mouth had set in his fighting smile. Whatever his opponent might prove to lack in knowledge of the game he knew in that instant that the American would not give an inch. And then General de la Concha spoke the sharp words of command and the harsh clash of steel to steel rang out.

The Duke opened his play with a graceful feint and a quick, ripping downward slash. Neville parried clumsily and the wrinkles at the sides of D'Alva's mouth tightened. This was decidedly too simple. He had supposed that the American, apparently a gentle-

man, had some small knowledge of sword play. But the fellow was a novice. Was it true, then, that this nation of cotton planters never trained themselves in the essentials of the field? He caught a weak thrust, turned it aside and stepped in with a wicked swing of his blade. Again Neville caught it in time. The Duke was preparing a quick volley of blows which should beat down this awkward guard and end the matter when he was thrown back suddenly from the offensive to laboring defence.

Neville had waited but a moment to get the feel of his weapon and test his adversary. Now, without warning, he put into play his own theory of the broadsword duel. It was a fight as he understood it, to be won by the man who could deal the best fair blow. He had no mind to wait until he was scientifically splited. He twirled the heavy sabre above his head like a switch and went at his opponent as if cutting a swath in a rank of reeds.

Another Meeting.

The Duke gave before the onslaught, his confidence suddenly deserting him. This was not the method he was used to. Neville was hacking at him as if he were a squad of troopers. A warning cry from one of his seconds told him he had reached his line and desperately he turned at bay. Blood as he sang about his ears and the shining line of light with which he was protecting himself sank. Then came a dazing, aching shock, and the world went black before him. Neville's sword had struck at the angle of the shoulder and the neck.

That night came another brief and exquisitely formal note from Pierre Soulé to the Marquis de Turgot. The affair in which his son was engaged having come to a happy termination, the Minister was now at liberty to resume his own differences with the Ambassador. He would give himself the pleasure of having his seconds wait upon any gentlemen designated by De Turgot. The Marquis was his second and named Lord Howden and General Callier. General Valdes and M. Picou acted for Pierre Soulé.

Broadwords having gone well with the Soulé family, the power that had managed the whole affair from Paris sent word to the Ambassador that it would be well if he named pistols. Having obeyed so far he did not draw back at this, and his seconds were instructed accordingly. The distance stated in the terms was ten paces, and Pierre Soulé was almost gleeful when the result was announced to him.

On arriving at the appointed place with his attendants the Minister found the opposing group awaiting him. He noted with quickening suspicion that the man who accompanied De Turgot, General Valdes, was Doumouriez, a man he had quickly identified as a confidential agent of Napoleon III. and the one who had dragged Neville into the quarrel with a falsehood. He turned to General Valdes.

"If I am hurt, General, keep this man away from me," he said, indicating Doumouriez. "On no account let him approach me, and it would be as well if you kept an eye upon him while loading the pistols."

Pierre did not think that Doumouriez was a surgeon or that he had any right to be present in that capacity. But he made no comment. The ground was already chosen and marked and Soulé's seconds were satisfied with the arrangement. The place was protected from passersby on the road by a high stone wall. On the side toward which the American advanced, since the other was already occupied by De Turgot, he would stand and watch the duel. He observed the fact, but as it was fully fifty feet behind him he felt that there was little danger of ricocheted bullets and raised no objection.

The opponents were of about the same build and height. Neither showed the slightest degree of nervousness or anxiety. Their hands were old hands at the business of taking and offering life on the field of honor. They received the pistols from their respective chief seconds and stood erect and at attention. General Valdes had won the right to give the word.

"Are you ready, messieurs?" he asked after a pause.

"I am ready," said Soulé, and the Marquis echoed the phrase.

The Line in the Wall.

"Fire—one—two," began Valdes, counting slowly and pausing a full second between each utterance. Somewhat to the surprise of the spectators neither of the duellists raised his arm at the first syllable, according to the usual practice. Apparently each had had the same plan, to reserve fire until the opponent had discharged his weapon. However, both men levelled quickly and fired. The reports sounded as one and when the smoke had cleared it was seen that neither Soulé nor the Marquis had altered his position. Both had missed.

There was no suggestion of a settlement and the weapons were quickly reloaded. Once more the adversaries stiffened at their marks and General Valdes stood forward for the word.

"Messieurs, are you ready?"

"Ready," they answered, sharply.

"Fire!"

There was no hesitation this time. The arms rose like mechanical parts of a clockwork and the double explosion drowned the "one." Almost instantly the Marquis was seen to fall. He did not strike slowly. It was as if he had been hurled backward by a strong hand.

His seconds, hurrying to his side, soon ascertained the cause. He had been dangerously wounded in the groin and the sharp shock had taken the support from under him. Pierre Soulé stood with folded arms, unhurt, watching the opposing seconds and Doumouriez as they tended their principal.

Several minutes passed and he had not moved. Then he was conscious of the white face of General Valdes coming toward him. Valdes seized his arm and turned him squarely about.

"Look, look!" he said. "Look at that wall. Do you see the line in the masonry?"

The Minister studied the wall as he was bid and finally made out the mark that his second indicated. From top to bottom some chance of construction had left a perpendicular line of cement between the stones.

"Well," he asked, "what of that?"

"Don't you see?" the other almost shouted. "Where you stood you were directly in front of that line. It was murder they meant, simple murder. And I think that I failed to see it! I swear by the saints I will call out De Turgot myself if he recovers from this." But Soulé restrained him with a smile.

"He has enough, and in any case it was not the Marquis. He is at least a brave man. Doumouriez did it, counting upon the advantage that De Turgot would inevitably adopt from the presence of the line. And Doumouriez—is he worth your while?" He smiled again at the grimace of disgust that swept upon the face of his impetuous second.

