

CANDIDATES ARE STILL SCARCE FOR LOCAL MUNICIPAL OFFICES

Still Looks Like Stevely and Matthews for Mayor—Mr. Fred W. Darch Will Run Again for Water Commissioner—Other Possibilities for Office.

Candidates for municipal offices are not coming to the front very fast, and very few have yet declared their intentions of running for offices. In spite of all that has been said there is no question that Mayor Stevely and ex-Ald. Matthews, who battled last January, will again come to the front. The names of Mr. F. W. Darch has been prominently mentioned for the honor, but he will again seek the position of water commissioner, it is said. No one has been named as his opponent, as yet. Mr. Graham Mentioned. Mr. C. M. R. Graham, chairman of the board of education, has ambitions for the mayoralty, his friends say, but it is most improbable that he will be the candidate this year. He has said that he would not run at the present time, and that it is likely to be the case. He will not run for the board of education, he announced also. Hospital Trust. Mr. S. Searaton will complete his term as hospital trustee, and will again seek re-election, it was stated. He is deeply interested in the work of the hospital, and would like to have a couple of years more on the trust. The name of ex-Ald. Thomas Gillen was mentioned as a candidate for the office, but he has definitely stated that he will not run. Water Commission. As stated above, the term of Mr. F. W. Darch as water commissioner expires in January, and he will again seek re-election.

OPINION SEEMS TO BE DIVIDED

In Regard to Proposition to Reduce Licenses in London.

SOME UNIONISTS ARE OPPOSED

Bartenders and Cigarmakers Do Not Want to Adversely Affect Their Own Businesses.

The agitation on the part of the Trades and Labor Council to reduce the number of licenses is going to cause a great deal of discussion among the members of the different unions in the city. Their action is not backed up by the whole body of union men in London, and a warm time is in prospect, it is stated. The Bartenders' Union is naturally opposed to the reduction, as is also the Cigarmakers' Union. The latter body is opposed to license reduction or local option, as it affects the sale of cigars. The cigar business has suffered considerably in London through local option measures, and the great bulk of cigar union men prefer to have some open shops rather than have the business interfered with by local option agitators, which, they say, are liable to have a serious effect throughout the district surrounding London. Several individual members have also signified their intention to oppose the move on the ground that the motive behind it is not good. The Trouble. The trouble dates a few months back, when a dispute arose at the works of the Carling Brewing and Malting Company over the question of the recognition of the union. A few brewery workers went on strike, and have remained out ever since. When the strike was declared, the Trades and Labor Council supported the strikers, and the output of the Carling brewery was put on the unfair list. A number of the hotels in the city refused to accept the flat of the Trades and Labor Council, that the goods of the Carling Company should be discriminated against. Cigars, Too. At the same time there are a number of open cigar shops in the city. They for the most part employ union men, but they will not accept the label. The goods of these factories as well as Carling's goods were put on the unfair list. The hotels were warned not to sell these goods. Later communications warned them that if the goods were sold, the Trades and Labor Council would move to have the number of licenses reduced, or a vote on local option taken. The hotel keepers refused to do as demanded, and now a request will be made to the city council to have the number of licenses reduced. As stated above the bartenders and the cigarmakers' unions will oppose the reduction, as inimical to their business. In addition to this it is not probable that the Temperance League will unite with the Labor Council in asking for the reduction. As was stated yesterday in The Advertiser, the temperance people do not intend to ask for a reduction in licenses. Mr. McDermid Speaks. "We have heard nothing about the matter," said Mr. D. A. McDermid, the secretary. "We saw something in the newspapers about it, but more than that we know nothing. We do not ask for license reduction out of the spirit of revenge. We are conscientious opponents of the liquor trade, and when we ask for any forward step to be taken on the question, we do so because we think the best interests of the citizens of London will be served by so doing. Of course I do not know what will be done, I know that we have not taken any steps yet to assist the Trades and Labor Council, and I do not know that we will. We have not taken any part whatever in the matter." Continued on Page Eight.

LONDON OFFERED 30 CENT GAS PIPED FROM ROMNEY FIELDS

No. 2 Committee of the City Council Heard Another Proposition Last Night—The Company Would Be Ready for Business by January Next.

The gas franchise question was discussed last night at the special meeting of No. 2 committee. The representatives of the company owning the Romney fields were heard, and they offered to bring gas to London for 30 cents a thousand. Nothing was done, however, as Mr. F. G. Runball, president of the London and Western Counties Pipe Line Company was unable to be present. Another meeting of the committee will be held Monday afternoon next, when both concerns will be heard. Mr. A. C. Munson, of Chicago, president of the Indiana Gas Company, which is exploiting the Romney and Tilbury gas fields, could not attend, but Mr. E. Mackay, of Leamington, and Mr. J. Wishart, of Chicago, appeared on his behalf. Romney Gas. Mr. Mackay first addressed the committee. He said he represented the company which owns the Romney and Tilbury gas fields. They have 10,000 acres of land under lease and have at the present time 30,000,000 feet of gas in sight. They are leasing more land all the time, and by January expect to have at least 50,000,000 feet of gas ready for distribution. He claimed that they have the largest wells in the country. One well alone produced 12,000,000 feet of gas, while another ran 7,500,000 feet. An Explanation. "This field must not be confused with the field that for many years supplied Windsor and Detroit," said Mr. (Continued on Page Two.)

LABOR WANTS LICENSES REDUCED WILL PETITION CITY COUNCIL

Move Made to Fight the Local Brewers and Hotelmen, Who It Is Alleged Have Been Discriminating Against Union-Made Goods in London.

The Trades and Labor Council will circulate a petition throughout the city asking that a vote be taken in January to reduce the number of liquor licenses in the city. This decision was arrived at last evening at a well-attended meeting of the council. The matter was thoroughly discussed and the opinion that some move should be taken prevailed. There has been trouble between the Labor people and the liquor men for some time. It was thought that the unions were not receiving proper consideration at the hands of the hotelkeepers and breweries, and that union-made goods were discriminated against. Not long ago a circular was sent to the hotelkeepers in the city asking them to show more consideration to union goods, or a move would be made to reduce the licenses. Only two hotelmen replied to these communications. Local Option. A large number of the members of the council last night were in favor of asking the city council to submit a vote on local option, but it was pointed out that the time for the preparing for taking such a vote had elapsed, and the only thing that could be done now was to ask the city council to reduce the number of licenses. This would materially assist the union men, it was thought, and would compel the hotelmen to treat the unions better. If it did not have the desired effect, they would next year ask for a vote on local option. The petitions will be ready this week, and will be circulated by union men throughout the city. Relief for Unemployed. The committee appointed to raise funds for the relief of the unemployed union men during the winter, reported that a considerable sum of money had already been raised, and that they intended raising more. It was decided to put on a benefit concert in Bennett's Theatre soon for the same purpose. Messrs. J. E. Secker and Charles Pearce were appointed a committee to arrange for a benefit dance to raise money for the same cause.

CATERER SUES 7th REGIMENT OFFICERS Echo of the Quebec Tercentenary

Mr. Max. Finch Has Issued Writs Against Prominent Gentlemen.

The following officers of the Seventh Regiment have been made defendants in a suit entered by Mr. Max Finch, the local caterer, to recover payment for meals served the regiment at the Quebec tercentenary. Col. Frank A. Reid, W. G. Coles, H. C. Becher, W. A. McCrimmon, W. J. Taylor, A. T. Little, Thos J. Murphy, Geo. A. Ingram, Gordon A. Ingram, Wm. S. Westland, John Hunt Carling, F. B. Ware, Gordon Hunt, J. G. Tait, George W. Miller, Howard Ingram, H. A. Kingsmill and James B. Campbell. Mr. Finch asks for \$1,211 50, and was offered \$821 50, without prejudice to any suit that might result if the offer was refused. Mr. M. P. McDonagh is acting for Mr. Finch, and Mr. Percy Moore for the regiment. A Test Case. Captain Gordon Ingram was recently made defendant in a suit for part of the amount mentioned, but the case was non-suited. It was intimated that the action was too large a one for the division court, and that all of the officers of the regiment might be held liable. Payment was refused in the first place on the ground that the food was not of the quality and quantity agreed upon.

Hospital Buildings Cost \$75,000 Two Structures Being Erected

Some Months Before They Will Be Completed—Were Such Costly Ones Necessary?

At the present time buildings to cost \$125,000 are being erected on the grounds at Victoria Hospital. Of this amount the citizens are paying nearly \$60,000 for the new isolation hospitals, about which there has been so much comment. Of the remaining amount, \$50,000 is for the hygienic institute, and is paid by the Government, and the other \$15,000 is going into the new laundry and repairs at the Nurses' Home, for which the city must provide. The New Hospitals. The new isolation hospitals were designed by Architect Sutter, and the arrangement and general scheme of the buildings are most attractive. The buildings themselves are elaborately finished. Immediately to the west of the Nurses' Home at Victoria Hospital the building for the isolation of diphtheria patients has been erected. The new hospital is a two-story structure, divided into two parts. The front part will be known as the administration building, which contains offices and rooms for those who will be in charge. Immediately behind are sixteen wards for the accommodation of diphtheria patients. On the second story, immediately above the offices, are bedrooms and living-rooms for both the staff and the help. Behind these again are sixteen more wards, making a total of 32 wards. In case of emergency it is estimated that 40 people could be accommodated in the building. (Continued on Page Nine.)

An Inspector for Barber Shops To Be Appointed by Government

Law Similar to That in Michigan Is Likely To Be Passed in Ontario.

An inspector of barber shops will be appointed by the Ontario Government, it is said, early in the next session. For some time an agitation has been going on among barbers' unions to have all barber shops inspected as they are in Michigan and other states in the union. In Michigan every barber must pass an examination, and be licensed by the state examining board. In addition inspectors are appointed in certain districts who must visit the shops, and report on the hygienic conditions prevailing. The system to be introduced by the Ontario Government will be along somewhat the same lines, it is said, and already the scheme is well under way. A St. Thomas Man. Positions will probably be found for several friends of the Government. A rumor connects the name of Mr. Ed. Compton, St. Thomas, with the position of chief inspector. Mr. Compton is a barber, having worked at the trade for many years. He is also somewhat of a spell-binder, and during the last two general elections he did platform work for the Conservatives. He was president of the St. Thomas Trades and Labor Council, and used that fact in his speeches on behalf of Sir James Whitney and Hon. Adam Beck, and in the last election on behalf of Mr. Digby Marshall, Conservative candidate in East Elgin, and Mr. T. W. Crothers, Conservative candidate in West Elgin. There has been several applicants for the place of inspector of the London district, but as yet the possible nominee has not been made known.

MAYOR STILL IN THE DARK

As to When G. T. R. Engineer Kelly Will Come to London.

No word has been received by Mayor Stevely as to when Engineer Kelly, of the Grand Trunk, will visit London, and go over the ground with City Engineer Graydon about track elevation. Some of the G. T. R. officials went through the city yesterday, but his workshop did not see them. "I have received no word as yet," said the mayor. "I am expecting to hear almost any day. I presume they have a lot of work on hand, or they would have been here sooner. However, the company is anxious to get this matter settled, and I think they will take the question up very soon."

POLICE ARE AFTER THIEF

Who Stole a Horse From a Shed in East London.

Chief Williams is determined if possible to locate the horse thief who on Sunday evening, Oct. 25, from the sheds of St. Matthew's Church in East London, stole a horse and buggy belonging to Edwin Wilson, of Dorchester. The horse in the postcard is described as blackweight about 1,150 pounds, 2 years old, 15 hands 2 inches high, a festered spot below the knee on the left hind leg, and winds on the left front foot. The county is also offering a similar reward.

SMALL BOYS IN RUNAWAY

Sons of Dr. McCallum Had an Exciting Experience Yesterday.

John and Archie McCallum, the little sons of Dr. H. A. McCallum, of Queen's avenue, had a close call from being seriously injured yesterday afternoon in a runaway accident that occurred at Pottersburg. The boys, who are 3 and 4 years of age, had been taken out for a drive by the coachman. A stop was made at Pottersburg and the lads were left alone in the buggy. The horse became frightened and started for the city on the gallop. The rig swerved and bumped about considerably and the two boys were thrown out, but neither was seriously injured. The horse continued its run until it reached the city, where it was captured and taken to the doctor's office.

JUMPED FROM MOVING CAR

Charles Frank, a Syrian, Injured on Richmond Street Last Night.

Charles Frank, a Syrian peddler, is in Victoria Hospital at present suffering from a severe scalp wound, received by jumping from a moving street car last night. Frank was on Wellington car, No. 56, going north, in charge of Motorman Teeple and Conductor Miller, and wanted to get out at Fullerton street. As the cars are usually loaded with theatregoers who wish to stop in front of the opera house, it is the custom not to stop at Fullerton street. Frank, when the car did not stop, jumped off, and missed his footing on the slippery pavement and fell, striking the back of his head. Dr. John D. Wilson was called and found that the back of his head had been badly cut. He was carried into the Grand Opera House drug store and later taken to the hospital. No serious results are expected and Frank will probably be around in a day or two. Frank resides with a cousin at 370 Ridout street.

JAS. CHARLES DIED TODAY

Well-Known Barber Suffered Paralytic Stroke and Never Recovered.

Mr. James Charles, the well-known barber, died this morning at his home, 113 Waterloo street, from the effects of a paralytic stroke which he suffered yesterday morning. Mr. Charles was unconscious from the time he was stricken until his death. Thirty years ago he came to this city from the United States, after having served for many years in the Union Army. Previous to that time he was a slave in Virginia, where he was born, and where he still has a brother living. Mr. Charles was 60 years old, and is survived by his wife. He was widely known throughout the city, and the news of his death will come as a great surprise to his friends. The funeral will be held to Mount Pleasant Cemetery on Sunday afternoon, services being conducted by Rev. Mr. Ball.

