

WEDDINGS OF AUTUMN DAY.

Marriage of Two of Hamilton's Most Popular Singers.

Hamilton-McCoy Nuptials In MacNab St. Church.

Scully-Ballard Wedding and Reception Yesterday.

MacNab Street Presbyterian Church was the scene at 3.30 o'clock this afternoon of one of the most interesting social events of the season, the marriage of Miss Margaret Bruce McCoy, second daughter of Mr. John McCoy, and conductor of MacNab Street Church choir, to Mr. Harold Vivian Hamilton, the popular bass soloist of Central Church. The color scheme of the church decoration was carried out in white, the aisle being arched in smilax, while the choir loft was beautifully decorated with palms, smilax and white chrysanthemums. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. Beverley Ketchen, pastor of the church, assisted by Rev. Dr. Samuel Lyle, moderator of the General Assembly, in the presence of about two hundred guests. The bride party entered the church to the strains of the bridal chorus from "Lohengrin," played by Mr. C. Percival Garritt, organist of Central Presbyterian Church. The bride was given away by her father, and was becomingly gowned in a costume of white duchess satin, trimmed with two panels of net, hand embroidered with satin cord and pearls. The gown was the gift of her aunt, Mrs. (Dr.) McCoy, St. Catharines. The bride wore the customary veil and wreath of orange blossoms and a beautiful necklace of pearls. She carried a shower bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley. The matron of honor was Mrs. William Ostler, the bride's sister, who was gowned in pale blue satin, trimmed with Brussels lace, and pale blue picture hat with ostrich plumes and meline ties. She carried a shower bouquet of white chrysanthemums. The bridesmaids were Miss Ida Hamilton, sister of the groom, and Miss May Ashplant, of London. Miss Hamilton was gowned in lavender satin with a white silk net overdress and white picture hat, with white ostrich plumes and ties. Miss Ashplant wore a mauve satin dress with pearl trimmings, and mauve velvet hat with mauve meline ties. Jas. Hamilton, brother of the groom, was groomsmen, and the ushers were George Drew, Samuel Gibson, John Connon and J. H. McCoy.

BUFFALOS STAMPEDE

Belvidere, Kan., Nov. 4.—Made ferocious at being dipped in a lime and sulphur bath to kill the ticks on them, a herd of 36 buffalo stampeded on Frank Rockefeller's ranch near here yesterday, and are now scattered over Kiowa county. When, in accordance with orders of the government inspectors, the herd was driven into the dipping vault it went wild and broke through three barbed wire fences as if they had been made of twine. Five horses were used in pursuing one bull, whose value is \$1,500, but he is still at large.

IMPROVING THE SERVICE.

Street Railway Traction Department Busy at It.

Complaint About Speed of Cars on Main Street.

Building Inspector Anderson Inspecting In Annex.

A prominent official of the Street Railway Company announced this morning that the men in charge of the traction department are busily engaged working out plans for improving the service on the routes where traffic is heaviest. The company is putting extra cars on the Barton and King street routes every Saturday now, and they are as badly crowded at certain hours as when fewer cars were running. The new cars have not been ordered yet, nor has the policy as to whether all double truck cars will be used been settled. The company is experiencing trouble in getting enough men to work on the new car shops being erected in the east end.

Yesterday afternoon an aldermanic deputation waited on the Dominion Power and Transmission Company officials in reference to the complaint that the H. G. & B. cars travel at excessive speed on Main street, raising dust and creating a nuisance. The company promised to make the schedule between the Terminal station and Wentworth street for passenger cars ten minutes while the speed of freight cars will be reduced to six miles.

Building Inspector Anderson paid his first visit to the new annex district today to go over the ground and inspect any buildings there that may be in an unsafe condition. This district of course will be governed by all city by-laws now and permits for all buildings will have to be secured at the building inspector's office.

City Solicitor Waddell and Secretary Brennan are in Toronto to-day appearing before the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board in connection with the old account for asphalt repair work, two feet outside the rails, which the Street Railway Company disputes.

AGAINST WIFE

Warrant Issued for the Arrest of Mrs. Taglerino To-day.

A warrant has been issued for the arrest of Mrs. Taglerino, 396 Sherman avenue north.

She is accused of threatening Mr. J. Leslie, bailiff, and County Constable Pickard.

Leslie went to Taglerino's house on Tuesday, in company with Pickard, to seize the goods and chattels in the house, on a warrant sworn out by R. S. Martin, for non-payment of \$125 due on a chattel mortgage.

On their arrival the fun started, according to the story told by Leslie and Pickard, for they alleged that Mrs. Taglerino took up a hammer and threatened to do all kinds of things to them, and they further allege she exclaimed: "If you don't clear out you will get the same medicine as the other fellows got!"

Mrs. Taglerino is the wife of John Taglerino, now in custody awaiting trial, accused of being implicated in the Black Hand outrage on Salvatore Sanzone.

NEW CLUB.

Mount Hamilton Young Men Organize a Literary Society.

On Tuesday evening a meeting of young men was held at the Smith household, Mount Hamilton, for the purpose of organizing a literary and debating society for the men of the neighborhood. The meeting was unanimously in favor of the scheme, and the society was organized and a set of officers elected. They are: Mr. Peter Smith, President; Rev. F. W. K. Harris, B. A., Vice-President; Mr. George Head, Secretary-Treasurer; Executive Committee—M. Lockey, Oliver Blandif, K. K. Hunt and Geo. McVittie. A meeting will be held next Wednesday evening to arrange about securing a meeting place to fix upon a name for the club, and to prepare a programme. The club will be open to all mountain men. It is not connected with any church or denomination. But it is expected to fill a much felt want.

INSTRUCTED TO ISSUE WRITS AGAINST TIMES.

Four Members of Board of Education Take Hamilton Brick Company's Manager's Remarks as Personal.

The Times Looks Upon All Five as Above Suspicion and Thinks They Took the Matter Up Wrong.

As a result of the open charge of graft made yesterday by Manager Thompson, of the Hamilton Brick Company, in connection with the letting of a \$20,000 contract for the masonry work of the new addition to the Victoria avenue school, Chairman Allen, of the Building Committee, and Trustees Ward, Carr and Linger instructed their solicitor, S. D. Biggar, this morning to issue writs for libel against Mr. Thompson and the Times Printing Company. They are the members of the committee which awarded the contract. The trouble arises out of the committee's action in refusing to accept the tender of the Orpen Company, of Toronto, which was \$227 lower than the next lowest tender, that of W. H. Yates, junior, of this city. The committee received the permission of the board to accept the lowest tender in each case, except for the masonry work. Mr. Orpen, who formerly owned the Hamilton Brick Company, undertook to engage Hamilton labor and buy as much of the material as possible here. His solicitor wrote to the trustees about it after the matter was before the board. The trustees say that the only point discussed was whether the contract should be let to an outside firm. They agreed that it should not. The Orpen Company's tender was \$19,948. Mr. Yates, after receiving the contract at his own figure,

voluntarily reduced it to \$20,027. Chairman Ward of the Board of Education, this morning declared that he did not even know Mr. Yates and the only motive that influenced him in Mr. Yates' favor was to see a Hamilton firm get the work. The trustees agreed that they could not permit such a serious charge to be made without receiving prompt action and they waited on their solicitor bright and early this morning. Manager Thompson, of the Hamilton Brick Company, is out of the city today, and therefore could not be seen in regard to the above matter. From what Mr. Thompson said yesterday, however, the Times draws the conclusion that he does not for one moment infer that any of the gentlemen of the Building Committee of the Board of Education was a party to any course of action by which any one of them received, or is to receive, one cent of money, or in any way, directly or indirectly benefit by the letting of the contract to a tenderer whose figures were not the lowest. What the Times would judge from what Mr. Thompson said is that he considers the difference between the lowest tender and the accepted tender to be money improperly spent, and that he considers "graft," without insinuating any dishonesty or wishing to cast any reflection upon the gentlemen who have taken his remarks as referring to them personally. Speaking for the Times, we have only to say that we have the fullest confidence in every member of the committee. We do not believe there is one of the five who would stoop to anything dishonest, or to anything in the form of "graft," if by that is meant any course of action by which he would be personally benefited wrongfully, or by which any public money would be spent dishonestly, or by which any friend or associate would be benefited improperly. Of the five men named Mr. Allan, Chairman of the committee, is a Spectator foreman, a man of long standing on the Board of Education, who has given the city able service and whose intentions are above suspicion. Mr. Ward is a man above reproach. A citizen honored in public and private life, who has the confidence of every citizen—and of the Times. Mr. Carr is an old friend of the Times in many a good natured political battle, but his course on the Board of Education has been at all times honorable and aggressive, and to accuse him of any impropriety is the last thing the Times would do. Mr. Linger is a young man, a newcomer on the Board, but a successful and enterprising citizen, and certainly not one who would countenance any wrongdoing. Such a thing as accusing any one of these gentlemen with "graft" never for a moment entered the Times' mind. Mr. Thompson had not received writs or notices before going away this morning, and the Times has received nothing official up to press time.

JIMMY BAUM HEARD FROM

Gives New Interest to the Kinrade Murder Case.

Following so closely on the sensation created by the confession in London, England, of John Bedford, who announced that he was the slayer of Ethel Kinrade, but who is believed by the police to be insane, the despatch from Norfolk, Virginia, announcing that the Pinkerton detectives are in possession of the name of the man who sent the mysterious bouquet to Florence Kinrade at the Portsmouth theatre, the incident so dramatically referred to by Jimmie Baum, the actor, in his evidence, interest in the celebrated murder mystery has been given a fresh impetus. The detectives tried hard at the time to get the name on the card attached to the bouquet but failed. Baum could not remember it. According to the Norfolk despatch he has since recalled it. The man is said to be a government official in a Western Ontario town. It is very doubtful, if, at this late date, the information can be of any value in solving the mystery, although the Attorney-General's Department in view of the amount of money it spent trying to bring Ethel Kinrade's slayer to justice, is understood to be still interested in the case and investigating the new clue. The man if located might possibly throw some light on the mysterious Marion Elliott. The incident also recalls one of the features of the Baum play, which is remembered, created a sensation in the dying hours of the inquest when he secured permission to make a statement and started the crowded court room with this remark: "If they get the party who chased this girl from Portsmouth they will get the fellow who killed her sister."

BUSY MONTH.

John Berlinghoff Paying Particular Attention to Horses.

Inspector John Berlinghoff, for the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, had a very busy month of it in October. He has dealt with 30 cases of cruelty to animals in various forms; has ordered off many horses from work, and has given warnings and received promises of better care. He has seen that teams drawing from deep excavations are assisted, and in a great many ways had the owners of horses to understand that they must be properly cared for, and that no animal will be allowed to work that is in any way unfit. He is adopting the plan of warnings now, which, if not heeded, will be followed by summonses. Three cases which were brought before the Magistrate had fines imposed.

ABSOLUTELY FAIR.

With only 1,800 seats to reserve and 5,000 people clamoring for them the Tiger Football management is having a hard time of it. The officers have conducted the sale in an absolutely impartial way. Talk about reserving large blocks for Toronto and Montreal while Hamilton people are refused is nonsense. No seats have been reserved for outsiders except the ordinary courtesy of 100 seats for the opposing team. The management will do its very best to accommodate all it can.

Genuine Calabash Pipes.

South African Calabash pipes are light in weight, smoke cool and color well. Genuine Calabash pipes, in all grades, from one dollar up, are sold at peace's pipe store, 107 King street east.

THE MAN IN OVERALLS

Mr. Bedford drops out of sight, Mr. Jimmie Baum trots into the limelight, thus furnishing a continuous diversion.

Knotty point—Who held up Dictator Lobb at Burlington when on his way to Hamilton a week or two ago? The brigands have never been tracked.

The wonder is how we ever got along without the services of the Victorian Order of Nurses?

Now that Martin Malone has got after the Mayor the jig is up. He might as well throw up his hands. Nothing more need or can be said. (Tumultuous applause.)

I have not met a fireman yet who is not in favor of the city getting all the advantages it can from the Hydro-Electric Commission.

Martin Malone and Wm. Bell seem to be annoyed at the Mayor, but that does not annoy him.

Of course, at the last moment the Herald may put in a plea of insanity. It is crazy enough to do it.

I have generally noticed that a doctor who becomes an alderman either hasn't much practice or he soon loses what he has.

After all, how small our quarrels are when compared with the venetians.

Good evening. How's your cold?

When the girls hear that Jack the Huggler is in town again there will be no keeping them in the house at nights.

Why doesn't the police prosecute the Hamilton Herald as a common scold?

VanAllen's ultimatum is: If you don't like the Beach, get off. That's the way the Abkhond of Swat would talk.

So the temperance ladies wouldn't condemn "bridge." Still, I have heard of people being intoxicated with the game.

Christmas is coming. Make out your list.

Did it ever occur to you that they might be wrong and the other fellow right on the power question? None of us is infallible, and your noodle may not be in perfect working order.

Antiquarian—Will the Gore fence be placed in the Dundurn museum? Maybe aye and maybe no.

I should be inclined to let Mr. Flatt build that incline railway if he feels inclined.

If you have a sure cure for a cold, with a cough and a tickling in the throat, sent it in. I know of half a dozen people who can make use of it. Yes; they tried the doctor, at least some of them say they did.

Don't let this power question get the better of you. Look how it has soured the Herald. Hasn't a civil word for anybody. Can't even look pleasant. Groneching all the time.

I hear now that Barton township is to sue the city for non-support. What will that man Duff do next?

—Mr. A. P. Van Fleet, 135 Stinson street, left on Monday night for Vancouver, on a business trip, in the interest of the Canadian Writterpress Co.

MURRAY-TUCK ELOPEMENT.

Mrs. Murray Ready to Forgive and Take Husband Back.

Concerning the alleged elopement of Olive Tuck, of this city, a 17-year-old girl, with Charles Murray, a young married man, of Toronto, a despatch from that city says:

With his wife and family quarantined in an upstairs room in his home on the Vaughan road, near the corner of St. Clair avenue, on account of the two-year-old daughter having contracted scarlet fever, Charles Murray eloped with Olive Tuck, a 17-year-old Hamilton girl, who was boarding with them, and has not been heard of since. Murray is a member of the 48th Highlanders, and on several occasions Olive Tuck has accompanied him to the Armories to watch the soldiers drill. On Friday night last they set out together, leaving word with Mrs. Murray to have a nice hot cup of tea ready for them when they came home. She did as she had promised, and waited all night for their return, in vain. They have not been seen since that time.

At the bank it was found that Murray had drawn out all the money that he had on deposit.

"I did not suspect that anything was wrong between my husband and Olive Tuck until two weeks ago," said Mrs. Murray. "I accused them both, but they both denied that anything was wrong, and I had to let it go at that, as I was quarantined upstairs, and they were downstairs. The girl's father knows about it, and he will have my husband arrested on a charge of abduction."

Mrs. Murray added that, although at present she is very angry about the affair, she did not doubt that, if her husband came back, she would forgive him, and allow things to go on as if nothing had happened.

YORK LOAN.

Owners of Many Cheques Cannot be Found by Postmen.

There are a great many letters in the postoffice containing York County Loan cheques addressed to people with street addresses where they lived ten or fifteen years ago, and who cannot now be found by the letter carriers, not having left change of address. If parties who are expecting cheques and have not yet received them will call at the postoffice these letters will be delivered to them, if they can be properly identified.

VEALE GONE.

Alleged Forger Taken Away Early This Morning.

Frederick J. Veale, the much heard of alleged forger, has gone. He left on the C. P. R. 8.35 train this morning for Toronto to take the 9.40 for the west. Corporal Slater, of the N. W. M. P., was Veale's bodyguard. The prisoner was well shackled. During all that long journey the officer will, he says, sleep with one eye open. He expects to reach Regina next Saturday.

Nice and Sweet.

We are displaying in our east window a quantity of first prize comb and extracted honey. See it. None better ever offered. Special price by the dozen. We have the extract in sixty-pound cans; also in one, two and five-pound glass jars. Those Long Point ducks arrived yesterday and are selling fast; so are squabs.—Bain & Adams.

SHE GOES TO TRIAL

London, Nov. 4.—Mrs. Chapin, the militant suffragette, who made an attack upon a polling place during the Bermondsey by-election last Thursday, was committed for trial by the magistrate at the Old Bailey to-day on the double charge of having unlawfully meddled with the ballot-box and caused grievous harm to the presiding officer. Mrs. Chapin broke a bottle containing corrosive acid upon a ballot-box, with the apparent intention of destroying the ballots which the box contained. Some of the acid, which did not find its way into the box, splattered upon election officials, one of whom was severely burned.

PASSED THE \$10,000 MARK

Y. W. C. A. Building Fund is Still \$4,600 Short.

Campaign Will Close at 10 O'Clock This Evening.

Committee Asks for Small Sums Equal to Football Gate.

The total of subscriptions for the Y. W. C. A. building fund reported up till 12.30 to-day was \$10,394. This leaves \$4,600 to be raised this afternoon and evening in order to complete the \$15,000 needed. The campaign will close at 10 o'clock to-night. Till then subscriptions will be received at headquarters, telephone 15,000.

The Y. W. C. A. boys' building subscriptions amount to \$1,546.

The following list shows total subscriptions so far by the various committees:

Table with 2 columns: Committee Name and Amount. Includes Special committee (\$2,085), F. R. Smith (\$2,115), R. T. Kelley (\$1,408), W. H. Wardrop (\$1,146), J. H. Horning (\$1,002), George H. Lees (\$78), D. M. Barton (\$65), W. F. Brennan (\$53), N. E. Adams (\$165), Frank McIlroy (\$22), R. O. Hooper (\$134).

This morning one of the workers in this campaign called attention to the fact that if a sum could be secured equal to the estimated proceeds of Saturday's football game, the Y. W. C. A. fund would be complete. In other words, if everyone who is going to attend the game, paying 50 cents or 75 cents according to whether he is lucky enough to have a reserved seat or not, would set aside a similar sum for the Y. W. C. A., the fund would be complete. No one would miss so trifling an amount; some thousands of people would enjoy the privilege of helping in this most worthy work, who otherwise might not; and Hamilton would be assured of a Young Women's Christian Association building free from debt and adequately equipped to carry on its great work for the young women.

The success of the present effort now calls for a multitude of small subscriptions. The effect upon the subscribers will not be as exciting as football, but the lasting sense of satisfaction will probably be ample compensation.

THE HYDRO IS MEETING

Is Dealing With Hamilton's Case at Toronto To-day.

(Special Wire to the Times.) Toronto, Nov. 4.—The whole question of Hamilton's relations with the Hydro-Electric Power Commission and the course of action which the Hydro Commission will take in view of city's latest move is being thoroughly threshed out at a meeting in the Hydro offices this morning. Every detail is being considered. All the commissioners except Hon. Col. Hendrie are present and the Hydro's last answer will be made to-day, the Times correspondent was told by Hon. Adam Beck. The meeting was, of course, behind closed doors. The chairman did not care to foreshadow what the Commission would do, contenting himself with saying that an announcement would be made after the meeting which will probably continue well into the afternoon.

Sanitary Specialities.

We have just received a fresh stock from England of ladies' sanitary towels, in three sizes. They also come put up in compressed packages, convenient for travelling. These goods are of excellent quality and downy softness, and are superior to all others for efficiency and comfort. Parke & Parke, corner MacNab street and Market Square.

Fresh Fish For Friday.

Bar Point oysters in the shell, select and standard oysters in bulk, fresh cod, haddock, founders, mackerel, perch, pickered, herrings, whitefish, trout, shredded cod, boneless cod, salt mackerel, Holland and Lochfyne herrings in kegs, red herrings in boxes, finnan haddies, escoces, kippers, anchovies in kegs, fresh hulled prawnwicks, devilled crabs, hard shell crabs.—Peebles, Hobson & Co., Limited.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES

To rent at \$2 a year and upwards, for the storing of deeds, bonds, stocks, wills, silver and other valuables. TRADERS BANK OF CANADA.

THROUGH BIG PLATE GLASS.

Stoney Creek Man Slept In the Debris of It

And Had to Pay \$50 or Go to Jail For Term.

Struggle on Roof of Building Leads to Court Case.

William Norton, from the historical burg of Stoney Creek, got drunk last night and fell through a big plate glass window in G. W. Robinson's store. He must pay for the damage he did, which amounts to \$50, or go to jail for twenty-one days. Magistrate Jelfs handed down that decision in police court this morning.

As P. C. James Clark was walking his beat on James street this morning at 1.55 there lay in the doorway a man apparently dead in the middle of a great pile of broken glass. Examination of the man proved he was merely under the influence of soporific decoctions. Repeated taps on William's ribs failed to awaken him, so he was taken down to the stretcher on King William street in the dark colored vehicle. But during the ride down he woke and tried to plant a few kicks in the officer's belt line. When P. C. Clark swore to the foregoing the man from the famous battlefield district affirmed it was all Greek to him. He remembered imbibing copiously when night was on the wane.

One of G. W. Robinson's clerks then took the stand. "How far is the broken window from the sidewalk?" "Six feet."

"If you get drunk you must expect to pay for it," said his worship to the defendant.

On the lapel of his coat Horton wore a tiny circular frame a picture of a baby. He looked first at it, then at the magistrate, then at his shame. He was led away over the bridge, his nice blue suit bearing evidence of his cold, hard bed on the sidewalk last night.

A struggle on the roof of a new addition to the MacPherson factory, 40 feet from the ground, took place yesterday, and Joseph Craven, it is stated, had grave apprehensions of being hurled to an instantaneous death, by Henry Blankstein, 346 Hunter street east.

Craven said he was on the roof in question yesterday, when Blankstein, who, he said, was drunk, ordered him to go to the shop, and then took him by the throat and tried to make him alight on his mother earth with a rude jolt. The attempt to aid his downward transit was done to the accompaniment of ungalant language. Then Blankstein chinned in to say he was boss on the job and had a right to order complainant off the job.

"He's no more boss than I am, your worship," said Craven.

"Who gets the orders?" queried defendant.

"You don't get any extra for it," retorted Craven.

A youth corroborated complainant's story, and inaudibly whispered the inferior language to the court.

Blankstein affirmed the trouble was the outcome of persistent teasing, and when he did the complainant would say "That's a Dutch way of doing it."

"The whole shooting match is spitting me," "why I wouldn't touch a lamb," said defendant.

"I did not," said the bench.

"But you did," said a friend said to me, "for — sake hit him, but I didn't."

"If you get in a dispute or altercation go to headquarters and don't take the law into your own hands," said his worship.

"Have you any witnesses?" "Yes; the whole of Riddell's gang."

"Where are they?" "I didn't bring them. I thought my own word of truth was sufficient witness for me."

He was found guilty of assault and fined three dollars.

All through the building rang the cry of "Tim Sullivan, Tim Sullivan," and just before the echoes had died away, Tim showed up.

He was wanted to explain why he did not send his boy to school. He was warned that if his boy plays hooky again he will lose him.

HE DENIES IT.

Gebhardt, Alias Mueller, Says He Was Not Barton Murderer.

Fred Gebhardt, alias Otto Mueller, the alleged "Bluebeard" under arrest in New York, and who, it was thought, might be the Barton murderer, Ontario's Criminal Investigation Department attaching enough importance to the theory to begin an official investigation, according to a despatch from New York, gives a most emphatic denial to the story. He insists that he knows nothing about the crime in the hickory grove on the Marshall property over the mountain four years ago. The despatch adds that he was served a long term in Sing Sing for fraud and perjury, as the New York authorities assert, he was released from prison on August 11th, 1905.

Notwithstanding Gebhardt's denial and the fact that his description does not tally as closely as was first supposed with the Barton murderer, Provincial Inspector Green, is in correspondence with New York and is still impressed with the idea that there is a possibility that Mueller is the man he has so long sought.

A Spanish Beauty

"To convince me that we might have spent our time more pleasantly and profitably than in playing the spy and spy-dropper—yes, spy-dropper!"