It was thought at first that both D'Alva and De Turgot would die of the injuries they had received. Under careful treatment they recovered. During the subsequent period of Pierre Soulé's service as Minister of the United States he and all pertaining to him were treated with profound respect in Madrid.

"The Final Test."---Next Week.



HAS NO FEAR FOR ENGLAND.

Editor Macdonald Before Canadian Club Last Night.

Drink and the Land Question Two Great Problems.

British Commercial Honor—A Lesson For Canada.

It is a matter of conjecture if the members of the Hamilton Canadian Club have ever listened to a more impassioned and inspiring address than that given last night by Mr. J. A. Macdonald, editor of the Globe, at an informal luncheon of the club held at the Royal Hotel.

About 125 were present, the largest number that have attended a similar function.

Mr. W. M. McClelland, president of the club, in a few well-chosen words, introduced the speaker of the evening.

What a Press Man Saw in Great Britain was the title of the address.

The speaker thanked the president and members of the club for the kind invitation extended to him to speak to them and said he was going to speak frankly.

He first referred to the many sights and incidents he had seen in the old land. In speaking of the convention of newspaper men in London, Eng., he said every detail was well attended to.

In the matter of managing a great convention, England can put it all over us.

Speaking of Lord Rosebery, Mr. Macdonald said "there is no one like Rosebery, for he voices the views of the Empire, and one wishes he had the staying power. He has not done what he should have done for his country."

The speaker then touched upon the benefits derived from meeting editors from the dominions over the seas; then of the stately homes of England, of the men at work and at play, and of the great army review at Aldershot, and then said:

"What I have said I tried to set forth, only in outline, what we saw in our various experiences in Britain. But what did these things signify? Did they suggest strength and prosperity and progress? Or were there serious reflections as the delegates went from grave to gay, and from city to country? What was the general impression?"

Let it be said quite frankly that no one impression reflects adequately such a variety of experiences. Certainly I, for one, had no serious apprehension, either for the commercial standing or for the national security of Britain.

Neither in London nor in the provinces, neither in talking with the statesmen nor in sifting up public opinion among the people, could I find reason for alarm. A crisis? Yes, this is a time of crisis. What time is not critical in such a country or such an empire? But alertness, not alarm, is the proper temper alike for the leaders and for the crowd.

In matters industrial what we saw in the various centres impressed us—I speak for all the overseas delegates—with the amazing vitality and vigor of the British manufacturer beats us all. He can hold his own against the world. He makes a success under conditions and on margins that would discourage the average Canadian or American. He may be too conservative in his methods. He may be slow, too, in the commercial "upside." But once he strikes his gait he leads the way.

In the commercial markets he holds his own against Germany and America, and again and again we saw the goods being shipped to countries in the face of apparently prohibitive tariffs. (Cheers.)

Now, that does not mean that Britain has no industrial problems. Her problems are serious. She is only beginning to appreciate the change that has been wrought by industrial education and training of her people. Great Britain is behind, far behind, Germany. But Canada lags behind Britain. The manufacturing classes in Germany are not only more scientifically trained than in Britain, but their working forces are better marshalled and utilized. There is less industrial waste, because there is less personal liberty. The Englishman's right to liberty means the privilege of being a parasite either of the genteel or the vulgar type.

But Britain is learning. The representatives of her great industries are now abroad studying conditions and needs. Her manufacturers are making goods to suit purchasers. If people prefer an American-shaped shoe to a British style, that shape is introduced, and the British-made shoe undercuts all competitors. Just as soon as he shakes himself out of his old-time security, the Englishman will catch the new industrial life and work it out with his old-time pluck and resource and staying power.

But in Britain, as elsewhere, the industrial problem evolves the social problem. The social condition of the people in the end determines their capacity for work or for trade or for war. On this question I said some things in an article in the Globe a few weeks ago that attracted attention which to me was surprising. It was republished extensively both in Canada and in Britain. It was approved, questioned or scorned according to the point of view. Some people took it as descriptive of general conditions or of the working classes, although in very definite terms it confined itself to "that Britain which is out of work, and which has long forgotten how to play."

Gentlemen, with the latest statistics reporting a million people on public relief, and with attendant millions more on the verge of edge—

"No, not millions," said Mr. Sheffield, sitting opposite the speaker.

"Yes, millions, or there would not be a million on public relief," quickly retorted Mr. Macdonald (cheers), the words I used fell short of the whole sad, distressing truth of the poverty and despair seen almost everywhere in London and Liverpool and Manchester and Sheffield and Glasgow and Edinburgh. We saw it with our own eyes. It made an appeal to our own hearts. The vivid realism of it still haunts us as a nightmare that will not down when daylight breaks.

It is wholly false to say that the problem of drunkenness is not serious almost to the point of alarm. Not among men alone, but far more among women, in the poorer districts of British cities the drunken habits of the people make social and industrial re-

form almost impossible. Whole generations of children are bred and born in gin-soaked poverty and hereditary disease. To say that it is not so is to belie both personal observation and certified statistics. To shut one's eyes to the facts, to say "Peace, peace, when there is no peace," as some of the British newspapers affect to do, is to play the foolish ostrich part. To allow the open shame and festering sores of those diseased social conditions to continue would be to mortgage the virility and worth of the nation. The time was when Britain could maintain her supremacy at home and abroad in spite of the inhuman life of her "submerged tenth." That time is past. Democracy has broken down the old walls and safeguards. The tenement is now in touch with the castle. The gravest national perils are involved in the problem of the city slum.

