

Charge of Murder Is Laid Against Muncey Red Man

Thomas Noah Alleged to Have
Been Responsible for Death
of Absalom Fox.

A charge of murder was today sworn out by Crown Attorney McKillop against Thomas Noah, in connection with the death of Absalom Fox, an Indian, on the night of May 3, on the Indian reserve at Muncey.

Noah, who is an Indian, will appear before Judge Glass at the court house here tomorrow, when an adjournment will probably be made until next week. The charge lodged against him in the first place was assaulting and wounding, but that was merely laid pending the coroner's investigation, at which it was expected evidence would be produced which would warrant the laying of a more serious charge.

The charge of murder laid against Noah followed the verdict brought in by a jury empaneled to inquire into the death of Fox, and which met yesterday afternoon in the town hall at Melbourne.

The building was packed to the doors with Indians, who exhibited the greatest interest in the case. Several witnesses were examined, and at the conclusion of the hearing of evidence, the following verdict was brought in:

"That in the opinion of this jury Absalom Fox came to his death on the morning of 3rd of May on the Indian reserve from a knife wound in the head, believed to have been inflicted by the hand of Thomas Noah."

Noah does not appear to realize the serious position he occupies, and on the way from London to Melbourne yesterday he chatted gaily with the officers and smoked cigarettes.

Dolson Heard No Quarrel.

The first witness called was Alexander Dolson. He told of having been invited to a dance at the home of Mrs. Delaney on Thursday night last. He arrived there about 10 o'clock, and saw Absalom Fox and Thomas Noah in the house. So far as witness knew there had been no quarrel between Fox and Noah previous to the fatal row. Liquor was served during the evening, and some of the guests appeared to be particularly under its influence.

About 2 o'clock in the morning, witness went outside and saw a buggy standing on the Longwood road, in front of the Delaney home. The house stands about 20 feet off the highway. In the buggy was Mrs. Delaney, and Thomas Noah was getting into the rig. Absalom Fox and William Grosbeck were standing by the buggy also. All appeared to be talking angrily, and witness heard Noah say something about "Continued on page nine."

FRISCO POLICE CONTROL CITY

Crushed and Principal
Street Car Routes Being
Operated.

San Francisco, May 9.—The local situation involved by industrial troubles and particularly by the strike of the employees of the United Railroads, which has already led to serious rioting, today is more reassuring. The police showed today that they are fully competent to cope with the strikers and their sympathizers, and it does not appear likely that the aid of the militia will have to be invoked. The success which attended the efforts of the companies to run cars yesterday will result in an endeavor to operate cars over the principal lines today, and if there is no recurrence of the rioting which attended the previous efforts, there will be an attempt to re-establish the service over the entire system. Last night most of the principal streets were deserted. In the vicinity of the car barns a police patrol was maintained all night. The railroad officials have disarmed the non-union men engaged in running the cars. The conciliatory committee appointed yesterday is strenuously at work trying to settle the various strikes and to prevent further disturbances.

The committee of 50 which took charge of affairs during the recent earthquake and fire is again engaged in an attempt to bring about peace, and a meeting will be held today.

It is thought that the telephone strike is now in a fair way to be settled without much further delay.

The general retail business of the city is badly affected by the strike.

MONTREAL HORSE SHOW

Mr. Kilgour and Mr. Beck Among the
Prizewinners.

Montreal, May 8.—Montreal's eighth horse show opened today with the largest list of entries in its history. The arena is beautifully decorated with bunting and flags, and presents a very gay and attractive appearance. In the hunter class this morning, one of Jos. Kilgour's (Toronto) horses won second place. In the afternoon the horses owned by Mr. Kilgour took prizes in the hunter class, and also a horse owned by Hon. Adam Beck, of London.

GNAWED CELL BARS WANTED TO GET FREE

A Drunken Tommy Who Gave Police
Trouble Goes to Jail

The most troublesome prisoner ever kept over night in the police station was Frederick Jones, a member of the Royal Canadian Engineers at Wolseley Barracks, who was gathered in last evening for being drunk and disorderly.

"James Large," called the magistrate in court this morning; but there was no answer.

"There's the fellow, that soldier in the dock, the most troublesome prisoner we ever had here," said Chief Williams.

With that a medium-sized soldier, with a rather sullied uniform and a dirty face, mull in need of soap and water, arose and looked over the bars.

"What is your name?"

"Jones, a Welsh name," came the answer.

"You are charged with being drunk and disorderly. What do you say to that?" asked the court.

Jones' smile vanished, and he became uneasy when he heard P. C. Probyn tell of the trouble he had caused when arrested.

All that Jones could say was: "I guess I did kick up a disturbance, but the policeman knocked me down and hurt my face, and did not give me a fair show for a drunken man."

Chief Williams told how Jones had hurt his face while trying to guard the bars of the cells, and how it became necessary even to take off his boots, for fear he would do some damage. Jones fought to get free, kicked the bars, and yelled at the top of his voice the night long.

"That is enough," said the magistrate. "Ten dollars or 21 days."

"Give me the 21 days," shouted Jones, with delight.

Jones first came in contact with the police when wandering across the intersection of Dundas and Richmond streets about 6 o'clock in the evening, using profane language. P. C. Probyn followed him up Richmond street, and undertook to arrest him.

"No, you rummies, I guess you won't," answered Jones, but Probyn took him in after a hard fight, during which the soldier's uniform suffered considerably on the dirty pavement.

P. C. Green arrived on the scene shortly after the arrest was made, and assisted in taking Jones to the station.

KING ENTERTAINS

Wishes Premiers Prosperity at Banquet at Buckingham Palace.

London, May 8.—The King gave a dinner tonight to the colonial premiers, ministers, high commissioners and agents-general of the colonies, at Buckingham Palace. Several members of the royal family and a number of cabinet ministers and distinguished persons were present. The King gave a hearty welcome. He wished prosperity and happiness to the distinguished statesmen from his dominions overseas, and trusted they would carry away with them an agreeable impression of the mother country. He wished them Godspeed on their voyage home.

MAY BE IN MONTREAL

Detectives Looking for Elopement
and Girl From New York.

Montreal, May 9.—There is a general belief among some of those who are looking for Rev. Jere Knode Cooke and 17-year-old Floretta Whaley that the two are in Canada, and more than likely in Montreal. Detectives are looking for them and every incoming and outgoing train is being watched.

Cooke and the girl eloped from Hempstead, L. I., New York, a week ago.

3,372 CONVERSIONS

Official Figures of the Torrey Mission
in Montreal.

Montreal, May 8.—The support accorded by Montreal to the Torrey mission may be gauged from the following figures, given out tonight. The amount of the collections was \$3,700, and the expenses of the mission, in addition to the sums paid to the evangelist and his helpers, were \$2,200.

As regards the religious results, it is announced that the revival brought to accept Christianity brought response from 2,372 persons. The largest number of responses to the revival invitation came from Presbyterians, 830 of whom stood up. The Methodists came second on the list, with 745; the Church of England was third, with 365.

SHOT FROM AMBUSH

Jealousy Prompts Double Murder in
the Woods of Michigan.

Au Sable, Mich., May 8.—Joseph Turcott, and a woman known as Mrs. Lapolite, were ambushed last night near Oscoda, as they were leaving a shanty on the lake shore and shot by an unknown person. The woman died almost instantly and Turcott is dying. Jealousy is believed to have caused the shooting. Eugene Munday has been arrested on suspicion.

CAME TO TERMS WITH VILLAGE

Traction Company Gave Concessions
in Fares and Got 50-
Year Franchise at Port.

A special dispatch to The Advertiser from St. Thomas says:

"The Port Stanley Council met representatives of the Southwestern Traction Company at the village last evening, and discussed terms on which a renewal of the company's franchise would be made."

"The old franchise became inoperative owing to the company failing to run its cars to the village within the prescribed time. The renewal of the franchise for 50 years was given only after the company had made certain concessions in the matter of rates, namely, a cheap rate out of the village on every day that a cheap rate is given into the village, special Saturday rates of 20 cents to St. Thomas and return, and 75 cents to London and return."

"The company agrees to give at least a two-hour service. A special school rate will be given."

"The work of laying the rails and getting ready to run the line will be commenced at once, and it is expected the line will be in operation by July 1."

DEATH AT BRANTFORD

POINTS TO FOUL PLAY

Lifeless Body of Benjamin Jackson
Found on the Street.

Brantford, May 9.—The lifeless body of Benjamin Jackson, of North Park street, was found at an early hour this morning on Terrace Hill street. Suspensions of foul play are entertained. An inquest will be held.

HIGH COURT I.O.F.

MEET AT ST. THOMAS

Great Preparations to Entertain
Delegates From All Parts
of Canada.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

St. Thomas, May 8.—A joint meeting of committees representing the three local courts of Canadian Order of Foresters met last night, and completed arrangements for the entertainment of the high court delegates, who meet in annual convention here the second week in June. About 500 are expected.

On the afternoon of Wednesday, June 12, a special Pere Marquette train will be run to Port Stanley. The Twenty-first Regiment Band has been engaged for the afternoon and evening. The local C. O. F. is assuming all expenses in connection with the affair, and are not holding up the city or business men for financial assistance of any kind, thus establishing a precedent. Delegates will be here from Vancouver to Halifax.

ABOLISH PEW RENTS

AT ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

Question Decided at Meeting Last
Night—Mission To Be Opened.

It is quite likely that in the near future all seats at the Church of St. John the Evangelist, corner of St. James and Wellington streets, will be free.

At a largely-attended meeting of the pewholders held in the schoolroom last night, the question of abolishing pew rents was discussed, and the opinion was generally expressed that it would be in the interests of the church to make such a move.

A resolution, favoring the abolition of rents was carried, but it will not be enforced until the select vestry have interviewed the pewholders who were not at the meeting, and ascertained their feelings in the matter.

In order to meet the falling off in the revenue which will result from the abolition of the rents, a canvass of the congregation will be made in the hope of securing a weekly offering by envelope from each member during the next year. At the end of that time it would be ample to meet all needs.

The lack of an Anglican Church in the rapidly-growing northeast section of the city was brought before the attention of the meeting, and it was announced that an arrangement had been made whereby the Ahoghill Orange Hall, on Adelaide street, near Grosvenor, had been secured for the purpose of a mission. The annual cost will be in the neighborhood of \$300, which is expected will be met by subscription. The mission will be in charge of Mr. Harry B. Ashby.

THE MOROCCAN TROUBLE.

Tangier, May 8.—Rumors of serious trouble at Morocco City have come in here from native sources. It is declared the powerful Rahma tribe have seized the town and given all foreign residents orders to leave within a fortnight. They offer to escort the foreigners to the coast. The Rahmas refuse to recognize the new governor of Morocco City, Banghazil, and declare they will oppose his entrance with a strong force.

Submarine Eruption.

L'Orient, France, May 9.—Several travelers came in here yesterday reporting the observance of an extraordinary phenomenon at sea, which would appear to have been a submarine volcanic eruption. The occurrence took place at a point 44 miles southwest of the Island of Groix, and 60 miles west of Belle Isle.

The men on board the trawlers noticed bright flames and intense smoke rising from the sea. Believing that some vessel was on fire, the trawler Kernevel worked her way in that direction for the purpose of rendering assistance. She could, however, discover no ship on fire. The fire and smoke from no apparent cause continued throughout the night, and becoming more violent toward morning, the Kernevel steamed away to insure her own safety.

TEACHERS INSPECT

LONDON SCHOOLS

A Party of Ninety From West
Lambton Spending the Day
in the City.

About 90 teachers from West Lambton arrived in London this morning via the Grand Trunk, and this afternoon they are inspecting the larger schools of the city with a view to securing pointers.

The teachers are holding their annual meeting in London, instead of Sarnia, as has been usual. They are here under the guidance of President Duncan White, of the Teachers' Association, and Inspector D. D. Mosher, and come from the township of Sarnia, Moore, Sarnia, Plympton and Bosanquet.

Upon arrival at London they were escorted to the city hall by Schools Inspector Edwards, and after they had been divided into parties for the purpose of visiting the different schools, they were addressed by Chairman Fitzgerald, of the local board of education. Trustee C. M. R. Graham was present, but he did not speak.

Chairman Fitzgerald warmly welcomed the visitors to London, and assured them they would find much in the schools here which might be observed with profit.

The University Question.

Mr. Fitzgerald also spoke of the university question. He declared that as London is the metropolis of the west, it should have a first-class university. He said that the Government of Ontario should assist the university in London as it has assisted the university in Kingston, so that this city might have an educational institution which would be on a par with Queen's.

There is no reason why the Government should not assist the London university. He said he is not a believer in the idea of centering higher education in Toronto.

In conclusion, Mr. Fitzgerald asked the co-operation of the teachers of West Lambton in the work of securing aid for the London university from the Government.

President White and Inspector Mosher replied briefly. The former said the university matter was new to him, and he was not prepared to make any statement on the subject.