"My first act," Donna Inez went on, her dark eyes flashing, "when I reached the castle, will be to go to Lord Roderick, confess all my baseness, and beg his pardon. That is what I intended, I do not deserve; but he loves me, and he is great-hearted—he will grant it."

"Let me congratulate you, Donna Inez. I rejoice sincerely that you have both been deceived, and that Rory has come forth from the ordeal unscathed. At the same time—let me bid you goodbye."

"Good-bye! And why, señor?" "Because a scene, a quarrel, are so very unpleasant, and I foresee both in prospective. With the best of motives, I have led you into error; as you say, we have played the spy, and my lordly cousin is a little of a first-class when aroused. Rory and I have never had a quarrel as yet—I am absurdly fond of the lad. I will shrink a quarrel now if I can."

"The dark, disdainful eyes of the donna flashed scornfully upon him in the moonlight."

"You take a strange way of showing your fondness, señor. Rest easy; there shall be no scene—no quarrel. I confess my own faults; I tell no tales of others. My lord shall never know from me that the friend he trusts, the kinsman he loves, strove to betray him."

"Donna Inez!" "Enough, señor. We will waste no words on this subject. I think, after to-night, I shall understand you thoroughly."

"She waved him down with the imperious grace of an insulted empress, and sped on so fleetly that it was all he could do, with his long, fine-struck, to keep up with her. Not another word was exchanged. Gerald Desmond ground his teeth in 'curse, not loud, but deep.' As the best gamblers must, occasionally, he had staked and lost."

"Rory stood in the long, low, old-fashioned drawing room, very much satisfied. Lady Inez was not in the house—neither was Gerald. Where had they gone?"

"She swept in as he stood there alone in dense perplexity, her dark, Castilian loveliness aglow, the Spanish eyes brilliant as stars, the rich, black hair falling loose and long, her mantilla and her mantilla and crossed over to where he stood, clasped both hands round his arm, and looked up in his face with wondrous shining eyes of splendor."

"My lord! my love! can you ever forgive me?" "Inez!" "Ah, no kisses, no caresses, until you know how low I have fallen, how unworthy I am. Lord Roderick, I have been playing the spy."

"Upon me?" "It flashed upon him at once—the truth. She had suspected, had followed—had seen him meet Kathleen, and hear the poor girl's body to her father's house. She was to have been my wife in a month—only three nights ago she gave me her promise."

"Did she, now?" said O'Moore, sotto voce. "Then by this and that I don't wonder, let us prepare a bundle and bear the poor girl's body to her father's house. She was to have been my wife in a month—only three nights ago she gave me her promise."

"If those pleasant days would but return, and I had the ordering of Mr. Morgan's fate!" He looked gloomily down the stream, thinking how the mighty were fallen since those days of yore. An instant later and he had leaped up with a bound and an exclamation; for there before him floated on the placid water the most terrible object moonlight or sunlight can shine on—an upturned dead face. It was the face of a woman; he could see that by the floating dress and the long, bright hair. The features under the glimmering water he could not clearly discern. He stood for one instant of time appalled—then, with a light leap of a young stag, he was in the water, and holding the drowning body in his left arm, struck out with the right for the shore. He drew his lifeless burden up on the turf bank, shook himself like a dripping Triton, and looked down upon the face lying so still and white on the grass.

"Oh, God! Kathleen!" His cry went echoing down the desolate glen, high and shrill; for there, before him, marble white, marble cold—drowned—lay Kathleen O'Neil!

"His cry was echoed. While he stood above her, the branches had parted, and two bearded faces looked down upon him. With a terrible shout—more like the roar of a wild beast than a human cry of grief—one of the men leaped down upon and seized him by the throat. "Murderer! caught red-handed! You have ended your victim at last!"

"Rory Desmond had the strength, the sinew, the science of a young gladiator. Before the words were well uttered, his aggressor went down like a bullock, before one scientific lunge "from the shoulder."

"Who are you? Ah!—with ineffable disdain—"Morgan, the attorney! Have you murdered her, that you know so well where to come to look for the body?"

"Morgan gathered himself up, livid with rage and fear and fury, bleeding from a broken nose, and shook his fist with ferocious glare at the slender young aristocrat."

"I accuse you, Lord Roderick Desmond, and your rank shall not save you. Mind, O'Moore, we caught him in the act."

"Of reskying the body from the fishes—yes," said the town constable, bluntly. "Hould your dirty pate, Mister Torney, an' don't be accusin' my betters. Oh, the purty darlin'! Troth, Lord Roderick, it's a thousand pities, so 'tis. How did you fish on the body at all?"

"I came here to light," Rory answered, so lost in grief and amazement and horror that he scarcely knew what he had said, "and saw her floating. Great Heaven! who could have done this?"

"Herself, maybe," suggested O'Moore. "Faix, I've known them to do it often in the town bevant."

"Kathleen commit suicide? Never. There has been foul murder done here, and the murderer shall be hunted down, by the light above us!"

"His fiery blue eyes flashed on Morgan. The Cockney attorney returned the look with one of bitter hatred."

"He shall, and shall hang like a dog, were he the highest in the land! Here, where he lies, let us prepare a bundle and bear the poor girl's body to her father's house. She was to have been my wife in a month—only three nights ago she gave me her promise."

"Did she, now?" said O'Moore, sotto voce. "Then by this and that I don't wonder, let us prepare a bundle and bear the poor girl's body to her father's house. She was to have been my wife in a month—only three nights ago she gave me her promise."

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fresh glow made by the breezes of Jersey. She's Lily Langtry, "the Jersey Lily," unwithered after 57 years! This is her latest photograph, taken just after she wrote her first novel, "A Great Merit," which critics say is of great merit.

"Age has no terrors, and time no blight for Lily Langtry."

The ladies had gone to the drawing-room, and he was waiting impatiently to follow, when a servant entered and announced that Sheriff French wished at once to see him.

"To see me?" repeated Rory. "What can the sheriff wish to see me for? Send him in, Mike."

"The sheriff of the town entered, very pale, very grave. "Well, French," Rory said, advancing to meet him, "nothing private, I hope? What is it?"

"A very painful duty, my lord—not private, I regret to say. Lord Roderick Desmond—his hand fell heavily on the young man's shoulder—"are my prisoners!"

With a simultaneous cry every man sprung to his feet. For Rory, he stood an instant astounded; then, with a backward bound, he shook off the sheriff and sent him reeling.

"Arrest me! What do you mean?" "I am very sorry, my lord, but duty must be done. Here is my warrant. I arrest you in the queen's name for the willful murder of Kathleen O'Neil!"

"Yes," "Well, you have to expect that. My wife was that way. Every time she heard a noise downstairs she'd rout me out and chase me down to investigate. After a time, however, I convinced her that if a burglar ever did get into the house he wouldn't make any noise at all."

"The inquest was over. A dozen stolid jurymen had brought in a verdict of "Found Drowned"—a safe verdict, surely, to which no exception could be taken, except, perhaps, on the score of originality. And that was the end of the matter, and the women went chanting their wild Irish keel over the hills to the lonely chapel-yard, and there was sorrow, deep and true, in many a lowly heart."

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"What became of them?" "Oh, one's a grocer right here in Toulouse. He does a very good business."

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"Dear, dear! And his father such a good, worthy man!"—Youth's Companion.

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"Yen Jensen," he began, "has say hay pay next week. Ole Oleson, has say you pay day week, vich he 'free weeks off yet, an' Yon Yonson, has say hay pay in January."

"Good!" interrupted the credit man. "You've brought the best news I've had to-day. That's the first time John Johnson has ever promised to pay anything at all."

"Vall," returned the collector, a trifle doubtfully, "has say it be a tam old day ven hay do pay, an' Yarekon has mean January."—The Bookkeeper.

The young benedict was experiencing his first trouble. "My wife," he said, "is so exceedingly nervous at night. She scarcely sleeps."

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"Lady de Bath—our old friend, Mrs. Langtry, is bringing out a novel and a volume of memoirs," said a Chicago publisher. "Both books should be witty."

"Lady de Bath during dinner said to a woman seated near her: "Who is that fat man over there with the curious blue face?"

Jean Paul Laurens, the famous French painter, was the son of an honest care driver of Toulouse. At one time when the painter was at the height of his Parisian reputation it happened that two old women at Toulouse were talking about the Laurens family.

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THE HAMILTON TIMES

THURSDAY, NOV. 4, 1909.

FACE THE FACTS.

The Hamilton Herald is so hard put to it to squirm out of the hole in which our exposure of its tactics in the Hydro contract matter has placed it that it devotes columns to abuse of the Times, founded upon the fact that we did not, to give one or two concise statements in its own words, reprint an entire editorial of considerable length. It was not necessary; the extracts express clear opinions; they are not "garbled," and nothing in that or any other conspiracy editorial could affect them. It declared that "the form of contract is not what it ought to be." It further expressed the opinion that "it would not be prudent" for the city to sign a monopoly contract for power. Those statements are as true as they ever were; the contract is as imprudent and "imprudent." The organ, by some means or other, has since that been brought to use its worst efforts to force it on the city. Why, think you, reader?

This Hydro-Electric power scheme has already cost Hamilton a good many thousand dollars direct, and it has interfered with its progress to no small extent. While other places less advantageously situated have been attracting industries, the Hydro advocates have been advertising our city as being in the grasp of a tyrannous and insatiable electric monopoly. This was false, of course, as they well knew, but how were outsiders to know it, when the local conspirators set up the cry, and even regularly furnished outside papers with falsely colored reports to give it the appearance of truth? The agitation has injured Hamilton in many ways; has prevented the progress of transportation feeders for Hamilton, and helped to keep business from our merchants. Let the shameful libelling of Hamilton cease. If the Hydro Commissioners will not give us at cost rates the 1,000 horsepower we are willing to take, and exempt us from the monopoly clause, we may be sure that their reason for so deciding is not one to encourage us to enter the bigger scheme. Tell them to pass on, and let us use our own cheaper power entirely. We are sure of it, with all proper safeguards.

THE SAN JOSE SCALE.

The Maryland peach growers are fearful that their industry will be ruined unless some more effective method of fighting the San Jose scale can be discovered. Entire orchards are destroyed by it, and but indifferent success has followed the efforts to combat its ravages by various kinds of sprays. The United States Government Agricultural Department has given the subject much attention, and its work will not be without interest to our own fruit growers.

Some years ago the experts of the department thought that speedy and sure extermination would be brought about by a beetle, the ladybird. The original home of the scale was in the Chinese orchards near Peking. At the same time the ladybird was discovered. It fed industriously upon the scale, and at once the practicality of introducing it in the United States suggested itself to Prof. Marlatt, of the Department of Agriculture, who had conducted the search. Prof. Marlatt sent about two hundred of these beetles to America, but unfortunately only about thirty arrived alive, and of that number all but two died during the winter. In shipping these beetles they were placed in small wooden boxes packed full of scale-infected twigs, and sent through the mails, with the exception of one package, personally taken across the Pacific by Miss Laura Bell, and mailed in Vancouver.

The shipments, so far as they could be controlled, were made to catch the Canadian Pacific steamers to obtain the advantage of the northern and much cooler as well as the shorter passage. Nevertheless, it probably took them four or five weeks for the material sent from Japan and a week or more longer for the material sent from China to reach its destination. The high percentage of mortality may also be accounted for by the probability that a good many of the beetles collected were old.

The experience was not encouraging, but from the two surviving about 200 eggs were obtained. After 160 larvae had been hatched indoors the parent beetles were placed on a large plum tree in the experimental orchard, and protected by a wire screen cage covering the tree. All of the indoor hatched larvae were afterward transferred to this tree, and before the death of these imported insects, about the end of May, more than 200 larvae were in various stages of development. From this beginning the stock increased very rapidly, and to accommodate them several other large trees were constructed, covering pear trees infested with San Jose scale, and by midsummer many beetles were liberated in the orchard.

The department began in 1902 to send out ladybirds to eastern experiment stations. Probably over 1,000 specimens have been distributed. There have been reports of success in propagating the ladybirds, but as yet it has not proved to be a speedy remedy for the scale. It is not too late, however, for it to make good. If it does what was hoped for, it will be a great boon to our horticulturists.

To-morrow is Guy Fawkes' Day. Nowadays they do not use gun powder to blow up Parliamentarians; there is always natural gas aplenty for that purpose.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The State of Alabama is suffering from financial stringency caused by the prohibitory law reducing the revenue. It will get over that. It is merely a matter of adjustment that will take a year or two.

Hearst says he is pleased with the result of the New York elections. As he was tail-end in the Mayoralty contest the people have reason to be gratified with that feature of the election anyway.

Officials of the Hamilton Steel & Iron Company deny the rumor that control of the industry has been passed to the C. P. R., but intimate that there will be a very important increase in plant and business activities. Our people will be pleased to hear that.

The Beach is said to be becoming "a rich man's preserve." For some years it has been growing more expensive, and recent regulations affecting education tend to make Beachers who have families to support by their labor think about getting hence.

It is amusing to hear the organ of the conspirators against the city babbling about "the people" being "worked up to a white heat of indignation" because the conspiracy failed on Monday night. The Herald delusion that it is "the people" hardly deserves itself.

Hon. J. S. Hendrie, are you satisfied with the role you have been cast to play in this Hydro-Electric performance? Are you willing to be a mere piece of "property," an echo of Adam Beck, or a door mat for Solicitor Lobbs? Have you any duty to perform toward your own city?

Mayor McClellan, of New York, has appointed three women to the Board of Education of the city. This is the second time that women have had a place on the Board. Assuming that the right women have been selected, there is every reason to believe that they may render excellent service.

A. E. Kemp, Tory ex-M. P., told Toronto Tories last night that the Conservative party should not be held responsible for the defence resolution unanimously adopted by Parliament, which policy Mr. R. L. Borden, the Conservative leader, strongly supports. Has Kemp his dagger out for Borden, too?

If it is that man Lobbs who seeks to bulldoze Hamilton in the power matter, perhaps Hon. Mr. Hendrie might show him his place. If, however, Hon. Mr. Hendrie is with the conspirators to "do" the city, the council may as well cut loose from the power scheme at once. In any event it must not permit the city to be "done."

Since Mr. R. L. Borden delivered his Toronto speech in approval of the Government's naval policy, there has been a somewhat remarkable silence in the direction of the aperture in Hon. R. P. Roblin's face. Even Hon. Mr. McBride has felt impelled to bridge his tongue. Will the party "rebellion" perish thus young?

There is much complaint in Toronto of the poor showing made at the recent examinations by the Collegiate Institute pupils in reading, writing and spelling. Provincial Inspector Spotton says that they were specially poor in spelling. There is a danger of devoting so much time to educational fads that the ordinary English subjects of a good primary education are neglected.

No doubt, having entered the conspiracy against the city, the Herald bitterly regrets having in a better moment condemned the Hydro contract as being "not what it ought to be," and warning the people that "it would not be prudent" to sign it; but why rail at the Times? It is not the Times that has proved recreant to the people and is obliged to try to deny its own words!

The sale of a portion of the Gillies Limit by the Government for \$10,000 did not prevent a company that bought it from finding it to be worth \$5,000,000, and capitalizing it at that figure. As the Whitney-adoring Toronto Telegram sorrowfully says: "The Gillies Limit does not look like one of the points of excellence in the work of the Whitney Government." But some favorites get a chance to make a fortune at the expense of the people.

We have heard a good deal recently about the "home work evil," but we have never been able to give our unreserved approval to the condemnation of home work. Indeed, we are inclined to think that there is a good deal of fustian about this "grievance." The Moose Jaw Times very sensibly says: "Home study, like any other good thing, can be over done, especially in the lower forms. But among the larger scholars, it is too often the case that the less there is of home study the more there is of street walking." Home work has a vast balance of good in its favor.

The Federal Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia has confirmed the sentences for imprisonment for contempt of court imposed upon Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison, who undertook to set the laws of the United States at defiance. The judgment may not probably will not end the matter, as the Supreme Court of the United States may yet be appealed to. But it begins to look as if the United States were bigger even than Gompers, and that if that worthy lives long enough he may yet do some productive work, even if it be inside of a prison. The result will be good, if it

teach the lesson that no man is so big that he can defy the laws of the country.

Carnegie has returned to New York and has been talking about the war scares. That he takes no stock in them is made clear by the following:

You know how I stand on the subject of universal peace. It is a disgrace that the nations should be building to destroy each other. England is in a state of frenzy about a war with Germany. The feeling is entirely uncalculated, for Germany has no idea of fighting anybody. If there is any war between England and Germany, it will be a commercial one. I think commercial wars do not usually lead to the clash of arms.

The Hamilton Herald in its role of spider to the city fly pleads that as Hon. John S. Hendrie is on the Commission we should not fear to sign the Hydro contract without the safeguarding clauses, as "he would not get an injustice done to the city." If Mr. Hendrie has no influence enough—or is not willing to use it—to have the very simple clauses inserted now to safeguard the city, why should we expect that he will have more influence, or be more willing to support by their labor think about getting hence.

The candidates for the by-election are now in the field in West Middlesex, and there is every prospect of a warm but short contest. Mr. Duncan C. Ross has no easy task before him to hold the constituency, his predecessor's majority being an exceedingly narrow one; but he is going into the fight with vigor, and with a policy which merits the favor of the electors. His opponent, Mr. McLaughlin, is a renegade Liberal, having deserted his party some years ago, and all the force which the Conservative party can muster will be exercised in his behalf.

The Blue Book of Public Accounts for the fiscal year has just been issued. It shows a surplus of \$1,029,171 on consolidated fund account. The total capital expenditure for the year was \$42,593,166. Of this, nearly \$36,000 was on railways, nearly \$25,000 of the amount being invested in the National Transcontinental. The iron and steel bounties of the year amounted to \$1,864,614. The year's deficit on the Intercolonial Railway was \$800,052. Under the new system of management of the Government railway, it is believed that the regular annual deficits have been ended.

Building Inspector Anderson came to the aid of the would-be plumbing inspector last night by making a plea for such an official in his annual report to the Fire and Water Committee. It is just 20 years ago since the effort was begun to saddle the ratepayers with the salary of such an official. It has been repeated each year. There has always been a man ready to draw the salary, and much diligent wire-pulling has been resorted to to get him the berth. Hamilton has saved a good deal of money in that time by not having him, and nobody is worse off except the fellow who didn't get the salary.

The Times cannot but think that the effort of the city representatives to default on the terms of the annexation of 1903, by securing the repeal of the proclamation conditions that give Barton residents, in certain circumstances, the privilege of city sewer connections and water supply at 50 per cent. advance on city rates, was ill-considered and discreditable. The city has much to gain and nothing to lose by the arrangement, and nothing but spite can be advanced to excuse the effort to default. That should be beneath the City Council or its servants. It is much to be regretted that such an effort should have been made.

The London Express, in commenting on a French critic's view of the recent German military manoeuvres, says: "It is a remarkable fact that the more the nations, or rather their military departments, play at soldiers the more the mass of the inhabitants in those countries detest the idea of war. Our French critic's summing up compels us to infer that the 100,000 German soldiers engaged in these manoeuvres must have felt worried and bored to death." Added to the disgust and fatigue of the men, the airship manoeuvres proved a fizzle, the military aeronauts and their machine coming to earth in the enemy's camp!

The Sudbury Daily Star, commenting upon the fact that \$30,000 in fines for illegal liquor selling in northern Ontario has been collected, expresses the belief that it is time a change was made in dealing with the liquor traffic in that territory. It says: "It will be remembered that soon after the Whitney Government took office the pledge was given that no more licenses would be issued in northern Ontario, and that the law against unlicensed selling would be vigorously enforced. But illegal selling has been going on continuously and enforcement has taken place only by fits and starts. In fact the resulting system may be described by saying it is virtually one of informal, irregular and demoralizing license."

The Star suggests that it would be preferable to legitimize the sale of liquors under Government officials, rather than submit to this demoralizing traffic.

HE WAS THE OTHER PARTY.

(Catholic Standard and Times.) "I want you to put in your 'Lost and Found' column an advertisement likeously and enforcement has taken place only by fits and starts. In fact the resulting system may be described by saying it is virtually one of informal, irregular and demoralizing license."

Our Exchanges

THREE-FIFTHS. (Guelph Mercury.)

Str James Whitney says he would like to have all Ontario on the water wagon, but he uses the three-fifths clause to keep as many off as possible.

FOLLOWS A SHINING EXAMPLE. (Boston Transcript.)

"Wilkins is quite a star as an after-dinner speaker." "Star! He's a regular moon. The fuller he gets the brighter he becomes."

CHAMPION AGITATOR. (Galt Reformer.)

Trust Billy Maclean, of the Toronto World, to hint up hobbies. Billy's latest is suffragetteism. Ireland should hire him for a season. He's a world-beater as an agitator.

PLENTY OF IT. (Toronto Star.)

Gum chewers will be concerned to learn that the chicle tree is threatened with extinction. No such fate, however, threatens the source of supply of those who chew the rag.

JIM KNOWS. (Grimsby Independent.)

The great trouble with a great many magistrates in this country is that they convict on their own prejudices or private feelings or perhaps street talk, instead of on the actual evidence produced in court.

A CONSULTATION. (Harper's Bazar.)

Glady—Well, what did Miss Doctor Cleverton say was the cause of your extreme paleness? Grace—Well, she has described to me a hat and waist that will go beautifully with it.

A MAN. (Brantford Courier.)

The only bright spot in connection with that Robinson case is the splendid conduct of Rev. Mr. Mathieson, who has given up the ministry to run the farm for the disgraced family. He's evidently a man.

WHAT WE'VE STOLEN. (Berlin Telegraph.)

A few days ago the business men of St. Catharines conducted a big excursion from outlying county points into the city to counteract the prevailing tendency of people to go to the larger centre of Hamilton to do their buying. According to the St. Catharines Standard and the city of the Hamilton has "stolen" practically five townships of Lincoln, besides a large part of the trade of Caistor, Gainsboro, North and South Grimsby, and Clinton townships.

POPULAR IMPERTINENCE. (Victoria Times.)

It is intolerable to think that mere ordinary people, whose proper business it is to pay the taxes out of which the salaries of ministers and the subsidies of active ministerial supporters are paid, should wish to see that alleged contract with the Canadian Northern Railway Company. Beasley bore such inquisitive and suspicious people an attention to the fact that they could be persuaded just to vote right and pay taxes without protest, the lot of peevish people in power would be a most happy one.

RENDER UNTO CAESAR. (Stratford Beacon.)

His Lordship Bishop DuMoulin, of Hamilton, appealed against his income assessment on the ground that it was too low. This was certainly a fine example, and gives pretty strong testimony to the fact that the bishop practices the doctrine he preaches, on one point at all events, honesty. It is a duty to be honest to the municipality and the state, although there are a great many people who call themselves Christians who do not think it wrong to escape the payment of taxes or of customs duties, though they may have to resort to some pretty sharp practices to do it.

BLINK BONNIE.

Fine Concert There To-night For the Boys' Home

At Blink Bonnie, the home of Col. and Mrs. Moodie, this evening, a high class concert is to be given in aid of the Boys' Home. For such a cause it should be very largely patronized. The programme is as follows: Aeolian-Organ overture—Poet and Peasant. Mr. J. R. Moodie. Baritone solo—The French Hussar. Mr. Orville Quigley. Organ—The Poem of the Seelins. Mr. C. Percival Garratt. Soprano solos: (a) Airs Moi. (b) Seleg Song. Miss Estel Carey. Violin solo—The Swan. Saint Saens. Miss Jean Pennington. Aeolian-Organ: (a) Voices of Chimes. (b) Venetian Song. (c) Tosti (Introducing the harp). Mr. J. R. Moodie. Contralto solos: (a) Dreaming. (b) Sing, Happy Birds. (c) Little Miss Esther Horne. Organ—(a) Melody in F. (b) Scotch Melody. Mr. C. Percival Garratt. Aeolian-Organ—The Lost Chord. Sullivan. Mr. J. R. Moodie. Organ—Fantasie on Familiar Airs. Mr. C. Percival Garratt.