But the city slum is not the only serious aspect of the situation. Almost more depressing is the condition in the country. No one can see great areas of good land in England and Scotland almost uninhabited without serious reflections as to its significance alike for trade, for social reform and for national defence. The basis of Britain's prosperity is the land and the uses made of the land. That is true for Canada also, and will be felt more acutely when our population crowds this country as Britain is crowded. With a comparatively small area, and with enormous districts of that available area held idle or devoted, not to work, but to pleasure, the land problem in Britain is vexed almost to the point of revolution. It involves all other problems. Social reform, industrial reform, every other reform, will lag and fail until a solution is found for the land problem. It is no use spinning fine theories about vested rights. Entailed and idle land from which the people have been driven is a menace to the State. It is injustice, run mad that nearly one-half of all the land of Scotland is owned by twelve men. It is worse than injustice, it is a national crime that in the south as well as in the north grouse and pheasants and deer hold the lands from which were driven the people who bred British leaders in education, in industry, and in war.

Think for one moment, gentlemen, what this depletion of rural population means for a country's trade. The great industries of this city, of all cities, thrive mainly on the people who live and work on the land. Compare the land-working population of Britain with that of other countries. The latest statistics show that of all the people reported as "employed in occupations" in the United States there are 2,000,000 in the United States, 3,000,000 in Germany, 3,500,000 in France, 4,000,000 in Italy. What is the percentage in Britain? It is just 10.4 per cent. Is it any wonder British manufacturers are handicapped because they lack home markets? And they never can have their rightful possible home markets until the land of Britain is delivered from the heavy incumbrance of the landlordism and opened for the life and labor of the people.

And this movement of the people from the country to the city not only accentuates the problem of unemployment and lowers the standard of living, but it makes still more acute the land question as applied to city conditions. This is the crux of the question now before the British public. Its solution will be one of the first steps in social and industrial reform.

But the forced growth of the cities at the expense of the country has its reflex influence on the standard of national character. For a hundred years the cities of Britain have been saved from decay, their professions have been permitted, and their industries have been manned by the constant influx of good brains, and blood, and nerve, and muscle from the homes and schools of the country districts. Three generations of city degeneration and they are in the slums and new brain, and blood, and nerve, and muscle come up to carry on the burden of the city. It is a hungry devourer of human life. The country breeds and grows the fresh recruits. But what will happen to the city, to its universities, and industries, and professions, if the breeding places of rural England are torn down and the best stock of the British race, the overseas to Canada or to Australia, or to South Africa? If the glen school is closed and the "lad of pairs" from the country parish is no longer the pride of Scotland, will the glory abide that made Scotland great? And who will take the places of the men from the downs of Devon, and of the moors of Yorkshire, and of the glens of Scotland, who did all of battle come? Will the enervated sons of the slums stand as of old stood the Buffs and the Black Watch? Or, as Kipling has it:

"Will your rabbits war with your foes— Will your red deer horn them for hire?"

No, gentlemen, it will not do for us as Canadians to be ignorant of the forces and movements making either for strength or for weakness in the Mother Country. And it will not do for us to be careless or neglectful of the same tendencies of life in our own country. We have in our Canadian cities the germs of the slum conditions of Britain. Worse than slum conditions is the slum spirit. Canada must profit by the experiences of older countries. Clean city life and robust and prosperous life in the country are as needful for our social, industrial and national salvation as for the redemption of Britain. Unless the nations of the Empire are warned the sufferings of the motherland will have been in vain.

A hearty vote of thanks was proposed to the speaker by Mr. Adam Brown, who did so in very appropriate words. Mr. J. H. Smith seconded.

Real Thing. "And this," said the hostess, who was showing some relics, "is the trunk one of my ancestors brought over on the Mayflower."

"In other words," rejoined the guest, "it is the trunk of your family tree."

The militia authorities are now considering the matter of a well-defined policy in regard to armories. General Lake speaks of it in his report, which states:

"To begin with, there is always a certain amount of soreness felt by rural corps at the large sums of money spent on armories for city corps, when they themselves can get no accommodation. Some inequality is, no doubt, unavoidable, but, even between rural corps themselves, grave contrasts exist. Sometimes, in a single regiment, one squadron or company will have a good armory, with caretaker provided, which it

scarcely uses, while another will have no accommodation of any sort, and its commander has to pay out of his own pocket far more than the Government allowance for care of arms. This is especially the case in the west, where suitable buildings are scarce, and rents and labor high. If arms, saddlery, uniforms and equipment are to be kept in good condition, it is necessary to provide suitable accommodation, which, in the end, conduces to economy."

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TIMES PATTERNS.



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MILITARY MATTERS BRIGHT, BRIEF, BREEZY GOSSIP OF INTEREST TO THE SOLDIERS

During the past few weeks the 13th and 91st Regiments have been working hard to be in good shape for the inspections, which take place next week. All the parades have been well attended, and the drills so well done that the officers are quite pleased with the result. The next inspection will take place on Wednesday night, and the 13th on Friday night.

At the manoeuvres on Thanksgiving Day the A. M. C. will be represented, and a couple of ambulances will also be in the neighborhood of the sham fight.

The board of officers elected to examine the candidates for tactical fitness for command, M. O. 256, are: President, Major-General Sir Percy N. Lake, K. C., N. G. C. B.; Col. W. G. Watkins, D. O.; Lieut.-Col. Griffin, surgeon; Capt. Lester, quartermaster; Capt. Forrester, chaplain; staff sergeants 10, A 25, B 48, C 43, D 50, E 49, F 28, G 32, H 57, K 60, brass band 38, bearers 15, signallers 5, making a total of 438.