RUSTY NAIL RAN IN FOOT

John H. Brown Now in Serious Condition in Victoria Hospital.

John H. Brown, a young man employed at the Iniquitous Hotel, is in Victoria Hospital in a serious condition as a result of a rusty nail having run through his foot a couple of days ago. Brown was walking among some boards when the sharp, rusty nail went right through his boot and his foot, while the foot was being freed from the nail. It is feared that blood poisoning may develop from the wound. Dr. Drake is in attendance.

Franco-German Relations Disturbed Over Teuton Deserters in Algeria

France Proposes Arbitration, but Germany Refuses to Accept.

Berlin, Nov. 5.—The relations between France and Germany are again disturbed through Germany's seeking through the French government of the release of the Germans who deserted from the foreign legion at Casablanca, and additional satisfaction for an alleged assault made upon a subordinate official of the German consulate at that place. The French Foreign Office wishes to submit the matter to arbitration, and M. Jules Cambon, the French ambassador, is endeavoring to reach an agreement with the German Foreign Office to this end, but so far without success. Several of last evening's papers took up the subject and declared that it is now necessary for Germany to insist upon her rights. The German Government made serious representations to France early in October, with reference to this affair, which was prior to the controversy which arose from the publication of the Emperor's interview, but the raising of the controversy in the newspapers yesterday is regarded by some of Chancellor's Von Buelow's critics as a device to divert public attention from the Emperor, and the chancellor to a foreign quarrel.

RECOMMENDS THAT HE BE DEPORTED

But First He Must Put in Two Months in the Jail.

Two months in jail and a recommendation that he be deported after that time, was the manner in which William Charles Saville was disposed of when he faced Judge Macbeth today for sentence on two minor charges of theft. Saville stole some blacksmith tools and a lap rug near Thorncliffe. His honor stated that one offense he might have been given another chance, but he could not overlook two thefts. The court also stated that Saville was the sixth man from the old country who had faced him within a few months, and that petty thieving of all kinds must be done away with. "I don't mind the two months," said Saville, as he was being led away, "but I do not want to be deported. This is a fine country, and a man can earn a nice living here."

A SPECIAL SESSION FOR SIDEWALK RIDERS

Court Considering Advancing the Fine to Two Dollars.

Magistrate Love is holding a special session on Friday to deal with 25 persons, old and young, male and female, who have been summoned for riding bicycles on the sidewalk. This is getting to be a favorite pastime with many people, notwithstanding that it is well-known that the court considers it a most dangerous one, and invariably fines all who appear. Magistrate Love has had it under consideration for some time to raise the fine from \$1 to \$2, but so far has not done so.

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW—MILD. FORECASTS. Toronto, Nov. 5—8 a.m. Today—Fresh northwest winds; fair and a little warmer. Friday—Southwest winds; fine and a little warmer.

Table with columns: City, Today, Yesterday, Max., Min. Rows include London, Calgary, Winnipeg, Port Arthur, Parry Sound, Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, Victoria Point, Father Point, Vancouver, Kamloops, Edmonton, Battleford, Prince Albert, Qu'Appelle, St. John, Halifax.

WEATHER NOTES. The barometer is now highest over the Middle States, and an area of low pressure is setting in over the Western Provinces, accompanied by fine, warmer weather.

STOLE ROOMMATES CLOTHES

Montreal Salesman Cleaned Out of Everything by a Stranger.

Essex, Ont., Nov. 5.—M. O. Ostrum, a travelling salesman for a Montreal firm, was robbed of all his clothing and ready cash, about \$50, by a man with whom he became acquainted here and whom Ostrum befriended by sharing his room at a local hotel with him. Ostrum had to remain in his room in the forenoon until the hotel people could secure clothing for him. The thief has a full description of the thief and are trying to locate him. Messrs. Dayton & McCormick will give their weekly dance at their new palace auditorium Friday evening of this week.

The Newfoundland Government Loses

St. Johns, Nfld., Nov. 4.—Latest returns from the Newfoundland election of Monday show that Sir Robert Bond, premier of Newfoundland, has carried only three seats of the 14 so far heard from. The other 11 return candidates favored Sir Edward Morris, head of the People's party and a former member of Premier Bond's cabinet.

A Cunning Theft by a Small Boy

A small boy pulled off something original in petty thievery last night, and a Dundas street drug firm were the losers. One of the partners was back in the dispensing room, and hearing the door open and close, he went to the front. He saw standing at the door a mischievous-looking lad, who had opened and closed the door, keeping on the outside. He did not think anything of it and went back to work. In a minute or so he again heard the door open, and close, as before, and he went to see the customer. The youngster was still there. This was repeated once or twice, and the druggist was fooled in each instance. He warned the boy away and went back to his dispensing. In a short time he again heard the door open, and thinking the youngster was still up to his old tricks, he did not bother going to the front. Shortly afterwards he had occasion to go into the shop, and on investigating discovered that two dozen ten-cent bottles of perfume had disappeared from the counter. He has an idea that the boy knows who got the perfume.

Gang of Bank Robbers Were Beaten Off

Montreal, Nov. 4.—The branch of the Eastern Townships Bank at Marieville, Que., was entered by robbers last night, but they were beaten off. The noise of their entry aroused two clerks sleeping in the rear of the building, and hastily dressing, they took up arms and entered the room where the bur-



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LONDON OFFERED 30 CENT GAS

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Mackay. "We are 30 miles east and have deeper and better wells. We have 625 feet of rock pressure, while the Windsor fields had but 425 feet, showing that our fields are much more permanent than those fields. We want the gas, and we have been negotiating with the City Gas Company of this city for some months for distribution, and we have now come to an arrangement with them. We have also arranged with a pipe line company to lay the line from the fields to London, and they have some of the pipe on the grounds. Before we begin work to pipe the gas we must have 50,000,000 feet in sight. The company we were dealing with have insisted upon that. We had their experts go over the field, and they are so confident that the gas is there that they have agreed to make terms with us.

Ready by January. "We are confident by January we will have that quantity in sight, and then we will be ready to do business. It will cost \$750,000 to lay the pipe line, and you can readily see why we are ready to make certain that we have 50,000,000 feet of gas to guarantee the permanency of the field, so as to protect ourselves. We have no bonds to sell, nor any money to borrow. We have all the backing we need, and we are ready to go ahead with the proposition. We would ask you to lay the matter over until January, and by that time we can assure you definitely of the quantity of gas there. We will take you over the fields then, so that you can see for yourselves."

Ald. Stewart wanted to know what the loss would be in piping the gas that distance. Mr. Wishart declared that he had over 30 years' experience in the gas business, and he would say that the loss would be very little. "How long would it take to bring the gas here?" asked Ald. Rose. "We could get it here within sixty days," Mr. Wishart answered. "You would not know, then, until January, that you could supply the amount of gas we need?" asked Ald. Gerry.

"We are positive we could do it," answered Mr. Mackay, "but we want to be certain. We have now over 30,000,000 measured feet, and we will have no trouble in increasing the amount to 50,000,000 feet. We do not care to enter into any contract until we can show you, when you visit the field, that we have at least that amount of gas. I am confident that we have double that amount."

Thirty-Cent Gas. "How much will the gas cost the consumer?" asked Ald. Rose. "Not more than 30 cents," said Mr. Mackay. "Perhaps not more than 25 cents. The manufacturer will likely get it for 15 cents." Ald. Saunders made some inquiries about natural gas as a fuel and a number of questions about smell, danger, etc. Mr. Mackay answered that in his fifteen years' experience he had little trouble with it, and that it was as safe as ordinary gas, and did not injure chimneys or anything like that. "When can you give us a definite proposition?" asked Ald. Rose. "We can give you a definite proposition by Jan. 1," answered Mr. Mackay. "We can then state definitely our price, terms, etc. We will put up a marked check for whatever sum is reasonable as a guarantee of good faith."

Will Make Proposition. "What price did you say it would cost the consumer?" continued Ald. Rose.

"Not more than 30 cents a thousand," said Mr. Mackay. "The consumer can well afford to pay that for his gas. Give us until January and then we can make a proposition. Then we want you to come and see the fields and then we can show you that we can deliver the goods. We have more gas than any field in Canada, with the possible exception of the fields supplying Hamilton and Brantford."

Thoroughly Investigated. Mr. Wishart addressed the committee briefly. He pointed out that he had 39 years' experience in the gas business, and wished to corroborate the statements of Mr. Mackay. He had measured the wells now drilled and there was between thirty and forty million feet of gas. His company had thoroughly investigated and were

willing to pipe it to London. They had the material on the ground and would commence work as soon as the contract was signed. He explained the heating qualities of the gas, which was 20 per cent better than the manufactured article.

The Other Company. Mr. T. H. Luscombe and ex-Ald. Scarlett appeared on behalf of the London and Western Counties Pipe Line Company. They requested that another meeting be called, as Mr. F. G. Rumball, the president of the company, could not attend. Next week would suit them, and then the whole question could be gone into from both sides.

Mr. Mackay asked that the meeting be held a week from Monday, as Mr. Munson would be present then.

Mr. R. K. Cowan, on behalf of the City Gas Company, asked that he be notified to attend the company are vitally interested in the matter. He intended laying their case before the committee, but would not do so until the next meeting.

All agreed to the proposal to meet on Monday afternoon, Nov. 15. Those present were: Ald. Gerry, chairman; Ald. Rose, Ald. Saunders, Ald. Stewart, Mayor Stevely, City Engineer Graydon and Secretary Kirkpatrick.

W. C. T. U. CONVENTION Mrs. May Thornley, of London, Resigns From the Executive. Barrie, Nov. 4.—The Ontario W. C. T. U., in session here, put in a busy day today, apart from the morning session, which was devoted to the hearing of reports. This afternoon Mr. B. H. Spence, of Toronto, secretary of the Dominion Alliance, addressed the delegates on the latest phases of the local option question, and Mrs. May R. Thornley, conducted a "School of Methods."

At a meeting of the executive Mrs. S. G. E. McKee, president of the union for eight years, and Mrs. May R. Thornley, of London, announced their resignations. This came as a great surprise, and it is hoped the decision may be reconsidered. Mrs. Jennie Watkins, of Muskoka, read a paper on anti-narcotics yesterday, which provoked a lively discussion. Mrs. Hagar, of Welland, reporting on the use of unforgotten wine in churches, stated that thirteen churches (exclusive of the Episcopalian) used fermented wine for the sacrament. Mrs. McLeod, of Owen Sound, told of the distribution of literature, comfort bags, etc., among sailors of the great lakes, and off the Labrador coast.

Mrs. F. Y. Miller, London, provincial corresponding secretary, reported that the receipts for the year had increased by \$3,642, of which London union had contributed \$2,553. Eighteen unions had been formed or reorganized, the number now being 201, with 5,200 members. Eighteen hundred branches had been engaged in the fight for local option and six had been victorious. Mrs. McKee, in her presidential address, referred to the wave of prohibition sweeping over the United States and closing a mile of saloons a week. In Manitoba 28 municipalities were dry, and in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick the Scott act and prohibition were well enforced. In Ontario she found that 312 municipalities were dry and 492 were in the three-fifths clause was a blot on the statute book of the Provincial Government, and 2 1/2 per cent beer was a menace. Mrs. McKee said that the liquor men had received \$100,000 to get a repeal of local option, but that she would support the next election, so important was it to them.

MIDDLEMISS SCHOOL. The following is the report of the Middlemiss school for the month of October: Pearl Baker, teacher.

Class V.—John Batlin. Class IV.—Ruby Wrightman, Della Lucas, Eva Irvin, Sadie Brown.

Senior Class III.—Mitchel McArthur, Warten Lucas, Owen Spence, Willie Irish, Lorne Spence.

Junior Class III.—Mina Dewar, Ernest Carroll, Maggie Brown, Vera Lucas, Lona Beach, Lillie Turner, Basil Beach.

Class II.—Cassie Wrightman, Burness Graham, Marjorie Dewar, Lillie Belle Graham, Harold Lucas, Mary McArthur, Maggie Beach.

Senior Part II.—Francis McDonald, Andrew McFarlane, Evan Graham. Junior Part II.—John Burdon, Laura Burdon.

Class I.—Kathleen McNabb, Cora Spence, Albert Brown.

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RALLY OF CLAN DEMRAY

Interesting Gathering at Lyons Sale of "Steven Yorke Estate."

Lyons, Nov. 4.—Mrs. Geo. Sawyers experienced a stroke of paralysis on Friday while seated at the dinner table. Dr. Douglas, of Springfield, was immediately called. She has been in a semi-conscious condition ever since.

A convocation of the clan Demray occurred on Tuesday at the home of Mr. William Demray, Lyons. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Demray, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis, Demray, Mr. and Mrs. Arron Demray, Mrs. Rachel Johnston, Mrs. Ellen Demray, Mr. and Mrs. William Mahon, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Demray and Mr. John Buchanan, hailing from Adelaide, Strathroy, Moseley and Michigan.

Mr. H. Yorke, of Harrietsville, has sold his fine property, known as the "Steven Yorke estate," consisting of three hundred acres, to Mr. Emerson Cohoon, of South Dorchester, for \$24,000.

MORGAN PAID OFF

Sovereign Bank's Debt to Big Financier Has Been Wiped Out.

Ottawa, Nov. 4.—As shown in the September statement the Sovereign Bank's big advance by J. P. Morgan & Co. has been wholly paid off, a substantial amount being wiped out each month since the bank began to liquidate.

BUSY BROCKVILLE THIEVES

A Carnival of Burglary, Six Places Being Ransacked.

Brockville, Nov. 4.—During the night burglars held a carnival here, when six business places were entered and ransacked. The intruders did not get very much in the way of money, as but little cash was left in the tills, and the safes were left untouched. At Smart's hardware store three revolvers were secured. At the meat store of the Wm. Davies Company \$2, McDermott's cigar store \$3, Davis & Sons (drygoods) six pairs of mitts, Johnson's grocery \$1 in cash.