CAREY BROS. AGAIN.

The Carey Bros. will be in Association Hall on Saturday, with another excellent programme of moving pictures and illustrated songs. Their recent programmes have been of the very highest quality and the audiences were delighted. The singing is a feature of the programme, above the ordinary. With direct current of electricity, the pictures are as plain as real life and well put on. The management is careful to have no pictures thrown on the canvass that would offend the most sensitive tastes, and the patronage of ladies and children is specially solicited.

A DEADLY CANKER.

Socialism Kills Manly Spirit and Stifles Ambition.

(Cor. New York Sun.)

The State, under the socialistic regime, is to be turned into a gigantic charitable institution managed by a horde of office-holders no better or worse than the average man. A living is to be guaranteed to everybody—the most immoral proposition ever put forth. Everything that is given free undermines the character of the receiver. Every man who is guaranteed immunity from want tends to become a pauper. All dependence is a degradation. Every reward that is not earned by the sweat of the brow is a theft.

A slavery worse than that which ever prevailed in ancient times would follow the erection of the socialistic State. By destroying the competitive system, the principle of individualism, the profound principle in nature, would be sapped at the core; men, always certain of life and the necessities, would lose the one supreme characteristic of their manhood, the ability to struggle and conquer. Under socialism we should have a race of machines with all initiative gone, ruled by a gigantic trust called the State, that would regulate the minutest affairs of life—on a theory that things could be "improved" thus.

All power tends to abuse. History gives us that as a universal truth. A power that owns all the means of production would end by owing the producer nothing, except death if he fails. Injustice is an equal distribution of goods. All men are born unequal. Socialism is confiscation—always popular with those who have nothing. Whatever there is great has been done in the world by the individual. The individual is nature's unit value. Telephones, telegraphs, railroads, canals, cables, all that makes for material progress, have been the work of individual initiative, goaded on by pride and stern necessity; and it is safe to say that wherever the State has attempted to regulate unduly those things that are the property of the individual decay has followed.

Man's only right is a competitive right. Any form of government that guarantees him any right except the right to seek for his living by labor weakens him. Rational government merely polices the arena. The rest it leaves to the individual.

DUNDAS.

W. O. Sealey First to See the Canal Danger.

Dundas, Nov. 4. To W. O. Sealey, M. P., belongs the credit of informing the town of the proposal of the C. N. R. to cross the canal by means of a bridge much lower than that used by the C. P. R. The information was contained in a letter to Mayor Lawason, intended to be submitted to the Council.

Among visitors in town during the past few days were Mr. and Mrs. Hallday, Toronto, with R. T. Wilson; Miss Lela Jacques, Simcoe, with Mrs. Chas. Rowe; Mrs. Thompson, Toronto, with Mrs. Stamford; Robt. Y. Ogg, Detroit, with W. H. Moss; Miss Bertha Ogden with Miss Adele Gratton; Miss Hart, Toronto, with Miss Jessie Wilson; Mrs. Season Cookburn, Winona, with Mrs. Cochenour; Mrs. Will, Moore, Vancouver, B. C., with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wilson.

The new high school building will be formally opened on Friday afternoon, the 12th inst., and in the evening of the same day the commencement entertainment will be held in the Town Hall, for which a programme of unusual excellence is being arranged.

Paul Lunn left on Monday to attend St. Michael's College, Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lyons and Mrs. Joseph Moss were visitors with Brantford friends during the week. Cameron Coulter left this morning for Rainy River, where he has a position with a lumber company.

Mrs. Percy Manning and little daughter, Mary, of Edmonton, Alberta, arrived in town on Sunday evening to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. K. Millard. Frank and Miss Cummings leave today for Owen Sound, being called there by the sudden death of their cousin, T. J. Hatton, a druggist, and brother of Judge Hatton.

The banns were published at St. Augustine's Church on Sunday for the approaching marriage of Mr. John Enright and Miss Loretta Dwyer, West Flamboro. Two fresh cases of scarlet fever were reported yesterday, and two cases of diphtheria in the vicinity of the stone quarry.

Miss Sara Bowman is visiting in Toronto. Miss Dell Grafton is visiting friends in London.

Miss Brennie Burton, Toronto, is visiting at her home here. P. Quin and H. Hever moved their families to Toronto on Saturday. Miss Frances Chasels, of Waterdown, was a visitor in town over Sunday. Mrs. Jas. Somerville entertained a few friends to afternoon tea on Wednesday.

Miss Gibson, Toronto, and Mrs. John H. Bertram, Grimsby, are visitors at Col. Bertram's.

Mr. Warner, of Philadelphia, paid a visit on Tuesday to his parents here, before leaving for the Philippines. In the Orange Hill last night the anniversary of the Gunpowder Plot was celebrated by holding a concert. John W. Dickson was in the chair and the attendance was good. The programme was given by Mrs. T. Bowker and Master Bowker, of Hamilton; Wilfrid Reynolds, Dundas; T. T. Mackie, Hamilton; Frank and Miss Kenneth, Dundas; Bert Boyd, Dundas. Mrs. Hensler presided at the piano. The affair was very enjoyable. The Executive of the North West

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Women's Coats at \$5.95, Worth \$10

Made of beautiful, warm, well-wearing cloths, in blacks and good dark colors, full \$10 value, fitted and semi-fitted backs, all sizes.

Women's Coats at \$10, Worth \$15 and \$18

Traveller's samples, all well made garments, blacks and good colors, made to sell at \$15 and \$18, very special. Friday special.

Women's Cloth Suits, worth \$10.00, for \$5.95 | Children's Coats, navy and red; worth \$3, to clear at \$1.50

Friday Bargains in Hats, \$6 for \$3.49

29 only Women's Trimmed Hats, all the good colors and correct shapes, Hats that \$5, \$6 and \$7 are the correct values, on \$3.49 Bargain Day

Imperfect Bed Comforters 89c | Men's Underwear at 35c

72x72 size, batting filled, covered with silkolene, regular \$1.75 quality, but they got damaged in transit, so they go at 89c | Oddments of Shirts and Drawers, sizes 34 and 36; worth 50, 75 and 85c; all on sale Bargain Day at 35c per garment

Ladies' Silk and Net Waists \$2.25

Black Taffeta, white, cream and ecru Nets, colored Silks; worth \$3.00 to \$5.00, 34 to 44 sizes; a clearing up of oddments.

Women's Underskirts at 59c, worth \$1.00, \$1.25

Travellers' samples and odd lines in broken sizes, Satens, Moreens, etc. Blacks and colors; \$1.00 and \$1.25 values.

Wrappers worth \$1 & \$1.25 for 69c

Made of print and wrapperettes, worth \$1.00 and \$1.25; sizes 32, 34 and 36 only; a clearing up of samples and oddments.

Women's Underwear at 50c, 75c Value

Wool and cotton mixed, splendid, full sized garments, natural; the Drawers you are paying 75c for every day.

Women's Hosiery

Women's All-wool Cashmere Hose, \$14 and 9 only, worth 50c, to clear at 29c | Children's Plain Black Cashmere Hose, 25c, to clear at 12 1/2c

3 Bargains in Children's Dresses

3 to 6-year sizes, navy, wine and brown, worth \$2.50 and \$2.75, to clear at each \$1.95 | Good warm Winter Dresses, navy and red, 10 to 14 years, \$1 and \$1.25, Bargain Day 69c | Mother Hubbard Dresses, 1 to 4 years, warm materials, 75c, Bargain Day 49c

Women's Neckwear Samples

50 and 75c, Bargain Day 19c | Women's Neckwear, samples, worth 75c to \$1.25, Bargain Day 29c

Women's Aprons 15c

White Lawn, 25c value, Bargain Day clearance.

Women's Overall Aprons 39c

Good colored materials, 50c value.

White Saxony Flannelette 8 1/2c

Mill Ends, 2 to 10 yards, 15c value, to-day.

Roller Towelling and Tea Towelling 7 1/2c

1 to 5 yard ends, all linen, 10c values.

Bleached Tabling 23c

1 to 3 yards 50c and 75c value, full bleached.

Table Napkins \$1

54 size, worth \$1.50, trimmed, ready for use.

Flannelette at 11 1/2c

36 inches wide, with 15c, plain and striped.

Kimono Cloths at 15c

Good dark colors, worth 25c, stripes and fancy designs, a grand bargain.

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TAKING A REST.

Windsor, Ont., Oct. 4.—Suffering from hardening of the arteries, J. H. Kenning, inspector of inland revenue, has temporarily retired from active duties. Permission has been asked for a six-months' leave of absence.

TURNING BASIN.

(Special Wire to the Times.) St. Catharines, Ont., Nov. 4.—Thorold Board of Trade has called a meeting of the citizens with a view to memorializing the Dominion Government for the construction of a turning basin in the new canal at that place to facilitate transportation of local manufacturers.

Tourist—Why is it that your villagers never open their windows? Native—Because they never play the piano.

4 Tins Aylmer Corn 25c

All can goods are a short pack this year, so short, in fact, that canners have found it necessary to cancel some orders, and have been entirely unable to fill all orders in full. In spite of this we offer 100 cases Aylmer Corn, absolutely new, at the ridiculous price of 4 tins for 25c; this price is for Friday, Saturday and Monday only, and cannot possibly be repeated this season; Peas, 3 tins 25c; Tomatoes, 3 tins 25c; Clark's Pork and Beans, per tin 10c; Savoy Pork and Beans, per tin, 5 and 10c.

Potatoes

400 bags taken into store this week, and all orders will be promptly filled, per bag 80c; per bushel, 10c; per peck 15c; Sweet Potatoes, fancy stock, 7 lbs for 25c; Onions, yellow Danvers, per peck, 30c; per basket 40c; Spanish Onions, 7 lbs for 25c.

Finnan Haddie

Our shipment last week fell away short of requirements, but expect to have double the quantity for this week's selling. The same excellent quality, and the same price, 10c per lb. Boneless Codfish, 1 lb. block 9c; 3 for 25c; new Salmon, Clover Leaf, 18c per tin; Tartan, 18c per tin; Autumn Leaf, 15c per tin; Cascade, 10c per tin.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese

Special, Friday, Saturday and Monday, choice Fresh Dairy Butter, per lb. 25c. Cheapest Fresh Creamery Butter, per lb. 20c. Both of these will be higher Tuesday morning. New laid Eggs are bringing 40c per dozen on the market, but our fresh gathered Eggs cost you only 30c per dozen, and give equal satisfaction. Try one dozen to-day. Cheese, rich and snappy, 15c lb.

New Fruits

New Dates, Teddy Bears, 9c per pkg., or 3 pkgs. for 25c. New Cooking Figs, per lb. 5c. New Prunes, large, 3 lbs. for 25c. New Prunes, smaller, 4 lbs. 25c. Select Valencia Raisins, 3 1/2 lbs. for 25c. New Sultanina Raisins, cleaned, 2 lbs. for 25c. Gilt Edge Seedling Raisins, 3 lbs. for 25c. Re-cleaned Currants, new, 3 lbs. for 25c. New Peels, Lemon and Orange 3 lbs. 25c; Citron, per lb. 20c. New Shelled Almonds, per lb. 40c. New Shelled Walnuts, per lb. 35c.

Kellogg's Corn Flakes, 3 packages 25c
Malta Vita, 3 packages 25c
Trisquit, 2 packages 25c
Shredded Wheat Biscuit, 2 pkgs. 25c
Hearts of Wheat, per package 15c
Cream of Wheat, per package 20c
Grape Nuts, per package 15c
Pure Gold Quick Tapioca, 3 pkgs. 25c
Pure Gold Chocolate, 3 packages 25c
Pure Gold Custard, 3 packages 25c
McLaren's Chocolate Icing, 3 pkgs. 25c
McLaren's Rose Vanilla Icing, 3 packages 25c
Baker's Cocoa, per tin 10c and 25c
Cowan's Cocoa, per tin 10c and 25c
Lowney's Cocoa, per tin 10c and 25c
Huyler's Cocoa, per tin 10c
Bensdorf's Cocoa, per tin 25c

Sugar

10 pounds Best Granulated for \$1.00, 9 1/2 pounds for 50c; 20 pounds Bright Yellow Sugar \$1.00, 10 pounds for 50c; 25c; Cut Loaf Sugar, 3 1/2 pounds for 25c; Best White Icing Sugar, 3 1/2 pounds 25c; 100 pound bags Best Granulated Sugar, \$4.85.

Flour

Lily White, quarter bag 68c, half bag \$1.35, bag \$2.65; Gold Medal Flour, quarter bag 73c, half bag \$1.45, bag \$2.85; Royal Household Flour, quarter bag 85c, bag \$1.70; Five Roses Flour, quarter bag 85c, bag \$1.70; Graham Flour, 7 pounds 25c; Buckwheat Flour, 7 pounds 25c.

Peas, Beans, Barley, Etc.

Split Peas, 3 pounds 10c, 8 pounds 25c; Dried Green Peas, 6 pounds 25c; Lucky Pod Peas, 3 packages 25c; New White Beans, 6 pounds 25c; Lima Beans, 3 pounds 25c; Pot Barley, 3 pounds 10c, 8 pounds 25c; Pearl Barley, 6 pounds 25c; Rolled Oats, 7 pounds for 25c; Rolled Wheat, 7 pounds 25c; Germ Meal, 7 pounds 25c; Cornmeal, 8 pounds 25c.

Miscellaneous

Oranges, sweet and very juicy, 12c dozen, worth 20c; Lemons, 20c per dozen. Clark's Chicken Soup, 4 tins 25c, regular 10c tin. Heinz Tomato Soup, 2 tins 25c. Sliced Pineapples, 2 tins 25c. Pure Clover Honey, per jar 10 and 17c. Maggi Soups, per package 5c. Soap, 6 packages 25c. Soap Chips in bulk, per pound 7c, 3 pounds for 20c. Lifebuoy Soap, 6 for 25c. Castile Soap, large bar 20c. Fairy Soap, 6 for 25c.

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Books received at Main Library from Oct. 25 to Nov. 4, 1909:

The Greater Power, Bindloss, L8665.
The Marriages of Mayfair, Chatterton, L8653.
The Suitable Child, Duncan, L8656.
The Fatal Ruby, Garvie, L8649.
In Wolf's Clothing, Garvie, L8664.
The Lady of Blossholme, Haggard, L8651.
The Deeper Stain, Hird, L8661.
A Flickinger's Folks, Hoover, L8657.
Julia Bride, James, L8654.
The Star of Love, Kingsley, L8663.
The Attic Guest, Knowles, L8658.
Seymour Charlton, Maxwell, L8659.
Old Clinkers, O'Higgins, L8659.
Doctor Rast, Oppenheim, L8660.
The Fortunate Prisoner, Pemberton, L8646.
Jonathan and David, Phelps, L8655.
Calvary, Rita, L8648.
The Lady of the Big Shanty, Smith, L8650.
The Stowaway, Tracy, L8645.
The Paladin, Vachell, L8652.
Cut Off From the World, Bullen, M2244.
Jack Hall at Yale, M2249.
The New Sophomore, Hamilton, M2241.
A Romance of the Nursery, Harper, M2242.
Tell Me a True Story, Stewart, M2245.
The Inheritance, Swan, M2243.
Canada, Bealby, 971B6.
More Charades, Bellamy, 793B2.
Guesswork, 101 Charades, Forman, 793F.
The World's Commercial Products, Freeman, R633.
The Princess De Lamballe, Hardy, 920.7D5.
The Hardy Country, Harper, 914.233.
Jamaica, Henderson, 917.2D4.
Folded Meanings, (Charades), Hosmer, 703.H3.
Home Letters of Gen. Sherman, Howe, 923.5H.
The Picturesque Hudson, Johnson, 917.47J2.
Elements of Transportation, Johnson (E. R.), 656.
Canada, the Empire of the Future, 971L2.
The American of the Future, Matthews, 304M4.
Making of the English Bible, McComb, 220M3.
The Hackery Country, Melville, 914.21M3.
How to Identify the Stars, Milham, 523.8M3.
Through the French Provinces, Pioxot, 914.4P2.
Recollections of Seventy Years, Sanborn, 920S21.
From My Youth Up, Sangster, 920.7S8.
The Blackmore Country, Snell, 914.23S2.
Mystery of Education and Other Academic Performances, Wendell, 870.1W.
Books received at Branch Library, from Oct. 25 to Nov. 4, 1909:
The Greater Power, Bindloss, L1389.
The Marriages of Mayfair, Chatterton, L1376.
The Suitable Child, Duncan, L1380.
The Fatal Ruby, Garvie, L1390.
In Wolf's Clothing, Garvie, L1390.
The Lady of Blossholme, Haggard, L1384.
The Deeper Stain, Hird, L1388.
The Attic Guest, Knowles, L1385.
Old Clinkers, O'Higgins, L1386.
Doctor Rast, Oppenheim, L1387.
The Fortunate Prisoner, Pemberton, L1379.
Jonathan and David, Phelps, L1378.
The Lady of the Big Shanty, Smith, L1382.
The Stowaway, Tracy, L1377.
The Paladin, Vachell, L1375.
Cut Off From the World, M522.
The Inheritance, Swan, M521.
Mother Tucker's Seven, Wray, M524.

BOYS' UNION

Will Have Baseball League In Operation Soon.

The regular meeting of the Hamilton Boys' Club Union was held last evening in the Y. M. C. A. and considerable business was transacted. The athletic committee was on hand and made arrangements for drawing up a schedule for a basketball league, just as soon as the number of clubs going into it can be determined.

The Union has the use of the floor at the Central Y. M. C. A. on Saturday evenings, from 7.15 to 8.30 o'clock, and intend holding games there. The religious and social departments are being well looked after and before long it is expected to have one of the most flourishing unions in the city.

OVER AN HOUR

New York Central Saves 70 Minutes on New York Trip.

Railways are busy these days making things comfortable and more convenient for the business man who wants to travel by night and work by day. The New York Central lines announce another shaving off of time that means considerable to the Hamilton man visiting New York. Heretofore the train over that line left New York at 5.20 p. m. and reached Hamilton at 7.35 next morning. On and after November 7th it will leave New York at 6.30 p. m. and reach Hamilton same time as formerly. That's shaving off an hour and ten minutes and giving that much longer in Gotham.

This announcement will be of particular interest to Hamilton people, and is one more evidence of the desire on the part of the New York Central lines to give the very best service to the Canadian travelling public. The time of the trains eastbound will remain on the present schedule, as will the 8.00 p. m. train from New York to Hamilton.

In a matter of singing some voices will fill a room, and some will empty it.

A PLAN FOR ANNEX WATER.

Engineer Macallum Will Prepare One at Once.

Mountain People Ask For System of Fire Protection.

Cleaning Filtering Basin and Removing Dredge Cost \$6,200.

The Fire and Water Committee waded through a lot of small business last night at a two-hour session.

A large number of applications from the new annex district were received.

"What position will we be in now laying pipes from the mains?" asked Secretary James.

"They will be treated just the same as any other citizens," said the City Solicitor.

City Engineer Macallum advised against laying any mains in the new district until he mapped out a plan, as six-inch mains might be laid where twelve or fifteen-inch mains would be required. He promised to rush the plans through.

The east end mountain top residents petitioned for fire protection. They requested that half a dozen fire alarm boxes be erected and connected not only with the city's fire alarm system, but also with the house of the incline engineer and the house of the engineer of the pumping plant. They also wanted a hand reel wagon with five hundred feet of hose.

Chief Ten Eyck endorsed the scheme, and the matter was referred to a sub-committee, the chief and the city engineer to report on.

Secretary James reported that only \$1,700 remained of the \$28,000 provided for laying out the mountain water-works system. The cost of work to be done on Concession street and Alpine avenue yet is estimated at \$2,140, which will leave an overdraft of \$340.

"That is close figuring and should give no cause for complaint," said Ald. Lees.

The committee decided to complete the work.

City Engineer Macallum reported that the work of cleaning out the filtering basins had been completed. The filtering capacity had been increased 10 per cent. The appropriation of \$5,000 was over-drawn \$900, and this with the \$300 voted for removing the dredge from the basins would come out of the contingency account in the waterworks debentures.

The Finance Committee will be asked to provide \$758, the cost of repairing the damage at the Beach pumping station when one of the pumps broke down.

Some of the aldermen thought they could pay it out of the fire department surplus.

"No; we must get authority to transfer it," said Chairman Clark.

The resignation from the fire department of Thomas Heath, who has been appointed chief at Saskatoon was accepted. Bernard Devlin was appointed on probation.

J. D. Patterson & Co's. tender of \$165 for a new supply wagon for the fire department was accepted.

C. N. R. AND DUNDAS.

W. O. Sealey, M. P. P., has written the following letter to the Mayor and councillors of Dundas:

Gentlemen.—According to newspaper report the Canadian Northern Railway Co., under one of their various charters, are applying to the Department of Railways and Canals for approval of their plans for a line between Toronto, Hamilton and Niagara Falls, which description seems to indicate that their plan for crossing from Carroll's Point to the Hamilton side of the Desjardins Canal bank at Burlington Heights was about 22 feet below the present Grand Trunk Railway bridge track level, which if adopted without drawback or other accommodation for the Desjardins Canal watercourse to Dundas, would seriously interfere with general shipping or even pleasure boat traffic.

Now the Minister of Railways advises me that in giving their approval of plans it is only approval of the general route, and that the question of crossings, etc., should be worked before the Board of Railway Commissioners, and considered and dealt with by them. Therefore it would seem to be quite in the interest of the town of Dundas, whose future I think would be greatly benefited by the improvement of the canal route and its general use adopted by the many manufacturers and other industries that I hope will be located along the banks of the Desjardins Canal in the vicinity of Dundas in the near future, and it would therefore seem important that Dundas should immediately file their application for a hearing and consideration before the Board of Railway Commissioners, so as to present any possibility of oversight of the interests of Dundas when the crossings are being dealt with and the plans finally approved by the Railway Commission.

NEW DEACONESS' HOME.

All friends of the Deaconess' Aid are earnestly requested to see the new home, 405 King street east, on Friday, November 5th, afternoon or evening, taking with them a pound of anything or a useful article, and enjoy the thanksgiving in the opening. Refreshments will be served, and a social time spent. A large gathering is hoped for.

IN FAR OFF NEW ZEALAND.

Brother of Joseph Kneeshaw Celebrates Golden Wedding.

Mr. Joseph Kneeshaw, of this city, is in receipt of New Zealand papers giving an account of the golden wedding of his brother, Thomas, and his wife, at Selwyn, a few weeks ago. The Canterbury Times, a large illustrated magazine, contains a group photograph of the party, and one of the daily papers says: "On Monday afternoon an interesting ceremony took place at Selwyn in connection with the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kneeshaw. In the forenoon Mr. and Mrs. Kneeshaw travelled into Christchurch and were photographed. Returning to Selwyn at 1 p. m. they found a numerous party of their friends waiting for them. After breakfast had been partaken of, and the golden wedding cake cut, the health of Mr. and Mrs. Kneeshaw was proposed by Rev. P. C. Durward, of Leest, who referred to the esteem and affection with which they were regarded. Mr. T. D. Boag, in the name of the Christchurch friends, then presented Mr. Kneeshaw with an overcoat, gloves and silk handkerchief, and Mrs. Kneeshaw with a bed quilt and a gold brooch set with rubies and diamonds. Mr. Boag asked them to receive these gifts as slight tokens of the affection of their friends, and expressed a hope that they might be spared to celebrate their diamond wedding. Mr. Tribe, Mr. Dearsley, Dr. Withers and Dr. Simpson (Christchurch) also spoke, congratulating Mr. and Mrs. Kneeshaw on the happy event. Mr. Kneeshaw feelingly replied, thanking his friends for their good wishes.