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Given Up to Die

No. 100 George st., Sorel, Quebec. "I suffered from womb disease for seven years, with dreadful pains over the front of the body, over the back and down the legs. I had indigestion and chronic constipation and the constipation was so bad that I went sometimes for ten to fifteen days without any action of the bowels. I was ill in bed for one whole year. At one time I was so low that everyone thought I was going to die, and the last Rites of the Church were administered to me. I was treated by six different doctors without any benefit. Then I got a sample of 'Fruit-atives,' but I had no faith in them at all, and I would not have taken them only my husband begged so hard for me to try them. As soon as I began to take 'Fruit-atives' I grew better, the bloating was relieved, the sleeplessness was cured, my stomach acted, and the bowels were moved, but above all the fearful womb pains were made easier. I have taken eighteen boxes in all and I am now perfectly well again."



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Itself would be sufficient protection against the light guns that airships are likely to carry for many years yet. From too recent experiments in Germany, at Juterbog and Darmstadt, it would appear that the gun is the only effective weapon against balloons. On both occasions the target was supplied by small captive balloons of the German dragon type, floating at an elevation of 400 or 500 metres. At Juterbog 4,800 rounds were fired by infantry and 2,700 rounds by machine guns, without bringing the balloons to earth, though 70 hits were subsequently counted. In the Darmstadt experiments two dummies were placed in the car. The infantry company fired 5,000 rounds, followed by 4,000 rounds from machine guns, without apparent result. Finally a light howitzer battery brought down the balloon in the second round, when 20 hits were found from rifle bullets, one of them through the leg of one of the dummies. —United Service Gazette.

USED PIGEONS.

They Carried Smuggled Cocaine Into Penitentiary at Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 15.—Warden John Francis, of the Western Penitentiary here, has discovered that it is impossible to stop the smuggling of drugs by convicts, and he has decided to try all by accident. Connected with the big penitentiary is an immense flock of pigeons, and last Sunday the warden decided that he would have pigeon post. He sent a servant into the pigeon cote to capture the birds. When the cook was cleaning two of them, both of which happened to be homers, he came across two goose quills tied beneath the wings of the pigeons. Upon examination it was found that these quills contained cocaine.

After a rigid examination, the warden learned that one of the trustees around the prison had an accomplice on the outside. This accomplice would capture several of the pigeons when they flew into the street outside the big prison walls to feed. He would attach the goose quills containing the drugs beneath the wings of the captured pigeons, and would return to the prison dove cote. The trustee then would go to the cote, examine the pigeons and collect the drug, after which he would sell it to his fellow-convicts.

Warden Francis declares there is but one way he can stop the traffic in drugs—to kill every pigeon in the place.

As the result of the sting of a wasp Mary Jane Charteris, 26, who lived at Rosehall Johnstone, Dumfriesshire, has died. She was going into church on Sunday when a wasp stung a finger of her left hand through the glove. She felt the pain during the service, and afterward became faint, and had to be assisted to a doctor's house. Blood-poisoning set in, and she expired after several days' serious illness.

He who has to manufacture his smiles finds that grudge within turn them into grins.

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TWO WIVES Spent Two Days and Nights Looking For Husbands. Toronto Motorman Took Them in and Cared For Them.

Toronto, Oct. 16.—The story of how Mrs. Charles Chaplin and Mrs. Augusta Wray, of Belleville, lost their husbands in Toronto and finally found them, after two nights and days of earnest and uneasy search, is of more than ordinary interest, even in a great city where interesting things are occurring all the time. The story includes an incident of rare kindness on the part of Mr. and Mrs. George Garlich, 14 Belmont street, and ends very happily for all concerned.

Another Jockey Club. Manitoba Gets a Federal Charter—Capital of \$500,000. Ottawa, Oct. 15.—The following companies have been incorporated: The Vogel Company of Canada, Montreal, capital \$200,000; North American Explosives, Limited, Ottawa, \$500,000; L. McEwen & Company, Limited, Montreal, \$75,000; Manitoba Jockey Club, Limited, Winnipeg, \$500,000; Canada Securities Corporation, Limited, Montreal, \$500,000; Phoenix Dry Powder Extinguisher Company, Limited, Montreal, \$100,000; Floor Finishers, Limited, Ottawa, \$100,000; H. & A. Allan, Limited, Montreal, \$300,000.

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Bell Ringer for 70 Years.

Mr. John Skinner, aged 86, assisted in the ringing of two peals on Broadlyst bells last week in celebration of his birthday. He has rung at all the principal events of the period at Exeter Cathedral for upward of seventy years, including Queen Victoria's coronation in 1838, her wedding in 1839, both her jubilees and King Edward's birth and coronation. He is believed to be the oldest ringler in the country.—London Stand-ard.

Synopsis of Canadian North-west Land Regulations.

ANY person who is the sole head of a fam-ily, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in per-son at the Dominion Lands Agency or Suc-cedancy of the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

Duties—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may, within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sis-ter.

In certain conditions a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price \$2.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn home-stead entry) and cultivate city acres extra. A homesteader who has exhausted the home-stead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$2.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth \$200.00.

Deputy of the Minister of the Interior. N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

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IF YOU WANT THE NEWS TELEPHONE 368

NEWS IN BRIEF

Mr. E. Halton Britton died suddenly at Winnipeg.

The C. P. R. will close the Farnham shops and move the plant and men to Montreal.

The Nicaraguan insurgents have possession of the entire east coast of the republic.

Orville Wright reached an altitude of 600 feet in a flight before the Kaiser at Potsdam.

Another portion of the Gillies limit is to be sold by public tender in twenty-acre locations.