The police are of the opinion that it was the work of local operators.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

Nov. 4.—At New York—Majestic, from Southampton; Mesaba, from London; Madonia, from Marsilia; in the afternoon. At Queenstown—Haverford, from Philadelphia.

At Liverpool—Campania, from New York. At Plymouth—Teutonia, from New York. At Copenhagen—C. F. Tietgen, from New York. At Bremen—Kron Prinzessin Cecilie, from New York. At Antwerp—Kronland, from New York. At Father Point—Manchester Shipper, from Manchester.

CAPTAIN WASHED OVERBOARD

Master of Dr. Grenfell's Schooner Drowned on Sunday.

SAK, N. S., Nov. 4.—The schooner Lorna Doone, owned by Dr. Grenfell, Labrador missionary, arrived at North Bay today minus her captain, who was washed overboard Sunday afternoon. Capt. Roberts was standing talking to the helmsman when a huge sea broke over the vessel, carrying everything movable in its wake. The Lorna Doone was bound from Boston with a cargo of supplies for Dr. Grenfell's mission at Antony. Capt. Roberts was a native of Twillingate, Nfld.

TWO TRUE BILLS AGAINST CANTIN

Toronto, Nov. 4.—Two true bills were returned in the sessions today against Narcisse M. Cantin, charged with perjury. The indictment stated that on June 5 Cantin made false representations to John M. Ferguson regarding a land transaction in St. Joseph, Ont.; also that he obtained \$2,465 and 120 shares of stock in the St. Joseph Land, Improvement and Manufacturing Company, the property of Ziba Gallagher. Pending the settlement of a civil action, no date was set for his trial.

Obstinate Face Sores

REFUSED TO CLOSE FOR FOUR YEARS.

ZAM-BUK HEALED THEM INSIDE TWO WEEKS.

Have you those eruptions, or sores, or ulcers, or wounds, on any part of your body which has hitherto refused to close, no matter how treated? If so, that is a case for Zam-Buk, the great herbal balm. The herbal saps and essences in this balm are so powerful that they can heal the worst cases of chronic sores, ulcers, blood poisons and skin diseases. Here are proofs of this:

Mrs. W. H. Taylor, of North Bay, Ont., says: "I had a scaly spot as big as a ten cent piece on my face. I had it for four years, and hardly a night during that time went by but what I applied cold cream, or some ointment or other, but it would always be there. I recently applied Zam-Buk, and in little over a week's time the spot had disappeared completely."

Mrs. S. J. Holden, of 343 West Hannah street, Hamilton, says: "My little girl had a running sore on her leg which defied all treatment. I applied Zam-Buk, and in about a week's time the wound was closed. I have found Zam-Buk just as good for other skin troubles and injuries."

Mr. J. H. Hamilton, of Thornbury, says: "A friend of mine had an obstinate sore on her temple. It had been treated once or twice by a doctor, and would heal up for a short time, but would break out again. Zam-Buk healed it permanently, and it shows no sign whatever of returning."

Zam-Buk is a sure cure for all skin diseases and injuries, such as cuts, burns, bruises, eczema, psoriasis, ulcers, scaly sores, cold sores, chapped hands, itchy rashes, tetter, face sores, etc. It is also an unequalled embrocation, and rubbed well into parts affected by rheumatism, sciatica, neuralgia, colds on chest, etc. All druggists and stores sell at 50c a box, or post free from Zam-Buk Company, Toronto, upon receipt of price.

WEATHER PROBS: Little Change.



THURSDAY, NOV. 5

Two Days More of Thanksgiving Bargains in the Linen Department

Tomorrow (Friday) and Saturday will be the greatest days of this Linen Sale— that is if price inducements count. Here are additional lines which have not appeared before, and these, together with the long lists that have been already published, will create new interest for the last two days of our great Thanksgiving Linen Sale.

9 Doz. Hand-Drawn Pure Linen Tray Cloths, 69c

Here is an exceptional offer. You will wonder when you see them, how they were ever made for the regular prices, 85c and 90c, but our Thanksgiving price will amaze you. Don't miss these:

18x27 inch Hemstitched, Pure Linen, assorted designs. Excellent value at 85c and 90c each. Just 9 dozen, this week at, each..... 69c

Battenburg Doilies--Some Nearly Half

- Regular 18c Allover Battenburg Doilies, 6 inches square, for, each ..... 10c
Regular 25c Allover Battenburg Doilies, 9 inches square, for, each ..... 19c
Regular 35c Allover Battenburg Doilies, 9x14 inches, oblong, for, each ..... 25c
Regular 50c Allover Battenburg Doilies, 12 inches, round or square, for, each ..... 35c
Regular \$1.00 Allover Battenburg Doilies, 18 inches, round, for, each ..... 59c
Regular \$1.35 Allover Battenburg Doilies, 24 inches, square, for, each ..... 98c
Regular \$1.25 Allover Battenburg Scarfs, 12x45, for, each ..... 95c
Regular \$2.25 Allover Battenburg Centres, 36-inch, round, for, each ..... \$1.75

We have still a few lengths in those Special Half-Bleached (all linen) Tablecloths, (2 yards wide). 2-yard Cloths, 78c. 2 1/2-yard Cloths, 97c and 3-yard Cloths, \$1.17 Sale prices on all lines will be continued until 6 o'clock Saturday.

We would advise making TOMORROW (Friday) LINEN DAY. You'll find greater selection and less crowding than on Saturday morning.

40 Dozen Ladies' Ringwood Gloves, 19c Instead of 35c Pair

Tomorrow (Friday) and Saturday this entire lot will go on sale at above prices. All new, just unpacked. Good quality (all-wool), in navy, black, brown, white and cardinal, with fancy woven backs. Sizes 6 1/2 to 8, tomorrow, pair ..... 19c DUNDAS STREET ENTRANCE--WEST AISLE.

Silks, 75c and \$1.00 Instead of \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 Yard

These are a few odd and broken lines which have been quietly put in with the lower-priced lines, their own range of colors being broken. Ask to be shown these. Four pieces grey and black check and plaid effects Louise and Taffeta. Regular \$1.00 yard, now, per yard ..... 75c One piece Fancy Stripe Silk, two-tone effect, wine and peacock. Regular \$1.25 yard, now ..... 75c Two pieces Heavy Cream Brocade Silk. Regular \$1.50 yard, now ..... \$1.00

A New Suit for the Holiday

Only two days now. No time for having your Suit tailored before the holiday. But why wait, when you can get such faultless man-tailored Suits all ready to put on? Never have we shown Suits in such variety, nor of such character and exclusiveness as we have this season. If you have a thought of a new Suit we ask you to visit our Ready-to-Wear Suit Department before Thanksgiving Day. Come tomorrow or Saturday. THIRD FLOOR--TAKE ELEVATOR.

Store closes 6 p.m. daily, Saturday, included.



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Cannot give his stomach anything better than Shredded Wheat. Two wheat biscuits with milk, a little fruit, and a cup of coffee will supply all the nourishment needed for half a day's work at a cost of 7 or 8 cents.

AT ALL GROCERS. 13c a carton--2 for 25c.

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This Company is chartered by law to accept the management of the estate of a person dying without a will. It is a carefully-managed, financially-responsible Company, with years of experience in such matters. If appointed to act as administrator it will assume the management of the estate, collect and pay debts, distribute legacies and property among the heirs. It will prove an honest, able administrator of the estate. Every interested person will be allotted his or her lawful share. The charges, in every case fixed by a judge, will be no greater, more likely less, than the remuneration allowed the individual administrator. Services of Family Solicitor always retained by Company. Correspondence invited and answered promptly.

Canada Trust Co., LONDON, CANADA.

With a total population of 43,659,316 was spent for beer, the quantity 121 the United Kingdom expended for liquors of all kinds during 1906 the sum of \$809,681,828, or an average of \$18 per capita. Of this amount \$495,187,316 was spent for beer, the quantity consumed being 33,891,101 barrels, \$253,201,812 for spirits, or 39,382,402 gallons; \$53,929,951 for wine, or 12,328,691 gallons, and \$7,259,750 for other liquors, or 15,000,000 gallons.

NOT ONLY THE INDIGESTION BUT ALL OTHER STOMACH MISERY GOES

FIVE MINUTES AFTER TAKING SOME DIAPEPSIN ALL DISTRESS FROM THE STOMACH WILL VANISH.

Every family here ought to keep some Diapepsin in the house, as any one of you may have an attack of indigestion or stomach trouble at any time, day or night. This harmless preparation will digest anything you eat and overcome a sour stomach five minutes afterwards. If your meals don't tempt you, or what little you do eat seems to fill you, or lays like a lump of lead in your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is a sign of indigestion.

Ask your pharmacist for a 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and take one triangle after supper tonight. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach, nausea, Debilitating Headaches, Dizziness or intestinal griping. This will all go, and, besides, there will be no sour food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with noxious odors. Pape's Diapepsin is a certain cure for all stomach misery, because it will take hold of your food and digest it just the same as if your stomach wasn't there. Actual, prompt relief for all your stomach misery is at your pharmacist, waiting for you. These large 50-cent cases contain more than sufficient to cure a case of Dyspepsia or Indigestion.



Births, Marriages and Deaths.

DEATHS. CHARLES—At the family residence, Waterloo street, Nov. 5, 1908, James M. Charles, barber, aged 60 years. His end was peace. Funeral on Sunday afternoon. Service, 2:30. Friends please accept this intimation.

MEETINGS.

LONDON HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING. Tonight, 8 o'clock in Rooms Over Free Library. Every member is expected to be present.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES

GRAND TONIGHT CLYDE FITCH'S NEW COMEDY. PRICES: 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.50. SATURDAY MATINEE JOHN GRIFFITH'S OTHELLO FAUST. Seats Today Mat., 25, 50, 75c, \$1. Night, 25, 50, 75, \$1.

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NOW PLAYING: ED. BLONDELL & CO. THE FOUR MASTONS WITH CORRIE FRANCES. Usual prices. Phone 1706. Order seats now for Thanksgiving. Matinee prices same as night.

The Sheffield Choir Concert

Armories, London November 11, 1908. Seats, \$1 and \$1.50. Wire and mail orders addressed J. Pringle, Bank of Toronto, will have prompt attention.

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Pictures: Talking picture, "Papa Got Into the Game," comedy; "Doll Making," educational. Song, "Button, Button." Don't forget the American Chorus! Next week. This is not a moving picture.

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Special trains to connect with the Empire ships. Sure connection, free transfer of baggage through to Liverpool. Express of Ireland sails Nov. 13. Low rate to Old Country. F. B. CLARKE, Richmond street, next Bank of Commerce.

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TO SUBSCRIBERS. Readers of The Advertiser are requested to favor the management by reporting any irregularities in delivery.

It is time that the citizens of London should free themselves from the incubus of politics in her municipal affairs. The day has surely gone by when a man or a set of men shall be chosen because he or they happen to be Liberal-Conservative or Liberal-London Free Press.

Our contemporary condemns the attitude of the present council toward the Niagara power question, but this attitude has not been dictated by political feeling. The Conservative members of the council, notably Ald. Beattie and Ald. Booth, have been foremost in insisting upon full information, and upon a cautious procedure.

A DEPORTATION CASE. While the Canadian immigration department has been accused by partisans of opening the door too widely to newcomers, a case is before the Imperial Parliament which will give the enemies of the Canadian Government an opportunity to try a new tack.

NEWFOUNDLAND'S ELECTION. Early returns of Monday's election in Newfoundland seem to indicate the possible defeat of the Bond ministry, which has been in office since 1900.

There is a general impression that money has been spent in hospital buildings and equipment beyond the necessities of the city, and that the cost of maintenance has grown out of all proportion to the increase in the

usefulness of the institution to this community. There ought to be a full and frank statement of the case in justice to the taxpayers.

THE PROOF. Mrs. Shellpod-Hiram, some of them there hobos hev stole ther wash often the line agin.

TRUE TO HIS IDEAL. "You think Mr. Bryan is true to his ideals?" "Absolutely. Having once decided that he would make a good president, he has never changed his mind."

A HEAVY LOAD. Notwithstanding Mr. Foster's real and undoubted abilities, his presence among the leaders of the Conservative party at the present time and during the recent contest in our opinion is, and was, a weakness, rather than a strength, and in conversation we find not a few Conservatives holding a similar opinion.

THE WINNING TALENT. His manners are rude, his fibre is coarse, he lacks all the traits that are splendid. He takes what he can by the use of brute force.

HANDY. "Oh, yes, indeed, we have a very wide acquaintance with the peerage. Two of our daughters are married to noblemen, you know, and I have a niece who is a countess."

THE UNDISCOVERED COUNTRY. That land that ends our dark, uncertain travel, Where lie those happier hills and meadows low; Ah! if beyond the spirit's inmost cavil Aught of that country could we surely know, Who would not go?

Manitoba, stood for the full legislative independence of the provinces within their proper sphere. Had weaker men been at the head of the Manitoba and Ontario Governments when this issue was being fought out, there would be few rights left to the provinces today.

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KA'SER INTERVIEW IN THE REICHSTAG

Chancellor Asked to Declare How He Proposes to Effect it in the Future.

Berlin, Nov. 4.—When the Reichstag reassembled today the House was crowded in anticipation of a debate on the interpellations called forth by the situation created by the Kaiser's interview.

BAPTIST UNION OF CANADA

Constitution is Suggested and Discussed.

Ottawa, Nov. 4.—At the Baptist union session the joint committee presented its report on a suggested constitution of the Baptist Union in Canada.

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the individual church as much as possible and that each church should have the right to appoint delegates. Amendments to remove special representation from associations, existing conventions and boards, and to cut off representation from the local churches were defeated.

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Thanksgiving Rates. For Thanksgiving the Canadian Pacific will sell return tickets at single fare, good going Nov. 6, 7, 8 and 9. Good returning up to and including Nov. 10. City ticket office will be open Saturday evening. Call for tickets and full information, 161 Dundas street, corner Richmond.