On Thursday afternoon several interesting presentations took place in the Brookside Presbyterian Church. On the previous Monday Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kneeshaw, of Selwyn, had celebrated their golden wedding. The

members of the congregation, in celebration of that happy event, entertained Mr. and Mrs. Kneeshaw to tea on Thursday afternoon, and presented them with some tokens of their esteem. Mrs. Boag, of "Middlerig," in the name of the Sewing Guild, presented Mrs. Kneeshaw with a beautiful enlarged oak-framed photograph of the sewing meeting, and Mr. William McMillan, on behalf of the congregation, presented Mr. and Mrs. Kneeshaw with a purse of sovereigns.

About the year 1853 when gold was discovered in Australia three brothers, John, Thomas and George Kneeshaw, left Canada for Australia. They worked in several diggings, finally reaching Ballarat, then consisting of a church, blacksmith shop and tavern. After working a claim for some time and being successful, they found that they were losing what they had worked so hard to secure, so they sold their claim. John and George bought 130 acres near Ballarat, and went into fruit growing, and did very well. George died sixteen years ago from the effects of an accident, being thrown from his carriage. John died this year, aged 87. On leaving the diggings Thomas went to New Zealand and started a sheep run at Selwyn, near Canterbury. On account of old age he has relinquished this, retaining only ten acres for a home. He has just sent his brother, Joseph Kneeshaw, the papers containing the above extracts and the photographs referred to.

Thomas, aged 85, and Joseph, 78, are the only surviving members of a family of ten. Seven of them reached an aggregate age of 579, an average of 83.

As one of the few important official acts which fall to Mayor George B. McClellan before his six years' administration at New York closes on December 31st he has appointed three women to the Board of Education, and thereby conceded one of the principal demands of women suffrage organizations.

President Falconer has appealed to Toronto University undergraduates to assist in the suppression of roadwytism.

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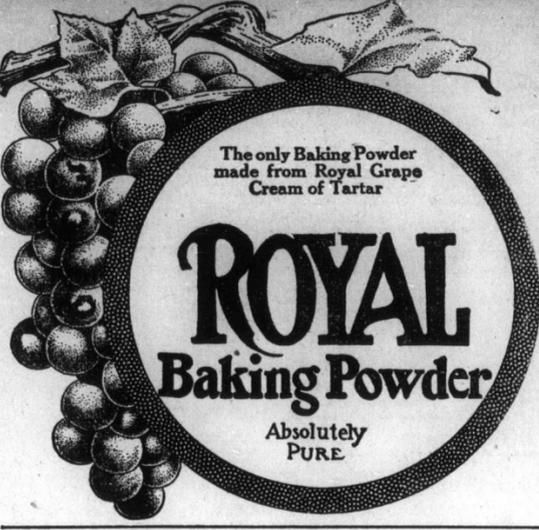
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BUILDING RECORD MAKES GOOD SHOW.

The Year Saw City Properties Added to Extent of Over \$1,500,000.

Ten-Year Record Is Over \$12,500,000—Great Growth In Suburbs.

Building Inspector Anderson's annual report, presented to the Fire and Water Committee last night, shows a substantial increase in the value of permits issued during the year, as compared with 1908, and furnishes a wealth of interesting detail, dealing with the revival in the building trade, showing an increase in the number of factories, additions to the older ones, and also an increase in the number of brick buildings.

The report in part was as follows: "The total number of permits issued during the year was 566, at a total value of \$1,547,425, being an increase of \$216,243 over 1908.

Description of permits:	No.	Value.
Brick dwellings	400	\$ 722,200
Frame dwellings	118	110,700
Alterations to dwellings	59	30,805
Stores and office bldgs.	52	144,700
Churches and schools	9	88,700
Theatres and halls	2	73,000
Warehouses	13	90,100
Factories and additions	38	192,859
Car barns	25	65,000
Cement buildings	6	7,800
Stables and other bldgs.	31	21,570
Total	730	\$1,547,425

Number of new buildings per ward:

Ward No.	No.	Value.
Ward No. 1	91	\$1,190,500
Ward No. 2	23	91,350
Ward No. 3	136	501,700
Ward No. 4	80	114,850
Ward No. 5	25	106,690
Ward No. 6	53	65,875
Ward No. 7	178	375,520
Total	597	1,245,595

Number of additions to buildings per ward:

Ward No.	No.	Value.
Ward No. 1	15	\$ 7,300
Ward No. 2	24	48,480
Ward No. 3	12	19,380
Ward No. 4	20	18,330
Ward No. 5	18	36,850
Ward No. 6	27	93,670
Total	133	\$302,639

Value and number of buildings for which permits have been granted in the last ten years:

Year	No.	Value.
1900	235	\$ 335,000
1901	205	308,235
1902	249	507,482
1903	318	785,569
1904	456	946,205
1905	680	1,311,382

During the year I have made 1,116 inspections of sewers, which were laid in 816 buildings, inspecting 52,200 feet of pipe.

As in my former reports I again recommend that a plumbing inspector be appointed who would have charge of the private drains. The city is growing so quickly that it is impossible for one man to do the work that a building inspector should do and look after the private drains as well.

"I would suggest that the time is opportune for a re-arrangement of the building by-law. It is about 15 years since that by-law was framed, and as it stands it does not meet the conditions that are to be met with in the building trade to-day. There have been many changes in the methods of building during the last few years. For instance the erecting of concrete structures is increasing in popularity each year, and it is important that a new by-law should be provided for supervision in that line of building. There are other points that could be suggested, and if a special committee was named to re-construct the present by-law, and add the changes that are necessary, it would not only safeguard the city's interests, but be appreciated by the building trade generally."

Mr. Anderson's recommendations will be left over for the new Board of Control to deal with next year. The report was sent on to the Council.

Mr. Anderson suggested that a practical carpenter, mason and architect be employed by the city to assist in preparing a new by-law. "The building by-law is in bad shape," said Chairman Clark, "and the plumbing by-law is absolutely rotten. Plumbers do just as they please."

"It is very frank of you to come out and say that," remarked Ald. Morris. "It's the truth," said the chairman. "There is no place in Canada—of Hamilton's size—that has not from one to four inspectors."

"Then we should get busy at once and do something to protect the people," said Ald. Morris. A sub-committee was appointed to report on the revision of the building by-law. Mr. Anderson pointed out that the Board of Health had been clamoring for a plumbing inspector for years, but the Council refused to act.

Stanley Mills & Co., Limited Thursday, Nov. 4th, 1909

Hardware Department, 14 James street north, opposite Central Market. This department gives a first-class store service in every way. Purchases are delivered with regularity three times daily, and four times on Saturday, to all parts of the city. We employ 12 to 15 clerks behind the counters in the Hardware Department and in this way ensure a prompt and courteous attention. Every article for sale in the Hardware Department is embodied in a specially well illustrated catalogue, a copy of which is yours for the asking. We sell for cash only. No goods are charged to anyone. In this way we draw about us the most desirable of all buyers, the people who buy for cash. We have for sale everything the busy housewife can ask for in this line. The farmers also are heavy patrons of this store. When we say we are nearly always busy, that only confirms our statement that our prices are right.—STANLEY MILLS & CO., LIMITED.

Of Interest to Farmers	
Iron Stock Pumps, for deep wells...	\$5, \$6.50, \$8, \$10 each
House Cistern Pumps \$1.50 to \$3.75	
Cistern Pump Washers, 10, 15, 20	
Suction Pump Washers, pair...	65c
Stop Valves and Strainers...	65c
Pump Cylinders \$2, \$2.50, \$4, \$4.50	
Tarred Paper, per roll...	40, 50c
Heavy Tarred Felt, roll...	\$1.25
Paroid, 108 sq. feet \$2.50	
Tin Roofing Discs, per lb.	10c
Stable Lanterns...	75c
Reflector Dash Lanterns...	\$1.50
Stable Reflector Lanterns...	\$1.50
Stable Lantern Glasses...	5c
Foot Scrapers...	10, 15c
Best Manila Rope, per lb.	14c
Carriage Bolts, in all sizes.	
Curry Brushes 25, 35, 50, 75c, \$1	
Horse Combs...	10, 13, 15c
Grain Scoops...	90c, \$1
Barn Rat Traps...	15c
Yankee Wire Cage Traps...	85c
Spring Steel Traps...	13, 15, 25c
Steel Whiffletrees...	80, 90c, \$1.10
Steel Neckyokes...	\$1.25, \$1.50
Clevises...	6c, 10c, 15c, 20c
Shaft Ends for repairs...	30c, 47c
Children's Seats for Buggies...	59c
Carriage Top Dressing...	25c
Buggy Combs...	\$1.1, \$1.25
Carriage Foot Warmers \$1.57, \$2.75	
Foot Warmer Coat, dozen...	85c
Combination Vise and Anvil...	\$2.95
Stakes, Taps and Dies...	\$2.15 to \$4
Reece's Pipe Dies...	\$9, \$12, \$18.75
Blacksmith's Upright Drill...	\$8.50
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HIRED MAN KILLS THREE.

Tried to Murder His Employer's Whole Family. Awful Tragedy on a Homestead at Quill Lake. One Shot, One Thrown Into Well and One's Throat Cut.

Quill Lake, Sask., Nov. 3.—As reported in last night's Times, one of the most atrocious tragedies in the history of western Canada, was perpetrated here, probably on Sunday, when the happy little family of a homesteader named Geo. Thoburn was almost wiped out by a Hungarian farm laborer named John Mesci.

George Thoburn, his wife, and mother-in-law, Mrs. McNiven, were murdered in a most brutal manner. A little boy was also attacked and left for dead, having been rendered unconscious by a blow on the head from a club, while his little sister escaped by hiding in the oven of a stove.

Just what the incentive for the terrible crime was has not as yet been learned, but it is known that Mesci was a sulken and dangerous-tempered young man of 23 years, who had before manifested murderous tendencies. Only a few days ago he chased Thoburn with a pitchfork when his employer disagreed with him.

JOHN MESCII ARRESTED. After committing his gruesome crime Mesci stole the horses and left, in an attempt to make his way to Regina, where his home is. His trail was easily followed, as he had coolly stopped at several houses along the way to obtain meals and feed the horses, and he was arrested early this evening beyond Wynyard by the police, after a short and swift chase.

The crime was discovered almost by accident yesterday afternoon, when a neighboring homesteader named Dion, who was passing, was attracted by the absence of any signs of life around Thoburn's home, and upon hearing the cattle roaring for want of attention, he went to investigate, and was horrified by the ghastly sights which met his eyes. He entered the house and was at once attracted by the fearful wail of a little child in the cellar, and upon opening the door to go to its relief, was confronted with the corpse of Thoburn on the stairway, down which he had fallen head-first when death overtook him. He had been dead about 48 hours, it is believed, and had been shot through the body at close range with a gun, the whole charge having struck him in the back just below the left shoulder, and passed through the lungs.

TWO CHILDREN ESCAPE. Proceeding into the cellar and opening the inner door, Mr. Dixon found a little boy there in a dazed condition from a blow on the head which Mesci had dealt him. The little chap informed Mr. Dixon that "John had shot papa," and afterwards struck him just before he went to sleep.

Upstairs Mr. Dixon found a little baby girl hiding in the oven and weeping for her mother, whom she said Mesci had thrown into a hole outside, meaning the well, which is about fifteen feet deep. Horrified by his distressing discovery, Mr. Dixon alarmed the neighbors and word was at once sent to the Mounted Police at Humboldt, while the search was instituted for the bodies of the murdered woman and a body of officers also took the trail of the murderer. The alarm reached here, and every person almost promptly went to give assistance in running down the fugitive.

WOMEN'S BODIES FOUND. To-day searchers found the body of Mrs. Thoburn in the well, where the baby had said it was thrown, while the remains of Mrs. McNiven were found, fully dressed, with her throat cut, in a bluff about a quarter of a mile away. How they came to be there is not yet fully explained, but it is surmised that when Mesci began his murderous work she fled from the house and was pursued and killed.

This morning the little boy stated that John (the hired man) had shot papa, and hit him and put him to sleep. It was a heartrending sight the corner and homesteaders of the district were required to gaze upon, with the little orphans crying for their parents, who were lying dead.

Mr. Thoburn's homestead was on 19, 35, 15 west two. He located here five years ago, when he with his family came from Sarnia, Ont. He was in very comfortable circumstances, and held in the highest esteem in the district. Mrs. A. Thorn, wife of the proprietor of The Western Herald, and formerly of Sundridge, Ont., is a sister of Mrs. Thoburn.

MESCII'S STATEMENT. Mesci explained the occurrence as follows: "I wished to go to town on Monday morning to enter for a homestead. Mr. Thoburn objected. I went and got a gun and shot Thoburn twice. Then he ran inside and the women came out and started to run for Mrs. J. Morley's, a neighbor. I came on Mrs. McNiven first, hit her with the gun, knocked her down, and cut her throat." He then proceeded to hunt for Mrs. Thoburn, who got into a small bluff to hide. He found her, knocked her down, cut her throat, and sat on her body until life was gone. He returned to the house, dragged Thoburn's body into the house and threw it in the cellar, and left it in the position in which it was found.

He also went and covered Mrs. McNiven with some hay. Coming back to the house, he stayed around nearly all day, feeding the children and preparing for a long trip. In the evening he made supper for the children and put them to bed, but he says the boy would not remain in bed, which will account for his being found in the cellar. He then hitched up Thoburn's horses to a democrat wagon and loaded it with a large assortment of provisions, both for himself and the horses, also taking the gun and dog and a lot of ammunition. When captured he did not seek to realize the extent of the crime he had committed, but was thinking very much about his position before he had been captured long. He was taken to Wynyard, and will be brought back here in the morning for the inquest.

Extra police have been sworn in and the murderer will be well looked after until such time as he is taken on the train to Prince Albert.

The big fish eat the little ones.—Dutch.

BISHOP SPEAKS.

Discourses on Questions of Marriage and Divorce. Cannot Marry Divorced Persons Where One is Alive.

St. John, N. B., Nov. 3.—At the opening of the Anglican Synod at Fredericton to-day Bishop Richardson, in his annual charge, spoke strongly on the question of marriage and divorce. He said: "In view of the laxity of thought and practice regarding marital relationship that is so widely prevalent to-day, and especially in the Republic to the south, I once more desire the clergy to exercise the greatest possible care about marriages which they are asked to celebrate. The canon of the Church of England is absolutely binding in its clear prohibition of any marriage between persons either of whom shall have been divorced from one who is still living at the time. There is no room for doubt and no latitude for practice.

Under no circumstances whatever can a clergyman of the Church in Canada solemnize such a marriage. It is the duty, then, of every clergyman to satisfy himself beyond all reasonable doubt that neither of the parties concerned comes within the prohibition of this canon. In this respect nothing can be taken for granted, but plain questions must be put to both parties to the proposed union. Unless personal assurance is received that neither of the parties have been divorced from one who is living at the time, it is the clergyman's duty to refuse to perform the ceremony. Extenuating circumstances must not be considered."

Continuing, his Lordship says: "From the standpoint of civil law, marriage with a deceased wife's sister is not open to attack. That, however, is not the case from the standpoint of the Church. It is most unfortunate when the law of the Christian States traverses the Christian Church, but that fact does not, of course, release the men of the Church from the responsibility of obedience to her canons. Under no circumstances does the Church deem it lawful for a man to marry his deceased wife's sister, and under no circumstances is it lawful for a clergyman to solemnize such a marriage."

Old Man Shot. Welland, Nov. 3.—John McMillan, aged 79 years, while picking apples in his orchard near Port Colborne yesterday afternoon, was struck in the stomach by a bullet from a 32-calibre rifle. The old man, who lives alone, had some difficulty in making his way to the nearest neighbor's. Medical aid was called, and it is thought that he will recover, though the course of the bullet was five inches long.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

James and William Smith were sentenced at Barrie to four months and one year respectively, with hard labor, by Sir William Mulock yesterday.

Peter Derruson, a half-breed from Penetang, who was found guilty at the Barrie Assizes of a most atrocious assault, was sentenced to ten years in Kingston Penitentiary.

The Dominion Government will erect an armory at Kenora next spring, a site having been furnished by the town. This will then be made the headquarters for four companies of militia.

It is persistently reported in London that Lord Pentland will succeed Earl Grey as Governor-General of Canada; that Mr. Herbert Gladstone will go to South Africa, and Lord Crewe to India.

In the death of aged John S. Kennedy, multi-millionaire, Sunday, of whooping cough, Wall street lost its "man with the cash." It is said there has not been a time in years when he could not command from \$50,000,000 to \$75,000,000 "spot" cash.

After making a vigorous campaign for supervisor of Plattsburgh Township, John J. Haid, 80 years old, Democrat, died at Kingston, N. Y., of heart failure suddenly after the close of the polls on Monday night.

Pilot Labranche was censured at Montreal by Captain L. A. Demers, acting wreck commissioner, in the case of the grounding of the C. P. R. steamship Montezuma at Cape la Roche, on her last inbound voyage.

Emily Poole, the five-year-old daughter of W. J. Poole, 756 Waterloo street, London, lies at her home in a precarious condition, as the result of falling down stairs. The child is suffering from concussion of the brain.

Four Chicago men, who dragged Harry Tietzebaum, a non-union baker wagon driver, from his wagon and beat him to death during a strike last spring, have been convicted and sentenced to twenty-five years each in prison.

A review of the troops was held at Tokio Wednesday in honor of the Emperor's birthday. Field Marshal Lord Kitchener accompanied his Majesty to the saluting point. The spectacle was a magnificent one, 30,000 troops taking part in the manoeuvres.

to the Canadian Press Association a protest against the publicity given to details of murder and divorce cases and other sensational matters. Mrs. A. Gordon Wright was elected delegate to the world's convention in Glasgow next June.

With the regular fall meeting of the Carnegie hero fund commission at Pittsburgh came the rewarding of 49 persons throughout the States and one in Canada for acts of bravery and illustrious conduct during the past three months. The Canadian award was to Bertha Ratentbury, Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island.

"I do not care if I stay in here for 50 years, as long as they do not send me to the gallows," remarked James Robinson, of Warren, sentenced to 28 years, as he was taken into the prison at Kingston yesterday. He will work on the stone pile. While in jail at Sudbury he signed the petition asking for clemency in his wife's case.

Norman Hubert, aged 22, of Toronto, Canada, drank a quantity of carbolic acid in the cellar of the Altheby Carnegie Library building, Pittsburgh, about 9 o'clock last night. He died at the Altheby General Hospital at 10.15 in his brother's arms. Hubert had been out of work for several weeks. (Clippings detailing eight methods of suicide were found on him.)

A pet cat probably caused the asphyxiation of itself and two aged spinsters at Whitesome, L. I. Miss Katherine and Miss Margaret Torrell. The sisters had bread for baking in a gas stove. They were found seated at the kitchen table, and no match was found near the stove. It is believed, therefore, that the cat turned on the gas by rubbing against the oven fixtures.

Clergymen invaded shops, factories, and theatres in New York yesterday, as a part of a mission plan, which the Presbyterian Board of Home Missions has been carrying on in St. Louis, Chicago, Newark, Buffalo and Rochester. Factory packing cases and chorus girls' baggage were used as pulpits for the preachers, who sought by short sermons to "take the heathenism out of business and soften its hard lines."

Henry Farman, the English aviator, on Wednesday at Mourmelon, France, won the Michelin Cup, beating all aeroplane records for duration and distance. He covered a little over 232 kilometres (144 miles) in four hours six minutes and 23 seconds. The previous best record was made by Farman at Bethany aviation field, Rheims, in August last, when he won the Grand Prix de la Champagne, travelling 180 kilometres (111.73 miles) in three hours four minutes 56.9-8 seconds.

The arrival in London of a cargo of chilled beef from Australia, said to be in tip-top condition, is heralded there as foreshadowing the relief of the British meat market from "the danger of being throttled by the American beef trust."

The hearing of the action to quash the local option by-law came up at the Owen Sound Assizes before Mr. Justice Clute on Tuesday night and the case was dismissed. The action was taken by William Ward. The case proved to be weak, and his Lordship dismissed it without calling on the defence.

With a broken arm, a fractured hip and serious internal injuries, Mrs. Tessie Lamrande, of Aylmer, was found at the bottom of a thirty-five foot cliff which skirts the Ottawa River near Rockcliffe Park. On being taken to the hospital in the police ambulance she stated she had fallen over the cliff in the dark, while walking along the edge.

Miss Jennie Paddon, 636 Bloor street west, Toronto, has been awarded the prize for Canada for the best essays on "Captain James Cook; his voyages and his discoveries, and their value to the nation, commerce and Christianity," given by the British and Foreign Sailors' Society. The competition was open to the empire, and was confined to children under sixteen years of age.

CONFESSES MURDER.

Accidentally Smothered With Sawdust Boy He Was Robbing.

Cleveland, Ohio, Nov. 3.—Local police authorities have been thrown into a quandary by a new confession from Alva Coan, 17 years old, that he murdered little Alexander Hoenig two years ago. The boy first confessed to the murder Monday. That night he retracted when the police accused him of fabricating the story.

To-day, in his room, at the boy's home, he wrote a lengthy description of the crime and addressed it to Juvenile Judge Adams.

He enticed the child, he said, into an alleyway in the rear of a Scoville avenue butcher shop, owned by one Benjamin Cohn. "I asked him if he had money," wrote Coan. "He said 'no.' I started to search him and he screamed. Then I stooped down and picked up a handful of shavings and rubbed them over his face. I let him drop to the floor. I walked around for three-quarters of an hour and came back. I saw him lying there and I got scared. I felt his heart. It was not beating. A cold sweat broke out all over my body. I knew he was dead. I picked him up, threw him in the barrel head first. Then I climbed over fences till I was three doors from there."

The autopsy on the body of the Hoenig child showed that he had been choked to death with sawdust and shavings.

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MUSIC AND THE DRAMA

ROYAL WELSH CHOIR.

Hamilton music lovers have a great treat in store for them next Monday, at the Grand, when the celebrated Royal Welsh Ladies' Choir will give a concert. The Ottawa Free Press said of the recent concert given there:

In the Royal Welsh Ladies' Choir, which appeared at the Russell theatre last night, Madam Hughes-Thomas has gathered about her a party of sweet singers which is the equal of any choir heard in the capital, and which in one evening entwined themselves so deeply into the hearts of the select audience of music-lovers which attended the last evening's presentation that already a return engagement of the choir is being talked about.

The choir consists of some twenty young ladies, who, under the direction of Madam Hughes-Thomas, are making a tour through Canada and the United States. Before they return to the old country they will have touched at most of the larger centres in the Dominion. Last night, dressed in their native Welsh costumes, they presented a most picturesque appearance and as the curtain rose and they were seen seated in front of the expectant audience they received an ovation which was repeated with renewed effect at the conclusion of each of the numbers of the programme.

Perhaps that which, next to the singing of the choir itself, attracts the attention of the audience is the wonderful control which the director, Madam Hughes-Thomas exercises over the members of the choir. With the young ladies gathered about her in a crescent she leads and directs and not for a moment during the rendering of any of the many numbers of the programme do the members of the choir allow their attention to be taken from their capable leader. Thus the utmost harmony is obtained and that body of twenty sing as one.

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One of the best acting companies to be seen in Hamilton this season will be here to-morrow and Saturday at the Grand in "The Barrier." The cast is headed by Theodore Roberts, who is pleasantly remembered for his brilliant work in "The Right of Way." Another who is familiar to Hamilton theatre-goers is W. S. Hart, who was seen here last season as "The Virginian." There is also Florence Rockwell, a remarkably clever woman, who has been making a hit in "The Round-Up." In fact the entire cast is made up of well-known artists, and from an artistic standpoint the performance of "The Barrier" is sure to be a great treat. The fact that it is produced by Klaw & Erlanger assures a perfect production. "The Barrier" is a dramatization of Rex Beach's famous narrative by Eugene W. Preshey, the scenes of

which are laid in Alaska at a trading post called Flambeau.