Net earnings on the T. & N. O. Rail-way for the past eight months show large increases.

Joseph A. Bruner, a farmer from Dorion township, dropped dead in a Port Arthur street car on Friday.

At Earl Grey, Sask., Miss Hawkes, a teacher in the school, was fined \$10 and costs or ten days for thrashing a young girl pupil.

A new Methodist church is to be built at the corner of Sunnyside and Mar-maduke avenues, near High Park, Toronto. It will be known as the High Park Methodist Church.

While playing in a field where mangels were being gathered, the seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eck-ert, Seaforth, was accidentally run over by a heavy wagon, and died a few hours after.

A strike of the bricklayers and stone-masons may be called in Montreal. They refuse to work where non-union labor is employed in those trades. The Build-ers Exchange say they will maintain open shops.

Allan Newbould, a stonemason em-ployed on the power house extension at Lake Simcoe, B. C., came in contact with a live wire and was instantly killed. He was in his twenty-eighth year and a recent arrival from England.

Daniel Cummings, city ticket agent for the Great Northern Railway at Win-nipeg, is missing. He left his home a few days ago and no trace of him can be found. Mr. Cummings had been very dependent upon the loss of his young wife, who died recently.

Shouting, "Where is Taft? I want to kill him!" Thomas Thorp, an aged prospector, approached Policeman Guvera for a few minutes after Presi-dent Taft and party had reached Albu-querque, New Mexico, on Friday. Thorp was arrested.

An unknown man went to his death over the American Falls at noon yes-terday before the eyes of several tour-ists who were standing at Prospect Point. He wore a black Derby and a black overcoat and a dark suit, and was between 40 and 50 years old.

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TWO MOUNT ROYAL AVENUE HOMES SOLD

But we shall have our new home (located on Aberdeen avenue, be-tween Beulah and Mount Royal avenues) completed by Nov. 1st, and shall be pleased to show it now to intending purchasers seeking a Home of distinctly new and artistic design. We cannot attempt to describe this Home here, and therefore extend YOU an invitation to inspect its many new and desirable features. Our terms permit of anyone wishing to se-cure a Modern Home to do so, \$50 cash, balance easy payments, about equal to yearly rental. For full particulars apply to

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HAMILTON GAS LIGHT CO. 141 Park Street North Phone 89

DEAD ROBBER

Was Friend of Actress and a Lead-er in Society.

Had Been Missing Since Charged With Forgery.

Chicago, Oct. 15.—May Harrington, an actress playing in a local theatre, was named as the "Woman in Blue" seen frequently with Lamar Harris, an at-torney at Los Angeles, Cal., who killed himself to escape capture after robbing the Erskine Bank in Highland Park Wednesday afternoon.

The identity of the woman was dis-closed by James Leighton, a vaudeville actor now playing in St. Louis. He met Harris and the actress while here.

Detectives were sent to the theatre to question the young woman. "I am the woman referred to," said Miss Har-rington. "I met Lamar Harris in Los Angeles, and he followed me up and down the coast. I learned from Leigh-ton last week that he was here and called on him at the La Salle Hotel."

"Lamar was always a good fellow and spent money freely. He acted strangely at times, but I had no idea that he was mixed up in anything crooked."

Leighton wired that he and Harris with the Harrington girl had attended a birthday dinner at the La Salle Hotel a week ago Wednesday.

Harris, he said, spent money freely and asked to be sold by the banks at home.

Harris, according to Leighton, met Miss Harrington in Los Angeles, fol-lowed her to coast cities and then to Chicago. After receiving word from the actor the police of Highland Park were asked in a telegram from Mrs. W. A. Harris, of Los Angeles, to photo-graph the body of the robber and rush a copy to her by special delivery.

Harris was a society leader, club-man and orator in Los Angeles. He has been missing from there since it was charged that he forged cheques.

FOR SALE.

Another Sale of Gillies Limit Lots Announced.

Toronto, Oct. 15.—Another sale of mining locations in the Gillies limit is announced by the Department of Lands, Forests and Mines.

A strip of land, 1,200 acres in extent and situated immediately south of the properties already disposed of, will be offered for sale in lots of 20 acres each. Tenders will be received by the depart-ment until Nov. 15.

The conditions on which the Crown will alienate the property are similar to those of the previous sale. A roy-alty of 10 per cent. will be collected by the Province on all ore taken from the land. In addition, the lessees will be required to offer a sum of money for the right to develop the lands.

In all, 900 acres of the Gillies limit have already been disposed of, 1,200 acres are now placed on the market and 61,900 acres remain in the hands of the Government.

STRUCK ON SHOAL

Steamer Rideau King Comes to Grief Near Newboro's.

Brockville, Oct. 15.—In a terrific rain and wind storm the steamer Rideau King, of the Rideau Lakes Navigation Co., struck Whitehall Is-land, in Mud Lake, about one and a half miles from Newboro last night. The boat was under full steam, when a flash of lightning showed up the island just a few boat lengths ahead. The engines were immediately stopped and everything possible done to avoid an accident, but she struck heavily almost bow on with great force. There was a heavy gale blowing at the time, accompanied by a severe thunderstorm, and as the extent of the damage was uncertain the life-boats were immediately lowered, but were not needed, as the King appeared to be resting easily on the bot-tom. A diver will examine her hull to ascertain the extent of the dam-age, and her cargo is to be trans-ferred and sent on down the canal.

DAMAGE SLIGHT.

Officials Think Express Can Cross Ocean For Repairs.