# THE AMETHYST CROSS

By Fergus Hume

"Pardon me, George. You forget that you contribute to the domestic economy of this home, such as it is. Go on."

"I mean," cried George desperately, for her manner chilled him, "that you have never been a mother to me in the accepted sense of the word."

"I have done my duty," said Mrs. Walker, without flinching.

"Duty! Duty! What is duty, when I wanted love? I have lived in a freezing atmosphere which has nearly changed me into a statue. Can you wonder that I sought out someone to love?"

"Perhaps not, since you are young and foolish, but I regret that the someone should be a girl that I cannot possibly receive as my daughter-in-law."

"What do you mean by that?" demanded George sharply.

"Nothing detrimental to the girl," replied Mrs. Walker calmly. "She may have all the beauty in the world, and all the virtues, and probably has, in your eyes, but she is Walter Hale's daughter, and so cannot be mine."

"Why do you hate Mr. Hale, mother?"

"That," said Mrs. Walker, sitting very upright, "is my private business."

"But when it interferes with my happiness—"

"I cannot help that," she said rigorously. "What is past is past, and what is dead is dead."

"I don't understand you."

"I do not mean that you should. But I would point out that your association with this girl has already led you into danger. You have been assaulted and robbed, and have come in contact with the police, which is always undesirable. Renounce Lesbia, George, lest worse befall."

"The robbery and the assault are mysteries."

"None the less they are dangerous. I can explain no more than you can; but Mr. Hale is a dangerous person to my knowledge, and—"

"Tell me what you know?" interposed her son.

"No," said Mrs. Walker, with iron determination. "It would do no good for me to break the silence of years. All I can say is that you shall never marry the girl with my consent."

"And if I do without it?" chafed George, irritably.

"Then you will never set eyes on me again," returned Mrs. Walker quietly.

"Mother!"

"The woman calmly finished her coffee and rose noiselessly. "The time may come when I can explain," she said in her quiet voice. "Meanwhile I can only command you, or implore you—whichever you please—to leave this girl alone and go no more to the Marlow cottage."

"I don't see why I should obey you, blindly," cried George angrily. "At least give me a reason for your objection to Lesbia."

"I have given it. She is the daughter of Walter Hale."

"And are the sins of the father—whatever they may be—to be visited upon the child, mother?"

"Quoting the Bible will not alter my determination," said Mrs. Walker, absolutely cold and passive. "You must do as I request or be prepared to see me no more."

"Mother, can you not explain about this mysterious cross—"

"You refuse to?"

"I mean that I cannot. I know nothing about the cross, or about the girl who made it. I do know that Mr. Hale is a dangerous man and is connected with dangerous people—what has occurred proves it."

"But surely you don't think that Mr. Hale is connected with these mysteries—"

"I think nothing because I know nothing! She moved swiftly forward, and placed a slim hand on her son's broad shoulder. "Be wise and give up this girl. The wife who is waiting for you will suit you better."

George grew crimson. "The wife!" he stammered.

"Maud Ellis! Mr. Tait's niece. She loves you, and she has told me so. If you marry her she will bring you money, and her uncle will forward your interests. Tomorrow you are stopping for the week-end at Mr. Tait's house. Before you return here on Monday ask Maud to be your wife."

"I shall do nothing of the sort," said George, fiercely. "How can I propose to one girl when I love another?"

"Maud Ellis adores you, George."

"I know she does; it seems conceited to say so, but I am quite aware of her adoration. And I don't like it. She is rich and handsome and all the rest of it, and a marriage with her means my getting on in the office. All the same, I—I—" he hesitated, then finished his sentence with a rush, "I love Lesbia, so there is no more to be said."

Mrs. Walker removed her hand and glided to the door again, her cold self. "I quite agree with you," she said, exasperatingly cool. "However, you know my determination. Act as you please."

"And affection?" called out George as she opened the door.

"Must give way to common-sense."

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Having launched his boat and settled to work, George spun down the stream, the current and his own efforts carrying him along with what appeared to be lightning speed. The attention required in looking after the slight craft prevented his thinking of his mysterious troubles, and his spirits began to rise. At Henley lock his course was stayed, for, as he swung into the gates, he became aware that another boat was in the lock, and that Tim occupied that same strange shallow.

The two men recognized one another at once, and a very natural question leaped to Walker's lips.

"Lesbia!" he gasped.

"Thru for ye," grumbled Tim, who looked more misshapen than ever in the dim light. "It's from the young mistress I come. Whist now, so, an' let me clear out av this devil or a place."

George backed his boat out of the lock, and Tim, muttering under his breath, followed closely. Then the little man paddled his clumsy craft into the river bank and beckoned George to come also. In a few minutes the two boats were among the rustling sedges side by side, and Walker watched breathlessly for Tim to speak.

The sky was filling with shadows, but there was sufficient light for George to see that Tim looked both sorrowful and worried. The sight of the dwarf's sad face revived his terrors.

"Lesbia!" cried George again, and gripped Tim's arm fiercely. "She is well?"

"Well in body, but sick of heart," said Tim dismally. "Augh, the poor mistress, and how can she be well with the devil's divinations bein' played round her?"

"I have tried to see her!"

"Divil a doubt of it, sor. And ye've sent letters, likewise."

"She never answered," breathed George sadly.

"An' how cud she when she never recaved him same? Answer me that, now, sor?"

George sat bolt upright in his boat. "Never got my letters! Then how—"

"Ah, be aisy now, me dear young man," pleaded Tim, and took a tiny note from his pocket. "This was all the mistress cud write, being watched like a mouse, a' by a cat, too, devil take the thing."

George scarcely heard what Tim was saying. He was devouring two or three lines of Lesbia's dear writing, which stated that she would always be true to him, and that Tim would reveal all.

"Reveal what," cried the young man, kissing the letter before transferring it to his pocket.

"The devil's divinations," grumbled Tim. "Write an answer, sor."

"I have no pencil, no paper," said George in dismay. "But tell me exactly what has occurred, Tim, and then I'll see what can be done."

"Tim nodded. "Sure, it's dyin' for you she is, me dear sor. The mather wants her to marry the captain, bad luck to his soul!"

"I know that, but—"

"How'd yer whist, sor?" growled the little man, flinging up his long arm. "I might have little time to speak. The mather doesn't trust me, forby he knows I wish to see me dear mistress happy wid you, so he's got a she-devil in the house, Mrs. Petty, by name, who leas a watch inside, Tim there's Captain Sargent's man. The Shadow, they call him, for his thin looks, though Canning is his name, and bad luck to it. He watches outside, an' when your boat comes in sight he passes the word to Mrs. Petty an' she—may the father av lies fly away wid her—shuts Miss Lesbia in her room."

"But this is tyranny!" cried George, exasperated. "Do you mean to say that Mr. Hale has his daughter watched in this manner?"

"Aye and I do, and he'll have her watched till she goes to church wid Captain Sargent or until ye get back that cross. But never fear, sor, Miss Lesbia has a fine spirit of her own, and she'll stick to ye through thick an' thin, like the brave young lady she is!"

"What's to be done?" asked George in dismay.

Tim leaned forward. "Write a bit av a letter and send it to me, Master Timothy Bree, of the Co. Marlow. Tim two devils, Mrs. Petty an' The Shadow, to say nothing av the mather, won't stop that. Thin I'll find means to pass it to the mistress."

"Yes! Yes, Tim! I'll do that. But the tyranny—"

"Whist, now, for time passes, me dear sor. I heard the mather sayin' that Captain Sargent was goin' to stay wid Mr. Tait at Henley. Spake to him, sor, to that same captain."

"But what can I say?" demanded Walker, more and more perplexed.

"Sor," cried Tim gruffly, "as ye're a man ye can break the head av the devil." And with this advice Tim pushed his boat into midstream.

(To be Continued.)

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SCALP BADLY TORN.

Guelph, Nov. 4.—Daniel Carter, a Guelph Township farmer, met with a very serious accident at noon today. He was driving under an archway at Stewart's lumber yard, seated on top of a high load of lumber, when his head was struck and his scalp was partially torn off. His spinal column was also seriously injured. The vertebrae on the back of the neck were dislocated and his body from the arms down is entirely paralyzed. His recovery is very doubtful.

RAILWAYS FIGHT GALE.

Toronto, Nov. 4.—Railway engineers who were running trains during the night, on their arrival at the Toronto terminals this morning reported that it was impossible to make steam last night on account of the severe gale. "In the northern districts," said one engineer, "there were times when we thought the whole train would be blown from the rails. It was especially bad around Meaford, Owen Sound and Collingwood, and many of the vessels in these harbors broke away from their moorings."

SOLUTION TO PIPING PUZZLE

The accompanying diagram shows how the three householders laid their pipes so that each could draw water from all three wells.

One of the dwellers had to run his pipe under his neighbor's house, which method we may not question, since it is not contrary to conditions of the problem.

ASKS FOR NEW TRIAL.

Ottawa, Nov. 4.—Mr. R. A. E. Greenshields, K. C., of Montreal, was in town today, and had an interview with the department of justice in reference to the case of Crooked Neck Smith, an American, who is under sentence to be hanged on the 27th inst. for the murder of a companion in an optum joint. He told the department he had affidavits from two important witnesses of the shooting, now in New York, and he applied for a new trial under the provi-

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Sixty-inch, full bleached table linen; assortment of new designs, guaranteed pure linen. Very special at ..... 48c

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Three pieces 70-inch all linen damask tabling, that is good value at \$1; attractive new designs. Extra special, at, per yard ..... 79c

Linen Tray Cloths

Special assortment lot for Thanksgiving selling. Hemstitched and embroidered. Sale prices, 50c, 75c, \$1.

Fancy Silk Belts

Gilt, silver and assorted colors. Regular 50c and 75c lines. A manufacturer's clearing out. Special Thanksgiving sale price ..... 25c

Black Taffeta Silks

65c Quality—Special Thanksgiving Sale Price, a yard ..... 49c

Heavyweight—all silk taffetas extra special.

Cashmere Hosiery

Plain and ribbed; 100 dozen regular 35c stockings, full fashioned, double soles, spliced heels and toes. Ribbed hose are double knees and spliced soles. Thanksgiving Sale price, pair ..... 25c

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### THE SCHOLAR'S PUZZLE

Jennie drew six little rings on the fence, and said: "Now you can only see two rows of three in a line, as I have placed them; but I want you to mark out one ring and place it somewhere else, so as to show four rows of three in a line." What an easy puzzle! Just change the position of one ring, so as to have four rows instead of two.

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# Conservative Paper Defends Grand Trunk Pacific Route

### Abominable Misrepresentations of the Country, Says the Victoria Colonist.

Victoria, B. C., Nov. 4.—The Victoria Colonist, the chief Conservative paper on the Pacific Coast, says: A determined onslaught is being made against the Grand Trunk Pacific. If it was directed solely against the company, the Colonist would not feel under any obligation to interfere, but we do protest most strenuously against the abominable misrepresentations that are being made regarding the country which the National Transcontinental Railway will traverse. During the election campaign some one sent us a clipping from a New York paper, in which it was stated that no part of the railway would pass through traffic-producing country.

We do not pretend to know where the responsibility rests for such assertions, but we do know that the whole line from Prince Rupert to Winnipeg will pass through a region capable of high development. As to the eastern portion, that which the Government is constructing, we do not pretend to be as well informed. This part of the line seems to us to be divisible into four parts, one is the western division which the company will use in carrying its traffic from the grain fields to Lake Superior. This can hardly fail to be a profitable division. It is most profitable, if the prairie division is profitable. Next is the division between the point where the branch line to Lake Superior will leave the main line and the point where connection will be made with Montreal later by a branch line. This section ought to have a great deal of traffic, apart from local development for the railway must have a Montreal connection to enable it to reach that city and country lying south of it. The next division is between the point of intersection of the branch to Montreal and Quebec. We are without data to enable us to form any definite opinion as to the earning capacity of this part of the line, but decline to accept the statement of hostile critics. The next division is from Quebec to

# TAFT'S VICTORY PLEASES LONDON

### It Expects That He Will Carry Out the Rooseveltian Policies.

London, Nov. 4.—The press of London regard the election of William H. Taft as a matter for cordial and world-wide congratulations as it "indicates the continuance of a policy" which has been greatly approved in England.

"The policy which Mr. Taft has inherited," points out the Evening Standard, "is in a large measure accountable for the leap to the front made by America in recent years, and her present position as a power among the powers is due to an unusual extent to Mr. Taft's labors in close alliance with President Roosevelt."

After expressing the belief that Mr. Taft already has proved himself a very strong man, the paper says it confidently anticipates a fruitful presidential term for him, and then declares: "Englishmen must rejoice in the thought that the friendship between Great Britain and America which President Roosevelt placed on a surer footing gives promises of being increased and assured under the new administration."

The Westminster Gazette regards the success of William H. Taft as a victory for the man rather than of a policy.

"Mr. Taft, in his admirable record of administrative efficiency," says the Gazette, "has shown himself safe, shrewd and resourceful, while Mr. Bryan never recovered in the popular esteem from sowing his wild oats on the silver question."

A dispatch received here from Rome says that the Pope has cabled his congratulations to Mr. Taft, whose election is thought to guarantee the acceptance of the Pope's proposals in the matter of compensation to the religious congregations of Porto Rico.

# HOW TO CURE A HEADACHE

To attempt to cure a headache by taking a "headache powder," is like trying to stop a leak in the roof by putting a pan under the dripping water. Chronic headaches are caused by poisoned blood. The blood is poisoned by tissue waste, undigested food and other impurities remaining too long in the system. These poisons are not promptly eliminated because of sick liver, bowels, skin or kidneys.

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# SINGER GOES MAD ON OCEAN LINER

A Giant German Maniac Fights Fiercely Against Ellis Island Officers.