TWILIGHT RECITAL.
W. H. Hewlett will give his forty-fourth organ recital in Centenary Church on Saturday afternoon next, November 6th. An attractive programme of organ music has been prepared, and Mrs. Frank MacKellan will sing.

ARABIAN GYMNASTS.
The topliner on the Bennett bill next week will be Hasi Ben Ali's troupe of Arabs in a sensational gymnastic act, which has attracted considerable interest this season in vaudeville. There are nine men in the troupe, and the work they do is said to be sensational to a degree. The pyramid building is a feature. The Arabs have proved to be one of the most attractive drawing cards playing the big circuit this season. Next week's bill will also include Peter Donald and Meta Carson, the Scotch pair who made such a big hit here last season; Howard Truesdale and company in the screaming farce, "A Corner in Hair"; Horton and La Triska, presenting the mechanical doll, a pleasing novelty, and Derezno and Laude, in a comedy revolving ladder and acrobatic act.

The bill this week, featuring Jesse Laskey's Imperial Musicians, and including such pleasing attractions as the Casting Dunbars and the Sully family in a new farce, continues to meet with favor, and should draw big business for the balance of the week.

"BEVERLY"

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production is the same as seen here last season. Plot follows counterplot, amusing situations follow one after the other, and through the whole runs one of the most delightful love stories. The production has been sumptuously staged and every advantage taken of the wealth of descriptive detail furnished by the author. The Graustarkian landscape looks itself particularly to the scene painters' art, for here are great massive mountains, sharp rugged valleys, cool limpid lakes, babbling brooks, and a wealth of trees and foliage. With such a background the gorgeous, brightly colored costumes of the near east show up with added brilliancy, and the whole forms a picture that is well worth seeing.

"SEPTIMIUS"

George Arliss, who has been called the greatest of English-speaking character actors, will play the part of "Septimus" at the Grand next Wednesday, Nov. 10. The play is a dramatization by Philip Lutell of W. J. Locke's popular novel. The production is said to be one of the finest things Harrison Grey Fiske has given to the stage, and will be staged here under Mr. Fiske's personal direction. The cast is headed by Emily Stetson, a cousin of Mrs. Fiske, and for several seasons a member of her company. This it will be seen Mr. Arliss is deserting stage villainy, in which he has hitherto given his best powers, for the quaint, whimsical but intensely lovable character created by Locke. The play was recently produced in Toronto, where it was received with tremendous enthusiasm by press and public.

HOOKWORM.

San Francisco Doctor Has Treated Many Cases.

How the Worm Gets In Its Wor Upon People.
San Francisco, Nov. 4.—The hookworm disease has been brought to San Francisco from Hawaii and the Orient, and hundreds of cases of hitherto unexplained dejection, laziness and supposed lack of moral initiative are now attributed to the inroads of the little parasite.
Dr. Herbert Gunn, who is directing a campaign of physicians against the disease, said yesterday:
"I have treated more than 100 cases of hookworm in this city. I recall at least one death to it, that of a boy who died in the Lane hospital two years ago. The disease has not been known to exist in California, except in very rare instances until four years ago."
Many soldiers of the Philippines and travellers and business men from the Orient have returned afflicted with the small vampire.
The parasites in the country districts are usually acquired through the skin of the bare feet. Infected water and uncooked vegetables also spread the disease. Army officers and private soldiers have been known to pick up the worm in their wet shoes while tramping through rice fields,



JOHN NEFF, The Brainstorm comedian and musical specialist at Bennett's this week.

STRANGE BEQUESTS OF THE LONG AGO.

"THREEPENNY DAY" AT THE TOWN OF ETON.

English Holidays Still Marked by Gifts Provided for in Other Centuries.

If we consider what tremendous changes have been wrought in the social life of the British Isles during the past half century, if we remember how strong and how sweeping is the tendency of the day toward the substitution of what is practical and utilitarian for what is merely of sentimental value, we must be astonished that so much survives among us—and survives strongly—which has no practical reason for existence, and that threatened abolition meets with such sturdy opposition, says Chambers' Journal.
Of course we have lost much irrevocably, but we seem determined to lose no more, if we may judge by the outcry which replies to every suggestion of discontinuance or substitution; and it may also be remarked that of all places in the kingdom, it is the prosaic matter of fact, apparently unimportant, city of London that the survivals of old customs and forms, and especially of the subject of this paper—old bequests—are the most numerous and the clamor against abolition the loudest.
In the year 1717 one Paul Jervis left a sum of money, the interest of which was to be applied to the preaching of a sermon every St. Paul's day in St. Sepulchre's, Newgate, London, on the expediency of the liturgy of the Church of England; certain sums also being paid to the preacher, curate, clerk, etc., twenty shillings each to the ten poorest householders of the Smithfield quarter of the parish, £4 to St. Bartholomew's Hospital, and the residue among poor men attending the service. He also made provision for the dining together of the clergy and church officers after the service.
Every eighth day of February is known in the Surrey parish of Wotton as "Forty Shilling Day." This is in accordance with the will of William Givens, who died in 1722, by which twelve boys of the parish are to meet in the churchyard, and with their fingers on the ledger, read the Lord's prayer and the Ten Commandments, and to read a certain chapter of the Bible. Each of five boys who successfully do this receives forty shillings.
The 27th day of February is known at Eton as "ThreePENNY Day." Provost Bost (who died in 1504) and Roger Lup-ton (who died in 1540) left money which gives every collegier three-pence. Tradition says that the original bequest was half a sheep to each collegier, and that he now receives the equivalent in modern money of the value of half a sheep in the sixteenth century.
On Lady Day, the 25th of March, it was the custom at St. Albans—within the last ten years, at any rate, and it may be done now—to distribute cakes, known as "poppe ladies," to the poor. The money for this was left by a noble lady of the fifteenth century, who, having lost her way at night on her journey to the monastery, found it by the aid of the clock tower light, and thus emphasized her gratitude.
A custom of similar origin still obtains at Newark, where on the twelfth Sunday before Christmas, and for six Sundays, the bells chime at evening for an hour, in accordance with the will of Gofor, a local merchant, who, three hundred years ago, lost his way in the woods and was guided home by Newark bells.
On Good Friday a number of ancient bequests are still commemorated. The most interesting, perhaps, is that which is carried out at the oldest London church, that of Bartholomew the Great, Smithfield. Twenty-one widows repair

to a certain tomb in the churchyard, and each picks a sixpence from out of it. The origin of the custom, which has been observed for four hundred years, is not known, but it is said that the original bequest was made by a lady in pre-Reformation times, for masses to be said for her soul, and that at the Reformation the money was put to its present use.
At St. Margaret's, Lothbury, the "three hours' service" was perpetually provided for by the bequest of an old parishioner who lived at the reformation time, and who, as a merchant tailor, made it a condition that the officials of his company should be present. This is still observed.
On Easter eve the singers of St. Mary in Arden, Market Harborough, sing the Easter hymn over the grave of William Hubbard, who died in 1780 and who bequeathed a guinea per annum for the purpose.
Every April 6 there is sold in connection with a local charity at Bourne, in Lincolnshire, the "White Bread Meadow" by the following curious auction fashion. At the beginning of the bidding two boys start on a race, and the bidder at the moment when the winning boy crosses the tape is the tenant for the coming year. After the performance bread, raisins and ale are provided.
Wedding on May Day.
On May day a curious wedding is celebrated at St. George's in the east, London, in accordance with the terms of a bequest by William Raine, who died in 1742. By his will a sum of £4,000 was set aside, the interest of which was to provide a marriage portion for a girl from his schools in Old Gravel lane. For this prize six girls, at the age of twenty-two, who had been brought up at these schools, were to draw lots from a tin tea canister. The only conditions of the marriage were that the proposed husband was not to be a soldier or a sailor, must be of the Church of England, and approved by the trustees.
On Whit Tuesday there is preached at St. Leonard's Shoreditch, London, a fulfilment of the terms of the will of Thos. Fairchild, a gardener, who died in 1728, and left £28 for the purpose, a sermon which has for its text: "The certainty of resurrection from the dead, as shown by operations in the animal and vegetable world, and changes in the operations of the animal and vegetable kingdoms."
At Sharnington, near Eghill, the church is strewn with freshly mown grass every Whit Tuesday, in commemoration of the fact that the church was thus strewn at its consecration, it not being yet paved. To keep this old custom up two local ladies bequeathed a piece of ground to grow the necessary grass.
A most unusual performance of a bequest is that which takes place every Whit Tuesday at the parish church schools of St. Ives, Huntingdonshire, when six boys and six girls from church and nonconformist schools cast dice for Bibles, in terms of the will of Dr. Robert Wilde, who died in 1675.
Gifts on Midsummer Day.
On midsummer day, under the will of Isaac Duckett, who died in 1620, the interest of the sum of £400, which he left "in order to encourage fidelity and long service among domestics," is distributed in sums varying from £20 to £5 among eleven persons dwelling in the parish of St. Andrew's, Holborn, who have been in one service seven years. Owing to various social changes since the first distribution was made, in 1639—chief among them being the disuse of the city of London as a residential centre, and the fact that faithful domestic service has ceased to be an object of pride and self-

The Right House

"HAMILTON'S FAVORITE SHOPPING PLACE"

Friday, Special Value Day: Bargains And Remember the Inauguration and Annual Fur Sales Are Still Flourishing

THREE great events for the buying population of Hamilton and vicinity—Friday Special Value Day, the great Inauguration Sale and our wonderful annual Fur Sale—all at the same time. Necessarily to-morrow must be a day doubly rich in bargain-giving and you can visit The Right House expecting great things. We cannot risk disappointing you.

With three such events on our Friday programme we have prepared to accommodate immense crowds and we are advising all our patrons to be on hand early.

Shop all you wish to-morrow in the store which is going ahead by leaps and bounds towards the goal of being a greater good value store of sterling character for the people—and count every saving as justly gains.

THOMAS C. WATKINS

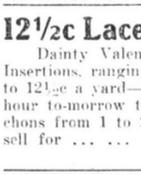
Net and Silk Waists \$1.95

Big clearing of the balance of our Blouses after the great Blouse Sale. They are in net and silks of black and white with pretty lace yokes; trimmed with insertion, lace edgings and medallions. Odd sizes, broken lots; regular \$5, \$6, \$7.50 and \$9. Friday for the one price \$1.95 SECOND FLOOR

Very popular with all classes of The Right House customers have become these Friday Hour Sales. Quality goods at extremely low prices for one hour only make a drawing card which few can resist. Four of these Hour Sales have been arranged for to-morrow. Note carefully the hours.



Glass Towels only 9c
Glass Cloths, nicely lettered and hemmed, all ready for use. These are of good useful size and are of the regular 12 1/2c value. For exactly one hour to-morrow 9c MAIN FLOOR



12 1/2c Laces for only 2c
Dainty Valenciennes Laces and Insertions, ranging in values from 8 1/2 to 12 1/2c a yard—for one sharp selling hour to-morrow these Cluny and Torchons from 1 to 2 1/2 inches wide, will sell for 2c MAIN FLOOR



Corsets & Trimmed Hats
For an hour only—75 pairs of Corsets, assorted sizes; white or grey; regular \$1.00 29c
Millinery Specials
Five dozen Hats, trimmed with wings, mounts and fancy feathers; new goods in assorted shades. Regular values up to \$2.00, special 68c SECOND FLOOR



17c Flannelette at 12 1/2c
Striped Flannelette, best English make with soft Saxony finish, 36 inches wide and suitable for underwear or nightdresses; regular 17c, a yard now, now for one hour 12 1/2c MAIN FLOOR

\$18.00 Rubberized Raincoats \$12.50

These Silk, Rubberized Raincoats, full length, in black and blue stripe, were advertised only a few days ago at \$18. We are determined to make to-morrow a record special value day, so these Coats are now \$12.50 SECOND FLOOR

Friday for the Men

Men's Soft Negligee Shirts in plain white stripes and fancy patterns, 14 1/2 to 17 1/2; formerly \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50, Friday 60c

Silk Shirts, only 16 1/2 size; were \$4.75, Friday \$1.98

Boys' All-wool Sweaters, assorted colors, all sizes; the 75c kind, for 59c

Men's Coat Sweaters, blue with red trimmings and grey with blue trimmings; pure wool \$1.00

Assorted lot of Men's House Coats, were \$2.50, \$2.25 and \$1.85; Friday \$1.00, 90c and 50c

Full Dress Vests, silks and pique, regular \$2.50 and \$3.50, Friday \$1.00

Men's Cape Gloves, tan shades, regular \$1.25, now 85c MAIN FLOOR

Special Purchase Ladies' Underwear

Turnbull's celebrated famous make of Ladies' Underwear, slightly imperfect or soiled, those which had lost a stitch here and there have been mended. In this lot are some perfect garments and all have been especially marked in price for this first special value day of the great Inauguration Sale.

The Vests have high necks and long sleeves. Some are white, others natural, and are heavy knitted. There is a limited supply, so buy early.
40c values, Friday 29c a garment 50c values, Friday 39c a garment
60c values, Friday 45c a garment
Natural Wool Drawers, regular 75c, Friday per garment 59c
Natural Wool Vests and Drawers, were 85c, now per garment 63c
Natural Wool Drawers, regular \$1.00, now per garment 79c MAIN FLOOR

About the Fur Sale

Hundreds have been attracted to The Right House by an annual Fur Sale and yesterday's announcement of some special fur and millinery purchases at sacrifice prices filled the second floor this morning. Have you seen our
Western Sable Muffs, \$8.00 values, for . . . \$5.50
Natural Sable Muffs, \$16.50 values, for . . \$11.95
Natural Sable Muffs, \$15.00 values, for . . \$10.50
Natural Mink Stoles, regular \$75 values, for \$60
Natural Mink Muffs, \$40 values, for \$32.00
Or any of the other special Fur Sale reductions! SECOND FLOOR

Beautiful Princess Dresses

Princess Dresses for afternoon, evening or theatre wear; in lace, chiffon, taffeta, messaline, Duchesse satin and foulards. These dresses are in all popular shades, prunelle, taupe, electric blue, helio, sky, pink, black, navy and old rose and are made in pretty paneled designs; daintily and abundantly trimmed on front, back and sleeve with medallions, gimped and Valenciennes lace in sections. Edgings and pin tucks with jet, silk and soutache buttons to finish. We have these dresses for Friday at \$16.50, \$18.50, \$20.00, \$22.50, \$25.00, \$28.50, \$30.00, \$35.00 and \$40.00, up to \$60.00. SECOND FLOOR

ESTABLISHED 66 YEARS AGO THOMAS C. WATKINS HAMILTON, ONTARIO

satisfaction the scope of this charity has been altered and widened. Of a similar character is the bequest of one Merri-ck, of Launceston, in Cornwall, by which, on July 12, the first day of Launceston fair, what is known as "pretty maid's money," amounting to £2 10s, is bestowed on an elected maid of good character and regular attendance at church.
On the first day of August Doggett's coat and badge are still rowed for by young Thames watermen, as they have been since 1715. Doggett was a somewhat famous comedian, and he founded the prize to celebrate the Brunswick watermen whose apprenticeship had expired the previous year started at the time of the tide when the current was strongest against them from "Old Swan" pier, London bridge, to the "White Swan," Chelsea, but now finish about 500 yards higher up. The first prize is the orange-colored coat with the silver badge of the arms of Hanover.
To this the Fishmongers' company has added money, and to provide second and third prizes Sir William Jolliffe left the interest on £261. Although the Thames has ceased to be the highway which it was early in the eighteenth century, and the Thames watermen as

a body have lost much of their old power and importance, the annual race for Doggett's coat and badge still excites the greatest interest and the keenest competition, and the day on which it is held is marked as a general riverside holiday.
At Sherborne, in Dorsetshire, Sept. 27 is still known as "The Earl of Bristol's Telling Day." By the will of Baron Digby, Earl of Bristol, in 1698, a sum of money was left for the bell of Sherborne Abbey to be tolled all day and for a special sermon to be preached. Brown Willis, the antiquary of Fenby Stratford, was equally determined that his death should be kept in remembrance, for he left money for the annual firing of guns, known as "Fenny Poppers," for a church service and a dinner at the Bull Inn. So was one Randall, of St. Miniver, Cornwall, who provided for a sermon to be preached on Dec. 27 for one hundred years.
With the last public execution of criminals at Newgate disappeared the reason for existence of a very famous bequest, although for some time the money had been put to more practical use. In 1605 Robert Dows, citizen and merchant tailor, gave to the parish of St. Sepulchre the sum of £50 on condition that on the night before execu-

tion day, which was usually Monday, a man should go beneath the window of the condemned cell, and after giving twelve solemn strokes with a hand bell, should recite an exhortation in verse to repentance and preparation for the approaching ordeal. Also, that the bell of St. Sepulchre's should toll on execution mornings, so that passersby should be moved to pray for the poor sinners going to their fate.
At Old Weston, in Huntingdonshire, the floor of the church is annually strewn with new mown hay on St. Swithun's Day, July 15, the origin being that the villagers of Weston used to buy their new boots in July, with the result that when they came to church, on St. Swithun's Day they made an intolerable noise. This so annoyed a wealthy old resident that he left money for hay to be strewn in the church on that day.
At Watlington, Oxfordshire, on Nov. 19, twenty poor men receive coats with the bounty of Robert Parslow, who seems to have got hold of the royalist military chest which was left here on the eve of the battle of Chalgrove field (at which John Hamilton was killed) and never called for.

The corruption of the best becomes the worst.—Latin.

CEETEE UNDERWEAR

THE "CEETEE" Trade Mark on underclothing is an assurance of quality — means absolute comfort to the wearer.

In all sizes for men, women and children—every garment guaranteed. Ask your dealer to show you "CEETEE."

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Manufacturers—Established 1859

How I Took The Hair Off My Face

The Same, Sure Remedy Which Cured Me, Will Be Sent You FREE. It Will Not Burn Or Injure the Skin.



Don't Use a Razor
"You there was a time when I could hardly bear to look at myself in the glass," said a well known society beauty. "I was hideous and I knew it and my friends knew it, even if they said nothing to me."
"I don't care whether it is not a few stray hairs or a full fledged moustache, hair on a woman's face will spoil her beauty. They tried the electric, the wax, and all other remedies I ever heard of. And, of course, the hair came back. It always will with such remedies. They don't really kill the hair. They just burn it off the surface and stimulate the roots. Sometimes I just couldn't stand to face anybody with that horrid growth on my face and arms. I was about to give up in despair, when some friend sent me a bottle of Electro-trola. I hadn't faith in the remedy before I used it, but it took just one treatment to convince me." The way that hair came off was a marvel and no matter how long I left the remedy on it would not burn or smart. That's the secret of its success. You can leave it on long enough to reach the roots and kill the hair and a cure with Electro-trola is a cure that lasts. See, my face is as soft and smooth as a little child's and it's been months since I cured myself. If you don't believe this, just try Electro-trola and see.

We want every reader of this paper who is troubled with superfluous hair, to prove this sure remedy just as thousands of others affected with objectionable hair have done. If you want a permanent, lasting cure, not merely temporary relief, Electro-trola is what you should use.
All that is necessary is to get a free trial bottle to see if it will fill out the coupon and send to us with a two-cent stamp to help cover cost of mailing. The regular size bottle is \$1.00 and your money will be refunded if Electro-trola does not do all we claim. We don't ask you to take our word for what Electro-trola will do. Fill out the Trial Coupon and mail with a two-cent stamp to-day.

FREE TREATMENT
Fill in your name and address on dotted lines below and send it to: KEO-KOC-TIV CO., 618 State St., Chicago, Ill., enclosing a two-cent stamp to help cover mailing, and we will send at once a free trial bottle that will show you what Electro-trola will do for you. 1055.

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

RESERVED SEATS HAVE ALL BEEN SOLD.

Continual Flow of Fans at Stanley Mills' This Morning in a Fruitless Effort to Get Seats—New Stand to be Erected.

All the reserved seats for the Tiger-Ottawa game next Saturday at the Cricket Grounds were sold out yesterday with the exception of about two hundred. Before 9 o'clock this morning all the seats had been sold. Hundreds of people were turned away from Stanley Mills' this morning. The advance sale of seats for this game has broken all previous records, and no doubt the attendance will outnumber that at any former game. To accommodate the hundreds who still want reserved seats the executive has decided to continue the north stand to the fence. The sale of seats for these sections will open to-morrow.

The Rooters' Club will meet to-night at the Ramblers' Club to hold their first practice. A section has been reserved for their accommodation in the north stand, and the tickets will be sold at the club to-night.

The Tigers held two good practices yesterday afternoon and evening. Davey Tope was out for the first time this year, and Cotton Top demonstrated that he has still got a good deal left in him. Frank Harvey was also out, and it is altogether likely that the intermediate captain will be found on the line up of the senior team on Saturday. Particular attention is being paid to tackling, and the team has improved greatly in this department in the last week.

The team will likely line up as follows:

- Full-back—George Smith.
- Halves—Ben Simpson, Frank Harvey, Art Moore.
- Quarter—George Awrey.
- Scrimmage—Bramer, Pfeiffer, Craig.
- Wings—Turner, Isbester, Barron, Gray, Wigle and Marriott.

The line up as given above makes one of the best teams the Tigers ever put on the field. Don Lyon will not likely play on Saturday as his wrist is still weak, and it is thought that he will be needed more in the play off and the game with Varsity, than on Saturday.

"I think that the Tigers are in the strongest condition that they have been in this year," Dr. Thompson says. "There's one thing which, to me, seems a strong argument in favor of our winning out on Saturday against Ottawa and that is this. With the exception

of Lyon all our men have been back in the game for weeks and have had the advantage of two good games and three weeks' practice. Ottawa has Vaughan, McAnn, Williams and Stronach on the partially retired list, and while these men may have been recovering from their injuries, they cannot have been practising as well. Ottawa is no better off, at the present time, than we are. At the beginning of the season, and some think that they are much weaker. Certainly their showing against Montreal and Argos indicates that they have gone back. Now, it cannot be gained, but that we are stronger and in form should win."

Toronto Telegram writer's opinion: If the Tigers do not beat Ottawa, and beat them good, at Hamilton on the coming Saturday, it will be the biggest surprise that has ever been handed out on a Rugby field in Canada.

A comparison of the two teams on the games they have played shows that the Tigers have beaten (with the exception of Ottawa) their opponents by far bigger scores than have Ottawa, and you have only to compare the games that the Tigers and Ottawa have played while the latter have been away from home, and the difference of the two teams as to the scoring end of the game shows that Montreal have had more points scored against them by the Tigers than by Ottawa. In the two games the Tigers have scored no less than 36 to Montreal's 2, while Ottawa has scored 30 to Montreal's 17.

In the game between these three teams at Montreal alone the difference of the two teams shows strongest. Montreal held Ottawa down to the small score of five points, getting three themselves, while the Tigers allowed only one point to be scored against them while they were getting a total of twenty-four. On this showing, what chance will Ottawa have to beat the Tigers in Hamilton or wherever the play-off will be?

Argonauts, by using their heads in the last game with Ottawa, would have surely beaten Ottawa. A kick of the ball to the dead line on one or two occasions would have done the trick, and if the kick to the dead line had developed, Ottawa's chances for the championship would have gone glimmering at Hamilton on Saturday. A kick of the ball here or there, a tie on the score and the play-off, with Hamilton eventually winning out, seems the one best bet.

Of course there is the game here between Hamilton and Argos, but then the odds are not shown sufficient form to predict a win for the local team.

Thinks Sam Is Advertising.

Johnson Says Langford Will Have to Bet \$10,000.

"Sam Langford doesn't want to meet me. He's only trying for a little advertising. But if he really posts his forfeit of \$10,000 as a side bet to-morrow, I'll make him come to Chicago to sign articles—and he'll have to let the winner take everything."

This, says the Chicago Record-Herald, was the statement made last night by Jack Johnson, who is bound for Detroit, where he has a theatrical engagement.