Montreal, Oct. 15.—The special train with saloon passengers from the Em-press of Ireland arrived at Windsor station this afternoon. A number of the passengers seen in connection with the accident said there was little panic aboard. When the vessel struck the obstacle the shock could be easily felt, and some excitement was caused for a few minutes. All fears were re-lieved by the officers, who assured the passengers that no serious damage had been done. After a short delay the vessel resumed its course.

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LOOP HOLE FOR GRAFT.

Does Not Think There Is Any Reason For Suspicion.

But Mayor Criticizes Waterworks Book-Keeping System.

Want to Issue Debentures Amounting to \$55,000.

When the Fire and Water Committee met yesterday afternoon to recommend the council to ask the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board for authority to issue debentures for \$55,000 for water works construction, Mayor McLaren indulged in some sharp criticism of the department's system of bookkeeping. He expressed the opinion that it offered unlimited opportunity for graft, although there was no suspicion that anything of the kind had occurred.

His Worship based his statements on the recent discovery that the department did not keep a ledger, merely a day book, in which the expenditures were entered up from day to day. With this system it takes a very long time to find out exactly what any job has cost or when an appropriation is overdrawn. The Mayor thought that the expenditure for every job should be entered up on the page opposite where the appropriation for the work appeared. The committee then would always know where it stood, and an alderman, if he desired, could get information about any particular job at a minute's notice. One of the Mayor's objections was that money borrowed for certain purposes was frequently used for entirely different purposes, and under the present system there is no record of where it goes to. This, he thought, afforded an opportunity for dishonesty, although he had no suspicion that there was anything of the sort.

While admitting that the present system was not the best, Secretary James declared that he would require a large staff to carry the Mayor's ideas into effect. He insisted that under the present system he could account for every cent expended, but admitted that it would take some time to prepare a detailed statement.

As a result of the Mayor's statement, it was practically decided to make a change at the first of the year in the system of bookkeeping.

The Mayor also objected to the committee asking for debentures for a larger amount than required. For instance, he thought that \$9,000 for the filtering basins for work to be done next year could very easily stand over.

The aldermen agreed to cut the amount out as the work will not be begun this year. The \$9,000 was intended to cover the cost of placing and housing valves on conduits and the basins. The committee also cut \$1,000 off the estimated contingencies and loss on debentures, reducing the total amount to \$85,000, made up as follows:

Table listing street connections and amounts: Street corner connections \$650, Pictou street, between John and Hughson 460, Catharine street, between Murray and G. T. R. 395, King, William street, between Victoria and Emerald 770, St. Matthew's avenue, between Barton and Birge 300, Oxford street, between York and Barton 500, Albion avenue, between Sanford and Arthur 520, Rutherford, between Wentworth and Sanford 680, Cumberland, between Wentworth and Sanford 755, Argue street, between Main and Delaware 825, Ravenscliffe, to end of street 1,040, Charlton avenue, between Garth and T. H. & B. R. 925, Beulah avenue, south 260 feet 245, Mountain avenue extension 940, Burlington street, between Catharine and Mary 300, Princess street extension 950, William street extension 800, Hilliard street, between Brant and Land 1,365, Fairleigh avenue, between King and Main 1,000, Clyde street, to Wright avenue 490, Burlington street, Hughson to MacNab 850, Holton avenue, King to Main streets 1,150, McNeil street, Queen to end of street 250, Gibson avenue, between Cannon and Barton 1,000, Jackson street, Garth to Poullette 290, Burton street, between Emerald and Clark 350, Robert street, between James and Hughson 350, Services 20,000, Extra fire hydrants and small extensions 4,000, Purchase of property adjoining basins 5,400, Hydrants, casting, etc. to Dec. 31 1,803, Contingencies and loss on debentures 5,727, \$85,000, The immediate revenue for this expenditure is estimated at \$5,421.

ARTISTIC RUGS.

There is no department of home making that affords greater opportunities for the display of good taste and sound judgment than the floor coverings, the color effects giving warmth and beauty. The wearing qualities so important and the tone which they give to the home all have a bearing on their selection. Having this in view, The J. Hoodless Furnace Co. Limited, have opened a new department in connection with their well-known furniture business, and those who have examined the beautiful goods shown are justified in saying that for good taste and price their exclusive designs in rugs of all qualities have marked a new end in this part of house-keeping in Hamilton. They will be glad to show and advise, with their intending purchasers, feeling assured of their patronage after inspection.

Last Chance.

To-morrow evening at 8 o'clock the Newcomb piano contest closes, and someone will get a piano at his own price. Messrs. Sheldrick & Son, 12 Hughson street north, still have the piano on exhibition in the window of their warehouse, and the reader is at liberty to make any bid he chooses. Send it in to the Times.

Turkish Baths.

Perhaps you have a chill or a touch of rheumatism. Come and get it fixed up before it gets worse. Hamilton Sanatorium, corner Park and Duke. Open 12. Phone 33.

TEA TABLE GOSSIP.

The appeal in Webb vs. Box was argued at Toronto yesterday, and judgment was reserved.

The fire department had a run this morning to a small fire at 137 James street north. The damage was small.

Miss E. G. Hewton resumes her classes in French and German at Kingthorpe School after Oct. 25.

Mr. Adam Brown will be the speaker at the mass meeting in the Cathedral school room at 3.10 to-morrow.

Joseph Lahey, cashier of the local office of the Dominion Express Co., left to-day on a month's vacation for Vancouver and Seattle.

S. C. O'Rourke, purchasing agent of the Grand Trunk Pacific at Melville, Sask., was in the city yesterday. He left for Montreal last night.

The appeal of the Hamilton Street Railway in the action in which Mrs. Brown was awarded \$100 damages was dismissed at Toronto yesterday.