The teachers then left for their different hotels to have dinner, and this afternoon the trip round the schools is being made.

Tonight they will assemble in the Normal School, where they will be addressed by the local board of education. The harpers will be present and a very pleasant time is looked for.

LONDON ELECTION CASE

Argument in Motion to Adjourn Trial
Will Be Heard Friday.

Toronto, Ont., May 9.—A motion was made before Mr. Justice Macgill this morning to adjourn the London election conspiracy trial. Argument will be heard tomorrow.

"DRUG TRUST" ENJOINED.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 9.—The so-called "drug trust" was perpetually enjoined today from continuing its operations by the entering of a decree in the United States circuit court for the district of Indiana on the complaint of the United States Government filed by Joseph B. Keating, United States district attorney.

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW—FAIR AND COOL.

FORECASTS.

Today—Fair; a few scattered showers during the night.

Friday—Fresh to strong and cool northwesterly to northerly winds.

TEMPERATURES.

Stations. 8 a.m. Min. Weather.

Calgary..... 28 26 Cloudy

Winnipeg..... 25 22 Clear

Port Arthur..... 28 26 Clear

Port Sound..... 46 36 Fair

London..... 50 40 Clear

Ottawa..... 46 40 Fair

Montreal..... 46 40 Fair

Quebec..... 38 34 Cloudy

Father Point..... 35 26 Cloudy

The first column in the above table records the temperature at 8 o'clock this morning, and the second column records the minimum temperatures during the 24 hours previous.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the local observatory for the 24 hours ended at 8 p.m. Wednesday were: Highest, 63°; lowest, 35°; above.

AGREEMENT HAS BEEN REACHED NO STRIKE OF BRICKLAYERS

MANAGER BENNETT
BOOKING OFFICE

Mr. Aloz Chosen for Important
Post in New York—Prof.
Stevens Resigns.

General Manager Bennett, of Bennett's Vaudeville Theatre, last night confirmed the statement that Local Manager Aloz is to be placed in charge of a booking office in New York, to be established by the Bennett Theatrical Enterprises, Limited.

Mr. Aloz, who is an old performer, and certainly knows the vaudeville business as few others do, is the right man for the position. He knows the worth of every act, and he also knows its limitations.

In London he has won hosts of friends, who have admired his honest, businesslike dealings, and the splendid manner in which he conducted the local theater under the guidance of General Manager Bennett.

Mr. Aloz will be greatly missed by Londoners, but all will join in wishing him success in his greater field in New York.

Mr. Bennett is not as yet prepared to say who will succeed Mr. Aloz. The latter does not leave for New York until Sunday.

It is understood that Professor Stevens, leader of Bennett's orchestra, has tendered his resignation, and that he will not be here next season.

Professor Stevens is one of the most accomplished pianists who has ever played in a local theater, and his resignation means a distinct loss to Bennett's.

Mr. Stevens has several offers from theaters across the line, and has practically decided to accept a position with a vaudeville house in the east.

FATAL WRECK ON

THE BURLINGTON

Fast Moving Train Derailed and
Rolls Down a Steep
Embankment.

Chicago, May 8.—Suburban passenger train No. 114, on the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad, running between Aurora, Ill., and Chicago, was wrecked today near Lawndale, six miles from here. Several passengers were reported killed and twenty hurt.

The train was running at a high rate of speed, when the engine struck a broken rail and leaped from the track. It dragged the baggage car and one passenger coach with it and all three rolled down a small embankment. The other five passenger cars remained on the track.

Ambulances were summoned from all the police stations in the west side of the city.

Mrs. Mary Miller, of Chicago, had her right hip crushed and died while being taken to a hospital.

PALMA TROPHY CONTEST

English Would Meet U. S. and Canadian
Shooters at Rockcliffe.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Ont., May 9.—Col. Tilton, of the Dominion Rifle Association, has received a cablegram from the secretary of the National Rifle Association, Bisley, England, informing him that an English team will proceed to Australia in August to take part in the rifle meeting there, and asking if it could not be arranged to have a contest with the United States and Canadian teams for the Palma trophy at the Rockcliffe ranges, Ottawa, during the first week in September.

Col. Tilton has communicated with the president of the United States association and there is little doubt that a match can be arranged.

Thirteen Persons Die

In Loss of French Ship

MAUDSLEY REMANDED

Friend of "Texas" and "Shorty Billy"
Not Prepared to Elect.

When he appeared at the police court this morning, Fred Maudsley was not prepared for his preliminary examination on the charge of stealing a sum of money from Joseph W. Ward on May 22, 1906. He asked to be given until Saturday to elect trial, which was granted. Maudsley is the person who was arrested by P. C. Lucas.

Charles Constable, a boy, found guilty of cruelty to animals, was fined \$2 and \$1 85 costs. Constable was driving a delivery wagon on Wellington street the other day when the horse gave out, and he made too free use of the whip. The evidence showed that the horse had been in very poor condition and should not have been worked under any circumstances. When passing sentence, the court pointed out that the owner of the horse should be made to pay the fine as the fault was his, more than Constable's.

Employers and Men Come to
Terms—45 Cents an Hour
Maximum Wage.

The trouble between the union bricklayers and the employers is at an end. At a meeting of the arbitration committee of Local Union No. 5, and the contracting bricklayers, held last night, a three-year agreement was reached.

The men are to be paid 45 cents an hour the first year, and 45 cents an hour the second and third years.

This is a compromise. Originally the men asked 45 cents an hour for all bricklayers this year.

At a meeting which was held to discuss the proposition the men offered to accept 45 cents an hour the first year, 45 cents the second year, and 47½ cents the third year.

The bosses refused this offer, and made a counter proposition of 45 cents for the first year, 44 cents the second year, and 45 cents an hour the third year.

In turn the men refused this offer. Matters looked unfavorable for a time, and the men gave out that they would quit work Monday next at the latest, if the contractors did not do something.

The employers, however, did not appear to worry very much, as they were paying what they termed good money, and the men gave out that they were not likely to vote for a strike in the union.

Last night matters came to a head, when the meeting of the arbitration committee and the bricklayers was held, and the agreement referred to above was made.

The agreement, of course, does not do all members of the union any good this year.

The scale is fixed at 45 cents an hour, whereas many of the men are drawing 45 cents an hour, and have been receiving this wage for the past year or more.

The only men who will benefit by the new agreement are those whom the employers have in the past refused to pay more than 40 cents an hour.

The men deserve much credit for the manner in which they considered the matter, left for Toronto this morning, and from there they will go to Ottawa and Port Arthur, where trouble is on.

Fourth Vice-President Izzard, who has been in London for a week or more, conducting the negotiations for the men, left for Toronto this morning, and from there they will go to Ottawa and Port Arthur, where trouble is on.

It is said that contractors are having difficulty in securing brick in London, so great is the demand at present.

Most of the work in progress consists of the erection of residences, though some large additions to local factories are being made, and a number of stores are being built.

All branches of the building trade in London, save that of the painters, are now quiet. It is conceded that the plumbers' strike is over, and so far as the painters are concerned there appears to be nothing to warrant the assertion that the contractors are being tied up.

BRITISH TARS DESERT

Over Three Hundred Left the Cruiser
Squadron at Jamestown.

Hamilton, Bermuda, May 9.—The British cruiser squadron, commanded by Rear Admiral Nevill, which arrived at Bermuda yesterday from Hampton Roads, reports that wholesale desertions from the British ships occurred while they were in American waters. It is estimated that over 300 men, including many chief petty officers, deserted. For the apprehension of a chief yeoman of signals a reward of \$500 is offered.

STOLEN TREASURES RETURNED.

London, May 8.—About 2 o'clock this morning Charles Wertheimer was aroused from his sleep and was informed by the police that, with the exception of the two oil paintings and two of the miniatures, all the art treasures stolen from his house in Park Lane last February had been recovered.

Emigrant Liner on the Rocks

Off the Uruguayan Coast.

Montevideo, May 9.—An official report from the Government authorities on the spot says that all the passengers, mostly Spanish emigrants, of the French steamer Poitou, wrecked off San Jose Ignacio, have been rescued with the exception of thirteen. Seven of these are known to have been drowned and six are classed as missing.

The Poitou went on the rocks Tuesday night—a panic ensuing amongst the passengers, and causing the death of over one hundred of the passengers, according to the first reports.

FOR THE MURDER OF STEUNENBERG

Western Miners' Official to
Face Trial Today.

STRONG CASE AGAINST ORCHARD

No Clemency Promised Man Whose
Confession Implicated Haywood,
Moyer and Pettibone.

Boise, Idaho, May 9.—William D. Haywood, secretary and treasurer of the Western Federation of Miners, today is placed on trial for complicity in the murder, at Caldwell, Idaho, on Dec. 30, 1906, of Former Governor Frank Steunenberg. Haywood is one of four defendants charged with the murder.

The others are Charles J. Moyer, president of the federation; George A. Pettibone, a former member of the executive, and Harry Orchard, who is expected to be the most important witness for the state against Haywood, Moyer and Pettibone. He is said to have made a complete confession, and it has been the task of the prosecution to endeavor to corroborate this confession wherever possible.

The fact that Haywood's case is the first called for trial is regarded as indicating that the prosecuting attorneys believe their strongest evidence is against him. The outcome of his case will determine the action to be taken with regard to Moyer and Pettibone. Should there be a conviction of Haywood, then Moyer and Pettibone would be called for trial, while an acquittal of Haywood undoubtedly would mean an abandonment of the case against the other accused men.

No Chance for Orchard.

Orchard will not be tried until all of the other cases are disposed of. It is said that the evidence against him is so strong that he cannot hope for other than a conviction of murder in the first degree. Orchard, it is said, has been promised no degree of clemency whatsoever. Having admitted his active part in the heinous crime, Orchard unquestionably will be executed.

Close Guard for Orchard.

Caldwell, where the murder was committed, is the county seat of Canyon County. A change of venue to Boise, the capital city of Idaho and county seat of Ada County, was granted on the motion of the defense. Haywood, Moyer and Pettibone were transferred to the county jail here, which anticipates the basement of a court house. The tribunal for which the bases were set is known as the district court of the third judicial district. The presiding judge is Judge Fremont Wood, a native of Maine. Judge Wood is regarded as a careful, deliberate man, and the prosecution and defense

WOODS' FAIR

A Few Hints About Our Hosiery and Underwear

Ladies' Colored Hose 25c

Ladies' Hose, real mace, in pink, sky, helle, gray, white and tan; all the new shades for spring; spliced heel and toe, full-fashioned. Price 25c

Ladies' Fine Cotton Hose, with natural wool or balbriggan feet, extra elastic top, Louisa Hermsdorf dye. Sale price 25c

Hose Supporters 25c

Ladies' Pad Hose Supporters, made of good strong elastic, in assorted colors, plain or fancy. Sale price 25c

J. M. THOMSON.

Ladies' Long Sleeve Vests 20c

Ladies' Long-Sleeve Vests, in pure white, full size, taped neck. Price 25c

Ladies' Vests, short sleeves and sleeves, in pure white, some with lace yoke, tape and lace trimmed neck. Price 15c

Ladies' Extra O. S. Vests

Ladies' Extra Large Size Vests, in pure white and cream, short sleeves or sleeveless, taped neck. Sale price 25c

A few dozen Men's Ties, in assorted colors, to clear at 15c

STRENUOUS WORK AHEAD FOR M.P.

Parties Will Be Sent to Explore Various Sections of the Wild North.

Ottawa, May 8.—A strenuous summer's work has been mapped out for several detachments of the Northwest Mounted Police, and they are now being sent out to arduous and oftentimes perilous duties on the extreme frontiers of Northwest Canada. One detachment is bound for exploration and police duty at the mouth of the Mackenzie River where it empties into the Arctic Ocean. Another detachment will be employed in cutting trails in Northern British Columbia, and a third will resume exploration work along the west shores of Hudson's Bay and through the hinterland of the north. On the tenth of this month Inspector Jarvis will leave Regina with seven or eight men to make a two-thousand-mile trip to the north by way of the Athabasca and Mackenzie Rivers to Herschel Island, to relieve Inspector Howard, who has been there for several years with a small party of police.

Edmonton-Dawson Trail. Work on the Edmonton-Dawson trail will be resumed as soon as the weather will permit, and it is expected that the trail will be reached by the autumn. So far the principal work has been from the eastern side of the mountains, and last fall the construction party, under the command of Captain Camies, reached Fort Graham, where they have wintered. This summer another party of workmen, in charge of Inspector McDowell, of Whitehorse, will push the work from Atlin until the two forces meet, which they hope to do before winter, thus completing the long trail of sixteen hundred miles through a region practically uninhabited for long distances. Its completion will give Canada, an entrance to the Yukon entirely through Canadian territory.