"I'm going to fill out the engagement," he said, "but I'll come right back to Chicago in case Langford really means business. One point hasn't been brought out yet—that the winner has got to take all, side bet and purse."

"The only reason I've insisted on a bigger side bet than I did with Jeffries is because I don't think a bout between Langford and myself will draw a purse or a house worth boxing for. If I can pick up some money out of it by stowing him away, I'll do it gladly. But I'm not going to let him make big capital out of the thing in advertising and then have him pull down a big loser's dot."

"In case he don't make arrangements for a meeting here, I'll come back to Chicago, then go to Indianapolis, where I have theatrical engagements. From there I will go to Pittsburgh and Buffalo and then go to New York."

Johnson added that he was going to do hard training throughout, for the match with Jeffries.

"Even on my theatrical tour I'll get plenty of exercise in boxing," he said, "and while I haven't picked my final training quarters, they may be somewhere around here. I will put in at least five months of good, hard work, doing nothing but training in the open air, before I meet Jeffries. I won't take any theatrical dates in that time."

Johnson's remarks followed a dispatch from Boston yesterday in which Joe Woodman, manager of Langford, is quoted as saying that he had responsible backing for \$10,000 and that he was unable to get the money yesterday, that being a bank holiday in Boston.

Johnson showed his teeth in a gleaming smile when told of this.

"That money, if it's posted at all, is going to be posted right yea-h in Chicago," he snift with conviction.

Clinton Wins Mile Event.

De Vaudrey Clips 7 Seconds From Local Records.

The amateur races held at the Britannia rink last evening were undoubtedly the best ever held at the east end rink. The race was a handicap affair with the limit man on 150 yards. Lock McMaster on scratch, Wm. Clinton, on the 50 yards mark, winning from McMaster. Time, 2:52 2/5. Herman Schmidt third.

De Vaudrey in an exhibition clipped seven seconds from the best mark made at the rink, skating the twelve laps in 2:37 2/5.

McKilvray, starter; Dale, referee; Jack Bolan, timekeeper; Crawford and Hunter, judges.

MAY MAKE TOUR, MEET ALL-COMERS.

Plan Favored by Jeffries as a Training Stunt—Offers to Stop Two Boxers—Britt Died of a Broken Heart.

New York, Nov. 4.—"Just as soon as the matter of the bids is settled Jeffries will tour the country with a company, offering to knock two men out at each performance." So said Manager Sam Berger Monday night. "We are simply swamped with offers for short bouts, and several startling propositions have come from Philadelphia and Pittsburgh. Jeff and I have talked it over, and he wants to prove to the public that he is thoroughly capable of fitting himself to take up the white man's cause."

"Jeff isn't against trying his hand at some of the six-round bouts with an of the good heavyweights now clamoring for recognition. Particularly does he favor the idea of going on the road with an athletic-theatrical show, with an offer to stop two men at each performance. In that way he hopes to regain his confidence."

"Now, mind you, that doesn't mean that Jeff has lost heart. Nothing of the sort. This sort of work would be rather simply snoring with a partner bound to follow an extended absence from the ring. A man loses distance, and it doesn't follow that he is going to pick it up in the gym or on the road. Only actual contests—bouts in which you can count on the unexpected from the fellow in front of you—will be beneficial to him."

"John L. Sullivan, Bob Fitzsimmons and other great fighters kept in shape between fights by going about the coun-

try bowling over all comers. If we adopt that measure we will go through with it no matter who looms up in the audience and signifies a willingness to try for the substantial reward that will be given to the man who is able to walk off the stage after Jeff gets through with him."

"It would be funny if Al Kaufmann, Jack O'Brien, Jim Flynn or any of that crowd should bob up in some jerker town and demand a crack at little Jim. Well, they'll be accommodated."

"Jeff never shirked an issue—not even the big thing now in his mind. It would be a sort of preliminary dash before he took up real training camp work. People sniffed when he accepted twenty weeks of theatrical work at a fancy price before announcing his intentions in regard to Johnson. They didn't realize that Jeff was being paid an immense sum for training."

"We used to laugh many a time to ourselves back of the scenes after a hard bout and a workout. Jeff was being paid for getting into condition, and he enjoyed the joke of the thing many a time. I suppose they will talk about his going on the road beating farmers and the like, but he will be getting into shape with every set-to."

"That boy died of a broken heart," said Jim Coffroth when told of the death of Willis Britt, Stanley Ketchel's little manager, at Frisco Saturday. "He was heart and soul with Ketchel in his fight with Johnson, and when the champ dropped his man in the twelfth, it was too much for him. He went on a spree which ended in his death."

BOXING LESS BRUTAL THAN FOOTBALL, SAYS JEFF.

"In the Ring You've Only Got to Fight One Man, on the Gridiron It's Eleven."—The Big Fellow Discusses Bryce's Fate.

Jim Jeffries, the retired and revived pugilist, has a few warm words to say about college football. As usual, it was necessary to corker a few answers out of him before his tongue began to work freely. Jeff is no conversationalist, but he thinks his thoughts and they are usually pretty sensible ones, says the New York American.

"Hold on," said he, quickly. "I'm a fighter. Maybe I ought not to have any opinions about football. It isn't my game. I'm not supposed to know anything about it. Well, y-e-s, I've been reading the papers. Tell me, on the level, have they killed seven boys already this year? That's serious. No joke about that kind of a game, I guess. Now then."

"You can say that I'm against any game that kills seven boys while it's only warming up, you might say. That sort of a game isn't worth while. No game that kills men as a regular thing is worth while."

WOMEN ABHOR PRIZEFIGHTERS.

"There have always been a lot of men in this country who stand up on their hind legs and roar about the brutality of the boxing game. Their avowed aim is to pull their skirts away from a prizefighter, as if he was some sort of an animal, yet those same people go out to a football game and yell themselves black in the face at an exhibition that's too rough for men who fight for a liv-

ing. The women, too! Yes, sir, I've seen 'em and I know."

"Football is all right, eh? It's a fashionable game. Society stands for it, yet in the old bare knuckle days, when men picked their hands in brine for weeks before a fight, there was never anything to compare with the roughness and the brutality of this new social game."

"This will make a lot of people sore, but I'll tell you why I think football is more brutal than boxing—yes, you can call it prize fighting if you want to. When a man goes into the ring he knows he has only got to whip one man—only got to fight one man. The odds are fair. In this football business you've got eleven men against you."

WENT DOWN FOR THE COUNT.

"I saw in the paper this afternoon that just before this poor cadet was hurt he had been in a smash-up and went down for the count. He was game, and he got up again and went to his place. What did they do? They directed the attack against the weak place," the paper says. In other words, all those big, husky fellows smashed into this boy, who was still groggy. And they got him."

"They can send all the telegrams of condolence they want to, but that doesn't bring him back. They piled the whole line on him and they did it when they knew he was weak and not in shape. They did it BECAUSE he was weak! Why, I'd be ashamed to smash a man as hard as I could when



Canada is developing her art with the development of her vast natural resources.

Climatic conditions enforce certain styles of dress—and the Canadian Ulster is a garment peculiarly designed for the climate of Canada. The high close-fitting collar is a weather protector.

This is the Coat of Many Comforts.

These are imported Ulster Cloths for our Overcoats at \$15, \$20 and \$25.

You need feel under no obligation to buy when you come to see the range we can show you.

Semi-ready Tailoring

Joseph McClung, 46 James St. North

I knew he was newly out. I'd ask the referee to stop the fight before I'd do that.

"Here's another reason why football is a bad business. In a fight, if a man gets a clip on the jaw and goes down and can't get up again in ten seconds, he's done. He doesn't have to take any more punishment. In a football game they give a man two minutes to come back. If he had had some such rule as we have in the ring, this cadet would have been out of the game when he was stunned the first time."

RISK EVERYTHING FOR NOTHING

"Here's another thing that strikes me. Most of the boys who play football are only kids. They haven't their growth or their full strength. They go in there and get slammed around, and they cannot stand it. They don't get a thing out of it if they win. Do you suppose all the rah-rah business in the world could make up the loss of one boy—to his folks? They risk everything for nothing."

"Let 'em holler about fighting being brutal. I'll tell you something: if prize-fighting should kill 15 men in one year, every Legislature in the country would put the game out of business. And that isn't all they'd do. They'd hang a few of the winners. This talk about boxing being brutal and football being a fine game makes me sick. If I had a son I'd send him into the ring to fight one man at a time before I'd let him take his chances with eleven fellows. Yes, and he'd lose a decision to me the first time he began to talk football."

There seems to be no question about the way Jim Jeffries stands on the question of college football.

The biggest cornstalks and the greatest ears known are found in the Province of Jalisco, Mexico.

WHAT O'CONNELL SAID

He Never Called the Lady a "Parallelopedon" at All.

John Joseph O'Driscoll writes to The New York World:

"Erin" in this day's World, referring to the use of the word "parallelopedon" as a form of linguistic castigation employed by Daniel O'Connell, the Irish patriot and Catholic emancipator, made a mistake which is not material, but which, with your kind permission, I shall rectify in the interest of historical accuracy.

O'Connell, while still a rising lawyer, happened to be in the lobby of the Four Courts, in Dublin, when a friend of his told him of the vituperative powers of Biddy Moriarthy's tongue. Now, the famous Biddy did not keep a fish market, but sold walking sticks and other knick-knacks, at a little stand on the corner of one of the leading streets.

O'Connell, in company with his friend, approached her and demanded in rather stentorian tones that she should let him know the price of a cane which he picked up for inspection. After some laughing about the price, during which Biddy called O'Connell "a measly-mouthed hooligan," O'Connell called her "an oblongular old hag," adding: "Look at her, boys; there she stands, a convicted perpendicular in petticoats! There's contamination in her circumference and she trembles with guilt down to the extremities of her corollaries!"

O'Connell's grandson told me personally that this was the correct version.

The man who agrees with everybody soon gets the reputation of having good judgment.

"But how do you expect to recognize your raffinity when you meet him?" "By his bank account."—Houston Post.

JACK JOHNSON WILL BEAT JIM JEFFRIES.

Health Culture Expert Picks Negro to Win—Reasons For This Opinion—Johnson Will Play His Man Out.

W. R. C. Latson, B. S., M. D., editor of Health Culture Magazine, who viewed the fighters, picks Johnson to win on physical form. He says:

"As a student having no race feeling—as one who is interested, not in the men, but in the perfect physical development of men—I prophesy Johnson. In the ring you can never tell. Once there was a fellow by the name of Monroe—but everybody knows that story."

"I am not a prophet—or the son of a prophet. But I have watched both men in action—watched them as a student of physical action. Which man beats the other one does not matter to me in the least; how he does it is the question."

"Jeffries is invincible if he knows exactly when and where the other fellow is going to hit him. But Johnson never tells. He only smiles—or rather grins—and slides off. He may even pretend to fall down."

"I don't think for a moment that the elusive Afro-American will go for his opponent as that prince of pugilists, John L. Sullivan, used to go at his man. I anticipate rather seeing Johnson as I have seen him—never there. 'Every time you hit him you miss him,' said an Irishman. And that is Johnson."

"With his bulk, his strength, and the firmness which somebody told me he had acquired by vaudeville stunts and other means, Jeffries is not by any means an easy proposition. Physically, as we all know, he is a wonder. Johnson has the ease and the freedom of youth and the reserve which marks the master of modern ring tactics. To him the 'prize fight' as it was once called, is a very simple game. To him it will be play."

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the most powerful in the body—are for the moment relaxed.

"For that moment of relaxation, for that gasp, the master of ring tactics is smiling. Then he darts in a very gentle, little snappy slap—and it takes more than ten seconds to find out whether or not the other man is alive."

"That is my opinion about this bout. Johnson will play his man out, and then, having been running and falling down about seventeen times, Johnson will rise up and slap Jeffries in a tender place. There are several—especially when you are tired. If the opponent catches you when you are tired, and gasping, it is just under the tripod process. If you in gasping should drop your jaw it is a glancing blow just under your lower lip. Another point which no pugilist of good taste would land on is just behind the ear—on the mastoid process—if we must use professional jargon."

Now my feeling is that Johnson will wait until Jeffries gets tired enough to gasp.

And then—

"That is what Johnson did to poor Burns. That is what he did to that splendid fighter, Ketchel, and that, I guess, is what he will do to the 'Invincible.'"

Jeffries is a physical wonder. But Johnson also is a wonder. It is subtlety against strength—the getaway against the punch, and a boy against a man who used to be a boy.

One thing—and a most comforting thing is this—the fight will be fair. Both men are beyond reproach as far as their honesty is concerned. As to the rest I can only reiterate my personal feeling that while Jeffries is one of the strongest men in the world, the ebony man is one of the subtlest—and which shall win—bulk or subtlety?

These two men are wonderful specimens of humanity. Jeffries is remarkable for a man who has had one career and now starts another. But, as I have said, he was once a boy and is now a man. Johnson is a boy in everything—his body is splendidly knit. And his heart is right—he is buoyant and glad that he is alive. Great is health. Great is youth. Great is the combination of health and youth.

COMMENT AND GOSSIP

The coming winter was unanimously see Holmer, Acoese and March in the limelight, as well as the old guard.

"Varsity fans" are to have stood in line all night to get seats for Saturday's football game. People with some sense have figured it would be better to stand for a couple of hours to see the game.

Jeffries, after watching the Ketchel-Johnson fight pictures, said: "Why, the fight was a joke. They told me that Johnson was as good a boxer as Corbett. Anyone that says that is crazy. Corbett was much faster on his feet and better in ducking blows. Johnson's victory over Ketchel was nothing to brag about."

Boston ball fans are up in arms because of the release of Manager Fred Lake by the Red Sox. Lake built up the Boston American League team with skill, and is rated as one of the best managers in the profession. If there is no chance for him to patch up his differences with President John I. Taylor it is safe to say that Lake will be snipped up by some other magnate in need of a competent team handler.

Shrubb says he doesn't want to race Longboat again until the latter is in shape.

The annual meeting of the Victoria Curling Club, which came to the election of officers resulted as follows: Honorary President, T. Kilvington; President, James Dixon; Vice-President, W. R. Davis; Secretary Treasurer, R. A. Migne; Committee, A. M. Cunningham, Geo. Shambrook, F. F. Macpherson, A. R. Whyte, James Crooks, and the President, Vice-President and Secretary Treasurer; Representatives to Ontario Curling Association, A. M. Cunningham and James Dixon.

Promoters Coffroth and Gleason, of California, who are in New York to bid for the Jeffries-Johnson fight, are carefully avoiding each other. They evidently realize that it is in either's power to land the match. To get a line on possible bids by them is out of the question. But when the crucial moment arrives the fur will fly. Meanwhile Promoter McCarey, of Los Angeles, sends word that he will build an arena outside the limits of that burg and will go as high as \$60,000 for the battle. But McCarey does not seem to be able to ruffie either Gleason or Coffroth.

Ketchel is prostrated by the sudden death of his manager, Willis Britt. The two were close friends and Ketchel regarded Britt as an oracle. "He was the best friend I ever knew," said the Michigan pugilist the other day, "and I shall be lost without him. He was confident that I would defeat Johnson and when I failed he was heartbroken. It will be a long time before I can get another manager like him." Ketchel has decided to keep out of the ring for several months. He says he needs a long rest.

James J. Jeffries will appear for his last week in vaudeville beginning next Monday at the Plaza Music Hall. According to Sam Berger this will be his only

"Truth Seeker." In the first place this is a barren spot to land on if you are looking for anything like that, and in the second the argument about the "comparative brutality of football and pugilism" is a bootless one, saying the best. To advance it on the side of pugilism reflects only on yourself. It implies the admission that you are not necessarily embarrassing. The "intent" of football is not the infliction of corporal punishment, while the "intent" of pugilism is.

Of course, there are more serious injuries inflicted on the gridiron than in the roped arena, but they are purely "incidental." Do you understand? That's the only way to look at it. Any other line of talk never got anybody anything.

Toronto World: The old timer always thinks his team superior than the present outfit, and you cannot disprove his statement. Gordon Southam says Tigers in condition will beat Varsity, but the students are not the equal of Casey Baldwin's team.

"Some of the college disciples have been comparing this year's Varsity team with the college champion of 1905. What do you think of it?" was the question asked Gordon Southam, full back on the greatest team ever produced by Varsity, and a prominent figure in the Ottawa-Varsity game which the college won 11-9, carrying off the Canadian honors, as a glorious wind-up to the 1909 season.

"I haven't seen Varsity play this year, but I hardly think they can measure up to our team of 1905," replied the famous drop-kicker. "In the first place, Lawson doesn't compare with McGinnis, who has never been equaled as a running and dodging half. And then Varsity hardly has a Casey Baldwin this year, while I don't think the present wing line can touch the game put up by Whit Lailev, Jack Lash, Babe Reynolds, Ritchie and the rest of the old bunch. Varsity must have a great team this year, judging from the scores they are pulling up, but naturally I don't think they come up to our old team."

"How do you think they compare with the Tigers," was the parting shot? "As far as I know, I think that condition of players, and perhaps tackling, are the only two points in which the college team looks better," was the reply.

JEFF'S LATEST PICTURE—NO SURPLUS WEIGHT THERE



JIM JEFFRIES, SNAPPED WHILE AT A TRAINING STUNT.

Frank Gotch to Assist Jeffries.

Chicago, Nov. 4.—The Inter-oceanic morning says:

"With the hope of being good and strong when he meets Jack Johnson in their battle for the heavyweight championship of the world, Jeffries has decided to engage Frank Gotch, the champion wrestler of the world, to work with him for a few months when he begins training for the fight. Jeffries intends to work twice a day with Gotch, so as to be in fine condition when the bell clangs. Gotch will probably accept Jeffries' offer to assist him in his training."

GRIDIRON GOSSIP

If those who are raising this talk on the other side about the abolishment of football...

We believe that the game played here is just as strenuous as the game on the other side of the line...

If the Americans would take off some of those pads and open the game up with the doing away of the interference play...

Yale Daily News: Compared with the vast number who play football, the percentage of fatally injured is extremely small...

Eddie Hart, the Princeton half-back, uses a curious headgear that looks as if it had been made for somebody suffering with spinal trouble...

Philadelphia, Nov. 3.—Football as played in this country is barbarous and ought to be abolished...

Instead of Rugby they should play association football as it is called nowadays. It is the kind we played when we had the ball...

The archbishop's comments on football were suggested by the death of Michael Burke, the young student of the Medico-Chirurgical College...

Toronto Mail and Empire: The Inter-Provincial championship practically hangs on the result of the Ottawa-Hamilton game...

The touring English team, the Pilgrims, are in bad shape, with Eastwood, Soare, Littlewood, Clements and Fitchie on the hospital list...

Argonauts are working hard this week, and are out to give Montreal a beating on Saturday...

Robbins and Hayes, of Hamilton, will be the officials in the Argonaut game at Montreal on Saturday...

Ottawa, Nov. 4.—The Ottawa Football Club changed yesterday from Varsity oval to Cartier Square for practicing purposes...

FROM FOUL LINE TO HEAD PIN.

At the Hamilton Bowling and Athletic Club last night the Lumden Bros. and Sweet Caporal's teams clashed in a round game...

On Friday night an individual tournament was held, and will be held, the handicap system will be used...

from behind the line. Bert Stronach and Dave McCann were out once more...

Confidence is expressed by every member of the executive, as well as by all the players...

If Hamilton beats Ottawa on Saturday the two teams will be tied for first place in the Inter-Provincial...

There is one thing against the Queen City being selected, however, and that is the poor system used there to handle the crowd at a big Rugby match...

Montreal, Nov. 4.—Football is pretty much dead for the season here, and chief interest centres in the coming battles on outside fields...

There is some doubt as to whether Stinson will be able to take his place at full-back on the Montreal team to meet Argonauts here on Saturday...

McGill is not working as hard as it should for the Ottawa College game. The club is having a lot of trouble getting players out to practice...

"There is not a dollar to be had," says a Hamilton man who sent a tidy sum of money to the capital to back up the Ottawa sports...

A New York paper thus asks and answers its own question: "Is it entirely logical to cancel the football schedule at West Point because of the lamented death of Byrne?"

Williams, of Ottawa, was frisky yesterday at the practice of the Rough Riders. He doesn't want to miss the game with the Tigers on Saturday...

There seems no chance of having the first game for the Dominion championship played before Nov. 27.

A meeting of the senior City League will be held to-night at 8.30 o'clock at J. W. Nelson's...

SIR HENRI'S FUNERAL. Montreal, Nov. 4.—The funeral of Sir Henri Elzear Taschereau, Chief Justice of the Superior Court of Quebec...

General Office. Herald 121 127-414. Galloway 123 142 137-414. Kerr 107 124 134-414...

Steamship Arrivals. Cestrian—At Boston, from Liverpool. Merion—At Queenstown, from Philadelphia. Bostonian—At Liverpool, from Boston...

November 4. Arriving at New York, from Southampton. Brisbane, Nov. 4.—Arrived Nov. 1st, Steamer Aorangi, from Quebec.

Machine-Renting. Mason 131 138-412. Muldoon 115 108-346. Campbell 112 114-412. Downes 133 132-412-417. Lord 180 191 180-461.

Superstition Won Pimlico Handicap.

The Winner of Feature Race Was at 12 to 1 in Betting.

Baltimore, Nov. 4.—Yesterday's card was one of the best of the meeting, bringing together the best horses at the track...

Confidence is expressed by every member of the executive, as well as by all the players. "Something seems to tell me that we are going to win," said Clancy after the practice...

Thistledele "burned up a lot of money for the talent in the steeplechase. He was leading until the eleventh jump, when he fell, the race going to Waterway...

First race, all ages, 6 furlongs—Top Note, 107 (Burns) 3 to 2, won; Lothario, 95 (Reid), 3 to 1, 2nd; King Commoner, 110 (Daveston), 5 to 1, 3rd.

Second race, 3-year-olds and up, 2 miles—Algie, 145 (Mr. Wright), 1 to 2, won; Octopus, 144 (Lynch), 4 to 1, 2; Daera, 150 (Nicol), 5 to 1, 3.

Third race, 3-year-olds and up, mile and 70 yards—Spanish Prince, 99 (McCahey), 5 to 1, won; Hiacko, 107 (Burns), even, 2; Elfall, 101 (Daveston), 8 to 1, 3.

Fourth race, steeplechase, 4-year-olds and up, 2 1/2 miles—Waterway, 163 (Allen), 9 to 5, won; Villahia, 153 (Patterson), 6 to 1, 2; Essex, 163 (Sobel), 1 to 1, 3.

Fifth race, 3-year-olds and up, mile and a half, Pimlico handicap—Superstition, 101 (McIntyre), 12 to 1, won; Blue Book, 108 (Reid), 3 to 1, 2; Pins and Needles, 98 (Daveston), 3 to 1, 3.

Sixth race, 3-year-olds and up, mile, and a sixteenth—High Private, 107 (Reid), 5 to 2, won; Stanley Fay, 110 (Burns), 2 to 1, 2; Dreamer, 112 (Goldstein), 3 to 1, 3.

Seventh race, all ages, 6 furlongs—Racing Bell, 107 (Burns), 4 to 1, won; Compton, 95 (McCabe), 3 to 1, 2; Sagia, Indian Hunter, Judge Ermentrout, etc.

Officials of the Shamrock A.A.A. state that, while many in the association will be glad to hold the hockey annual and the centennial of the association the same night...

By constitution the annual meeting of the Shamrock Club should have been held last night, but on account of it being a holiday no meeting was called.

Mr. Slattery did the bulk of the work last year. Mr. Slattery says that, while he will always be on hand when Shamrock meets, he will not take any active part in the management of the club this season.

Alm O'Connell, president of the Shamrock Association, when asked if Shamrocks would drop out of professional hockey, replied that while such a move would receive approval in many quarters, it had not been discussed, and perhaps no action in that direction would be taken for another year.