New York, Nov. 4.—Richard Lenz, a herculean-framed man, who became insane on the Kronprinz Wilhelm while she was in mid-ocean, fought six immigration officials in the first cabin saloon of the liner at quarantine yesterday until they were exhausted. It was only when reinforcements arrived in the shape of several husky members of the crew that he was subdued and taken to Ellis Island. The strength of the maniac was such that he picked the men up as if they had been featherweights and hurled them about the cabin, while women screamed and the male passengers looked on in stupefied amazement.

When he boarded the ship he was peaceable enough, and his gentle manners and huge frame attracted much friendly attention. The ship was only two days out when his eyes blazed out in a startling way. Capt. Nierch was on the bridge when he suddenly felt a tap on his shoulder. He turned and saw Lenz.

"Let me take the ship a while," he said, "you are tired and need a rest. You know, I'm Emperor Wilhelm, and I'm as good as dead as I am ashore."

Lenz was taken to the hospital to get him off the bridge, telling him that it would be beneath his dignity to pilot a liner. Lenz agreed with him, and for the remainder of the voyage he was kept quiet by a friend, Ferdinand Felz.

Lenz was out his way to join a Cincinnati opera company.

# HARVARD'S HEAD QUITS

Dr. Elliot Resigns and May Be Followed by Professor Lowell.

Boston, Nov. 4.—President Charles W. Elliot, of Harvard University, for more than 30 years the head of the Cambridge institution, has tendered his resignation, to take effect May 1, 1909, according to an announcement made today by the Harvard board of overseers.

The resignation has been accepted. No reason is assigned, and Dr. Elliot refuses to comment on his action.

The announcement of the resignation was made at the conclusion of a special meeting of the board of overseers held today. It has been known among those close such with the university that it has been President Elliot's desire some time to relinquish the duties of his office, and to retire to private life. In fact the possibility of such action had been so definite that some of the more prominent alumni had discussed the question of a successor. Among the alumni mentioned has been that of Prof. A. Lawrence Lowell, who occupies the chair of science of government, and a brother of Percival Lowell, the astronomer, as the probable choice to fill the vacancy.

The election of a successor to President Elliot will engage the attention of the governing boards during the time that remains before the expiration of President Elliot's term of service. In accordance with the established procedure the election will be made by the corporation, and their choice will be communicated to the board of overseers for their consent.

# MORSE JURY DISAGREE

Unable To Reach a Decision in Case of "Ice King."

New York, Nov. 4.—Late tonight the jury is considering the evidence presented at the trial of C. W. Morse and A. H. Curtis, on a charge of violating the national banking laws, when they locked up for the night, failing to agree upon a verdict after some hours' deliberation.

Judge Hough announced that court would be convened at 9 a.m. tomorrow.

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# GOMPERS ON ELECTION

Says Labor is Only Temporarily Defeated, Not Conquered.

Washington, Nov. 4.—"Temporarily defeated, but not conquered," is the way President Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, sums up labor's view of the election in a statement issued today, as follows:

"The organized workers stood true to the cause of justice and human freedom. This is not the first time in the struggles of the masses that wealth, privilege and power gained a material, even though a temporary victory. The moral influence of the campaign is with the cause of the workers. The part labor took compelled the discussion to be devoted almost exclusively to the labor question, labor movement, and the principles of right, justice and humanity, upon which their philosophy and demands are based. Even though disappointed with the immediate result, there is no cause, and there will not be any loss of faith and confidence in the justice of labor demands and their successful achievement. Action consistent, insistent and persistent, will achieve for the toilers the triumph of the cause of labor and the cause of human justice. Though temporarily defeated, labor is not conquered. The future is ours."

# DEFIES THE COURT

A Toronto Pastor Refuses to Stop Marrying as Ordered.

Toronto, Nov. 4.—Rev. Robert Brown, of the "Chinese" Church, who was arraigned in the court of quarter sessions today for sentence for performing unlawful marriages, got a chance from Judge Winster to have his freedom on condition that he would not solemnize marriages again. To this, however, Brown positively refused to consent, and accordingly he is now in custody pending a charge of mind. He was convicted some months ago, and the case was carried through successive stages to the court of appeal, which decided that he was not ordained in the proper manner for the solemnization of marriages.

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**GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.**  
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Arrive from the east—3:40 a.m., 10:56 a.m., \*11:12 a.m., \*11:28 a.m., \*8:30 p.m., \*3:00 p.m., \*10:10 p.m.

Arrive from the west—12:09 a.m., \*3:25 a.m., \*11:28 a.m., 1:10 p.m., \*4:10 p.m., 6:25 p.m.

Depart for the east—12:14 a.m., \*3:40 a.m., 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m., \*11:35 a.m., 2:05 p.m., \*4:25 p.m., \*6:53 p.m. (Eastern Flyer.)

The trains leaving at 7:30 a.m. and 2:05 p.m. stop at all stations.

Depart for the west—\*2:50 a.m., 7:40 a.m., \*11:18 a.m., \*11:35 a.m., 1:40 p.m., \*8:18 p.m.

The 7:40 a.m. and the 1:40 p.m. trains stop at all stations.

**LONDON AND WINDSOR.**

Arrive—10:25 a.m., 4 p.m., \*6:50 p.m. (Eastern Flyer), 11 p.m.

Depart—6:35 a.m., \*11:27 a.m., 2:20 p.m., \*8:10 p.m. (International Limited.)

**STRATFORD BRANCH.**

Arrive—\*3:25 a.m., 11:15 a.m., 1:33 p.m., 6:45 p.m., 11:25 p.m.

Depart—6:00 a.m., 10:25 a.m., 2:45 p.m., 4:55 p.m.

**LONDON, HURON AND BRUCE**

Arrive—10:10 a.m., 6:10 p.m.

Depart—8:30 a.m., 4:50 p.m.

Trains marked thus \* run daily. Those not so marked run daily except Sunday.

**PERE MARQUETTE RAILWAY.**

Depart—5:40 a.m., \*7:10 a.m., 9:45 a.m., 2:30 p.m., \*3:40 p.m.

Arrive—8:45 a.m., \*12:20 p.m., 1:50 p.m., 4:40 p.m., \*9:20 p.m.

\* To and from Walkerville without change. Trains not "starred" to Port Stanley.

**CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.**

Arrive—From the east—11:30 a.m., 8 p.m., \*10:52 p.m. From the west—\*4:50 a.m., \*8:20 a.m., \*5:20 p.m.

Depart—For the east—\*4:40 a.m., \*5:28 a.m., \*5:28 p.m. For the west—\*11:38 a.m., \*\*8:10 p.m., \*11:00 p.m.

Trains marked thus \* run daily. Those not so marked run daily except Sunday. \*\*From Chatham only. \*\*\*Runs only to Chatham.

**MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY.**

Arrive—6:55 a.m., 11:10 a.m., 5:10 p.m., 9:50 p.m.

Depart—7:15 a.m., 2:20 p.m., 5:35 p.m., \*10:25 p.m.

\* Runs through to Waterford.

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**WABASH**

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See your nearest ticket agent for tickets, time tables and other information, or address J. A. RICHARDSON, district passenger agent, No. 87 Yonge street (Traders' Bank building), Toronto, and St. Thomas, Ont.

# WESTERN ONTARIO

St. Thomas is agitating for an abattoir.

Tag day in Belleville yesterday netted the hospital \$569.

Ridgetown will vote on a local option bylaw in January next.

William Burgess was sentenced at Hamilton for two years for procuring.

The doctors now hold out slight hopes of Hon. J. H. Agnew's recovery.

A new canning factory to cost \$25,000 will be erected at Ridgetown in the spring.

Queph Board of Health is to prosecute the city for running sewage into the Speed River.

Fire did about \$1,000 damage to the Pere Marquette roundhouse at Walkerville yesterday.

William Cote's barns in Albro and the season's crops were burned with \$4,000 loss.

Lake vessels complain of delay at Canadian elevators and prefer over cargoes to grain.

The Pere Marquette is doing the largest freight business in its history over its Canadian route.

Atlantic liners have been held many hours owing to the rough weather prevailing.

# The Battle for Health

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Mr. Wm. Graham, Atwood, Ont., writes: "My wife has been ill for some time with nervous prostration, and we had two of the best doctors we could get, but neither of them did her any good. She gradually became worse and worse, could not sleep, lost energy and interest in life. She was almost giving up in despair when a friend advised a trial of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

"From the first box of this preparation my wife noted an improvement, and after using six boxes she is completely cured and as well as she ever was, eats well, sleeps well, and feels fully restored. I cannot say too much in praise of this valuable medicine, and am satisfied that my wife owes her life to the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food."

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Boxing, Hockey, Basketball

Latest Gridiron Jottings and Bowling Notes

Racing, Football, Curling

Manager of the Petrolia Juniors Writes a Letter of Explanation

Says Petrolia Is Willing to Have Question of Superiority Between London and the Hard Oil Boys Arbitrated.

Petrolia, Ont., Nov. 4, 1908. Sporting Editor London Advertiser. Dear Sir—The following letter has been sent to the I. R. F. U., giving the facts in relation to the football position between Petrolia and London. Will you kindly publish same? Very truly yours, C. O. FAIRBANKS, Manager Petrolia Football Club, Petrolia, Nov. 4, 1908.

for Sarnia. In the meantime, London objected, and without consultation with Petrolia you changed the game to Stratroy, by telegram dated Oct. 30, as follows: "Executive has ordered the game to be played in Stratroy. Final writing." Our boys justly felt that they were getting the worst of it all along the line, and I had to use my personal persuasion to induce them to play for the sake of sport. We then telephoned you about officials and you settled the question by stating that McKay would referee and McMahon umpire. We went to Stratroy, and in discussion the question of officials with London's captain and McMahon and McKay (McMahon having a letter from you stating he was to referee) we told them of our latest word from you by phone, appointing McKay referee, and I informed them, if they doubted the action it was not correct, we would forfeit the game. We went to the grounds and offered to compromise and divide McMahon one-half and McKay one-half, exactly what you ordered in letter dated Oct. 30, reaching us Monday. This was refused.

Holmer, Coley, and Acoos To Turn "Pro" to Run Longboat

Rumors to This Effect Abroad—Trouble in the Air Over the Managership of the Indian—Flanagan Has an Indian Rival.

Toronto, Nov. 5.—The Star says: Who will manage Tom Longboat? It is by no means a certainty that Tom Flanagan will. Tom Flanagan is looked upon as the Indian's natural manager, and has been regarded by all those concerned, or who have concerned themselves in the matter, but there is just a chance that the genial Irishman may not handle the Oronodaga's cash and make his arrangements.

"If Longboat wants Claus to manage him all he has got to do is to say so and he can go ahead," said Flanagan today. "I'll have an understanding tonight. I've taken every step possible to protect the Indian end, but if he does not stick to me I'll wash my hands of him and let him go it strictly alone. I'll handle him and handle him alone. I will not have anybody else butting in. Of course, if Longboat wants to have this and that Indian along, why, he is welcome, but I'll have to pay his expenses. I won't."



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CURRENT SPORTING GOSSIP BY SOUTHPAW

AFTER READING the letter published on this page from the management of the Petrolia team, one would be led to believe that the Petrolia team was not in the wrong as far as was first thought. However, as far as we can determine the inter-provincial junior series are in dire need of a secretary who knows his own mind for five consecutive seasons. Referee Archie McMahon had a letter in his pocket from Robinson authorizing him to act as referee, and he should have been permitted to act.

das-Hamilton II. games the Spectator series? GALT REPORTER: Mr. Irving, of Guelph, has been making considerable time about a professional team in Galt, but the public has no guarantee that such a team will be formed. The O. H. A. will be alive this year. There can be no doubt about that fact. It has been slain scores of times by the friends of professional hockey, but it usually bobs serenely up about the time the small boy is digging his skates out of the cellar. And it usually controls the hockey situation in Ontario. There have been times when the association has failed in certain respects, but, at the same time, it is undoubtedly necessary for the continuance of anything like amateur hockey in Ontario.

SPORTING BRIEFS

Canada will send a curling team to Scotland on Jan. 16. Frank Selee prizes a ball used in the Chicago-New York play-off game. Tinker is to go on the boards as the comedian in a "Brown of Harvard" company. Ottawa's ice racing will give \$12,000 to the winning horses. The dates are Jan. 12 to 23. Johnstone is already lost to the National staff of umpires. Now St. Louis is after O'Day to take the Cardinals.

Local Sporting Notes

Owing to the financial campaign now under way the Y. M. C. A. basketball games will be played tonight. The Y. M. C. A. team has been challenged by K Company of the Seventh Regiment, and a game will doubtless soon be played in the Armories. The senior team is practicing faithfully each night for the coming game with Peterboro Thanksgiving Day.

BALL TEAM OFF FOR ORIENT

Reach's All-Americans Sail From San Francisco for a Four-Month Tour. San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 4.—With several hundred friends at the dock to bid them farewell, the Reach All-American team, with Mike Fisher at their head, sailed this afternoon on the steamer China for the Orient. Grouped together in the bow of the boat were the little band of American ballplayers, who are to make a four-months' tour of China, Japan, Manila, and finally Honolulu, most of them still clad in their red, white and blue uniforms.

THE ARENA

Packey McFarland's next fight if present plans carry through will be in Philadelphia, where he has been matched with Young Murphy for a six-round go on Nov. 18, and unless Murphy again is so unfortunate as to be unable to appear against the Chicago boy there will be a furious scrap. Murphy was credited with a win over Leach Cross in a short battle some time ago, and while his victory was not as decisive as the one Packey secured over the New York dentist, the margin was big enough to constitute Murphy a good opponent for the westerner.