Patrol Boat Going Up. The police patrol boat, Rouville, will leave the St. Lawrence for Hudson Bay about June 10. There will be seven or eight policemen taken up in her to relieve any who have become sick during the winter or who have grown tired of life in the north. The boat will remain in Hudson Bay at the disposal of Major Mould for patrol work. One of the things which the Hudson Bay patrol is expected to do is to establish a water connection between Hudson Bay and the west. A canoe party will ascend Chesterfield Inlet for a couple of hundred miles, and it is expected will be able to make their way by water to Great Slave Lake and south to Edmonton.

ECZEMA AGAIN OVERCOME

ZAM-BUK CURES A CASE WHICH FOR TWO YEARS HAD DEFIED EVERY REMEDY TRIED.

A Farmer's Grateful Testimony.

No case of eczema, skin disease, or ulceration, should be despaired of until Zam-Buk has been applied. The case of Mr. Francis Penoit, of St. Anne's (Man.), is a powerful illustration of Zam-Buk's efficacy. He says: "I suffered from eczema for two years, and tried a great number of remedies. None of them, however, seemed to do me any good. The ailment was mostly in my legs, and both these were actually raw from the knees down. A small sample box of Zam-Buk was given to me, and even so small a quantity as that did me a little good. I then obtained a proper supply, and by the time I had used a few boxes I was completely cured."

Zam-Buk differs from ordinary ointments and embrocations in containing no animal oil or fat. It is compounded from rich, healing, herbal essences, and is an ideal natural combination of power and purity. It is highly antiseptic, and instantly kills bacteria and disease germs, which setling on to wounds and skin diseases set up festering, blood poisoning, etc. For cuts, burns, bruises, ulcers, abscesses, pimples, boils, skin eruptions, scalds, sores, spreading sores, etc., Zam-Buk is unequalled. It also cures piles. All druggists and stores at 50 cents a box, or from Zam-Buk Company, Toronto, for price, six boxes for \$2.50.

NEW YORK HATES ROOSEVELT POLICY

Hostility to the President Is Bitter in the Big U. S. Metropolis.

New York, May 8.—It is difficult for any one from the interior, where the condition of public sentiment is so different, to understand the bitterness of the anti-Roosevelt talk one hears everywhere in New York City among the more prosperous classes. There is no disguising this hostility to the President. It is by no means confined to the Morgans and the Harrimans and the men of many millions. It may have started with them, but it has plainly become diffused until now one meets it literally in almost every well-dressed man who may talk on the subject of national politics.

The influence of Wall street in New York is profound. People who do not speculate themselves are interested in others who do. Many men are employed by the great corporations or companies, and the atmosphere of these concerns invariably is one of opposition to President Roosevelt and everything President Roosevelt wants. The magnates of Wall street have sedulously fostered the opinion that the railroad policy initiated last year at Washington is directly responsible for the stagnation which has come upon the stock market and for the lower prices which have prevailed, with the consequent paralysis of the favorite industry of the whole of lower New York. Whether President Roosevelt is in any way responsible for the condition of the money market, whether he has been too radical, whether he is a financial disturber, are things which the future will show. That the great moneyed classes of New York and all those dependent upon them, down to their clerks and messenger boys, are bitterly opposed to the Roosevelt administration there is absolutely no doubt.

This anti-Roosevelt feeling in New York city, which, of course, is reflected only to a minor degree up the state, cannot fail to have an influence on the position of New York in regard to the selection of the next candidate for the presidency. The present indications are that President Roosevelt would find it a good deal harder to get the endorsement of New York for a third term than he would that of Illinois or Missouri. There is a big battle in the congressional districts here in New York city which are certain to be controlled by what may be called the Wall street influence, for lack of a better term. The delegates from these congressional districts will not be for Roosevelt for a third term, and, other things being equal, they will be against any man he may happen to push at the time the convention meets.

DIG FOR KING'S GOLD

Treasure Chest Unearthed in the Garden of Versailles.

Warsaw, Poland, May 8.—By the the treasure chest of Louis XVI. and Marie Antoinette, buried in the garden of Versailles when the unhappy couple left it for the last time, is about to be unearthed. The first steps toward the recovery of the treasure, more than 100 years after its burial, were due to an accidental discovery of a document which gave the circumstances under which and the exact spot where the royal valuables were hidden. The information, which was found among a bundle of papers picked up by a historian who is an authority on old Versailles, stated that the royal family, before departing for Paris at the threats of the crowd of women revolutionists, buried in Versailles Park a treasure chest containing valuable quantities of jewels, and a large sum in gold.

Excavations were commenced in the middle of the night at the spot indicated, and in the presence of several learned historians. When the diggers had got down a few feet their spades struck a metallic surface, supposed to be the historic trunk. But at this stage the operations were suspended until the members of the Government and officials concerned could assemble to watch the digging. The royal treasure will be finally unearthed in the presence of the Minister of Public Instruction, the Minister of Finance, the under secretary for fine arts, and the keeper of Versailles Palace. Meanwhile a watch has been placed over the supposed treasure.

BALTIC TO REMAIN OPEN

Denmark No Party to Closing Sea Against the British.

London, May 8.—Count Raben-Ledet, foreign minister of Denmark, has had several interviews with Sir Charles Hardinge, permanent under secretary of the foreign office. He will also confer with Foreign Secretary Grey, and later will have an audience of King Edward. In an interview to the count said he was taking advantage of a pleasure trip to see some of the British officials, and assure them that there was no foundation for the recent report that Denmark had entered into an agreement with Germany to close the Baltic in case of war. He even went further and said Denmark would not make any agreement in any way unfriendly to Great Britain.

Count Raben-Ledet is making arrangements for the King and Queen of Denmark to visit England. Their majesties will arrive in London on June 8, crossing in one of the British royal yachts.

PIERCE SURRENDERS.

St. Louis, May 8.—Through his attorney, H. Clay Pierce, chairman of the board of directors of the Waters-Pierce Oil Company, surrendered himself to day on the indictment returned against him in Texas, charging perjury in an affidavit he made to the attorney general of the state of Texas, the purpose of which was to reinstate the Waters-Pierce Oil Company in Texas, from which it had been ousted from doing business on the grounds that it was a part of the Standard Oil Company.

WOMAN'S NERVE SAVES HER LIFE

Wife of Polish Doctor Left Alone, Calls Police to Rescue Her From Burglar.

Paris, May 8.—It is believed that exercise of courage and presence of mind such as probably few women have possessed, Madame Stresky, the wife of a Warsaw physician, has just saved herself from murder and robbery under circumstances as thrilling as ever were put into a novel. With a desperate criminal in the same room with her, the plucky woman managed to summon assistance by telephone, and afterward sat and sang at a piano during the 25 minutes which elapsed before help reached her—just in the nick of time.

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A recent caller described how a door leading directly from the kitchen was opened for her. A forbidding looking, elderly gypsy woman, who proved to be Nyari's mother, greeted him. Her face relaxed somewhat as the object of his visit was explained and she proudly said:

"My sons have all made good marriages. They are just giving a concert in an inner room."

The visitor found two fair-haired, beautiful young women and two handsome swarthy young men, all in evening dress, sitting by the lamp in a small room, the rest of which was occupied by beds. The Countess has pleasant, unaffected manners and soft dreamy eyes. The men were Rudolf and his younger brother Josef. The other girl was Josef's wife.

The Countess, in an ingenious, impetuous manner, readily told her story. She said:

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"I soon felt that I could love no one but him. I only seemed to live when hearing him play. I asked Count Sprenk to release me from my engagement, but he refused, and my parents sided against me. In May, when Rudi's season was over, he and his band had to return to Oldenburg. I was miserable, but we corresponded, and as he asked me in his letters to come and marry him, if I loved him enough to be the wife of a wandering gypsy fiddler, I joined him here."

"My father followed me immediately and discovered my hiding place and took me back to Munich. He said I must marry Count Sprenk or he would have me locked in a convent or a lunatic asylum. I was shut up in a boarding school at Munich and carefully guarded until the day last month which had been fixed for my wedding. When the day arrived I left everything and again ran away, visiting Rudi's parents here till we could be married. I wrote to Count Sprenk and told him how sorry I was

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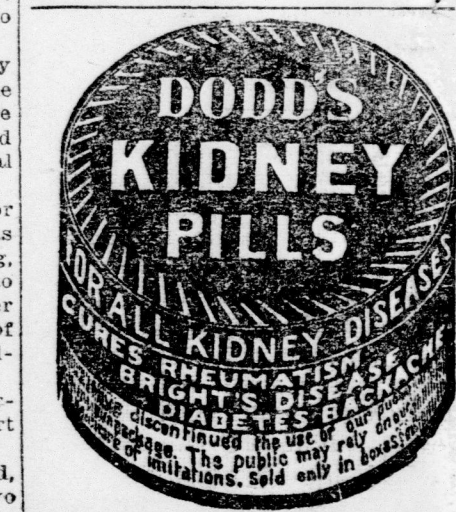
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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

BIRTHS.
STEVENS—On May 6, 1907, to Rev. F. A. and Mrs. Stevens, of the China Inland Mission, a daughter.
WALKER—In this city, on Tuesday, May 7, 1907, to Mr. and Mrs. Anson Walker, 104 High street, a son.

DEATHS.
HUNTER—In this city, on May 7, 1907, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Lashbrook, late of the City Hotel, Ellen, widow of the late William Hunter, formerly of Brantford.
Funeral private, from Walter House, on Friday morning, at 8-45, to St. Peter's Cathedral, Requiem High Mass at 9 o'clock.

GIFFORD—In this city, on May 8, 1907, Arthur Gifford, beloved husband of Ann Gifford, in his 83rd year.
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MANITOBA TRAIN WRECK

Passenger Coaches Derailed Near Brandon and Several Passengers Hurt.

Winnipeg, May 8.—At 8:50 this morning a passenger train No. 154 had two coaches derailed two miles east of Pettipiece, on the Brandon-Minnesota branch of the C. P. R. The following passengers received cuts and bruises: W. F. Ellis, Hamilton; Mr. V. F. Ellis, Hamilton; George L. Stone, Rapid City; Allen M. Stewart, of Winnipeg; and Mrs. Rosby, of Hamilton, also received some scratches and were badly shaken up.

Damage to rolling stock was not heavy. Three doctors were immediately in attendance. One or two of the injured will be taken to the Brandon hospital.

KILLED BY BURSTING WHEEL.
Brantford, May 8.—Wm. Hopkins, an employee of the Gould, Shapley, Multi-Company, was killed this morning by the bursting of an empty wheel on which he was working.

Have you ever seen the Heintzman & Co. Ionic Design Piano? It is conceded to be the most artistic and classical piano made in Canada, and best value ever offered. Please call and examine same in our warehouses, 217 Dundas, corner Clarence.

Lawn Vases
Bedding plants of all kinds. Let us talk this matter over with you. Phone 16897.

J. H. TAYLOR, East London
25th

Administrator's Sale
City Property

The administrator of the estate of Sarah Ann Purdon, late of the City of London, sprayer, deceased, will, with the sanction of F. W. Harcourt, official guardian, sell by public auction, at the auction rooms of J. W. Jones, auctioneer, 232 Dundas street, in the City of London, being composed of part of the north half of lot No. 48, on the west side of Cartwright street, according to

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LONDON, THURSDAY, MAY 9.

THE NEW POSTAL ARRANGE-
MENT.

The new postal rates on newspapers and magazines carried between Canada and the United States went into effect yesterday. The Dominion Government was willing to postpone the application of the new rates until January, as requested by Canadian publishers, but the United States Government would not consent. The loss in this country falls chiefly upon the newspapers, many of which, like The Advertiser, have large lists of subscribers in the United States. The postage on a copy of the daily Advertiser addressed to the United States will be 143 per cent greater than the subscription price. The postage on the weekly Advertiser henceforth will add 86 per cent to the subscription price. It is impossible for The Advertiser and other Canadian newspapers to collect the extra postage from American subscribers who have paid in advance. They will keep faith with these subscribers at a loss to themselves, by sending every reader in the United States his paper until the subscription expires. The circulation of Canadian newspapers in the United States will be almost wiped out, as few people across the line will pay the new rates. The Advertiser is in receipt of many letters from former residents of London in the United States, some of whom have taken this journal for 40 years, expressing regret at the severance of a home tie.

From the standpoint of the Canadian postal department the new arrangement is entirely defensible. Under the old agreement 200 bags of second-class mail matter came into Canada from the United States for every bag that went to the United States from Canada. For every bag carried by the Canadian postoffice to the boundary line, upon which it collected revenue, it had to carry 200 bags from the boundary line and distribute their contents all over Canada without collecting a cent. The arrangement was so one-sided and imposed so great a burden on the Canadian postoffice that the Dominion authorities denounced the treaty. The United States Government gave them the alternative of reverting to the International Postal Union rates of eight cents per pound, which would have been prohibitive. The Canadian Government declined to take either horn of the dilemma, and the United States postoffice, finding it could not have its own way, compromised upon a rate of four cents per pound, but refused to allow the old agreement to run on till the 1st of January, when the majority of subscriptions expire.