M. W. Bro. A. T. Freed, Past Grand Master, and others from Hamilton attended the jubilee of Doric Masonic Lodge, Brantford, last night.

Archdeacon Ingles, of Toronto, will be the preacher at the annual harvest thanksgiving service in the Church of St. John the Evangelist next Thursday evening.

The Building Contractors' Association will meet this evening in the Federal Life building to make arrangements for attending the funeral of the late Richard Press, one of its oldest members.

A meeting of all the past masters of Strict Observance Lodge, No. 37, A. F. and A. M., was held last evening in the lodge rooms. After the meeting a banquet and social hour spent, which was enjoyed by all.

At Toronto yesterday the Court of Appeal heard the appeal of the defendants in Overend v. Burrow, Stewart & Milne, in the curvy comb patent infringement case. Judgment was reserved.

The P. S. A. Brotherhood will meet to-morrow in First Congregational Church, Cannon and Hughson streets. Mr. H. E. Plewman, superintendent of the Howell Lithographing Co., will speak. Soloist, Mr. Caldwell. Every man welcome.

Mrs. Fowel, 15 Wood street west, was by accident shot in the eye with an air rifle by a neighbor's boy, not by her own son, as was previously stated, is doing nicely in St. Joseph's Hospital, and is expected to be out by next Tuesday.

PIONEER OF MANUFACTURE.

Robert McKechnie Found Dead In His Bed This Morning.

Death came with terrible suddenness during the night to Robert McKechnie, Collector of Customs, at Dundas, and one of the oldest and best-known residents of the Valley Town. Yesterday Mr. McKechnie spent the day with T. J. Bell, former editor and proprietor of the Dundas Standard, who is here on a visit from the west. This morning he was found dead in bed by a member of his household. Mr. McKechnie apparently enjoyed his usual good health at the time of retiring, and his shocking, sudden death was a sad blow to his family and a host of friends. Heart disease is believed to have been the cause. Few men in Wentworth county were better known than Robert McKechnie. Born in Glasgow, Scotland on June 16, 1835, one of a family of three boys and two girls, he came to Canada with his parents in 1843, the family settling in Dundas, as a youth. Mr. McKechnie received his education under the late Hon. Robert Spence, and at the age of twelve he proceeded to learn the trade of pattern-maker, in the old Gartshore foundry. After leaving this establishment, he commenced business for himself on a small scale. After two years he was joined by a partner, and the partnership and became the well-known firm of McKechnie & Bertram, in the enterprise known as the Canada Tool Works. In time the establishment became one of the most important in the Dominion.

For many years he was a prominent figure in public life. For a year he was vice-president of the Dominion Board of Trade, and a prominent worker in the Valley Town Manufacturers' Association. For a period he was a member of the Dundas School Board and president of the Mechanics' Institute, to which organization he was a liberal contributor. For seven years he was Reeve of the town and member of the County Council. He served three years as Mayor.

Mr. McKechnie was a staunch Conservative and a prominent worker in political contests. He was one of those who assisted in 1878 in the inauguration of the National Policy. In 1872 and again in 1882 he opposed Hon. Thos. Bain in the election for North Wentworth for the Dominion House, and on both occasions was defeated.

He was prominent in the Masonic order, belonging to St. John's Chapter, R. A. M., and the A. and A. S. Rite, being connected with Hamilton Rose Croix Chapter. He was also a member of St. Andrew's Benevolent Society of Dundas.

For many years he had been a member of the congregation of St. James' Episcopal Church. He was married twice. His first wife, whom he married in 1859, was Isabella, daughter of the late William Ross. In June, 1883, he married Elizabeth, daughter of the late William King. His second wife died about two years ago. A large family, by the first marriage, survive; also one son, King McKechnie, by the second union.

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THE WEATHER.

FORECASTS—Strong westerly and northwesterly winds, fair to-day and Sunday, not much change in temperature.

WEATHER NOTES.

The low area which has for so many days been over northern Ontario has been absorbed by a more important low area moving northward across the Maritime Provinces. Gales with rain have prevailed along the Atlantic and Gulf coasts. The weather is fair and milder throughout the Western Provinces. The following is the temperature registered at Parke & Parke's drug store: 9 a. m., 44; 11 a. m., 48; lowest in 24 hours, 36; highest in 24 hours, 48.

KING ALFONSO.

Rumor From Paris That He Had Been Assassinated.

London, Oct. 16.—There is no confirmation whatever here of a rumor telegraphed from Paris that King Alfonso has been assassinated.

RIOT AT BERLIN.

Berlin, Oct. 16.—A crowd of Ferrer demonstrators, shouting "Down with the Spaniards!" made an unsuccessful attempt to approach the Spanish embassy early to-day. The police intercepted them, closing the adjacent streets, but barely in time to head off 200 rioters, who were within a block of the embassy. The crowd had been excited to violence by last night's meeting of protest.

BOMBS EXPLODED.

Cerbere, Oct. 16.—Private despatches from Barcelona state that six bombs were exploded in different points of that city during the night, and that several persons were wounded.

RIOTING AT LISBON.

Lisbon, Oct. 16.—Incipient rioting continues to-day. The approaches to the Spanish Embassy are closely guarded by troops.

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THE ANNAPOLIS VALLEY.

Something About Land of Long-fellow's Evangeline.