MARATHON GAMES DRAW BIG ENTRY LIST

Among the several local athletes who are talking of competing at the Woodstock Thanksgiving Day games are a number of Y. M. C. A. athletes. The Woodstock people don't do things by halves, and everything that can be done to make their games successful will be attended to. There are 45 entries for the Oxford Marathon, 52 entries for the open events, and 17 for the cheese and butter makers' race. Kerr, Bricker and Archibald are among the famous athletes scheduled to compete. A competition for high-jumping horses will be one of the features of the games, and there will also be Scotch dancing and music galore. A large number of local sportsmen will attend the sports at Woodstock.

MISS WILKES SHIPS HER HORSE AWAY

Galt, Nov. 4.—Once more Miss Wilks has been a successful winner in the United States. The Wilks string of show horses that have been shown at St. Louis by P. Roche arrived in town last evening, and on Saturday will be shipped to New York, where they will be shown at Madison Square Garden. Miss Wilks was one of the largest winners at the St. Louis Horse Show, capturing 21 prizes and receiving \$3,350 in prize money.

HACKENSCHMIDT FEARS WRESTLER PADDOUBNY

New York, Nov. 5.—An American athlete who has just returned from Europe tells some interesting things about the wrestling situation there. "Europe is so full of wrestling giants just now," he says, "that even the great Hackenschmidt is becoming a forgotten back number. Hack has nearly dropped out of sight. He is afraid of his life when anybody mentions Paddock. Ivan Paddock stands 6 feet 6 inches in his socks, and weighs 390 pounds. He is perfectly built—not fat, and with the greatest pair of shoulders I ever saw. His arms are as thick as an ordinary wrestler's body. I saw him wrestle, and nobody has a chance with him. Gotch will get a shock when he bumps into that bunch. He'd last about a minute with Paddock. Zhyso is a joke, but there are dozens of real giants who could beat Gotch. About 250 pounds is the fashionable weight for wrestlers over there. No wonder Mahmud, the Turk, skipped over to America to look for work. He was like a kid in that crowd. The Swiss wrestlers all over France and Germany are the class of the lot. There is one big Turk in London now who is about Paddock's weight. Oh, Frank will feel like a lightweight when he reaches London."

NEW AMENDMENTS FOR O. H. A. EXECUTIVE

Toronto, Nov. 4.—The first of the proposed amendments to the O. H. A. regulations are in the hands of Secretary W. A. Hewitt. They are by Mr. J. Ross Robertson, and are as follows: That clause 17 be amended by adding the words: "No club shall have more than one representative as an officer of the association." That after clause 19 a new clause be inserted to read: "No member of the executive shall be eligible to serve on the executive or on any committee in connection with any protest or question involving directly or indirectly the club he represents, nor shall any member of the executive be eligible to vote on any question raised or affected by the club he represents."

TY COBB HAS A RIVAL (?)

The following paragraph is clipped from an exchange: "Jack Powell threatens to rival Ty Cobb. In a recent game at Belleville—wherever that is—Powell beat out two bunts and stole home. The information at hand does not state whether or not the nine opponents dropped dead or who played third base. J. Powell may have stolen those bases and beat those bunts, but he played with St. Louis last season and that's in Missouri!"

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CHANCE WILL NOT RETIRE.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Nov. 4.—President Murphy of the Chicago National League baseball club, Wednesday declared that Frank Chance would not be manager of the world's champions, as reported, but would carry out his four years' contract.

LEWIS KENNEDY IS OFF FOR HOME

Deaf Mute Was Given His Liberty by Squire Chittick Yesterday. "I am an American, and if you let me go this time I'll never bid Uncle Sam good-bye again!" With the aid of the deaf and dumb alphabet, said Lewis Kennedy, an aged vagrant, who appeared before Squire Chittick yesterday afternoon, charged with begging for alms in the vicinity of Toronto. The old man's request was granted, and Constable Alex. Shaver escorted him to a train headed for the States. Kennedy is somewhat of a character in his own way, and signs himself, Lewis Kennedy, D. D. When arrested he had \$30 in small change on his person, and he afterwards sent to the postoffice for 260 postal cards of a religious character, which he claimed he had intended to sell. As Kennedy, who is a mute, stepped upon the train he drew his hand across his throat and held up four fingers of the other hand. The constable interpreted the signs to mean that in four years the old man expected to be dead.

BOWLING

Games are now on in earnest. This season promises some of the best of them. PRIZES are offered every week for high scores at both five and ten-pin games. Ideal Bowling Alleys GRAHAM & MARTELL, Proprietors, 195 KING STREET, W.T.

ARKONA.

Arkona, Nov. 5.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor, of Brooke, spent Sunday under the parental roof. Mr. Ben Herrington, Friendie Thorpe and Bart Willocks returned home from the West on Saturday. Plans are under way for a local newspaper for Arkona. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cable, of Birnam, moved here last week. Miss Edna Showler, of Adelaide, spent Sunday with friends in the Ark. Lock up your cellar doors. Several persons have lost quantities of fruit. Mr. and Mrs. Brison, of Watford, spent a few days last week with Mrs. Robert Riggs. The Methodist Church was lighted with electricity for the first time on Sunday night. Some 35 lights have been installed, a handsome twenty-light chandelier being the main fixture. The whole presents a handsome appearance. C. J. Riody made a business trip to London last week. The Reformed Mennonites will have a

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A Good Market Despite the Snow Prices Firm in All the Lines

Bad weather had no terrors for the farmers today and the attendance at the market was a very fair one for a Thursday. Prices as a rule were firm, although sales were rather slow on account of the bad walking.

Onions are not yet in, and grapes are practically done. Almost all of the celery now being sold on the local market is procured from Strathroy. The prices range from 35 to 40 cents a dozen.

Saturday's market is expected to be the biggest one of the year, with the exception of the Christmas market. Poultry is plentiful at this time, and it is expected that the prices for turkey, ducks, and chickens on Saturday will compare very favorably with those obtained last Thanksgiving, or be a trifle lower.

Only a day or so ago a farmer named Lane was attacked by a dog which he was trying to drive away from a box of chickens. One of the chickens managed to get loose from the box, and the farmer, a friend and the dog chased the fowl around the market.

The amount of first-class oranges offered for sale for Thanksgiving consumption will be very small, as the new oranges have not yet been shipped. A few inferior, sour oranges are being offered now with but few buyers.

The wholesaler fruit dealers, will be very short. The early cranberries will sell Saturday for 10 and 12 cents, and the late ones at 15 cents.

HAPPENINGS OF A DAY IN BUSY EAST LONDON

A LIVE PIGEON SHOOT ON THANKSGIVING DAY

An Attempt Will Be Made, It is Said, to Stop the Affair. A number of east end young men will hold a live pigeon shoot near Graham's Hotel on the Hamilton road east of the city, on Thanksgiving Day, and they are now making arrangements for the event.

REMARKS WERE TOO STRONG

Solly Fined by Magistrate for Using Abusive Language to His Landlady. In the police court this morning Solomon Edelstein was found guilty of using abusive language to Mrs. Fannie Braun, who keeps a boarding-house at 81 Clarence street. Edelstein has been staying at Mrs. Braun's house, and had bought some chairs from her for 40 cents. He did not pay, and had made a row about it.

CLEANING SNOW OFF SIDEWALKS OF LONDON

Some East Enders Favor a Bylaw to Compel the Work Being Done. The heavy snow of last evening has again brought the matter of cleaning sidewalks to the attention of citizens, and many opinions are being expressed on the subject. Some citizens express themselves as favoring a bylaw to shovel sidewalks and even the roads of paved streets, while others including Ald. Rose, believe in shoveling "whatever you like, without compulsion."

WORKING TO MAKE HOCKEY LEAGUE SUCCESS

East Enders Are Leaving No Stone Unturned. The members of the newly organized East End Hockey League are still working hard to make it a success, and a meeting has been called for Friday evening at 8 o'clock for the purpose of taking in a fifth team, the Blues, Rectorys, St. Mary's, and Dufferins having been entered up.

CITIZEN SAID ALDERMEN ARE ALL GRAFTERS.

Told It to Ald. Rose in Letter's Livery Barn. An amusing incident occurred at the livery owned by Ald. Rose yesterday, when a well-known character stated that he had proof that all aldermen and city officials were "graspers" and that they had to be "greased" before they would work for the poor man.

RAILWAYMEN REPORT A GENERAL SNOWFALL

On the Grand Trunk Between Chatham and Ingersoll. Railwaymen running on this division of the Grand Trunk report that a heavy snowfall has fallen from Chatham to Ingersoll, and that although it does not interfere with traffic, there is considerable trouble in diving signals at any distance.

GRAND TRUNK WILL HOLD INVESTIGATION

Into Cause of Delay of Ottawa Avenue Cars. The Grand Trunk has decided to investigate the allegations of the street railway company to the effect that the Grand Trunk is causing delay in the Ottawa Avenue cars.

MURDERS HIS SON FATALLY SHOTS WIFE

Then Turns Gun on Himself, But Escapes Serious Hurt. Buffalo, Nov. 5.—John Hagen, who keeps a hotel in Scranton, near Hamburg, Erie County, shot and killed his son George, and fatally wounded his wife, this forenoon. He attempted suicide, but succeeded only in wounding himself in the left shoulder.

KILLED COUPLING CARS

Brighton, Ont., Nov. 5.—Wm. Mowbray, a G. T. R. brakeman, from Montreal, was killed while coupling cars, five miles east of here, early today. Manifest train 746 broke in two on a grade east of here, and while coupling it together Mowbray got between the drawers in some manner and his back was broken. Coroner Sanford, after viewing the remains, decided an inquest was unnecessary.

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South Londoners Laughed When They Saw Horses Hauling a Machine.

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great majority of union men will back them, in which event, they claim, license reduction would carry if the temperance people did their duty. None if the city officials would risk an opinion this morning as to whether there was sufficient time to submit it legally to the January election. A bylaw calling for a reduction could be passed before March 1, to be effective May 1, when the licenses are renewed.

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LIVERPOOL. LIVERPOOL. Nov. 5.—Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red western winter, 78 1/2d. Futures steady; December, 78 5/8d; March, 78 5/8d. Corn—Spot firm; American, 78 5/8d. Futures dull; December, 78 5/8d. January, 78 5/8d. Beef—Extra India mess, strong, 11 1/2d. Lard—Prime, western, in barrels, dull 48s 3d; American refined, in pairs, quiet 48s 9d.



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## BAD ROADS MAKE SMALL MARKET

**LOCAL MARKET.**  
London, Thursday, Nov. 5.

Today's market would do much to have been a larger one had the weather man been more considerate. The snow which fell during the night made the roads heavy, and those who did reach the market stated that prices would have to advance considerably before they would undertake the journey again under such conditions. Saturday's market is expected to be a hummer, and poultry will be the chief offering.

Grain—Oats were scarce and sold at \$1.13 and \$1.20 per cwt; wheat, steady at \$1.35 to \$1.40 per cwt; barley, \$1.15 per cwt; oats will sell well tomorrow.

Hay and Straw—Hay was in light supply, at \$12 to \$13 per ton; there were only about ten loads offered; a brisk demand is expected tomorrow. Straw is scarce, at \$7 per ton.

Butter and Eggs—Butter scarce, at 22c for crocks and 25c for rolls. Eggs in fair demand, at 25c per dozen for fresh-laid by the basket.

Poultry—Of course this line was the feature, but there was not as large a quantity offered as expected; turkeys were the favorite, and they sold at 12c to 14c per lb dressed; chickens, 8c to 10c; ducks, 9c to 10c per lb dressed; geese, 8c to 9c per lb dressed; chickens, 8c per lb alive and 10c to 12c dressed.

Vegetables and Roots—Potatoes were in fair demand, at 60c to 70c per bag by the load or 10-bag lot; onions slow, at \$1 per bag and 55c per bu; celery, 35c to 40c per dozen; cabbages plentiful, at 40c per dozen.

Fruits—Apples sold quickly today and prices were firm; for a good class of Spies \$1 per bag was obtained, and \$1.50 to \$2 per barrel; for common stocks, prices were considerably lower; pears, 9c to 10c per bu; chestnuts scarce, at \$3.25 per bu.

Dressed Hogs—Quite a number offered; sales fair, at \$7.75 and \$8 per cwt.

Butchers' Meats—Beef sold at \$5.50 to \$7 per cwt; veal, 85c to 90c; lamb, 85c to 90c per lb.

Live Hogs—Price paid for yesterday's shipment was \$5.65 per cwt for select.

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## LIVE STOCK MARKETS

**TORONTO.**  
Toronto, Nov. 4.—City cattle market: The better tone to the market continues as the week advances, but prices have not as yet made any material gains. There is a better feeling all around, and buying is a little brisker, owing in part to the lighter receipts. There is a good market for distillery feeders, which apparently have not been coming in any too fast. Some Northwest cattle probably are on the way, and will arrive for tomorrow's market.

Lamb—A little firmer.

Sheep—Market unchanged.

Hogs—At \$7.75, f. o. b., and \$6 fed and watered.

The total run was 56 cars, with 1,100 head of cattle, 225 sheep and lambs, 300 hogs and 23 calves.

Butcher Cattle—Market steady to firm. Steady demand for good feeders and stockers.

Distillery cattle wanted.

Sheep—Ewes steady at late decline.

Lamb—Market firmer.

Hogs—Market steady; select hogs at \$7.75, f. o. b., and \$6 fed and watered.

Export market steady, around \$4.75 to \$5 for choice quality.

Choice butcher cattle steady, around \$4.40 to \$4.50; fair to good bighears, \$3.75 to \$3.85.

Milk—Cows and Springers—Market is firm for good stock.

F. Hunnibell bought 25 butchers, mixed cattle, 550 to 1,150 lbs, at \$2 to \$4.25.

Crawford & Co. sold 1 load of cattle, 1,000 lbs, at \$4.50; 1 load, 975 lbs, at \$3.90; 1 load, 1,200 lbs, at \$4.25; 1 load, 1,100 lbs, at \$3.90; 1 load, 1,200 lbs, at \$4.25.