The loss entailed upon Canadian newspapers is not offset by the virtual exclusion of American newspapers, the competition of which was not severely felt. Canadian publishers of magazines and periodicals will be the chief gainers, as the country has been flooded with that class of American literature, although if some of the American publishing houses establish branches in Canada, as is reported, the Canadian publishers who have demanded higher postage on American periodicals may regret the change. The publishers of Canadian newspapers, however, have some claim to compensation for their losses, and the department may equalize matters by a reduction in the domestic rate of postage.

THE EMPIRE AND MILITARY DE-
FENSE.

In working out its scheme of army reorganization, the Campbell-Bannerman Government desires as far as possible that the home forces of the various self-governing colonies should be organized, if not to a common pattern, at least with a common end in view—the defense of the empire as no other nation in the world is defended, because its resources would be available from so many quarters.

The ideas of the Government were very lucidly explained to the colonial premiers at a recent sitting of the conference in London by War Secretary Haldane. A series of four papers prepared by military experts had previously been circulated among the premiers, who were reminded that it was not intended that they should be adopted as representing any hard and fast views. The first of these papers dealt with the strategic conditions of the empire from a military point of view, and calls attention to three great principles—first, the obligation of each self-governing community to provide as far as possible for its own local se-

curity; secondly, the duty of arranging for mutual assistance on some definite lines in case of supreme common need, and thirdly, the necessity for the maintenance of that sea supremacy which can alone insure any military co-operation at all.

The paper then goes on to indicate what the imperial authorities are trying to do in Great Britain itself. First, organizing troops for home defense to repel raids—that is, the territorial army; secondly, a standing or expeditionary force, designed to act swiftly, and be ready to assist any portion of the empire; thirdly, a navy capable of maintaining command of the sea.

The second paper points out the importance of assimilating as far as practicable war organization throughout the empire, and of adopting a uniform system of nomenclature in regard to such organization. It is recognized that the value of any assistance which the colonies may offer to the mother country in the future will be much increased if it can be given in the form in which it can readily be fitted into the organization of an entire army in the field.

The third paper relates to the patterns and provision of equipment and stores for colonial forces. The chief point made is that it is essential that the small arms supplied to any force which may have to act side by side with troops from the United Kingdom should fire the same ammunition as that supplied to the latter. A difference in ammunition is declared to be one of the greatest curses in war time. The necessity for the provision of adequate reserves of stores in time of peace is also emphasized.

The fourth paper urges the desirability of the self-governing colonies, where possible, and without interfering with their own arrangements, giving their orders for ordnance stores, particularly arms and ammunition, through the war office, and it points out that expedition and economy are likely to be secured if this is done. At present the war office is endeavoring to organize a reserve of officers, and the war secretary believes that if something could be done to make that reserve of officers imperial in the same sense that the general staff is imperial, so that the colonies could give the mother country from their reserve assistance in time of a great war, it would be a great source of strength. Mr. Haldane emphasizes the importance of the general staff being imperial in the widest sense, and adds that "we shall welcome colonial officers in its ranks very cordially, and we shall be very glad to send officers to you to take their places in it. We do not want to ask you, unless you wish to do it, to double the number of your own officers by sending some here while you have to provide for other officers in their places at home. If you like we should be very glad to send out general staff officers to take the places of those you send to us, and in that way to provide a circulation."

The chief aim is to make the general staff an imperial school of military thought, all the members of which are imbued with the same traditions, accustomed to look at strategic problems from the same point of view, and acquainted with the principles and theories generally accepted at headquarters. The attainment of these objects cannot, it is felt, be reached by the imposing of restrictions, or by rigid plans which might not suit the idiosyncrasies of particular countries. The thing must be founded simply upon the attaining of a common purpose, the fulfillment of a common end. The colonies are invited to discuss fully with the war office the points of detail as they come up, and the fact that the Canadian Minister of Militia and the premiers of the other colonies expressed concurrence in the principles enunciated gives reason to believe that the invitation will not be disregarded.

The Irish Nationalists may conclude that a 'teenth of a loaf is better than no bread.

Mr. Mackenzie King is beginning to take a place among the great peace-makers of the earth.

The local barbers have decided to charge five cents extra for shaving the neck. The close-fisted customer will now debate whether shaving the neck is a luxury or a necessity.

The man who bought or built his house five years ago is in luck. At the rate prices and wages are rising, the man who buys or builds today may be able to congratulate himself five years hence.

The water commissioners intend to stick to their first love, the Komoka scheme. The remarks of the mayor yesterday indicate that he regards the separate system as its most formidable rival. The commissioners are at least correct in one thing—that the people of London will not consent to drink river water except as a last resort. The Maury scheme is dead already.

SHOCKING!

The linotype plays some queer tricks. On Saturday a Toronto paper contained an Ottawa dispatch, describing how a man was electrocuted by coming "in contact with a live wire."

THE BLUENOSES.

The bluenoses are a highly intellectual and cultured people. No fewer than six of Ptolemy's sons have filled or are filling

the positions of principals of Canadian colleges. They are: Principal Gordon, of Queen's; the late Principal Grant, of Queen's; Principal McCrae, of Morris; the late Principal Dawson, of McGill; Principal Forrest, of Dalhousie; and Principal Falconer, of Toronto University. That is a record hard to beat.

AN EVER FRESH PROBLEM.

[Boston Herald.]
Boston women who are distressed over the servant girl problem should look to New Zealand. A Domestic Workers' Union has been organized there and registered under the local conciliation and arbitration act. Here are some of the proposed reforms:

A working week of 48 hours. Work must cease on Sundays and Thursdays at 2 p.m., and on four evenings of the week at 7:30 p.m. Two hours for church on Sunday mornings. Eight holidays in the year, plus those appointed by statute. Cuffs, collars and caps must be supplied by the employers. Bedrooms must be well ventilated. Maids must receive 12s. 6d.; general housework girls, 12s.; housekeepers, 25s.

REAL ADMIRATION.

[Washington Star.]
"So you admire poets?"
"Yes, indeed," answered Farmer Corn-tassel; "I think a heap of poets. The way they keep tellin' 'bout birds an' bees an' flowers kind of helps to keep the boards' minds off 'o' mosquitoes."

CASSIE CHADWICK ET AL.

[Toronto Star.]
It turns out that the bogus Baroness de Massey, who shot her employer in New York, hails from St. Casimir, Quebec. One way or another our bright Canadiana continue to distinguish themselves in the great republic.

GETTING BACK AT HER.

[Baltimore American.]
Oh, we praised you,
Gentle May!
Joyful timed you,
Bravely rhymed you,
Said all poets have to say;
Sang your beauty
As sweet duty,
Hailed you beautiful,
Blooming May!
Odes we sung you,
Merry May!
Named you maiden
With blooming laden,
Sky blue eyes and golden hair,
Lovely proved you,
Oiled we loved you,
For no other month did care,
That no other
Was as fair.

Oh, you fooled us,
Rainy May!
Sulks assuming,
You brought glooming,
At our praise your lip did curl;
Circus fading,
No parading,
Yet crowding in an angry whiff!
Isn't that just
Like a girl?

THE LORDS.

[Montreal Herald.]
If the rumored intentions of the British Government are carried out, the House of Lords will in future consist of the Lords Spiritual, Temporal and Temporary.

OPEN-AIR SLEEPING.

[Country Life.]
It is not too much to say that to the delicate, highly-strung, easily-knocked-out individual the advantages of sleeping in the open air are enormous. Pallid cheeks take on a ruddy hue, colds are unknown, nerves are forgotten and irritability becomes a thing of the past. A little hut and a little perseverance are the only necessities, and the result is assured.

FATE OF TEMPLES AT PHILAE.

[London Daily Mail.]
Lord Cromer's dispatch to Sir Edward Grey on the increased water supply needed by Egypt, published by the foreign office, recommends the raising of the great Assuan dam by 25 feet, at a cost of about £1,200,000. While the raising of the Assuan dam as proposed is the only satisfactory solution, it means, "unfortunately," Lord Cromer said, "the almost complete submergence during a portion of the year of the temples at Philae." While deeply regretting this consequence, Lord Cromer declares it would not be justifiable to sacrifice the present and future interests of the people of Egypt in order to save the submergence of the temples.

Sir William Garstin states that the Government has consolidated the foundations of these buildings by underpinning them, carrying the masonry everywhere down to the solid rock. "There is consequently no fear of their being structurally injured by the raised water levels." And during the period between July and October the monuments will be annually uncovered.

A WORLD FULL OF JOY.

[Atlanta Constitution.]
Spite of all the row we're raising,
Spite of pathway which are blazied,
World's cheek full of joy amaze!
Spite of life, that wants to borrow
From future all its sorrow,
There'll be sunny times tomorrow!

Life'll be just as we take it—
As we make it, as we break it,
Till Night comes and whispers, "Shake it!"

BILLY MACLEAN'S RAILWAY
SCHEDULE.

[Hamilton Spectator.]
Why the people of Ontario should bother themselves to boost Toronto to the detriment of all other towns and cities in the Province will not readily appear to anybody who lives outside of Toronto.

THE ORIGIN OF CORSETS.

[New York American.]
The corset is a distinctly modern contrivance, dating from the reign of Queen Victoria. In the days of "Chivalry," the armor-makers, thinking to improve the form as well as the life chances of the military dames, invented the corset, from which the modern corset comes.

THE OTTAWA LIAR.

[Ottawa Free Press.]
Can our old friend, the "Ottawa Liar," have returned to town? It looks something like it when we have such repeated falsehoods as to the doings of Hon. C. S. Hyman. There are limits to even journalistic "enterprises," and one of those limits should be found in the statement that a man is in London when, as a matter of fact, he is still in California.

KING EDWARD.

[Washington Star.]
The strenuous life is not confined to Washington and Berlin. Elsewhere may be found a high official who leads it. King Edward was in Paris yesterday and saw the President of France. Subsequently he had an interview with Premier Clemenceau. He has recently met King Alfonso and King Victor Emmanuel, and talked business with them. This is getting around at a good gait. The Englishman, before

he ascended the throne, was regarded as only a man of pleasure, and not given to energy even in pursuit of entertainment. But since assuming power he has seen all business and all advice, and is holding his own in point of industry and results with the youngest and most vigorous of his contemporaries. Swift times, live men. Slow coaches are out of date.

CONGENIAL.

[Harvard Lampoon.]
"That suits me," said the chimney, as a gust of winds blew down from above.

NOT FAR.

[Philadelphia Record.]
Mr. Saphedde—Do you think men have descended from monkeys?
Miss Caustique—Not very far.

HOW ASSESSED.

[New York Herald.]
"How do you think stolen kisses ought to be assessed?"
"At their face value."

NO SNAP.

[Chicago Daily News.]
Wearily Walker said day that bread grows on trees in the tropical countries. Wouldn't that be a snap for us?
Tired Tatter—Oh, I dunno. Does de trees haf 't be climbed?

WOMAN AND THE HORSE.

[Recreation.]
When dealing with a horse one is obliged to use intelligence, for many horses know the moment the reins are picked up that the driver is tired and doubtful, or that the strength and skill of a master. A nervous, vacillating woman, wavering in purpose, should never attempt to drive a horse until she learns to control her nerves and the art of becoming positive. It takes a clear head a firm hand and steady nerves to control horses. Many a fine animal is spoiled by an inexperienced driver or a careless one.

MARINE MONSTER OF 1880.

[Westminster Gazette.]
"When I saw our latest leviathan warship, the Indomitable, launched at Glasgow the other day," writes a correspondent, "I could not help wondering what our forefathers of a century ago would have thought of her. In 1880 a leading naval authority wrote: 'The size of our ships seems now to have reached its ultimatum.' The French, indeed, have lately built a ship of most extraordinary size, 172 feet long, 55 feet, 9 inches by the beam, tonnage about 2,550 tons; but she is pronounced to be entirely unfit for service.' And yet this marine monster of 1880, whose size made her so widely known, has never been out of harbor, was but a third as long as our latest cruiser, little more than two-thirds the width, and a sixth of the tonnage—in fact, she was relatively so small that the most easily, one would think, have been carried on the Indomitable's deck. Although a 50-acre forest had provided her timbers, and it had taken 200 shipwrights a year to build her, her total cost was less than one-tenth that of her successor of today."

LOND N TOWNSHIP COUNCIL

Improvements in Oxford Park—Post of Township Engineer.

The London Township Council met in the town hall, Arva, on Monday, May 6. Present: George Kimball, reeve; James H. Hodgins, first deputy-reeve; S. Frank Glass, second deputy-reeve, and Councillors Brooks and Gilson.

The following communications were received from the township engineer, the position of township engineer. The clerk was instructed to write Mr. Code that no vacancy existed in the township engineer's office.