Meanwhile speculation is active as to the make-up of the E. C. H. A., but so far without result. Wanderers are practically in two camps, and the proposal to form another club has not taken definite shape as yet.

SIR HENRI'S FUNERAL. Montreal, Nov. 4.—The funeral of Sir Henri Elzear Taschereau, Chief Justice of the Superior Court of Quebec, who died about three weeks ago at the home of his daughter in Montmorency, France, took place this morning...

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MARKETS AND FINANCE

Thursday, Nov. 4.—The display of meats on Central Market this morning were large and the prices, with the exception of spring lamb, were steady, but it was slightly owing to the extra large supply. There was comparatively little change in the current prices of fruit and vegetables. Snow apples were very abundant and the quality was of the finest.

Dairy Produce. Dairy butter, 0.27 to 0.30. Cream butter, 0.23 to 0.25. Potatoes, basket, 4.20 to 4.25. Creamery butter, 0.28 to 0.30. Eggs, new laid, dozen, 0.32 to 0.30. Eggs, cooking, 0.25 to 0.20.

Poultry. Chickens, pair, 0.80 to 1.25. Spring chickens, 1.00 to 1.40. Old Turkeys, 1.50 to 2.00. Young Turkeys, 0.20 to 0.25. Geese, lb., 0.11 to 0.15.

Fruits. Pears, basket, 0.15 to 0.35. Apples, basket, 0.20 to 0.25. Peaches, basket, 0.20 to 0.25. Quinces, basket, 0.40 to 0.75. Hickory nuts, bushel, 2.00 to 2.00. Apples, snow, basket, 0.20 to 0.25.

Vegetables, Etc. Celery, dozen, 0.40 to 0.60. Lettuce, per bunch, 0.03 to 0.10. Parsley, dozen, 0.40 to 0.40. Potatoes, basket, 4.20 to 4.25. Potatoes, bushel, 4.50 to 0.75. Potatoes, bag, 4.50 to 0.75. Watercress, 2 for, 0.05 to 0.05. New Cabbage, dozen, 0.45 to 0.60. Peas, bushel, 0.40 to 0.40. Vegetable marrow, each, 0.05 to 0.08. Beet, basket, 0.20 to 0.20. Spinach, doz., each, 0.15 to 0.20. Carrots, basket, 0.20 to 0.20. Parsnips, basket, 0.20 to 0.20. Onions, 15 lb., 0.15 to 0.20. White onion, basket, 0.75 to 1.00. Onions, large, basket, 0.40 to 0.60. Summer squash, each, 0.05 to 0.05. Hubbs squash, each, 0.05 to 0.10. Pumpkin, each, 0.05 to 0.10.

Smoked Meats. Fat supply, demand small, prices steady. Wool, pound, washed, 0.18 to 0.13. Wool, pound, unwashed, 0.12 to 0.12. Bacon, backs, lb., 0.17 to 0.19. Ham, lb., 0.15 to 0.17. Sausages, lb., 0.14 to 0.15. Lard, 0.15 to 0.18. Bologna, lb., 0.09 to 0.10. Pork, lb., 0.10 to 0.12. Frankfurt, 0.09 to 0.10. New Zealand ham, lb., 0.10 to 0.12. Mushrooms, quart, 0.15 to 0.20.

Flowers. Palms, 1.50 to 2.50. Begonias, 0.10 to 0.15. Arteris dozen, 0.15 to 0.25. Rubber plants, 0.40 to 0.50. Roses, each, 0.05 to 0.05. Carnations, 0.25 to 0.25. Cyclamen, 0.25 to 0.25. Carnations, pot., 0.25 to 0.25. Stain dragons, doz., 0.15 to 0.25. Chrysanthemums, 0.50 to 0.60.

Meats. Beef, No. 1, per cwt., 7.00 to 7.50. Beef, No. 2, per cwt., 6.50 to 7.00. Live hogs, 8.00 to 8.00. Mutton, per cwt., 10.50 to 10.75. Dressed hogs, 10.50 to 10.75. Veal, per cwt., 9.00 to 10.00. Spring lamb, per lb., 9.00 to 10.00.

Fish. Salmon Trout, 0.15 to 0.15. White fish, 0.15 to 0.15. Herring, large, doz., 0.20 to 0.40. Herring, small, doz., 0.20 to 0.40. Cod, lb., 0.10 to 0.10. Pickers, 0.10 to 0.10. Lako Erie herring, lb., 0.10 to 0.10. Finnan Haddock, lb., 0.25 to 0.25. Mackerel, lb., 0.10 to 0.10. Pickled, 0.10 to 0.10. Perch, 0.20 to 0.20. Skate, 0.20 to 0.20. Oysters, cf., 0.50 to 0.75. Haddock, 0.10 to 0.10. Kinged Herring, doz., 2.00 to 1.00.

The Hide Market. Calf skins, No. 1, lb., 0.18 to 0.18. Calf skins, No. 2, lb., 0.15 to 0.15. Sheep skins, flat, 0.10 to 0.14. Calf Skins, each, 1.00 to 1.25. Horse hides, each, 2.50 to 3.00. Sheep skins, 0.10 to 0.10. Hides, No. 2, per lb., 0.14 to 0.14. Hides, flat, 0.10 to 0.10. Lamb skins, 0.10 to 0.10.

Grain Market. Barley, 0.55 to 0.60. Wheat, 0.85 to 1.00. Oats, 0.40 to 0.45. Rye, 0.65 to 0.70. Buckwheat, 0.60 to 0.90.

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New York, Nov. 4.—The stock market opened firm. R. T. OF T. Successful District Rally Was Held Last Evening.

This is the season of Royal Templar rallies. Three of the councils—Crown, Sovereign and Imperial—held theirs in October, and that of Sceptre occurs to-night.

The District Council held its rally last evening. Green's Hall was so well filled that extra chairs had to be procured. District Councillor Benjamin Johnson presided. In the business proceedings it was arranged that an annual sermon should be preached at an early date by the Rev. H. Edgar Allen in the Victoria Avenue Baptist Church.

Addresses on the general work of the order as well as on local developments and prospects were given by Dr. C. V. Emory, Dominion secretary; W. M. McMillan, grand secretary, and T. J. Shank, editor of the Royal Templar. J. C. Springstead, sefct councillor, Sceptre Council, gave a stirring vocal solo, and Miss Macdonald a piano solo.

An interesting feature was the repetition of two of the orations recently given at Association Hall. These were by Robert J. Menary, who is select councillor of Crown Council, and Frank A. Parlington, both prize winners.

It had been arranged that brief addresses sketching the municipal situation in relation to license reduction should be given by Aldermen Lees and Morris. These gentlemen put in an appearance rather late, after attending to civic duties. Ald. Morris emphasized the need of unanimity as to the support of temperance candidates, and the subordinating of other issues, which, however important in themselves, were secondary from the temperance standpoint.

He predicted success for the license reduction movement, which had begun in that very hall three years ago. Ald. Lees dwelt mainly on the excellent work done during the past year by the present City Council, as business men attending to business, and on the increasing respect in which temperance sentiment was being held owing to the growth of the temperance sentiment in the council. Somewhat later he accomplished this year in the limiting of the number of licenses to 65. If a slice could be taken from the number of existing licenses next year, he would favor letting the matter alone for a while and concentrating on some other reform. At a late hour the proceedings terminated with the feeling that the day had been an entire success, and that the outlook for Royal Templarism in the district was never better.

FRUIT MARKET. Quotations for foreign fruits are as follows: Oranges, Jamaica, case, \$2.00 \$ 4.00. Oranges, Valencia, case, 3.00 4.00. Lemons, Messina, case, 3.50 4.00. Grape fruit, Florida, case, 4.50 —. Grape fruit, Jamaica, case, 3.50 —. Grapes, Malaga, kg., 5.50 6.50. Apples, Canadian, bbl., 2.50 4.00.

SUGAR MARKET. St. Lawrence sugars are quoted as follows: Granulated, \$4.75 per cwt. in barrels; No. 1 golden, \$4.35 per cwt. in barrels. Beaver, \$4.45 per cwt. in bags. These prices are for delivery here. Car lots 5c less. In 100-lb. bags, prices are 5c less.

OTHER MARKETS. NEW YORK SUGAR MARKET. Sugar, raw, steady; fair refining, \$3.80; centrifugal, 96 test, 4.30c; molasses sugar, 3.55c; refined, steady. WINNIEPEG WHEAT MARKET. Wheat—November, 59 5/8c, December 92 7/8c, May 96 7/8c. OATS—November 33 7/8c, December 32 5/8c, May 35 5/8c.

BRITISH CATTLE MARKET. London—London cables for cattle are firm, at 13 3/4c, to 14c per lb. for live cattle, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10 7/8c to 11c per lb. AUSTRALIAN BEEF FOR LONDON. London—The arrival of a cargo of chilled beef from Australia, said to be in top condition, is heralded here to-day as foreshadowing the relief of the British meat market from the danger of being throttled by the American beef trust.

MONTREAL LIVE STOCK. Montreal.—About 1,300 head of butch-

New York Stocks

Table listing various New York stocks and their prices, including Atchison, Amal. Copper, Am. Car. Fdy., Am. Loco., Smelters, Brooklyn, Great Nor., Balt. & Ohio, Can. Pacific, Col. Fuel, Ches. & Ohio, Distillers, Erie, Erie First, M. K. & T., Louisville & Nor., Lead, M. O. P., M. X. C., Nor. Pacific, N. Y. C., P. & W., Reading, Rock. Island, S. P., Southern Railway, St. Paul, Sugar, Texas, Union Pac., U. S. Steel, U. S. Steel pfd, Sales 2 p. m., LONDON MARKET, and COBALT STOCKS.

Table listing various London market stocks and their prices, including A. N. C., A. B. & C., B. & O., C. & S., Erie, Erie First, Ill. & M., M. K. & T., N. Y. C., N. Y. C. pfd, P. & W., R. D. G., S. P., St. Paul, U. S. Steel, U. S. Steel pfd, U. S. Q., Wab., and COBALT STOCKS.

Table listing various Cobalt stocks and their prices, including A. N. C., A. B. & C., B. & O., C. & S., Erie, Erie First, Ill. & M., M. K. & T., N. Y. C., N. Y. C. pfd, P. & W., R. D. G., S. P., St. Paul, U. S. Steel, U. S. Steel pfd, U. S. Q., Wab., and COBALT STOCKS.

Table listing various Toronto Stock Exchange stocks and their prices, including Bank of Commerce, Dominion, Imperial, Merchants, Montreal, Nova Scotia, Standard, Bell Telephone, C. P. R., Consumers' Gas, Dom. Coal, Dom. Steel, Duluth Superior, Mackay common, Mackay pref., Mex. L. & P., Nova Scotia Steel, Penman common, Penman pref., Port Rico Ry., Rich. & Ont., Rogers common, Rogers pref., Sao Paulo, Toronto Electric Light, Twin City, Canada Landed, Can. Permanent, Central Canada, Hamilton Provident, Landed Banking & Loan, MINES, La Rose, Nipissing, and Tretthewey.

TRINITY LUTHER LEAGUE. The regular business and social meeting of the Trinity Lutheran Church was held on Tuesday evening in the spacious parlors of Mr. and Mrs. L. Paulsen. Despite the unfavorable weather twenty-two of the members turned out. The pastor, Rev. J. A. Miller, presided. The different officers and committees all had very encouraging reports, which showed to show in what a flourishing condition the League is.

Quite a lot of interest was manifested in the calendar, by which the league will raise \$400 towards building the new church. It is developing into a real race between the twelve months, and quite a number of surprises were sprung last night.

Mr. H. E. Stumkowski was elected President. Being moved up from the office of Vice-President, and Mr. E. Tess was elected Vice-President. A most successful meeting came to a close by singing the rally hymn and repeating the Lord's Prayer. The next meeting will be held at the pastor's residence, 97 Burtis street, on Dec. 7.

LAYMEN'S MOVEMENT. Representatives of the Methodist Laymen's Missionary Association attended the midweek service in First Methodist Church last night and spoke in the interest of the movement. Rev. Mr. Lancelotti gave them a hearty welcome, and handed the meeting over to Mr. Seneca Jones, the president. Mr. E. K. Pass, of Central Church, gave a short address, and Mr. C. P. McGregor, of Barton Methodist, spoke on organization in a most entertaining way. Mr. Jones also gave a short address.

Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 4.—Captain Bernier to-day denied a New York despatch appearing in the morning papers to the effect that he had invited Dr. Cook to accompany him on the next Polar voyage of the Arctic. What Bernier did was to write offering to assist in verifying the records and claims of Cook when he next went north.

New York, Nov. 4.—Cotton futures opened easy; November offered \$14.67, December \$14.82, January \$14.90, March \$15.08, May \$15.10, June \$15.12, July \$15.20, August \$14.80, September \$13.47, October \$12.94.

Haradup—I got that watch with a suit of clothes. Wigwag—in other words, I suppose you pawned the suit of clothes to get the watch, eh?

EASY DIVORCE.

The Marriage Tie Not Very Tight in Detroit.

It Doesn't Take Much to Break Up a Home.

Detroit, Nov. 4.—Listening to the tales of woe of fourteen marital mis-mates was the lot of Judge Mandell, bachelor, at yesterday afternoon's divorce matinee. Most of the wailers got decrees. One or two were refused, and one or two more held over. It was one of the longest divorce dockets ever heard by one judge, in a two-hour session.

Bessie Stewart changed her name to Mrs. Walter M. Stewart, at Jackson, November 30th, 1904. Her husband is a florist at Marshall, Mich. She said he told her there was a dark, mysterious event in his past life, and that, if she had known, she never would have married him. He also abused and insulted her and asked her when she was going to get that divorce.

"PLEASE GO 'WAY; LET ME SLEEP."

Once when the Ladies' Aid Society was meeting at her house, he came in the room, yawned, and said that if they only would go home, he would be able to go to sleep. They went. Stewart never saw his child but once. He glanced at it, turned his back, and has not been home since, his wife said. Mrs. Stewart was given a decree.

"I had to have the police guard the house for three days to keep him from killing me," said Miss M. Davis, of William Davis, who was married by Justice Ott in 1906. "He drank and then beat, choked and kicked and reviled me. His contributions to my support were conspicuous by their absence." She was given a decree.

"When he left me, he wanted me to give back my wedding ring," said Annie of Gordon Harriet, who was married by Justice Ott in 1906. "He drank and then beat, choked and kicked and reviled me. His contributions to my support were conspicuous by their absence." She was given a decree.

WINDSOR KNOT SLASHED.

Nettie Boyce was given a decree from Howard Boyce whom she married in Windsor in 1897, and was obliged to leave in 1906 because of drunkenness. The wedding took place in 1905, and the couple lived together 20 days, when Relahn left. Judge Mandell will take time to consider the case.

"Are you satisfied now that you've caught me," said a wife of Jewell when he caught her dancing at a beer garden. That night she called him up on the telephone and reprimanded him for causing a row between herself and her "steamy." They were married by Rev. D. H. Hind in Windsor in 1907, and in the few months they lived together she deserted him three times. After his unattractive entry upon the dancing scene, he was unable to make peace with her. A woman neighbor told of taking away a revolver and a bottle of carbolic acid with which Mrs. Jewell sought to end her life.

WORK TOO MUCH FOR FATHER.

"Of course we threw him out; father had all he could do to support his own family," was Margaret Cadotte's explanation of why she got rid of Frank Cadotte when the couple were living at her father's house.

"He was proud of his reputation among the dock bums as a boozier," said the father-in-law. "He would lie about all the morning while the rest of us had to get up and work." He married Clara Kuntz in August, 1905, and that she deserted him in May, 1906. A child was born afterward. Decree granted.

"He wouldn't work, and abused me," said Josephine of Theodore Hilderbrandt. It was a St. Joseph wedding. The couple have four children. Decree was granted.

Henry Ramlow said Nellie Ramlow deserted him. They married in 1897 and separated in 1900. Decree.

NOCTURNAL CONCERT JARRED.

Mary Siwanick said that Stanislas, her husband, would come home late at night and play the violin, causing her great anguish. He also made her support the family and wouldn't even pay the taxes. Judge Mandell did not find "sufficient" the quality of Stanislas' musical renditions, but granted a decree.

Nellie Fitzpatrick was divorced from Fred Edward, whom she married at Walpoleton, N. D., in 1896, and who, she said, left her in 1902.

Dosie Feitel, a little Bohemian woman, said Otto Feitel deserted her just seven days after their marriage by Justice Ott, last February. She went to work on a farm in Greenfield township for \$3 a week, and he wrote that he would not support her. As she has based her suit on desertion, to establish which requires an absence of two years from the date of leaving, Judge Mandell was obliged to dismiss the bill.

Too many men boarders was the complaint of Sidney A. against Hannah Cook. The couple were married in Exeter, Ont., December 6, 1884, and separated in 1900. Decree was granted.

WATCH IN COW.

Ran Nine Years and Only Two Hours Behind Proper Time.

Winsted, Conn., Nov. 3.—Mr. Orrin Woodin, a Harwinton farmer, who lost a cheap watch nine years ago while laying, has just recovered the timepiece in a novel manner. He butchered one of his cows and when engaged in dressing the bovine heard a ticking noise. An investigation disclosed the lost watch, still keeping time, but two hours too slow.

Woodin thinks the cow must have swallowed the watch when eating hay. The watch was stem-winding affair and every time the bovine breathed, Woodin thinks, it pressed against the stomach, thus keeping it wound up.

Prof. Bloh, of the Forty-second Street Agricultural and Irrigation Commission, said: "Until this bulletin from Winsted the world never knew that a cow could wind a watch by chewing its cud. I await with impatience further information to the effect that the cow's death was caused by grief when she found that, although the watch which she had wound with care after each meal for nine years was two hours slow, she could not open the case to adjust the works."

A Canadian railway loan of £1,500,000 in 5 per cent. debentures at 103 guaranteed by one of the Provinces is anticipated shortly in London.

FELL 500 FEET AND LIVED.

New Haven, Conn.—George Drew, a member of a party of aeronauts, has been giving exhibitions of balloon ascensions at Savin Rocks. At the ascension today Drew had risen fully five hundred feet when he leaped out of the balloon, parachute in hand. The parachute failed to open and hundreds gazed in horror as Drew dashed downward. Fortunately the strong wind carried him into Long Island Sound, where he was picked up unhurt.

Equally marvellous have been many of the cases of those who have been saved by taking "Fruit-a-tives" the famous fruit juice tablets. For Rheumatism, Neuralgia, serious Kidney Trouble, Chronic Constipation and Biliousness, Indigestion and Dyspepsia, these fruit liver tablets never fail to give the most gratifying results.

If you suffer with any of these troubles, take "Fruit-a-tives" and be well. 50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50 or trial size 25c.—at all dealers or from Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.



JOHN MITCHELL, A Labor leader, who may have to serve a nine months' sentence in connection with the Buckle stove case.

PARCEL POST

To be Inaugurated Between France and Canada.

(Special Wire to the Times.)

Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 3.—As a concomitant to the French-Canadian trade convention, which will come into force when ratified by the Canadian Parliament at the coming session, and after formal ratifications are now being made for a direct parcel post service between Canada and France via the Allan line direct service to French ports. At present the parcel post for France goes via Great Britain. Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, Postmaster-General, is taking the matter up with the French postal authorities during his present mission across the Atlantic.

AIRSHIP SQUADRON.

Germany's Dirigibles Make an Attack on Fortress.

Cologne, Rhenish Prussia, Nov. 3.—The German airship squadron, consisting of the dirigibles Parseval II, Zeppelin II, and the military airship No. 11 continuing their manoeuvres in the valley of the Rhine, executed a sham attack upon the fortress Ehrenbreitstein early today. Leaving here soon after midnight, the squadron flew up the Rhine to Cologne, surprised the garrison there, and then swooped down upon the fortress of Ehrenbreitstein, on the opposite bank of the river. The airships returned here early in the forenoon.

FOUND IN BIRDS.

Geological Specimens From Northern Ontario For Museum.

(Special Wire to the Times.)

Ottawa, Nov. 3.—A valuable gift has been made to the Geological Museum of Canada by Mr. Wilson Foster, who has resided for many years. The gift consists of a collection of ten thousand geological specimens gathered in northern Canada. Not the least interesting portion of this collection are a great number of specimens of gold quartz, topaz and opals, which were found in the gizzards of birds, chiefly partridge and grouse. Mr. Wilson noticed that the crops of these birds frequently contained interesting geological specimens, and he deliberately trapped and shot the birds for the stones they had picked up to grind their food.

MAKING \$5,000 A YEAR FROM POETRY.

It is a common belief that poetry doesn't pay. Verse-making is nowadays considered by most people as a waste of time. Magazine editors will accept a few choice poems from well-known poets, but any other aspiring singers must perforce pay to have their work put into type. The spectacle of a poet living on the proceeds from the sale of his verse is as rare as it is remarkable. Yet there is actually in Canada a young poet who is making enough money annually from the sale of a few poems to yield him an extremely nice income. It was only the other day that a cheque for \$5,000 was mailed to Robert W. Service, on his two books of verse, "Songs of a Sourdough," and "Ballads of a Cheechako," for the past twelve months. Our other Canadian poets may well look upon this achievement with envy and despair. Some interesting particulars about this young genius appear in the November Busy Man's Magazine.

Government troops in Santo Domingo have suffered a defeat.

TRADE SCHOOLS

The Report Brought Back From Europe by Dr. Seath.

The Doctor Tells What He Learned About Technical Education.

Dr. John Seath, Superintendent of Education for Ontario, has returned to Toronto from his European tour to acquire information first hand on the question of technical education. He will prepare a report and submit his recommendations to Hon. Dr. Pyne, Minister of Education, in the near future. Dr. Seath went direct to London, where he met Sir Robert Morant, the permanent head of the Board of Education, and the names of the typical schools in the different countries and their heads.

The trade schools of London, Manchester, Liverpool, Edinburgh and Glasgow were visited first. From there Dr. Seath went to Paris, where he spent a week. "They have about thirteen or fourteen schools in the city," said the doctor. "About half a dozen are for girls. "These are day trade schools. The characteristic of French schools in particular was the artistic side of them. "Girls are taught garment making, corset making and the making of artificial flowers. The wall-paper designed there by the boys was about the best I saw."

"From France I went to Switzerland and visited the day-trade schools at Berne and Zurich. Also in Switzerland I visited the technical school at Biemme. This school is intermediate between the elementary trade school and the university technical school at Zurich. Their technical department corresponds with our department of practical science. "At Biemme they train men as foremen of factories. Students are also trained as railway men for work on the railways, which are state-owned. At the school is a complete railway equipment in miniature. Also there they have a school for training post office officials. Horological schools are numerous for the training of watch-makers."

"Wintertechur, an iron-working centre, has a school for training men for iron manufacturing."

Bavaria and Prussia were the German states visited. The famous trade school at Munich was a revelation. "Kirchensteiner, the director, revolutionized the system of training mechanics in Munich, and was Dr. Seath's chief informant."

"As I understand it, the system adopted in Munich is different from the rest of Bavaria," continued Dr. Seath. "In Munich the theoretical work and practical work go together, as they do in France and Switzerland. In many places in Germany theory is used in teaching and machinery is built for demonstrating. Drawing and designing, the fundamentals of technical training, are made a great deal of at Munich. "In Germany they have trade schools for every trade," said the doctor, as he cited schools for tailors and chimney-sweeps."

"In most of the states of Germany they have a law by which the local board in charge of trade schools can compel manufacturers to send their apprentices to attend the trade schools from 6 to 10 hours a week in Munich that law is enforced. Everyone must attend after the compulsory period, a continuation school, in order to graduate."

Elevator boys and servant girls attend these classes, sessions of which are held on Sundays. The work began in the Sunday schools, but attended at trade schools on Sunday is voluntary.

Schools were also provided for journeymen and master workmen. Only master workmen could be employers. Schools to be attended by men out of employment were also provided.