"This is a forest primeval" said Longfellow, when beginning his noble poem on the Acadians and their romantic history. The Annapolis Valley of these days has ten times the beauty it had in those remote times, when Evangeline lived. Far as one can see its gentle uplands swell, touched with the dark green, not of forests, but of orchards. In springtime it is a vision of blooming beauty. In autumn it looks like one of the treasure houses of the earth. No finer apples can be found anywhere than those which blush on the trees of the Nova Scotian paradise. Nova Scotia is accustomed to the best of everything. Not only in apples is her taste an elevated one, but in pianos is just as particular. That accounts for the fact that the sales of the Goulay Piano in that part of Canada have grown wonderfully in recent months. The cultured people of the district have found out the many beauties of tone and excellencies of construction for which the Goulay has become noted, and it is not surprising that they are interested. Many of the best people of the district have become customers of the firm of Goulay, Winter & Leeming, and that proves that they are satisfied. The people who buy the Goulay never have complaints. The instrument grows into their affections from year to year. From castors to top-board the instrument is made with the utmost care by people who know their business thoroughly. No wonder that it stands in tune and maintains so well its purity of tone. It is built to last a lifetime.

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DEATHS.

ALEXANDER—At Grace Hospital, Detroit, on Friday, October 15, 1909, Alexander Gale Alexander, formerly of Hamilton, Ont., Funeral 2 p. m., Monday, from Hamilton's undertaking rooms, Detroit. Interment at Detroit.

IRVING—On October 14th, 1909, Capt. William J. Irving, at the residence of his father, Stuart John Irving, 88 Wellington street south. Funeral Sunday at 1 p. m. to G. T. R. Stuart street station. Interment at Port Dalhousie.

DOAK—At her mother's residence, Ancaster village, on Saturday, October 16th, 1909, Mary Elizabeth (Minnie), third daughter of Mrs. and the late Simeral Doak, aged 21 years. Funeral services at above address on Monday at 2 p. m. Interment in Hamilton cemetery.

PHILLIPS—At his late residence, 142 Ferguson avenue north, on October 15th, 1909, Richard H. Press, aged 68 years. Funeral Monday at 3.30 p. m. Interment at Hamilton Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept this invitation.

ZIMMERMAN—In loving memory of our dear mother, Mrs. M. N. Zimmerman, who died October 16, 1907, at Carlisle. We miss thee from our home, dear, We miss thee from thy place; A shadow o'er our life is cast, We miss the sunshine of thy face.

We miss thy kind and willing hand, Thy food and sweetest care, Our home is dark without thee, We miss thee everywhere. Husband and Children.

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HAS REFORMS TO SUBMIT.

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north avenue, between Barton street and Princess avenue, \$2,400.

Thos. Lewis & Son, cement stone house on Bold street, between James and MacNab streets, for William Morden, \$1,900.

The assessment department is busy to-day counting up the appeals. Notwithstanding the substantial increase in the assessment there are as many appeals as ever in and the Court of Revision will have a busy time of it. However, it is not expected that much pruning will be done this year.

The aldermen at the Markets Committee meeting yesterday afternoon expressed the opinion that the resolution on the council minutes limiting the boundaries within which moving picture houses may be established was a clerical error. This was denied to-day by the city clerk. The resolution was endorsed by the council on May 31, and on June 28 a by-law was introduced in accordance therewith. The by-law was referred back to the Fire and Water Committee for reconsideration, and that was the last heard of it.

Hon. John S. Hendrie notified City Clerk Kent to-day that Provincial Secretary Hanna had made an appointment to meet a civic deputation from here about the asylum sewer and west end sewage disposal works on Tuesday morning next.

The health report for the week shows seven cases each of diphtheria and scarlet fever and one of German measles.

The Parks Board on Wednesday night next will take up the question of the purchase of the Beach Park property.

WILL ASK FOR FIAT.

Mr. J. L. Connell, County Solicitor, will issue a fiat before taking any other steps to secure the taxes at present alleged to be held by the Saltfleet Council, which, the County Council claims, as such a course would be necessary. At the meeting of the Saltfleet Council on Tuesday they decided not to pay the taxes over, and the County Council instructed Mr. Connell to take the necessary steps to secure it.

Steamship Arrivals.

October 15.—At New York, from Hamburg: Pennsylvania—At Boston, from Liverpool: Montreal—At London, from Montreal: La Touraine—At Havre, from New York: Sardinia—At Havre, from Montreal: Madonna—At Marseilles, from New York: Corsten—At Quebec, from Liverpool: Empire of Ireland—At Quebec, from Liverpool: Huroca—At Father Point, from Newcastle: Montague—At Vancouver, from Hong Kong: New York, Oct. 16.—Steamer Carolina, Liverpool, for New York, via 230 miles east of clock will do well to see two just imported from the old country—Manager, 127 King street east.

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Executors' Sale of Valuable Real Estate

Thomas Burrows, auctioneer, has received instructions from the executors of the late Mrs. George Morrison, to offer for sale at public auction at his auction rooms, number 11 Rebecca street, Hamilton, at one o'clock on the 23rd October, 1909, that valuable detached dwelling house situated on the south-west corner of Queen street and Stanley avenue, known as City Number 1 Stanley ave. The house contains parlor, dining room, kitchen, outside kitchen on the ground floor, four bedrooms, b and c on the first floor, and one bedroom and storeroom in the attic. It is heated by a Burrow, Stewart & Milne furnace, and is in good condition being well and solidly built. The lot has to feet 3 inches frontage by 97 feet 9 inches depth. The property will be offered subject to a reserve bid. For further particulars apply to Chisholm, Lewis & McQueen, solicitors, 69 James street south, Hamilton, or to Thomas Burrows, auctioneer.

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Monday, at 53 Woodbine Crescent, Head of York street, at 10 a. m. The furnishings, carpets, pictures, chairs, sofa, rockers, tables, sideboard, china, glassware, chest of drawers, 2 bed room sets, new heater, cupboard, new Happy Thought range, tubs, wringer, other goods.

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