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The following accounts were ordered paid: Advertiser Company, \$124.54; Alliance & Highway, gravel tenders, etc., \$3.00; H. O'Brien, wood for John Whiting, \$3.00; H. P. Block, binding assessment rolls, \$3.50; H. P. Block, dog tax for 1895, \$2.00; H. P. Block, dog tax for 1896, \$2.00; H. P. Block, dog tax for 1897, \$2.00; H. P. Block, dog tax for 1898, \$2.00; H. P. Block, dog tax for 1899, \$2.00; H. P. Block, dog tax for 1900, \$2.00; H. P. Block, dog tax for 1901, \$2.00; H. P. Block, dog tax for 1902, \$2.00; H. P. Block, dog tax for 1903, \$2.00; H. P. Block, dog tax for 1904, \$2.00; H. P. Block, dog tax for 1905, \$2.00; H. P. Block, dog tax for 1906, \$2.00; H. P. Block, dog tax for 1907, \$2.00; H. P. Block, dog tax for 1908, \$2.00; H. P. Block, dog tax for 1909, \$2.00; H. P. Block, dog tax for 1910, \$2.00; H. P. Block, dog tax for 1911, \$2.00; H. P. Block, dog tax for 1912, \$2.00; H. P. Block, dog tax for 1913, \$2.00; H. P. Block, dog tax for 1914, \$2.00; H. P. 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Out of the Darkness

Rutha stood up in her place or kneel; she listened attentively; she sang with her usual heartiness, but the strain on her mind was terrible. She could not keep her attention from wandering; chill doubts haunted her; she was afraid of herself and him. Was she right in trusting a confidence which had been withheld from her? And then the remembrance of the poor boy's worn face drove all hesitation from her mind, and after that she had a strange fancy.

They were singing that beautiful hymn, "Thy Will Be Done," Rutha was singing it, too, with tears in her eyes. She was looking at the altar and the lilies; the dim white globes seemed blossoming from the frescoes; the tall painted windows were full of blurred outline and shadow. Reuben was crying quietly behind his book.

Was it fancy, or did Garton suddenly look toward the dark corner where Rutha was singing? But when she turned her head again he was standing with his face to the lilies, and his lips pressed tightly together as though in pain.

Rutha heard a sigh behind her, which she knew came from Mary. She was quite aware that Mrs. Ord had come in late and was sitting a little to her left; but when service was over, she did not once turn her head. She sat in her place steadily, while Mary stood up and fledged with her wraps. By and by she had an instinct that her friend was waiting for her in the porch, but she took no heed. Mrs. Ord was not quite easy in her mind as she went down the churchyard alone. She remembered Rutha's petulance and soreness of the previous evening, and vaguely little exercised in her mind in the place.

She still waited, not very patiently, must be owned. She saw Garton go into the chancel with the wrappings, for the altar, and a moment afterward Reuben followed him. He was giving him her message. She could see him start and turn quickly to the boy. He seemed hesitating, but it was full three minutes before Reuben was dismissed with an assenting word. Reuben came down and stood beside Rutha for a little while in her dark corner.

"Wasn't it a beautiful hymn?" he whispered. "I was angry with you because I couldn't sing it. He sang every bit down to the last verse, and then he broke down himself."

"We ought not to think of our own worries in church," said Rutha dogmatically. She was a little pale and cold sitting in that dark corner. Her conscience misgave her as she thought of the strange merchandise she had brought in that evening. The sellers of doves were nothing to her. She was every bit as bad as Mrs. Ord's. Reuben answered her very prettily.

"If we don't bring our burdens how are we to lay them down? That is what the vicar says. How can I help being sorry for him, loving him so dearly as I do, and seeing him so unhappy? Oh, Miss Matrin, he looks so bad, almost as though he were going to be ill."

"There, that will do," said Rutha. She pushed the boy from her with hot feverish hands, though she was so

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Something shining fell on Reuben's sleeve at that moment.

"You must hurry home, Mrs. Summerson does not like you to be late," she said as she rose hastily. Her gown blew about her feet as she went out into the porch. The sea-fog had cleared off, and one or two stars trembled above the blackness. The wind was blowing the sand and gravel under the graves. The white crosses and tombstones gleamed in the dim haze. Rutha coughed and drew her cloak around her as she drew back into the church, nearly stumbling over someone as she did so.

"I beg your pardon," said Garton, with a nervous laugh; "I thought you heard me, but I suppose the wind was too boisterous."

Rutha scarcely answered as he put open the door for her. The little surprise had agitated her. She went on, leaving Garton to follow. She scarcely took any notice when the young man came up with her, panting and breathless, in reality a new sort of shyness kept her lips closed.

"I had to lock up the church," he said. "Had you forgotten that when you walked so fast? I hardly thought I should have overtaken you before you reached Bryn."

"I forgot about the keys," returned Rutha apologetically; "one cannot help hurrying in such a wind."

"It was not fit for you to have come to church," he replied decidedly. "Mary has told us what a cold you have. You were coughing dreadfully through the service."

"It was nothing," returned Rutha indifferently. The mention of her cold reminded her of the old soreness. He knew of her indisposition then, and had never cared to inquire after her when it pleased him he could come three or four times in the course of one day, but now this sad trouble of his was turning even him against her.

She held herself aloof as this thought crossed her; her voice went out to him rather tremulously in the darkness. "I thought you had forgotten me. You have all been too busy these three days to think much of anyone but yourselves," exclaimed the girl in a hurt voice. "Mrs. Ord came to me and was dreadfully mysterious. I suppose I was foolish to mind it. Of course, I have no right to be considered."

"You have every right, you mean, Miss Matrin. Why should you say such a thing?" Garton spoke vehemently, but his tone was hardly as steady as usual.

"I suppose Mrs. Ord was told not to confide in me," continued Rutha plaintively. "When Reuben came in this afternoon he burst out crying, and told me everything. I liked Reuben's red eyes better than Mrs. Ord's mystery."

"I told Mary to say nothing about it," continued Garton. "I wished—that is, I thought it better—"

But Rutha broke in upon his stammering. "You thought it better that I should not know. Why did you not give Reuben your orders, too? Mary and the vicar tell the little sister everything. Perhaps you would rather not come in tonight, Mr. Garton? Meg is not very well. I suppose you meant to have come and wished me good-by before you sailed?"

Rutha quickened her steps, with secret exasperation and impatience. Her voice trembled as she delivered herself of this cutting speech. Tears sprang to her eyes in the darkness. "May I not come in? Why are you so angry with me tonight?" asked Garton humbly. The poor fellow knew nothing about women, he could not understand the girl's soreness and hurt feelings. He followed her up the gravel-path with his head drooping; he was utterly dejected and miserable. Rutha gave a little stamp with her foot as she choked back her tears. Her cheeks were burning again.

"He does not care for me; nobody cares for me," she thought.

She went straight into the parlor and laid aside her hat. She refused Garton's help rather impatiently when he wanted to relieve her of her damp cloak. She hated herself for her pettishness all the time, but she could not help it.

As for Garton, he had betaken himself to the fireside after his repulse. He held on to the mantelpiece tightly

as he looked down into the red gleaming coals, his head resting on his arm. He did not alter his attitude nor move when Rutha swept past him rather impulsively in her gray dress, though he started slightly on hearing himself addressed.

"Will you not sit down?" she said, still more impatiently, as though goaded on by his dejection. "Three days ago I don't think you needed to be invited to take a seat."

He lifted his head from the mantelpiece at this.

"Why do you say such things to me?" he said, almost fiercely; "then, dropping his voice, very sadly, 'you must not; I cannot bear it.'"

Rutha was electrified by the sudden change of manner. Her color rose, and she said more gently:

"I am afraid I was cross. I did not mean to be, but one cannot help being vexed by such seeming unkindness."

"What unkindness?" He did not understand you. Do you mean that any of us have treated you badly?" he demanded, so vehemently that Rutha was frightened. "Pshaw! what a fool I am, as though Robert's persecution were not enough to turn you against us."

"I did not mean that," returned Rutha, quite shocked. "Hush! what nonsense. Haven't I forgiven him? Do I not forgive him every day of my life? Mr. Garton, you ought to know me better than that."

"Well, what then?" replied Garton gloomily. "Do we know anyone? Are we sure even of ourselves? If you mean that I have acted unkindly in keeping all this miserable business a few hours from you, and in making Mary hold her tongue about it, I have a very poor idea of my motives in doing so."

"I confess I was hurt. I thought we were such friends," returned Rutha in a voice that was perilously sweet. Had she any idea how she was torturing him? He had drawn his chair to the fire, and was bending over it with his face, and his hands were heavily against his forehead. His forehead was puckered up with pain. As he spoke he scarcely raised his eyes above the gray hem of her dress. Was there a glamour before his sight? As she sat there, the radius of the fire-light an ineffable majesty seemed to surround the young girl. Her youth and sweetness abashed him. He had always seen beauty in her which no one else had seen, and now a sickness and impotence of longing seized upon him when he remembered that all this beauty and grace was not for him.

As he sat there with his moody glance bent on the fire, he knew every trick of her countenance, every fold of her dress and wave of her hair. In the long dreary years that were to follow, how he would remember this evening, when he listened to her innocent reproaches, the garden trees, and the dull lapping of the distant waves on the shore!

"I thought we were such friends," repeated Rutha softly. "Why did you not come and tell me this yourself? Did you not know how sorry I should be for you?"

"Yes, I knew," returned the poor fellow with a groan. He could have put out his hands and prayed her to refrain from torturing him so. What good was it to him for her to recall their innocent friendship, who loved her and would have been true to his latest breath? He looked upon her with sad deprecating eyes.

"Yes, we have been friends; but we shall be no longer. What happy days Rube and I have had here; and then that all over now—over and gone, as the children say. I shall leave Reuben as my legacy to you. I wonder if you will thank me."

"Don't," cried Rutha, stung into sudden pain. "Mr. Garton, I hardly know you tonight; you are so unlike yourself, so sad and stern. I am almost afraid of you."

"Afraid of me?" Garton gave her one of his sudden brilliant smiles for answer, but it soon died away. Another of those frank innocent glances would unman him, he felt. He must guard himself; he must be the fiercest and the most unyielding of men. In the waist for him to take his leave; he breathed more freely when he remembered this.

"Reuben will fret sadly after me," he continued, with a sigh; "the lad is terribly constant. I believe the foolish fellow will break his heart over it."

"He will be right," returned Rutha; "I mean—coloring up—"you have been such a good friend to him. Mr. Garton, will you tell me once for all why you are going?"

"Why?" repeated Garton, somewhat embarrassed; he had roused from his

apathy now, and was looking at her in some confusion. He supposed because Robert cannot afford to send me to college, or to maintain me any longer in idleness."

"Yes, I know; but is that your only reason?" added Rutha impatiently. She was watching the young man with keen wide-open eyes; the evidence of his confusion was clear enough to her. Poor Gar, he was clumsy enough to betray himself at any moment; and then the girl was the cooler of the two. He was more embarrassed than ever as he answered her.

"It was the reason why the New Zealand scheme was first started," he stammered. "I have told you all that over and over again. I knew it was right that I should go, but I could never make up my mind, and lately Robert has been pressing me."

"Mr. Garton, do you remember that text about the plow and the looking back?"

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The city at present owns and operates its own electric light plant, waterworks and telephones, and this year will construct six miles of street car tracks at a cost of \$385,000. It is the purpose of the city to operate the system as a municipal enterprise. The bylaw which is to be submitted to the ratepayers ratifying the council's street car scheme will undoubtedly be carried. Remarkable unanimity of opinion exists in the city on the municipal ownership question.

Every member of the city council was elected on a platform of which the main plank was municipal ownership of public utilities. The city will this year spend \$100,000 in the purchase of a gas producer plant, to add to the electric light works power. The city is dependent on electricity produced by the city's plant for light and for power for small manufacturers.

The rate is 15 cents per 100 feet. In municipal ownership of the telephone system, Edmonton has made sufficient to undertake the erection of a new telephone building. The rate for business telephones is \$15 a year. System and service includes connection with the city of St. John's and the town of Port Saskatchewan. The former is two miles distant and the latter 17 miles away. The provincial government will take over the telephone system at an early date, and further reduction in price of telephones is expected. One unique application of municipal ownership idea is the recent undertaking by the city of its own teaming business. Fourteen teams and carts have been purchased and municipal barns erected at a cost of \$16,000.

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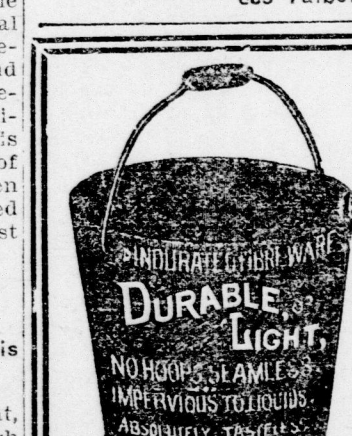
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PREMIER LAURIER SUPREME CANADIAN

Interesting Sketch of Sir Wilfrid
by a Great English
Journalist.