W. Dunn bought 550 lambs at \$4.60 per cwt; 120 sheep at \$3.40 per cwt; 25 calves at \$3 each.

R. J. Collins bought 1 load of cattle, 900 lbs, at \$3.70; sold 5 cows, 1,150 lbs, at \$3.75; 4 steers, 1,125 lbs, at \$3.85; 3 heifers, 800 lbs, at \$3.75; 1 cow, 900 lbs, at \$3.15; 5 steers, 700 lbs, at \$2.85.

Jesse Dunn bought 146 distillery feeding steers from A. J. Macdonald, of the Fort Ranch farm, Victoria Roads, at \$3.90.

C. McCurdy bought 1 load of butchers, mixed, at \$3.60 to \$4.

**CHICAGO.**  
Chicago, Nov. 5.—Cattle receipts 6,000 head; strong; beefs, \$2.50 to \$7.50; Texas, \$4 to \$4.65; westerners, \$3.20 to \$5.90; stockers and feeders, \$2.55 to \$4.55; cows and heifers, \$1.65 to \$5.25; calves, \$5 to \$8.

Hogs—Receipts 25,000 head; \$5 lower; light, \$5.20 to \$6.10; mixed \$5.45 to \$6.25; heavy, \$5.50 to \$6.20; rough, \$5.50 to \$5.70; good to choice heavy, \$5.70 to \$6.30; pigs, \$3.75 to \$5.10; bulk of sales, \$5.80 to \$6.20.

Sheep—Receipts 12,000 head; steady; native, \$2.60 to \$4.70; westerns, \$2.60 to \$4.70; yearlings, \$4.50 to \$5.15; lambs, \$4 to \$6.25; westerns, \$4 to \$5.25.

**OIL MARKETS.**  
OIL CITY.  
Oil City, Pa., Nov. 4.—Credit balances, \$1.73.

**LONDON.**  
London, Nov. 4.—Petroleum, American refined, 6 1/2-12; spirits, 7 1/2.

**ANTWERP.**  
Antwerp, Belgium, Nov. 4.—Petroleum, 22 francs.

**PITTSBURG.**  
Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 4.—Oil opened and closed at 17 1/2.

**SUGAR MARKETS.**  
NEW YORK.  
New York, Nov. 4.—Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 3 1/2c; centrifugal, 9 1/2c; 2 1/2c molasses sugar, 3 1/2c; refined steady.

**LONDON.**  
London, Nov. 4.—Raw sugar—Muscovado, 12 1/2c; centrifugal, 12 1/2c; beet sugar, November, 10 1/2c.

**TORONTO.**  
Toronto, Nov. 4.—Sugar—Firm; Mon-

## TAFT'S FIGURES ARE MOUNTING

May Have a Majority of 350 Electoral Votes.

## TWO STATES STILL UNCERTAIN

Maryland and Missouri Remain in the Balance Until Official Returns Are Made.

New York, Nov. 5.—Maryland and Missouri held the centre of political attention when the Republican and Democratic politicians, to say nothing of mere voters, began early today to look over the net results of the election. Leaders of both the parties found themselves facing what looked increasingly like a good thing for the prophecy of Chairman Frank H. Hitchcock, of the Republican national committee, that Taft would have at least 325 votes when the final "show-down" was reached.

At the opening of the day's dispatches, leaving Maryland and Missouri out of the count, Taft was assured of 301 electoral votes, Bryan of 156.

Missouri, with her big block of 18 votes, was hanging in the balance, the first dispatch today showing, upon incomplete returns, that Bryan had a lead of 87 votes. Complete returns might swing the result one way or the other at any moment. The general belief was that the official canvass would have to be waited for to settle the question whether Missouri's 18 would be for Taft or Bryan.

Maryland with 8 electoral votes, was claimed for Taft, with a margin of only 136 votes, and few districts to be heard from yet.

The Democrats insisted that they would not yield Maryland to the Republicans save on the authority of the official count. Complete returns claimed for Taft, with a margin of only 136 votes, and few districts to be heard from yet.

At the beginning of the day this is the way the electoral table looked:

| FOR TAFT.      | FOR BRYAN. |
|----------------|------------|
| Alabama        | 11         |
| Arkansas       | 7          |
| California     | 10         |
| Colorado       | 5          |
| Delaware       | 3          |
| Florida        | 5          |
| Georgia        | 5          |
| Illinois       | 27         |
| Indiana        | 15         |
| Iowa           | 13         |
| Kansas         | 10         |
| Maine          | 6          |
| Massachusetts  | 16         |
| Michigan       | 14         |
| Minnesota      | 11         |
| Mississippi    | 9          |
| Montana        | 3          |
| New Hampshire  | 4          |
| New Jersey     | 12         |
| New York       | 39         |
| North Carolina | 12         |
| North Dakota   | 4          |
| Ohio           | 23         |
| Oklahoma       | 7          |
| Pennsylvania   | 24         |
| Rhode Island   | 4          |
| South Dakota   | 4          |
| Texas          | 12         |
| Vermont        | 3          |
| Washington     | 5          |
| West Virginia  | 7          |
| Wisconsin      | 10         |
| Wyoming        | 3          |
| <b>Total</b>   | <b>301</b> |

**NECESSARY TO ELECT, 242.**  
While the tendency of the early dispatches of today, following a like trend last night, was to throw the doubtful states toward the Taft column, the reports of results within states was in the opposite direction. In the election of a Republican governor for the first time in 35 years. The plurality of Hadley, the Republican candidate, appeared as 15,148 on the same table that gave Bryan a lead of 67.

Indiana apparently has given the Democrats a majority of eight in joint ballot in the legislature, which would assure the state a Democratic United States senator in place of Hemenway. There is an active rumor that John W. Kern, the defeated candidate for vice-president, will be the new senator from Indiana. The state has elected Marshall (Doc) Cameron governor by a plurality of 15,000, while giving Taft a margin of about 10,000.

Colorado has apparently settled the question definitely in favor of Bryan, but the latter's plurality in that state seems to be less than half of that for Shafer, the Democratic candidate for governor. The state legislature will be safely Democratic.

**Never Again for Bryan.**  
New York, Nov. 5.—Chairman Norman E. Mack, of the Democratic national committee, said last night: "I do not believe that Mr. Bryan will again be the candidate of the Democratic party for President. Should the legislature be Democratic in Nebraska, when a vacancy occurs in the United States senate from that state, as will be likely in 1911, I believe Mr. Bryan will be selected to fill the office."

Mr. Mack was asked if he thought the south would be recognized in the next national convention, and permitted to name a candidate from that section of the country.

"The most available man will be nominated," he replied, "irrespective of whether he comes from the north or the south, the east or the west. Everything will depend upon his availability, and other conditions, of course, which will develop in the next four years."

Mr. Mack had no comment to make about the labor vote, and said he did not believe Tammany Hall had been faithful to Bryan, and the rest of the ticket.

Bernard College girls are being instructed on the subject of equal suffrage by a course of lectures giving both sides of the question.

## HOSPITAL BUILDINGS

(Continued from Page One.)

**Scarlet Fever.**  
The scarlet fever building is situated just west of the diphtheria hospital and is joined to it by an covered hallway. This building is an exact duplicate of the other, both being finished in the same style.

**The Floors.**  
In the hallways the floors are of cement, but in the wards there are three floors. The first is of cement. Above this there is a hardwood floor. Over this is laid a thick covering of paper, and after leaving an air space of an inch, another floor has been laid.

These floors have been the cause of considerable discussion, and at one time Engineer Graydon issued an order to discontinue laying them. The trust has protested and what it asked for, claiming that it is a shame to put such lumber in so splendid a building.

**Just What It is Paying For.**  
In speaking of the matter to The Advertiser yesterday afternoon one of the men in charge of the work said: "The city is getting exactly what it is paying for, and what it asked for, according to the specifications. The whole trouble arose over there being two plans and sets of specifications. The first set were rejected by the council as being too expensive. The second set were considerably less money and were accepted. The difference is, of course, in the quality of the material used. This flooring is certainly not as nice looking as some other flooring, but the city is getting what it paid for. Personally, I ought to have no kick coming because I have had a good deal of work out of this job, but I am a taxpayer and from that standpoint I think London has gone crazy on hospitals or else the trust are trying to see how much money they can spend."

**The Number of Patients.**  
"At the present time in the contagious wards at Victoria Hospital there are three scarlet fever cases and one diphtheria patient, and there are never a very large number at any one time, and yet the trust goes and puts up \$50,000 worth of buildings of the most expensive kind, which it will cost thousands of dollars a year to maintain."

**Doctors Opposed.**  
There are a dozen doctors here every day, and they all express the opinion that much smaller and less costly buildings would have answered. It is going to cost the city between \$6,000 and \$7,000 a year to keep these buildings heated and lighted.

"The heating system is an experiment as far as we are concerned. The buildings will be heated by a hot air circulation system, the heat being forced through the rooms and corridors. The walls are all double and the heat will be forced through the spaces between them. These buildings will be two-thirds as hot as the other, and yet the citizens will be asked to pay a big bill in taxes for their maintenance every year. A Detroit gentleman was in here yesterday, and he expressed the opinion that London people must have money to burn for hospitals and other elaborate buildings were to be found in Detroit."

**Completion of Work.**  
When asked as to when the work would be completed, another man informed The Advertiser that he did not expect to have his men out of the building before March. The water mains for supplying the new buildings have not as yet been laid, although they have arrived. This work will be gone on with shortly.

**Hygienic Institute.**  
The new hygienic institute is situated on Waterloo street just in front of the scarlet fever building. It is a three story structure, and when completed will be very fine. The trimmings and facings are all of white stone and cement, many of them elaborately carved and decorated. The building is the most modern in the city, and the buildings are not nearly so far advanced as that on the isolation hospital, and the workmen are putting in the windows so that during the cold weather they will be able to go on with the work inside. The rooms will all be very large and well appointed, and the present are so incomplete that little idea can be obtained as to what they will be like when finished.

From the roof there is a splendid view of the city and surrounding country, and it is the intention to have a railing placed around it so that people can go up there and enjoy the view. It is not likely that the building will be finished for several months.

**GUNPOWDER PLOT DAY**  
Annual Celebration of Frustration of Guy Fawkes' Big Blow-Up.

This is Guy Fawkes day. Among the Orangemen, Nov. 5 and July 12 are the great days for celebration. Nov. 5 commemorates the frustration of the Gunpowder Plot during the reign of James I. of England. Guy Fawkes and other conspirators attempted to blow up the Parliament buildings with gunpowder, expecting the king and other high officials.

The plot was discovered and the criminals executed.

**TRUE BILL RETURNED AGAINST PONZI**  
Woodstock, Nov. 4.—A true bill was brought in this afternoon against Ponzi, the Italian swindler.

He is charged with causing the death of Pardi Constantine by hitting him on the head with a stone.

Lord Devon is selling, under the Irish Land Act some 55,000 acres of his property in county Limerick, practically everything that he owns except his castle and park.

# Money Saved Right Here

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- Men's Penman Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, extra heavy, sizes 34 to 46, sold everywhere at \$1.50 garment, our price for Saturday..... **83c**

## BOYS' AND GIRLS' REEFERS

Here is a snap for ladies who like to shop early on Saturday morning. The balance of our Boys' and Girls' Reefers, made of nap cloth, brass buttons, sizes 22 to 30, well worth \$2. We will sell them Saturday morning for..... **73c**

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# THUGS SHOOT AND CARVE IN STREETS OF NEW YORK

New York, Nov. 4.—Members of the "Humpty" Jackson and Gaschouse gangs went forth last night bent on murder and assault, and as a consequence one innocent man lies dead and 20 or more in hospitals or their homes badly hurt.

The gangs broke loose, as the police expected they would, on election night. "Humpty" Jackson started out to kill Monday morning, when they shot down "Jimmy" Kelly, also a gang leader, near Tammany Hall. The police feared an outbreak last night and extra officers were stationed on the lower east side.

A junction of Jackson's and the Gaschouse thugs was arranged on Avenue A about midnight. The police were alerted, but none came. Shortly before 12 o'clock Jackson's men marched down the Bowery and crossed over to Avenue A. Every man who happened along was attacked. If he fought he was carved up with a razor or felled with a blackjack and left unconscious on the pavement.

At Avenue A the gang marched, shooting revolvers, yelling and cursing. Women were dragged from doorsteps and beaten, and at Seventeenth street Jackson's joined forces with the Gaschouse gang.

John Merscall, 53, was standing on the corner of Avenue A and Seventeenth street when the two gangs rushed upon him. Merscall knew none of the men and was surprised when they began beating him. One man felled him with a blackjack and as he rolled on the sidewalk a second man placed a revolver to his mouth and fired three times. The first bullet passed through Merscall's head, the second through his breast and the third through his stomach, and as Merscall curled up and died the gang cheered with glee. They seemed to love murder and the sight inspired them to more killing.

Women looked from windows of their homes, only to be fired upon. Houses were peppered with bullets and window glass was shattered. The police were called, but none came.

When the reserves finally reached the scene the gangs had separated, but three thugs were caught. One had his skull cracked by a policeman.

An hour later victims of the gangs began to arrive in Bellevue Hospital. Rudolph Kalkayan walked to the hospital with his throat cut from ear to ear, and with a dozen other razor slashes about his arms and body. Geo. Kroniter, real estate dealer, was stabbed. Otto Himble received cuts about the face and hands. Valentine Scholl was taken to Governor Hospital in a serious condition with stabs and internal injuries. Isadore Goldstein and Joseph Lappore received stabs and other wounds. Patrick Cragg had his nose fractured.

## P. M. and the Interswitching Rate

Major Stevely has received word from Superintendent Pycatt of the Pere Marquette, saying that the question of appealing against the recent order of the railway commission, fixing a new interswitching rate, was being considered by the traffic department of the P. M., and a decision would be reached very shortly.