London, May 8. — The Chronicle publishes an interesting pen-picture of "Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the Supreme Canadian," by Harold Spender. In part it is as follows:

It was at St. Therese, a picturesque little village of French-Canadian wooden cottages, some miles outside Montreal. We had come down that morning on one of the comfortable C. P. R. cars, and since midday we had been listening to one of those open-air debates between the two parties which take place all through Eastern Canada during a general election. The candidates had spoken on both sides—just for half an hour each—then for a quarter—always in that sweet, lucid French which they brought over from a couple of centuries ago from France and still speak in French Canada. It was November, and very cold; but the sun was shining, and the crowd had been very quiet and patient. Suddenly a French Tory mounted the balcony where the speakers stood, and made a violent personal attack on the Prime Minister, Sir Wilfrid Laurier. He sat down, and half the crowd cheered. Then from an inner room there emerged a quiet, graceful figure, and calmly faced them. It was Laurier himself.

The Laurier Formula.

That was typical of the man—as was the quiet courage with which he afterwards faced the violence of the Tory section of that crowd. For Sir Wilfrid Laurier is infinitely courageous and infinitely industrious. During a general election he is here, there, and everywhere. He travels from end to end of that vast country. His eye on all the complex political interests of the various provinces—the free traders of the far west, the protectionists of Ontario, the Orangemen of Toronto, and the Ultramontanes of Quebec. He talks with equal facility in both languages. He is at the same time a good British subject and a faithful Frenchman. "French by birth and British by citizenship" is his formula—and by that formula he knits together a land of divided parties and races, and unites them in common loyalty to the Empire. Sir Wilfrid Laurier is at present the supreme Canadian—He is one of those men who seem really necessary.

A Great Conciliator.

Sir Wilfrid would not claim to be a great "imperial" statesman. He is rather a great conciliator in a land where the chief need is peace. Indeed, once said that conciliation was half the work of statesmanship. In Canada it is more than half. For the difficulty of Canadian politics, concealed from us by the happy chance of Sir Wilfrid's premiership, is precisely to govern from the same seat two races with different faiths, different languages, and different hopes. The English and French in Canada mix very little. Neither know very much what the others are thinking. They have each their own press, their own churches, their own society. Quebec and Toronto seem scarcely in the same continent. Passing from the house of an English-Canadian to that of a French-Canadian is like going into a new world. The thing would be impossible without separate provincial parliaments. Even so, it is very difficult. Sometimes one thinks that it is only made possible by Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

Supremely Graceful.

But the impression left on my mind is not so much of anything he said as of his attitude, his pose, his voice. Sir Wilfrid Laurier is a supremely graceful speaker, whether in French or in English. Sometimes he addresses the same audience, first in English, then in French, or vice versa, just as Mr. Lloyd George often addresses his Welsh audiences in English and Welsh. In both languages Laurier speaks slowly, making his points emphatically and clearly, never hurrying, never giving way to irritation or passion. He seems so gentle, so sweetly reasonable, that you must be dull and childish indeed not to agree with him. He seems to place his critics outside the pale—among the barbarians and other barbarians. And then the picture! Looking at him, I always thought of the hapless Girondins. So Condorcet faced Marat in the howling convention, and earned the most pitiful of martyrdoms. Laurier is French—but not modern French. He is eighteenth century from top to toe. His pose sometimes recalled vividly a certain statue of Burke that stands outside Trinity College, Dublin—a very beautiful statue, representing the great orator standing with chin on hand, facing the world.

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TALES FROM LIFE OF IAN MACLAREN

Labored Long and Thoughtfully
in Writing His Books—His
American Tour.

The death of "Ian MacLaren" (Dr. John Watson), the noted preacher and author, caused real grief in Canada, where many admiring readers of his works live.

Major J. B. Pond, who has conducted more lecture tours of famous men than any other man in America, says of Dr. Watson's visit to America in 1896, he thinks he "saw more happy faces while accompanying him than any other man was ever privileged to see in the same length of time. During this period, Oct. 1 to Dec. 15, Dr. Watson had 96 as large audiences of men and women as could be crowded into the biggest halls in the principal cities of the United States and Canada. These great multitudes, with bated breath and outstretched necks, sat and listened to stretched necks, and listened to tears, like sunshine making the rain radiant."

A Surprise in Ottawa.

One of the most novel experiences of Ian MacLaren's career was at the time of his visit to Ottawa. Rev. R. E. Knowles, of Knox Church, Galt, who has since that time made a mark as a Scotch story writer, was then a clergyman in Ottawa, and was looking after the management of the lecture, which was given in Knox Presbyterian church. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the Premier of Canada, presided. When the doctor was told that a Roman Catholic would introduce him in a Presbyterian church he was greatly surprised. Later in the evening he said to Major Pond: "Major, isn't this a wonderful country?" Think of it, a Scotch minister, have given readings for a gentleman of the Church of England, in a John Knox Presbyterian Church, introduced by a Roman Catholic!

"Bonnie Brier Bush."

The full significance of the title which Dr. Watson gave to his most famous book is not generally understood. The Jacobite, says "There grows a bonnie brier bush in our kail-garden, and wore the white rose as their emblem. A Highlander, with Jacobite traditions, Dr. Watson always loved the simple, beautiful flower, which is found in many country gardens in Scotland. When a title was needed for his volume the author chose this, because the suggestion of the book is that in every garden, however small and humble, there may be a flower. The whole idea of his writing, in his own words, "is to show the people in places where many people look for forth what plain people, who do not analyze their feelings, really do and suffer."

Cold Ride at Kingston.

From Ottawa the party went to Kingston, where Dr. and Mrs. Watson were the guests of the late Principal Grant. The train for Toronto left at the uncomfortably early hour of 11 a.m., and it was necessary to drive out to Kingston Junction in a rickety old hack, with the thermometer at zero. Mrs. Watson didn't enjoy it, but the doctor was beaming, as though he had had a normal night's sleep.

"Jannie," said he, "guess the boys are not thinking of where we are just now. If we hadn't promised them the bicycles we wouldn't be here." And so he kept the chilly air out by making sunshine at midnight. The fire had gone out in the stove in the station waiting-room, and all the coal was locked up in the shed outside, and to cross all the train was forty minutes late. "Ian MacLaren," however, enjoyed it, and by-and-by the train came, and the party had a comfortable ride into Toronto.

His Toronto Reception.

As in Montreal, the Scotch were out in force when Dr. Watson arrived in Toronto, with all their badges and insignia. They all wanted to see "Ian MacLaren," and he was unable to see any of them. After lunching at Mr. E. Gurney's the distinguished author and his wife were driven about the city all the rest of the day, until it was time to lecture. Lord Aberdeen presided, and it is a matter of record that the largest audience that ever attended any one-man entertainment in Toronto, and paid fancy prices, was the one drawn to hear "Ian MacLaren's" readings. "A more enthusiastic welcome one seldom sees, especially in America," wrote Major Pond afterwards. "It was more like Welsh enthusiasm."

How He Pronounced "Ian."

Dr. Watson amused the audience at the beginning of one of his lectures by telling of a letter he had received asking whether the first name of his pseudonym was pronounced Ian, Eean, Yan, Yon, Yane, John, Jan, or Jane. "In answer to this question," he said, "I would say that if you want to pronounce it like an Englishman, you will say Ian, if like a Scotchman, Eean, and if like a Highlander, Ee-on."

How He Wrote Stories.

At one of his interviews, speaking of the manner in which his short stories were written, Dr. Watson said: "Each one was turned over in my mind for months before I put pen to paper. It took a prodigious amount of mental labor before I even had a story formed in my head. Then the thing was put aside, while I went over and over in my mind each detail—each line of dialogue, each touch of description—determining on the proper place, attitude, shade, color and quality of each bit, so that the whole might in the end be a unit, not a bundle of parts. By

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and by came the actual writing, with the revision and correction which accompanied it. The actual composition of the "Bonnie Brier Bush" stories occupied fifteen months.

A BRIGAND'S BIOGRAPHY

Salomone's Adventures Appearing in a Palermo Newspaper.

Rome, May 8. — Salomone, the notorious Sicilian brigand, has been writing his personal memoirs in the mountains amidst snatches of rest from his professional raids.

Salomone sits down by night to divers obscure hamlets in the valley near Palermo, and thence posts his copy by installments to the Giornale di Sicilia, which has already published 150 pages of manuscript of his narrative about his ten years' prison experience and his encounters with the carabinieri. An interesting psychological fact is that Salomone never fails to inclose with his copy a present of 19 to 30 lire, to encourage the alertness of the compositors and proof correctors. The newspaper has got a further advertisement from Governor Bova, of Ancona penitentiary, who has entered into a fiery polemic with Salomone, who is proving himself an astute adversary.

Meanwhile, the editor of the Sicilian paper is receiving many tempting offers from ethnological and criminological institutes in Italy and abroad for Salomone's original autograph manuscript, written on legal vellum, as they desire to subject the same to the study of graphologist experts.

ARAB MILLIONAIRE KILLED

Chief of Singapore Mohammedans
Murdered While at Prayer.

Singapore, May 8.—Abdul Kadir Alsagoff, an Arab millionaire, and chief of the Mohammedan community of Singapore, died today from wounds inflicted by an unknown assassin.

With his family he was performing his sunset devotions on Thursday in the veranda of his house. As he bowed toward Mecca, his wife and children prostrating themselves beside him, a shot, a cry, and the sound of running feet were heard beneath the veranda. Alsagoff fell prone with a bullet in his body.

His servants raised him and placed him upon a couch. Others ran from the house and went hot-foot after the assassin. But in the quickly gathering dusk the murderer easily escaped. The wounded man lingered on until noon, when he expired.

All Moslems here are mourning him, and his relatives have set a great price upon the murderer's head.

The hypothesis of world development from spiral nebulae, which was widely discussed about 20 years ago, but which of late years has been seriously questioned, has been given the explanation that the worlds are formed not by the condensation of rings gradually solidified from tenuous nebulae, but rather by great masses thrown off or detached from the parent mass of a nebula by the centrifugal force of the rotation. Photographs of nebulae disclose such masses in process of detachment, and most astronomers are now inclined to the belief that this is the way in which planetary bodies have been formed. The heavens show thousands of spiral nebulae which are evidently in a state of rotation in every nucleus, and which indicate that they will probably be condensed into suns and solar systems similar to our own.

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Lisbon, May 8.—Dom Luiz Philippe Marie Charles Amelro Ferdinand Victor Manuel Antoine Laurent Miguel Raphael Gabriel Ganszagne Xavier Francisco d'Assise-Benoit, the boyish-looking heir to the throne of Portugal, is to start out on the quest for a wife. The prince is a cheerful, unaffected young man who resembles in miniature his colossal father, and has just reached his 21st year.

He is to make the tour of the European courts, but it is well understood that his eyes of admiration and hope are fixed on a member of the English court, to wit, that much advertised and much sought-after princess, Patricia of Connaught.

The King and Queen of England are scientific men than by the average in-

dividual. It is, however, interesting to note that Dr. A. Kirschmann, professor of philosophy in the University of Toronto, has expressed himself very strongly regarding his belief that life exists in other planets. He even contends that on other bodies where conditions of temperature, of carbon, nitrogen, weather, etc., are different from our own we have no good reason to conclude that conditions may not exist to permit intelligent life comparable to our own.

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London lovers of athletics should indeed feel elated at the splendid outlook, not only for July 1, but for the entire season. And both the East End Athletic Club and the Canadian Club are to be commended for their praiseworthy efforts to supply a grand field meet on Dominion Day in this city. Years have passed since any meet worthy of the name has been held in this city. Beyond an occasional road race there has been really nothing doing in the athletic line for a long time. However, this must not be taken in the light of a reflection upon the various school and college field days, which have been so successfully carried out. School field meets are to be commended in every way, but naturally the events are confined to only a certain class of athletics. There are any number of clever runners, pole vaulters, weight throwers, etc., in this city who have never had an opportunity of showing their abilities in their respective lines inasmuch as they had passed the school age and were ineligible for the school day meets.

The proposed joint meet on Dominion Day should be one that will make the heart of every loyal Londoner happy and one that will be remembered for a long time.

The East End League holds a meeting tonight at 8 p.m.

When Physical Director Brent first took charge of the local branch of the Y. M. C. A. he remarked that in due season he hoped to develop a class of athletes in this city who would be second to none in Canada, and the victory of his boys in the Class B competition is one which makes him very proud indeed. Every local sportsman hopes to see the day when the Y. M. C. A. boys in this city will lead the van in all classes.

That there was a highly surprised group of champion bowlers at the Ideal alleys last night, when Ben Watterworth's challengers got busy, goes without saying. Captain Ben has always insisted that he could get a team together that could wallop the Princes of Canada, and he has carried out exactly one-sixth of his prophecy. Five more matches remain to be played yet and the outcome is one which no one can foretell.

Well, our own Sir Thomas Burns, put a large-sized crimp in the championship aspirations of Philadelphia Jack O'Brien last night, and according to all reports he did it up in artistic fashion. Pugilism isn't the best game in the world, but it is certainly a great money getter (for those on top), and we are glad that Sir Thomas landed home a winner.

Work on the Tecumseh Park diamond is still progressing, and by next Saturday it will be in the best possible shape. The fence surrounding the river side of the grounds, too, is rapidly being erected, and Saturday should find the place completely inclosed. Each night and afternoon the various teams in the City League can be seen practicing diligently, and if condition counts for anything—and most assuredly does—the City League band of ball on Saturday should be on a par with the mid-season variety. The nights set for practice are as follows: Tuesday, Rockets; Wednesday, McClearys; Thursday, Perrins; Friday, Stars.

The Businessmen's League which opened Monday night, promises to furnish a brand of baseball that will be popular with all classes, inasmuch as the games will be played in the evening and everybody will have an opportunity of witnessing them. The contests will be pulled off on Monday and Thursday nights on the small diamond at Tecumseh Park. The teams entered are made up of the office staffs of McClearys, the R. J. Young & Co. staff, C. S. Hyman & Co., J. H. Chapman & Co. and Spallman & Ingram. The schedule calls for 20 games. Ward Casselman has been elected president of the league, J. E. Ford secretary-treasurer, and Jack Nash will umpire.

Tonight at the Jubilee Rink George Crispin, the roller skating champion or London, will meet Pratt, the lanky Boston speedster in a two-mile contest. When last the pair met Crispin won out by a small margin, and Pratt claimed lack of condition. Crispin accepted a challenge for a return match under the conditions that if he lost a third contest must take place.

SOUTHPAW.

CLASS "B" CHAMPIONSHIP CUP COMES TO LONDON Y. M. C. A.

Local Association Stood First in Athletic Meet Held in March Last.

Notification has just been received from the secretary of the Y. M. C. A. Athletic League that the Class B cup, emblematic of the championship of Canada, has been won by the London Y. M. C. A.

This is the result of the athletic meet held at the local association in March last. Similar competitions were open to all of the associations in Canada, the results being sent in to the secretary of the Athletic League, the team making the highest score being awarded the cup, which must be defended each year.

Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto, Hamilton and Winnipeg are included in Class A Associations. All other Y. M. C. A. branches in Canada are class B. As there are about thirty of these, with gymnasiums, including Halifax, Sydney, Quebec, Kingston, Brantford, Stratford, Vancouver and Victoria, the honor of holding this cup in the first year of its existence is no mean one for London. The men who were responsible for it were Andrew Crawford, Mel Brock, Albert Ruddy, Jack Polinskie, John Sweeney, Joseph Cheneay, Oscar Taschereau and Harry Stephens.

THE TURF.

THE CHESTER HANDICAP.
London, May 8.—The Chester cup, a handicap of 2,666 sovereigns, for 3-year-olds and upwards, about two miles and a quarter, was run today and won by Querido. Bibiani was second and Torpoint was third. Twelve horses started. Querido, a French horse, was ridden by Johnny Relf, and won by a length and a half. The betting previous to the start was 9 to 4 against Querido, 100 to 8 against Bibiani, and 4 to 1 against Torpoint. Bridge of Cans, ridden by Danny Maher, was fourth.

BASEBALL.

TWO PITCHERS GO.
Toronto, May 8.—Manager Kelley used the ace for the first time this season in his ball team today and released Pitchers Bridges and Toren. The team is well off for pitchers and could not carry them all. This leaves McGinley, Mitchell, Hesterfer, Budolph, and Moffitt.

SPEND \$30,000 TO PROMOTE SPORT

Canadian Club of London Prepared to Do This.

WANTS FREE SITE FOR PARK

Feels That City Should Furnish It—The Dominion Day Meet Discussed.

London sportsmen were treated to a novelty in the line of a meeting held for the promulgation of clean athletics last night. There have been meetings of a similar nature held in this city during the past six months, but there was always an apparent lukewarmness and an evident lack of enthusiasm.

Last night, however, when the Canadian Club held a meeting at the city hall to discuss plans for a permanent athletic park, and a big field day for July 1, the committee room was well filled, and the athletic outlook made to look one hundredfold brighter than ever before.

Billy Amos, the East End Athletic Club representative, was on hand, and stated that owing to the fact that his club had practically completed plans for a large field meet and Marathon road race for Dominion Day, it was impossible to allow the Canadian Club to manage the affair. However, he and his colleagues were very highly in favor of having the Canadian Club make a number of events, such as sprint races, pole vaults, weight throwing, broad and high jumps, etc., if they could see their way clear to do so.

Willing to Spend \$30,000.

Mr. H. Buttrey, chairman of the sports committee of the Canadian Club, who presided, stated that the club was willing to spend about \$30,000 on a grandstand, training quarters, etc., providing the city would furnish a suitable site for the proposed new athletic park. Other matters in relation to the offering of cup and other prizes for various athletic organizations in the city, came up, and were discussed pro and con.

In a nutshell, it was decided: To appoint a committee to confer with representatives of the East End Club at the Y. M. C. A. building tonight, in reference to the Dominion Day meet.

To ask the city council to donate a suitable athletic park site.

To equip said park at an expense of from \$25,000 to \$30,000.

To present a trophy cup to the team winning out in the Springbank Baseball League series.

To offer a prize to the Rowing Club for its summer regatta.

To defer action in the matter of throwing open for competition this season the cup presented to the Lorne avenue school last year.

And to take necessary steps to affiliate with the C. A. A. U.

Another Meeting Next Week.

Another meeting will be held by the Canadian Club next Wednesday night.

Among those present last night were: H. E. Buttrey (chairman), Dr. J. D. Wilson, St. Francis, Ald. Gillespie, B. King, Dr. Bentley, A. T. Little, F. Lawson, J. S. Pearce, J. D. Tyler, B. C. McCann, Ald. Stevely, T. W. McCann, G. Ingram, W. J. Snelgrove, R. Arkell, Wm. Amos, Stanley B'ent, Dr. A. V. Becker, R. Mitchell and C. Fields.

ONLY ONE IN SIX FAVORITES WON

McCartier Alone Met the Expectations of Books—Radtke Again in the Saddle.

New York, May 8.—It was a bad day for favorites on the Jamaica course today. But one, McCartier, won. Rustle had an easy time in the Suffolk stakes and won by five lengths.

Radtke made his first appearance today since his fall from Ben Cole last week. He was loudly cheered as he paraded the grandstand in the fifth race, and brought his horse home a winner at 5 to 1. Summary:

First race, 5 furlongs—Sweet Taire, 112 (Notter), 2 to 1; Alauda, 107 (Miller), 7 to 5; The Dane, 107 (Garnier), 7 to 3. Time, 1:02. Donora also ran. Hartford Boy and Mrs. O'Farrell left at the post.

Second race, selling, 1-1-15 miles—Tony Bonero, 91 (Preston), 9 to 2; Shanadoah, 97 (Musgrove), 8 to 1; John Smulski, 108 (Mountain), 5 to 1. Time, 1:48 3/5. Robador, Delmore, Flinnap, Masanillo and Lord Stanhope also ran. Azora left at post.

Third race, 1-1-15 miles—Dolly Sparker, 110 (Miller), 13 to 5; Tommy Waddell, 119 (Hornor), 13 to 5; Phipps, 126 (Knapp), 6 to 5. Time, 1:48 2/5. Lally also ran.

Fourth race, Suffolk stakes, selling, 5 furlongs—Rustle, 98 (Swain), 5 to 1; Tartar Maid, 106 (Hornor), 4 to 1; Blue Heron, 104 (Notter), 2 to 1. Time, 1:01 1/5. Thermidor, Rite Range, Raimondo, Masks and Faces, Blue Ban and Laughing Eyes also ran.

Fifth race, selling, 6 furlongs—Oyama, 112 (Radtke), 5 to 1; C. Hayes, 113 (Preston), 9 to 2; Sir Todington, 108 (Notter), 8 to 5. Time, 1:14 1/5. Ballot Box, Berkeley, New York, Suffice, Durbar, Marvel P. Athens and L'Amour also ran.

Sixth race, 5 1/2 furlongs—McCartier, 106 (Miller), 6 to 5; L. Halifax, 128 (Radtke), 3 to 1; 2. Inoctor, 118 (Notter), 4 to 1. Time, 1:07. Don Domo, Lady Anne, Workman and Dr. Hollis also ran. Little Don left at the post.

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ST. THOMAS HORSEMAN GETS REINSTATEMENT

New York, May 8.—The board of review of the National Trotting Association, which has been in session here since yesterday, adjourned today after announcing several decisions.

W. T. Patchen, of Burnside, Pa., and the bay gelding, Carl Brown, 2:13 1/4, which bore an alias of Lynx Patchen, were both expelled. The charge was driving out of class and under a false name at Elmira, N. Y., in 1905.

F. C. Barlow, of Kenton, was suspended for controlling and driving horses upon the track at Montgomery, Ala., while under penalty.

The application for full reinstatement of Charles Castle and I. E. Savacool, both of Titusville, Pa., and Frank Henratty, of Pleasantville, Pa., who were expelled two years ago, were granted. They acted as timers at a race in Titusville, Pa., in 1904, in which it was alleged time was suppressed.

The board reinstated until its next meeting Jas. Fogarty of St. Thomas, Ont., and took like action in the case of George H. Smith of Steubenville, Ohio, the latter having been under suspension since 1898. Permanent reinstatement was granted to W. S. Steele, of Rossville, Md., who was expelled for abusive talk to the secretary of the meeting in Richmond, Va., last year.

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TOMMY BURNS WHIPS O'BRIEN

Crack Canadian Now Heavy-weight Champion.

PHILADELPHIAN GREAT RUNNER

Chased Around the Ring for Twenty Rounds and Badly Hammered—Bets Are Off.

Los Angeles, May 8.—Tommy Burns, of Los Angeles, last night won the heavyweight championship of the world from "Philadelphia Jack" O'Brien before the Pacific Athletic Club, after 20 rounds of fighting that was for the most part a footrace.

O'Brien ran away from Burns from the first round to the finish, and only occasionally was the latter able to overtake him. Then O'Brien invariably clinched with Burns and held on until the referee pried them apart.

The crowd hooted and jeered O'Brien and shouted all sorts of rallery at him. Few blows of any vigor were landed by either man, and neither suffered any serious damage.

Both of O'Brien's eyes were damaged and his lips were cut open, but Burns had scarcely a scratch. Burns showed his disgust with the tactics of his opponent and repeatedly called to him in a loud voice to "come on and fight."

O'Brien ran as though in terror of his antagonist. Now and then Burns would overtake him and beat him on the back, O'Brien attempting wildly to duck and dodge away, until Burns, weary of the footrace, would stand in the center of the ring with his hands to his sides and wait for O'Brien to come to him in his race around the ropes.

O'Brien landed many light blows at long range on Burns' head and face during his capers about the inclosure, but they were without effect. The referee had the greatest difficulty in prying O'Brien loose from Burns. The referee cautioned O'Brien repeatedly about holding. Burns had all the better of the in-fighting and laced his opponent terribly about the face with short arm lefts. O'Brien's holding of Burns' glove prevented his using it in the clinches.

In the second round the men wrestled in the center of the ring and both fell flat to the floor.

In the ninth round Burns, weary of the constant retreating, rushed after him and cornered him twice in different angles of the arena and inflicted severe punishment. The latter made no effort to fight, merely ducking and trying to get away.

Each round was largely a repetition of the preceding one. Burns had the better of most of them, whenever he was able to corner his man and get at him.

The twelfth round was strongly in Burns' favor. During this round Burns landed on O'Brien's left eye with a terrific overhead right, the blood streaming down O'Brien's face. The latter called to seconds something about his injury and shook his head in vain.

Again in the fifteenth round Burns caught his man going away and laid open the same eye again, which had been patched up with courtplaster. The twelfth and final round, was as the water.

The betting was all in O'Brien's favor. Burns weighed in at 175 pounds, and O'Brien was eight pounds lighter.

Before the beginning of the fight, Referee Eylon declared all bets off. Under instructions from Manager A. E. Carey, of the Pacific Athletic Club, Eylon refused to give the reasons for this action.

YALE PRESIDENT SAYS ENGLISH SPORTS BEST

New Haven, May 8.—President Hadley, of Yale, writing of athletics, says in his opinion the English universities, after three generations, have solved some of the athletic questions by the growth in that country of the love of sport for its own sake, and he advised Yale as follows to note the example of the students across the water.

"If we can enter into athletics for the love of honor, in the broadest sense of the word, unimixed with the love of gain in any sense, Yale may now and then lose a few students, but it shall grow better year after year in all that makes for sound university life."