He did not say whether the company intended appealing or not, but other officials state that there is no doubt the company will appeal.

The Grand Trunk officials, however, say that there is no ground particularly for the appeal, although in isolated instances the C. P. R. and P. M. may have grounds of complaint.

**Considered Equitable.**  
The new order of the railway commission was given after the whole interswitching question was considered. It was considered, so it was stated, the most equitable legislation possible under the circumstances.

"The Pere Marquette may get a little the worst of it here, but the Grand Trunk will get the best of it, say in Montreal, or other places," said a G. T. R. official this morning. "A general rate is bound to cause trouble in some localities, but when the whole field is considered, it is perhaps the best possible solution of the question."

No word has been received at the city hall as to when the C. P. R. appeal will be heard by the Dominion railway commission.

## SNOW, SNOW, BEAUTIFUL SNOW CAME IN HURRY, NO HURRY TO GO

London Awakened This Morning to Find Herself Enveloped in the First Mantle of the Winter—Merchants Were Pleased With the Snowfall.

London woke up this morning to find herself wrapped in her first mantle of snow.

The other day there were some snowflurries, but last night the first real snowstorm of the season occurred.

It began shortly after 11 o'clock and continued until early this morning.

A fall of about four inches resulted, making walking difficult, and driving not at all pleasant.

The snowflurries were out for the first time, and the sidewalks were scraped off, but they were late in getting started, as the snow was not expected.

As the temperature is moderating considerably, the "beautiful" will not

last long, but in its stead will be a nice collection of slush.

**Rough on Autos.**  
It was rough on automobiles, as the heavy snow made it impossible to keep the machines going. This morning a very large car was drawn by a team of horses to Mitchell's garage. The horses seemed to wear a smile, as if to say, "Well, I guess we are not going out of business yet a while."

Heads of families were not in a pleasant frame of mind. According to medical authorities snowshovelling is healthy and builds up the system, but many householders were heard to mutter this morning: "Let my constitution go hang! Where are the city snow-plows?"

They had to find the axe and chop kindling-wood, and all the rest of it. There was no joy among the householders.

The snow was quite unexpected, although the cold winds seemed certain to bring something.

**Snow General.**  
It was general over the western peninsula. There was considerable along the line of the Huron and Bruce, and also west of London.

It may be that King Winter is in control of the situation, but the prevailing opinion is that fine weather will come after this cold wave.

**Merchants Pleased.**  
London merchants are pleased with the fall of snow. They are selling winter goods today in great bulk. Warm shoes and rubbers are also at a premium today.

**THE WHEEL CAME OFF.**  
Toronto, Nov. 5.—A. W. Godson, a prominent city contractor, and his son, A. S. Godson, narrowly escaped serious injury while driving past the intersection of Queen and Dundas street today. A wheel came off the buggy at the corner and the horse bolted, throwing both men out.

Mr. Godson, then, had a tendon in his left wrist severed, while his legs were badly lacerated. His son escaped with a few bruises.

## Palpitation of the Heart.

One of the first danger signals that announce something wrong with the heart is the irregular beat or violent throbbing. Often there is only a fluttering sensation, or an "all gone" sinking feeling; or again, there may be a most violent beating, with flushings of the skin and visible pulsations of the arteries. The person may experience a smothering sensation, gasp for breath and feel as though about to die. In such cases the action of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills in quieting the heart, restoring its normal beat and imparting tone to the nerve centres, is beyond all question, marvellous. They give such prompt relief that no one need suffer.

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**DETROIT GOES REPUBLICAN**  
Brietmeyer Elected Over Thompson by 2,700 Majority.  
Detroit, Mich., Nov. 5.—Fairly complete returns from out in the state indicate that Gov. Warner (Republican) would come down to Wayne County with a plurality of 22,531 over Lawton T. Hemans, his Democratic opponent. Wayne County is generally conceded to Warner by pluralities running from 1,800 to 5,000. Democratic State Chairman John T. Winslip refused to concede the election of Warner.  
Philip Brietmeyer, who resigned the parks commission to become the Republican candidate for mayor of Detroit, defeated Mayor Thompson (Democrat) by a plurality estimated from 1,000 to 2,700.

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**Irish Poet Unable to Come to London**  
President Frank Lawson, of the Canadian Club, this morning received a telegram from Mr. Thomas Augustine Daly, of Philadelphia, stating that owing to the serious illness of his wife he will be unable to be in the city on Friday.  
Mr. Daly is one of the most popular writers and humorists in America today, and a large number of Londoners, who were intending to hear him while in this city, are greatly disappointed. He was to have spoken at the Canadian Club luncheon at noon and was billed to give a literary lecture in the Collegiate in the evening. In addition he was to have been the guest of honor at a dinner to be given by Senator Coffey.  
Besides having written and published a number of poems and sketches, Mr. Daly is editor of the Catholic Standard and Times. An effort is being made to have Mr. Daly speak at the Canadian Club and Collegiate at a later date.  
In the meantime all money that has been received for tickets will be refunded.  
Those who bought tickets for the Canadian Club luncheon tomorrow may keep them and present them two weeks hence, when Principal Falconer will address the club.  
Wedding Orders. Get our prices before ordering elsewhere. Hueston's.

**Rev. Mr. McIntyre's Induction.**  
A Hamilton dispatch says: The moderator, Rev. D. Anderson, of Burlington, presided at the bi-monthly meeting of the Hamilton Presbytery, held yesterday in Knox Church. Rev. J. D. Cunningham, of Welland, reported having moderated in a call unannouncedly extended from Fort Erie and Bridgeburg to Rev. Robert McIntyre, of the London Presbytery. The action of Rev. Mr. Cunningham was approved and arrangements for Rev. Mr. McIntyre's induction were made as follows:  
Pleasant View, the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Woolley, South Dorchester, was the scene of a very pretty wedding on the afternoon of Oct. 28, when Miss Ivah, their second daugh-

**THIRD DAY OF CAMPAIGN**  
To Raise Funds for the Young Men's Christian Association of London.  
The third day of the Y. M. C. A. campaign began with \$2,700 to get before 10 o'clock tonight. This will mean a larger amount than has ever been secured in one day in similar campaigns, but the solicitors feel sure it can be done. One of the workers, when asked if the victory could be won, said:  
"The only difficulty is in reaching the people, and it will be necessary for us to resort to the use of the telephone during the last few hours. It is hoped that those who have not been seen, but who are willing to save the institution from defeat, will telephone to the association the amount they will give, remembering that it is payable some time before April 30, 1909, for the first year. It simply means that London has an opportunity to break all previous records, and show the rest of Canada that the young manhood in this community is worth some sacrifice."  
The young men's committee met for tea at the building yesterday evening and started out with great enthusiasm to raise at least \$500 on the necessary amount. This will mean that a number of young men will deny themselves some necessities in order that they may contribute towards the institution.

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ter, was united in marriage with Mr. Dugald Ferguson, of Harrietsville. Precisely at 2 o'clock the marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. E. A. Shaw, of Lyons, in the presence of seventy-five guests. The bride was beautifully attired in white mull over silk, and was given away by her father. The pretty little flowergirl, Miss Viola Dawes, carried the ring in a dainty basket filled with beautiful bridal roses. The young couple were married under a beautiful arch of evergreens decorated with white bells. Mr. Lindsay, of Springfield, in his capacity as caterer, excelled himself, and a delicious wedding dinner was served immediately after the marriage ceremony. Four bright and beautiful young ladies, Misses Pearl Woolley, Vera Andrew, Cella Charlton and Miss Woolley, a cousin of the bride, waited on the tables. The young couple left via Michigan Central for Toronto and other points, the same evening, on their honeymoon. The large and varied number of gifts show the esteem in which Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson are held by all.  
**Crawford—Moss.**  
A very beautiful wedding was solemnized on Thursday evening, Oct. 22, at 6 p.m. at "Maple Grange," just one mile south of Lyons, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Moss. The occasion was the marriage of their daughter, Miss Mary Ethel, to Mr. James Daniel Crawford, of Belmont. Rev. E. A. Shaw, of Lyons, performed the ceremony in the presence of some eighty guests. The bride, who was charmingly attired in cream duchess with bridal veil attached and who carried a shower bouquet of bridal roses and chrysanthemums, was given away by her father. Immediately after the ceremony the guests adjourned to the spacious dining-room, which was tastefully decorated for the occasion, and their wants were admirably well attended to by Caterer Talbot, of Aylmer, and his excellent wife, assisted by Messrs. E. Moss and C. Leggie. A choice repast was well served, and enjoyed by all. The bridal couple left the same evening for Guelph and other points, on their honeymoon. The wedding gifts were valuable and numerous, showing the high esteem in which the young couple are held. Among them was a jardiniere and stand from the Lyons Methodist Church.

**A LAWSUIT TO GAIN A CROWN**  
Novel Fight Over the Throne of the Little Duchy of Luxemburg.  
London, Nov. 4. — A fight for a European throne is soon to be decided. Time was when such a struggle would have been settled on the field of battle. The disputants of today will betake themselves to the law courts.  
The prize is the throne of the independent Grand Duchy of Luxemburg. The disputants are the present occupant of the throne, the Grand Duke William Alexander, and his six beautiful daughters on the one side and his cousin, Count Merenberg, on the other.  
When it was seen that the advent of a son to the present Grand Duke was extremely improbable the Luxemburg Parliament last year passed a special law making it possible for a daughter to inherit the throne. It is this law that Count Merenberg will endeavor to have set aside. To do so he will have to raise the question of the legitimacy of the issue of a morganatic marriage.  
The Count is the son of the late Duke Nicholas of Nassau, uncle of the present Grand Duke, and is the nearest male relative of the Grand Duke. But he is only a morganatic cousin, for a romantic history attaches to the marriage of his father and mother.  
Nicholas of Nassau fell in love with a beautiful Russian actress, Natalia Poushkin, a married woman. After her divorce he married her in London, raising her to the rank of Countess Merenberg. He married no other wife and the Counts and Countesses of Merenberg might thus rank as legitimate children.  
The history of Europe teems with morganatic marriages, especially in Austria. As a rule the royal person who contracts one of these marriages abjures all rights of succession for his or her children. The Grand Duke Ferdinand, heir to Francis Joseph, Emperor of Austria-Hungary, is morganatically married and has renounced his right of succession for his son, but it is fully expected that when he comes to the throne he will persuade the Austrian and Hungarian Parliaments to recognize his son as legitimate, with full rights of succession to the crown.  
In the case of Count Merenberg there seems to have been no formal renunciation of these rights and his attempts to establish them in the law courts should have considerable interest for the strong-willed heir to the throne of Austria-Hungary.  
Luxemburg is a tiny neutral state which was created an independent grand duchy by the treaty of London of 1847. Sandwiched between France, Belgium and Germany, it measures fifty miles by thirty-two. It has its own Parliament, and other machinery of government, with a most placid recent history.  
The capital is built on a rock rising precipitously on three sides to a height of 200 feet. In olden days the town was one of the most formidable fortresses of Europe. One great military authority placed it only second in point of natural vantage to Gibraltar, and it was besieged and starved out in the wars of France, Germany and the Netherlands. After the treaty of London it was found a matter of extreme difficulty to dismantle and destroy the fortifications so as to prevent them from being an object of covetousness to the surrounding nations.  
Luxemburg has its own stamps and coinage, but the latter only runs to a half penny and a penny, an indication of the lowly agricultural state. They speak a dialect which might be roughly described as Low Dutch with a provincial French accent. The official language is French, and as far as the manners and customs of the well-to-do classes go the country might belong to France. But small and humble as is this little agricultural state, it is an independent Grand Duchy, and to reign over it is to be a somebody, so the fight in the courts between the reigning duke and his cousin will probably be keen.  
The British Government is building a number of immense oil tanks at various ports around the British Isles for the use of her warships now using oil for fuel. The tanks will be surrounded by mounds to protect them against gun fire from the sea.

**MR. GEORGE HOWARD OF WATFORD DEAD**  
Father of Rev. R. S. W. Howard, Rector of Christ Church.  
Mr. George Howard, one of Watford's oldest and most highly esteemed residents, died this morning at the residence of his son, Rev. R. S. W. Howard, Christ Church Rectory. The late Mr. Howard was within three weeks of being 91 years old. He came to this country from Gloucestershire, England, in 1854, and bought a farm near Stratford. About 30 years ago he retired from the farm, and went to Watford to live. A few months ago his wife died, and ever since then he has made his home with his son in this city. Mr. Howard is survived by four sons, Oswald, of Montreal; G. R., of Winnipeg; Henry B., of Chicago, and Rev. R. S. W. Howard, of this city. The funeral will be held on Saturday morning to the Grand Trunk station, and interment will be made at Watford.

**TO PETITION TAFT**  
Suffragettes Will Ask That Women be Given the Franchise.  
Chicago, Nov. 5.—A dispatch to the Tribune from Denver says: A monster petition to be circulated among the women of America, and then submitted to President-elect Taft, is the immediate plan of the American woman's suffrage movement. Announcement of this fact was made yesterday by the Rev. Anna Shaw, president.  
A special appeal was made to the Colorado women to assist in the movement by securing the signatures of every woman in the state.  
"Mr. Taft has often said he was willing the women of America should have the right of franchise if they desired," the president said. "Now is the time to give him an opportunity to show what he meant by this statement."  
Tests now indicate that the wire net with which the British navy department has been experimenting for some time provides a perfect defence for

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Do not be lugged into buying so-called Norway Pine Syrups, but be sure and insist on having Dr. Wood's. It is put up in a yellow wrapper, three pine trees the trade mark, and price 25 cents.  
Mrs. A. Elles, Inisfail, Alta., writes: "Last spring I had Typhoid fever and Bronchitis, which left me with a terrible cough. I tried doctor's medicine but got no relief until my husband got me a bottle of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, and before I had finished it my cough was cured. My husband also uses it whenever he has a cough. I would not be without it."

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