ONCE MORE ARRESTED IS RUBE WADDELL

Philadelphia, Pa., May 8.—Mrs. May Waddell, wife of the famous

HAD CLOSE CALL FROM SERIOUS, OR FATAL INJURY, IN RUNAWAY

Elderly Lady Pluckily Rescued From Beneath Feet of Team by a Theatre Hand.

Mrs. Dauncey, wife of Mr. John Dauncey, of the Gore of London, had a narrow escape from death at noon today at the west approach of King street bridge. She probably owes her life to Mr. Tony Maorani, a stagehand at Bennett's Theatre, who witnessed the accident, and pulled her from beneath the feet of a couple of frightened horses.

Mrs. Dauncey, accompanied by Mrs. Dauncey, drove into London in the morning in a motor car. At the market, Mrs. Dauncey had some business to transact, and Mrs. Dauncey took the horses and started to drive westward on King street, to visit her sister, Mrs. Miners, of 72 Becher street.

The horse was a rather spirited animal, but he had never given trouble in the past. When King street hill was reached, however, the wagon ran upon him, and he became frightened, and ran away.

Mrs. Dauncey is about 65 years of age, and she found herself unable to control the horse.

The latter dashed down the hill at

a mad gallop, narrowly missing striking a wagon in the center of the bridge.

At the west side there is an abrupt turn going up to Becher street, and as this was reached, a coal wagon approached. Mrs. Dauncey tried to guide the horse, but it was of no avail.

The frightened horse ran into the horse attached to the coal wagon, and Mrs. Dauncey was thrown over the dashboard and in between the two struggling horses.

Mr. Maorani was on the bridge at the time, and with great pluck he jumped in between the horses and rescued Mrs. Dauncey in a semi-conscious condition.

Mrs. Dauncey was taken to the home though she was badly shaken up, she had suffered no serious injury. She was able to walk around in an hour.

The motor car was badly damaged in the collision, but the coal wagon and horse escaped unhurt.

This is remarkable from the fact that the shaft of the motor struck the coal horse in the chest. The shaft was broken, but the horse didn't bear a mark of any kind.

Mrs. Dauncey is very grateful to Mr. Maorani, who, she says, probably saved her life.

"He's a good boy," she said to the Advertiser. "I'm very grateful to him indeed."

WHEN WOMEN DISAGREE

Complicated Case in the County Magistrate's Court Today.

A somewhat complicated case was heard this morning in the county magistrate's court, when Mrs. Camilla Gilmore appeared before Squire Taylor to answer to a charge of assault preferred by Mrs. L. Mead. Both the parties are from London Township. Last Saturday, according to the evidence given, as Mrs. Mead was passing the defendant's house, Mrs. Gilmore accosted her, saying: "Want you come over to Mrs. Flannigan's with me and contradict something you have been saying."

Mrs. Mead, who was accompanied by a cousin, replied that she had no time then to go along with the defendant.

Whereat, according to Mrs. Mead, the defendant slapped her on the face.

Mrs. Gilmore swore she did not strike Mrs. Mead nor molest her, in any way.

At all events Mrs. Gilmore, the defendant of this morning—swore out an information against Mrs. Mead, on a charge of assault, before Squire Clitick, and he set the case down for 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Grath served the papers. Mrs. Mead got an inquiring of, and in turn laid an information against Mrs. Gilmore, a short time later on a similar charge, before Squire Taylor, who, not knowing of the previous information laid by Mrs. Gilmore, set the case for 11 o'clock this morning.

When the case came up this morning Mrs. Gilmore, who speaks with a broad German accent, protested against her case being heard first. The magistrate made a round of the courthouse in search of Crown Attorney McKillop to get legal advice on the subject, while Attorney Scattergood, who appeared for Mrs. Mead, stated that as the case had been set for 11 o'clock it should go on. Eventually Mr. McKillop was found, and expressed the opinion that it was a matter entirely for Squire Taylor to decide.

The magistrate then suggested that the parties involved come to some settlement without trial. Mrs. Mead was willing to settle the affair, but Mrs. Gilmore was not.

"I didn't slap her," she said, "and when one is not guilty one has nothing to fear."

After hearing the evidence which was directly contradictory, the magistrate fined Mrs. Gilmore \$1 and costs, amounting in all to \$7.50, which she paid with a protest.

"I didn't think I would need a lawyer if I told the truth," she said. "And, sir, do you think I would swear on that Bible to what was not true?"

The magistrate told her that her opportunity might come at this afternoon. The woman, however, refused to be consoled, and said that justice in her opinion was a farce.

"I always thought that a person could speak to another one on the street without being arrested," said she in conclusion, as she picked up her handbag and left the room after paying her fine.

PUBLIC SCHOOL DRAWINGS

Results in Grades 7 and 8 to Be Announced Saturday.

The drawings in Grades VII and VIII of the public schools sent to The Advertiser last week have been of a high order of merit. The results will be published in next Saturday's Advertiser.

Grades I and II have sent in this week a large number of excellent sketches, the best six of which will be published on Saturday, May 18.

The drawings for Grades IV, V, and VI, should be at the office by May 13. The lesson was published in the edition of Saturday, April 27.

All the drawings sent in will be returned to the respective schools.

New York city bought Union Square Park in 1853 for \$116,051. Madison Square in 1847 for \$28,552. Tompkins Square in 1854 for \$33,325 and Washington Square in 1857 for \$77,790. These four down-town parks, costing \$333,322, are now, at ruling real estate prices, worth \$25,000,000.

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TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

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BELLEBOYS WANTED. APPLY CITY Hotel.

ating no end of laughter by their funny falls. The tumbling is by far the best seen here since the opening of the house. This act is a feature and worth going to see. The Trans-Atlantic Four, a capital singing quartet; Fred and Annie Pelot, a funny pair of juvenile jugglers; the Stanley and Wilson, in a refined comedy singing skit, wind up a programme which is a credit to any vaudeville theater.

CONDENSED LOCAL NEWS

—Last night the Junior Pirates added another victory to their string by beating the Hiawathas 12-9. At the end of the fourth inning, the score stood 8-0, in favor of the Hiawathas, but with a batting streak the Pirates afterwards had it all their own way. Walden played a star game at short for the victors.

—The last number of the Y. M. C. A. concert course on Saturday evening next will be furnished by one of the best concert companies that have yet visited London. The Dunbar instrumental trio is capable of giving a delightful recital of chamber music, and Mr. Ralph Dunbar is a "cellist of rare ability. There will be in addition a male quartet, a group of bell ringers, and an excellent reader. It will be worth hearing.

—The marriage took place recently in St. Paul's Cathedral of Mrs. Clara Dickie and Mr. George White, of this city. Rev. Canon Dunn conducted the ceremony, while Miss Rosie Dickie officiated as bridesmaid, and Mr. Thos. Carney as groomsmen. The wedding was of a very quiet nature, only immediate relatives of the bride and groom being present. Mr. White will reside at 317 Cheapside street.

—The funeral of the late Mr. Walter Palmbly was held yesterday afternoon from the family residence, 465 Grey street, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Many friends of the deceased attended. The services were conducted by Rev. W. H. Clark, pastor of the South-western Congregational Church. The pallbearers included three members of the Independent Oddfellows and three of Mr. Palmbly's fellow-workmen at George White & Sons. Mrs. Palmbly, who is left with three small children, desires, through the Advertiser, to express her thanks to the members of the L. O. F. lodge, also to the employees of the Labatt Manufacturing Company, and the George White & Sons Company, and many other friends who so kindly gave her help and sympathy during the illness of her late husband, and in the hour of her sore bereavement.

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WOULD INJURE BRITISH TRADE

The Premiers for Preference for British Ships.

BUT HOME GOVT. DISSENTS

Lloyd-George Enters Protest Against the Idea—Several Resolutions Adopted.

London, May 8.—The imperial conference is sitting twice daily in order to finish by the end of the week.

Today Premier Deakin brought forward a resolution drawing attention to the navigation laws in the empire, to the advisability of refusing the privileges of the imperial coasting trade to countries where corresponding trade was confined to ships of their own nationality, and requesting the Home Government to take the necessary steps for the revision of any commercial treaties which would prevent preferential treatment being accorded to British goods carried in British ships.

Premier Ward stated that action had been taken by New Zealand on the lines of the resolution. New Zealand felt keenly the restrictions placed upon her trade with Honolulu by the United States.

Mr. Lloyd-George said that the transactions involved in the proposition involved a great complication of difficulties. Traders within the empire would find a restriction to their choice of carriage a positive advantage would be given to foreign trade and goods from foreign countries would have a choice either of British or foreign ships.

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LOCAL MARKET.

London, Thursday, May 9. There was not as much stuff offered to-day as was expected. Probably the farmers are holding back for Saturday's market. There was a good demand in every line and prices were well maintained.

Grain—Oats continue to be firm in price, at \$1.35 and \$1.34 per cwt. Barley sold at \$1.07 per cwt.

Hay and Straw—Owing to the small supply of hay so far this week, there is an excellent demand; prices are firm at \$15 to \$14 per ton, the latter price for the best loads. Straw is in fair demand at \$5.50 per cwt.

Vegetables and Roots—Potatoes are selling well at present; the dealers say there is a considerable quantity in the farmers' hands of course, there will be a large quantity required for seedling, and it is hard to figure how farmers will get those offered today sold at 80¢ per dozen; prices will be lower. Onions, lettuce and radishes sell at 80¢ to 85¢ per dozen.

Dressed Hogs—Not many offered; sales are brisk at 85¢ and 86¢ per cwt. Apples—There is not a great deal offering, and the demand is rather slow at 81¢ to 84¢ per bushel and 25¢ to 35¢ per barrel. Poultry—There were only a few chickens offered, which sold at 80¢ to 81¢ per pair dressed.

The supply of butchers' meats was up to the average; there was no change in prices.

HAY MARKET.

Toronto, May 8.—Baled Hay—Receipts are heavier and prices easier, at \$12.50 to \$13 per ton for No. 1 timothy, and \$10 to \$11 for secondary grades, in car lots here. Baled Straw—Easier, at 85¢ to 87 per ton, in car lots here.

COTTON MARKETS.

New York, May 8.—Cotton—Spot closed steady, 15 points higher; middling uplands, \$11.30; middling, \$11.20; sales, 220 bales.

Futures closed very steady. Closing bids: May, \$10.72; July, \$10.70; August, \$10.68; September, \$10.65; October, \$10.62; November, \$10.60; December, \$10.58; January, \$10.56; February, \$10.54; March, \$10.52.

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SUGAR MARKETS.

Woodstock, May 8.—Offerings on the woodstock cheese market today were 1,000 boxes; 11½¢ was the highest bid; all the cheese was sold.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, May 8.—Butter—Steady; creameries, 18¢ to 20¢; dairies, 18¢ to 20¢. Cheese—Steady; 14¢ to 15¢.

NEW YORK.

New York, May 8.—Butter—Firm; receipts, 624 packages; street prices, extra creamery, 27¢; city, 26¢; common to extra, 24¢ to 27¢; state dairy, common to fancy, 24¢ to 26¢.

Cheese—Receipts, 624 packages; street prices, extra creamery, 27¢; city, 26¢; common to extra, 24¢ to 27¢; state dairy, common to fancy, 24¢ to 26¢.

TORONTO.

Toronto, May 8.—Sugar—Prices are firm at the advance; fair refined granulated, \$4.60 per barrel; yellow, \$4.20; Ontario beet, \$4.45; in bags, 5¢ less.

BEAN MARKET.

Detroit, May 8.—Beans—Cash, \$1.45 bid; June, 2¢ and 3¢ bid.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

Toronto, May 9.—The wheat markets continue very firm, with prices advancing generally. The holder of a large lot will not sell at present prices, and buyers are not anxious to meet his advance. Corn is a shade easier. Quotations:

Wheat—Out of winter, 77¢ bid. O. P. R., east, 80¢ asked in store at Mon. Manitoba, 80¢; No. 2, 79¢ asked outside; No. 1 northern, 80¢; No. 2 northern, 79¢. Oats—No. 1, 35¢ asked in store at Mon. Oats—No. 2, 34¢ asked outside; No. 1, 35¢ asked in store at Mon. Oats—No. 2, 34¢ asked outside; No. 1, 35¢ asked in store at Mon.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

London, May 8.—Canadian cattle are steady at 11½¢ to 12½¢ per lb. dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 30¢ per lb.

OIL MARKETS.

Pittsburg, Pa., May 8.—Oil opened and closed at \$1.78.

OIL CITY.

Oil City, Pa., May 8.—Credit balances, \$1.78.

LONDON.

London, May 8.—Petroleum, American refined, 6 13/16d; spirits, 7 1/4d.

ANTWERP.

Antwerp, May 8.—Petroleum, 21 francs 55 centimes.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

TORONTO.

Toronto, May 9.—Live Stock—Trade was very good; 130 head in today, including 1,400 cattle, 175 sheep and lambs, 1,500 hogs.

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