"Under these conditions there is no such thing as unskilled labor as we know it," declared the superintendent. "Germany is a most highly organized country. There is compulsory military training, and each man is indexed."

Dr. Seath found no feeling against England. A large manufacturer told him it was being worked up by military men who wanted something to do.

"In Germany the son follows his father's trade. They haven't the same means of rising as we have in Canada or in the United States," continued Dr. Seath.

"Munich is exceptional in that it is a city of small industries, and that is how trade schools are so well developed. Pretty generally in Germany, France, Switzerland and England manual training is featured. This trains a pupil for adaptation to some employment."

Berne's trade school was not so popular as the pupils competed with tradesmen and took contracts.

At Aix-la-Chapelle manufacturers overloaded with orders turned some of them over to the textile trade schools to be filled.

Night trade schools were more popular than day schools.

NORTH ESSEX.

Windsor's Mayor Leading the Tory Hosts For Wilcox.

Windsor, Ont., Nov. 3.—For the first time in many years, Mayor Wigle is taking an active part in the party campaign and has assumed the leadership of the Conservative forces in Windsor for the approaching by-election in North Essex in the interest of O. J. Wilcox, the party candidate. O. E. Fleming, leader of the party in previous campaigns, is on the Pacific coast. The registration of new manhood suffrage voters was unusually light yesterday.

Mr. E. R. Faribault, of the Geological Survey staff in Ottawa, has accepted the post of Superintendent of Mines under the Quebec Government, in succession to Mr. J. Obalski, who has been superannuated.

Mr. George Elmer has moved on his farm near Rainham Centre.

Dr. Ezra Pain, who was quite ill, has so far recovered that he can attend to his duties again.

At the Women's Institute meeting Mrs. Abraham was chosen secretary in place of Miss Last, who resigned, owing to her removal to North Cayuga.

Mr. Jacob Zinkhan resigned his engagement at the pump factory, and has accepted a position at Berlin.

Mr. Herman W. Nablo, of Rochester,

Jerseyville

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church for the election of officers was held in the vestry of the church on Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 26. The present staff of officers was re-elected, namely:

President, Mrs. R. Markle. Vice-President, Mrs. W. S. Wait. Secretary, Mrs. J. N. Smith. Treasurer, Mrs. R. Black.

Mr. George Wait and family, of St. George's, spent Sunday with friends in the village.

Rev. Mr. Atkins, of the Baptist Church, delivered a practical and very much appreciated sermon at the Ladies' Aid anniversary.

Miss Laura Attridge, the popular teacher, spent Thanksgiving in Hamilton with her parents.

The Mission Band of the church met on Sunday afternoon. A popular Thanksgiving programme was presented.

The monthly meeting of the W. M. S. will be held at the home of Mrs. Wm. Herriot on Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Miller have returned from Hamilton, and have become residents of the village. Their many friends extend a hearty welcome.

Mrs. Levi Howell, of Simcoe, was renewing old acquaintances on Monday, and Mr. R. Patch, night operator of the T. H. B. Brantford, was calling at Mr. R. Markle's.

Mrs. Robbins was at Delhi on Saturday, attending the funeral of her brother, Mr. James Robbins, who was suddenly called away by accident. The community extend their hearty sympathy to Mrs. Robbins and family in their bereavement.

Miss Howard, of Toronto, was calling at Mr. Henry Dymont's during the week.

Baptist Settlement

Mrs. Maitland VanSickle and son and Mrs. Bruce McKenzie and daughter, of Prescott, Mich., are visiting their mother, Mrs. J. Kelly. Mrs. VanSickle has been home for seven years.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniels and Bertha, of Ancaster, and Mr. and Mrs. D. Barlowe and children, of Lynden, spent Sunday at Mrs. J. Kelly's.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Brock and children, of Lynden, spent a couple of days last week at Jesse VanSickle's.

The telephone men are busy in this vicinity.

Mrs. A. Miller, of Townsend, has returned home after visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. D. VanSickle.

Mrs. M. F. VanSickle, Miss Verna, Aden and Eddie spent a day last week at Elias VanSickle's.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Vanderlip, of Burth, and Mrs. Whittington and Mr. and Mrs. T. Whittington, of Princeton, spent a couple of days with Mrs. Orton and Mrs. Orval VanSickle recently.

On Sunday Orton and Orval VanSickle, wives and children, with their company, visited Mrs. J. Bishop at Lynden.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Misner, Mrs. J. Misner and their mother, Mrs. Smith, of Brantford; Mr. and Mrs. O. Kitchen, of Lynden, and Mrs. O. Misner were guests at H. R. Misner's on Sunday.

Miss Norah VanSickle has returned to Truro after spending a few weeks at A. D. VanSickle's.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Kemp, Miss A. Armstrong and Mr. Lloyd Kemp, of Brantford; Mrs. E. VanSickle, Mr. and Mrs. Brooks spent Sunday at Lorne Wilson's.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Harrison have returned to their home at Hamilton after spending a week with Mrs. S. R. Wilson.

Rev. J. Aikens, Messrs. Albert Embury and G. W. Misner were delegates to the Ontario and Quebec Baptist convention at Hamilton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Baguley were at Galt on Sunday attending the funeral of the two-weeks-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Sweet.

Rockton

Service in St. Alban's Church next Sunday afternoon.

Quarterly meeting was held in the Methodist Church last Sunday.

Mrs. Malcolm McDonald has returned home, after spending a week in Hamilton.

The families of R. C. Patterson and Wm. Purdy are quarantined for scarlet fever.

A large number of young people enjoyed a pleasant evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alhardy on Monday.

Summit

On account of the quarterly service in Jerseyville next Sunday, there will be no service here in the afternoon. The Sunday school has also been withdrawn. Service in the evening at the usual hour.

Several from here attended the lecture in the church at Jerseyville on Tuesday evening.

Arthur White, who has secured a position in Hamilton, left on Monday morning to begin duty.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bonham entertained several of their young friends at their home on Saturday evening. A very pleasant time was spent.

Lauchlin and Clarence Howell spent Sunday with friends at Troy.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cline, of Elfrida, spent the week end with friends here.

All extenuated congratulations to Miss Elsie Henderson, who won the gold medal on graduating from Grace Hospital, Toronto.

The Wood Milling Co. of Hamilton, should have been credited with winning first prize at the World's Fair for span of agricultural horses.

Mrs. Malcolm McDonald and children spent a week in Hamilton.

Fisherville

Owing to favorable conditions of the soil fall plowing is all the go at present.

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Mr. Will Atkinson and Mrs. James

WORKERS HAND SAVED



Mr. Wm. Burdett, of 198 Simcoe St., East, Hamilton, Ont., is employed at the works of the Canadian Westinghouse Co. He says:—"A heavy mould was being rolled over when it caught my hand. The result was a terrible crush, and by next morning my hand was black, and so stiffened, swollen and painful I could not use it. We applied liniment, and bandaged it, thinking it would soon be all right again—but it wasn't! For some time it showed no sign of getting better but on the contrary looked like turning to a very ugly injury. "My wife persuaded me that Zam-Buk would do me more good than anything else, and I began to try it. Zam-Buk seemed to penetrate to the very core of the injured muscles and ligaments, taking healing and ease with it. It soothed the pain, reduced the swelling, and removed the discoloration. In a week's time it had so acted on the injury that the hand was nearly normal again and I could go to work once more. It is now quite cured."

HIS WIFE CURED OF DISFIGURING ECZEMA!

The above case is only one instance of the benefit which Burdett eczema has reaped from Zam-Buk. Mr. Burdett's wife owes her cure of eczema to the same healing balm. She says:—"The disease broke out on my face in the form of red pimples and blotches which itched terribly, and when rubbed, burned and smarted very much. The pustules then spread and formed sores. These were at times very painful, they itched until I could hardly bear, and when touched turned sore. I tried various things, one after another, as they were recommended to me, but seemed unable to get any relief. Ordinary ointments and salves were quite unequal to my case. Then I tried Zam-Buk although at the time I hardly thought it could cure me. I thought it was just an ordinary balm. To my delight I was soon convinced otherwise. A few applications gave me considerable ease, and the burning, smarting pains grew less acute. As I persevered with the treatment the patches grew less in extent and the sores ceased to be so painful. In a week's time the eczema was well under control and healing splendidly, and to-day I am free from it entirely. Zam-Buk has effected a permanent cure, I feel sure, and I am very grateful for it."

ZAM-BUK FOR CHILDREN'S HURTS.

Mrs. Burdett has a word to say on the value of Zam-Buk as a balm for the delicate and tender skin of children. Every mother should note this. She says:—"Zam-Buk is especially useful where there are children. It seems to heal their cuts and wounds and scratches in wonderful form. Almost as soon as applied, it ends the pain and smarting and gives the little ones ease. I would not like to be without it in the house."

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THE GREAT SKIN CURE.

Sheffield

Masters Clifford and Frank Main, of Brantford, spent last week with relatives here.

Among those who attended the Sunday school convention at Copetown on Wednesday were Mr. G. B. Robb, Miss Mary Robb, Mrs. G. Cairns, Miss V. Whetham and Miss C. Ranshell.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Robb, of Troy, were visiting at Mr. J. Gerrard's on Sunday.

Miss Ruth Finch, of Thessalon, spent Sunday at Mr. P. H. Green's.

Miss C. Ranshell spent Monday with friends in Galt.

Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Culham, of London, were visiting relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hay, of Troy, called on Mrs. Hay, sen., on Sunday.

One evening last week a few relatives of Mr. I. Shipman gathered at his home, it being his seventieth birthday. A delectable full course supper was served, and with Mr. A. E. Bond as master of ceremonies all drank to the health of the host. After an enjoyable evening had been spent all wished Mr. Shipman many returns of the day.

Stoney Creek

On Halloween the spirits were out in this vicinity, but not much damage was done. There was a small party at Geo. Cormans, and a few from this vicinity spent the evening at Ed. Bawls' in Grimsby.

On Sunday, Nov. 14, at 11 a. m., Miss McGuffin will conduct the service in the Methodist Church.

John Davis and wife spent Sunday at H. Lee's.

A number from here will attend the commencement exercises at Winona on Nov. 5.

Cheapside

Mr. and Mrs. E. Smith, Cayuga, were the guests of his sister, Mrs. Tom Smith.

Mrs. Norah Buckley left for Hamilton on Oct. 23, where she intends to stay for some time.

Mrs. Tom Sheehar and Miss Mary Day spent Thanksgiving in Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Metcalf and children were the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson, Vanticoke, vore Sunday.

Mr. James Armstrong and Mr. Wil. Atkinson attended the Bee Association meeting at Simcoe on Friday.

Mrs. Merit Atkinson spent Thursday at Hagersville. Her niece accompanied her. Little Miss Vera Walker, who returned to her home with Mrs. Merit Atkinson, was the guest on Tuesday night of her brother, Mr. Will Walker.

Mrs. James Dennis spent Friday at the home of her relative, Mr. John MacKune's.

Mr. Will Atkinson and Mrs. James

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BEVERLY S. S. CONVENTION.

Successful Meetings Held at Copetown Last Night.

The nineteenth annual convention of the Beverly Sunday School Association was held in the Methodist Church, Copetown, on Thursday, Oct. 28, afternoon and evening. In the afternoon Martin C. Nichol, Vice-President, presided, and in the evening Wm. Head, President. Rev. A. Bowers conducted devotional exercises. Geo. Brown gave an address of welcome, which was replied to by David Bell. Thos. S. Henderson gave an address on "What Should Be the Distinctive Aim of the Sunday School Teacher." Discussion followed by M. Nichol, Wm. Head, R. McQueen, Rev. J. M. Moyer, Rev. J. W. Newberry.

C. S. Moyer gave a paper on "The Influence of the Teacher Upon the Pupil," followed by a discussion by Rev. J. M. Moyer, R. McQueen, Rev. J. W. Newberry.

Rev. Wm. Daniels addressed a mass meeting of children, on "What Should a Boy or a Girl do With the Greatest Book in the World?" The President and Vice-President gave addresses on the condition of the Sunday schools in the township, and how they might be improved.

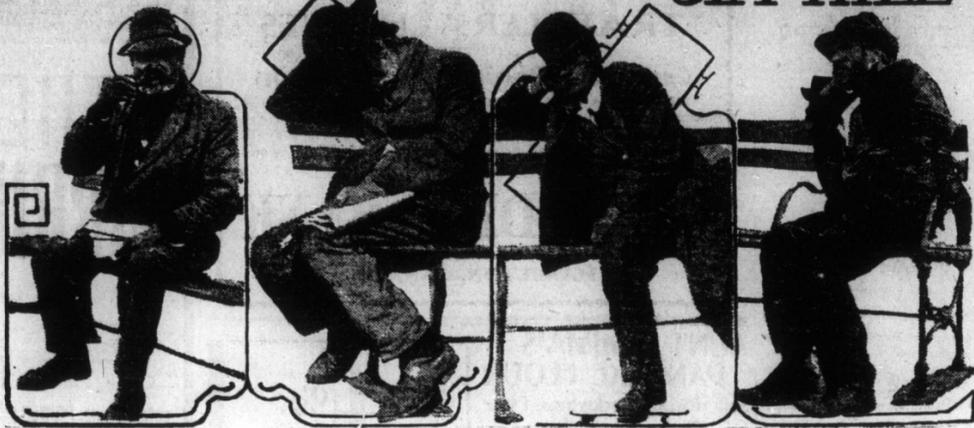
The evening session was opened by Rev. Mr. Newberry, after which the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, George R. Robb. Vice-President, Ross Shaver. Secretary-Treasurer, David Bell.

Rev. J. H. Moyer spoke on "How to Train Children in the Correct Principles of Christian Living."

Rev. A. J. Johnson, of Galt, gave an

The LEAN YEARS ARE UPON US

JIM HILL



LOSING HIS GRIP BECAUSE HIS HAIR IS GROWING GRAY.

HE HAS FALLEN ASLEEP OVER THE WANT AD. PAGE.

A SNEER FOR THE WORLD BECAUSE IT HAS NOTHING FOR HIM.

GOOD MUSCLE GOING TO WASTE ON CITY STREETS.

Why are men idle? Why does our food cost so much? Why are our cities thronged with poverty-stricken human beings?

James J. Hill, master railroad builder and adviser to the American farmer, has given what he believes to be the right answer to these questions in a 10,000-word article in "The World's Work," issued by the Doubleday-Page Co. The Times has obtained special permission to give excerpts from this article.—Editor.

BY JAMES J. HILL.

The food condition presses upon us now.

A shortage has begun.

As far as our food supply is concerned right now the lean years are upon us.

We have to provide for a contingency not distant from us but already present.

Thousands of farmers are seeking homes in the Canadian Northwest, owing to cheap lands offered there, and to the difficulty of securing such lands in the United States.

Yet we still retain the land laws under which, for so many years, the great

heritage of the people has been passing so largely into unworthy hands.

Instead of preserving the fertility of their lands, our farmers have gone in search of new soils, to be skinned, robbed and abandoned as soon as the old shows signs of exhaustion.

It is as well assured as any future event can be that the population of the United States will be 300,000,000 by about the middle of the present century. Millions of persons now living will see the 200,000,000 persons here. How are they to be fed?

Suppose the average yearly per capita consumption of wheat is six and one-half bushels. It will then require 1,200,000,000 bushels of wheat for our bread supply. Twice only in our history have we exceeded 700,000,000 bushels.

Possible increase of wheat production by increasing acreage is limited. We have no longer a great area of free public lands.

We will be left practically with a shortage of 400,000,000 bushels. A supply to meet the coming demand is nowhere in sight. I have said many times in different articles and addresses that a price of over rather than under \$1 per bushel might be expected hereafter.

Suppose the United States produced 28 bushels per acre, or double its present showing. That would be nothing extraordinary in view of what European countries have done with inferior soils. It would have added 634,000,000 bushels to our product last year.

Such close and careful cultivation as will yield the highest profit per acre can best be given to land when it is cultivated in small farms. Ten farmers, each cultivating from 40 to 160 acres, with the most approved methods, each can earn a profit equal to that taken from two to three times the same area by slovenly tillage.

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There must be soil renovation by fertilizing, and the best fertilizer is manure.

Every farmer can and should keep some cattle, sheep and hogs on his place. The farmer cannot prosper until stock raising becomes inseparable from agriculture.

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streets of her cities is impeded by professions of gaunt men, shouting in wretched concert. "We want work!"

For many years the United States has made the mistake of unduly assisting manufacture, commerce and other activities that centre in the cities at the expense of the farm. We must preserve jealously the right and possibility of free access to the soil. This is an safeguard not only of national wealth but of national character.

For the sake of the coming millions, who will be helpless unless each can be furnished with a piece of tillable land, we should see that the speculative abuses which these land laws of ours have fostered are brought to an end.

It is as well assured as any future event can be that the population of the United States will be 300,000,000 by about the middle of the present century. Millions of persons now living will see the 200,000,000 persons here. How are they to be fed?

Suppose the average yearly per capita consumption of wheat is six and one-half bushels. It will then require 1,200,000,000 bushels of wheat for our bread supply. Twice only in our history have we exceeded 700,000,000 bushels.

Possible increase of wheat production by increasing acreage is limited. We have no longer a great area of free public lands.

We will be left practically with a shortage of 400,000,000 bushels. A supply to meet the coming demand is nowhere in sight. I have said many times in different articles and addresses that a price of over rather than under \$1 per bushel might be expected hereafter.

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HILL'S WARNING TO THE FARMERS

We have begun to realize only recently that farming is a great extent an exact science. The man no longer deserves the name of farmer who conceives of his industry as a scratching of the earth, a hit-or-miss scattering of seed and a harvesting of such yield as soil and weather may permit.

That is not farming, but a game of chance.

Our national supply of food is fundamental to the organization of our social life and to the progress of all our industries.



JAS. J. HILL.

Now that there is no longer any west to move on to, what have they left behind?

Since 1899 the average wheat crop in the United States has fallen from 15.8 to 14 bushels an acre. It is a disgraceful record.

The fields of Great Britain yield over 32 bushels of wheat per acre. Germany produces 27.6 bushels per acre.

Dr. Samuel Johnson said of England: "Trade and manufacture, however profitable, must yield to the lands in usefulness and dignity."

If Dr. Johnson could revisit his country to-day he would find his argument vindicated by an alignment of industries so uneven that business in the

URE HITS BACK.

His Reply to Balfour Rouses the House of Commons.

Balfour Refuses to Retract or to Apologize.

London, Nov. 3.—The House of Commons to-night had the unusual experience of hearing Mr. Alexander Ure, Lord Advocate of Scotland, a member of the Government, defend his honor from the recent onslaught by ex-Prime Minister Balfour. When he arose to speak the House was immediately agitated with excitement. The whole ministerial side gave the Lord Advocate a tremendous explosive ovation, indicating their whole-hearted approval of his speech about the old age pension.

Mr. Ure said he interpreted his reception as betokening that his colleagues did not think him unworthy of his office or membership in the House of Commons. Applause greeted this statement, and Mr. Ure lengthily set forth the reasons to disprove the guilt conveyed in Mr. Balfour's charges. His speech greatly excited his supporters, who shouted "Shame!" and "Cowards!" against the Opposition, and gave the speaker an ovation when he concluded by saying the shabby charges which Mr. Balfour had stooped to level at him were unparalleled in the history of Great Britain since the days when it was open to a man to defend his honor with his own right arm.

Mr. Balfour immediately arose and was wildly applauded by his partisans. He declared that he would not withdraw a word of his attack. He disavowed the smallest personal animosity, but said he was moved to indignation when gifts of oratory as great as Mr. Ure's were used to raise fears among the poor and ignorant. Everybody, he added, knew that each party regarded as sacred any national obligations undertaken by Parliament, but Mr. Ure had tried to persuade his audience that there were certain obligations which were not sacred to his present opponents. He thought Mr. Ure's conduct was absolutely inexcusable.

When Mr. Balfour had finished, Premier Asquith formally identified the Government with Mr. Ure's utterances, and said he regretted Mr. Balfour had not apologized. His charge against Mr. Ure was an outrage upon their public life. There was never a more discredit chapter in the history of British politics than the Unionists' action regarding old age pensions. They had dangled them before the electorate for ten years in order to catch votes, but they had never raised a finger to fulfill their pledges.

This brought forth a torrent of

shouts of "Withdraw!" directed at Mr. Balfour from the ministerial benches, but the former Prime Minister took no notice.

The matter stands where it did, except for the Government's official adoption of what the Unionist papers and a large section of the public call Mr. Ure's pension bill.

"DIAPHANOUS."

Miss Duncan's Dance Scored by St. Louis Ministers.

Wealthy Women Said the Dance Was All Right.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 3.—Twenty-four of the thirty-four pastors of the St. Louis district of the Methodist Episcopal Church, in session here to-day with the Methodist pastors of East St. Louis, unanimously adopted resolutions characterizing as "the grossest violation of the proprieties of life" the "diaphanous" dance here before the highest society last Tuesday night in the Coliseum in conjunction with the Damrosch orchestra, for charity.

Many of St. Louis' richest women, interviewed to-day, uphold Miss Duncan's dance. Mrs. William K. Kavanaugh is quoted as saying:

"To me Miss Duncan looked like an exquisite figure of an old vase that we are allowed to admire with perfect propriety."

Mrs. Thomas Bond: "We went to enjoy ourselves and we did very much. It was beautiful, and I didn't look for anything else."

The resolutions say:

"Resolved, it is a matter of exceeding regret that in the name of charity and before an audience of character and culture and exalted only by being high art, a woman clad only in a kirtle, slitted to the belt, of a fabric so diaphanous that in certain changing phases she was virtually naked, rising to the horizontal in the while of the dance, has been permitted to appear. Such a performance, whatever the motive, is the grossest violation of the proprieties of life, and we trust it may never be repeated in our fair city."

HALLOWEEN SURPRISE.

A very pleasant surprise party was given in honor of Miss Dorothy Purdom, at her home, 189 Cannon street east, on Monday evening, Nov. 1st. The evening was spent in games and Halloween jokes, after which light refreshments were served, and the party broke up in the wee sma' hours, all voting it a great success. Those on the committee were Miss Violet Callon and Miss Clara Haines.

KILLS WOMAN.

Mrs. Ernest M. Smith, of Utica, Receives Fatal Injuries.

Chauffeur Loses Control While Moving at 50 Miles an Hour.

Utica, Nov. 3.—Mrs. Ernest M. Smith, whose husband is a business man in Utica, was instantly killed in an automobile accident at New Hartford, a suburb of this city, to-night and Charles Spice, of New Hartford, a victim of the same accident, is in a critical condition in a Utica hospital. The automobile, which contained, beside Mrs. Smith, two friends and the chauffeur, was travelling along the state road at New Hartford at a rate exceeding 50 miles an hour.

As it approached a bridge the passenger vehicle of which is considerably narrower than the highway, the driver lost control and the machine crashed into the iron supports of the bridge. The occupants were all thrown out and Mrs. Smith struck on her head, breaking her neck and fracturing her skull. The other occupants of the car received only slight injuries.

Neice was crossing the bridge at the time and was struck by the machine as it rebounded from the crash. He was found underneath the wrecked car with a broken leg and serious injuries about the head. It is believed that he also suffers from internal injuries.

GRIM WORK.

One Negro Killed For Attempted Assault and Others Sought.

Sutton, W. Va., Nov. 4.—Two organized parties of men are to-night scouring the hills of this county searching for two negroes believed to have aided Charles Lewis, also a negro, in an assault upon Mrs. Mary Lockhold, wife of a farmer, to-day near the small settlement of Exchange. Lewis, the only known member of the party of three who are thought to have been implicated in the deed, was shot and killed by a posse of men late this afternoon.

According to Deputy Sheriff Williams, the three negroes late last night went to the home of George Lockhold, a few miles from here, and after tying the farmer to a tree and whipping him on his bare back with willow switches, attempted an assault upon Mrs. Lockhold. Persons passing heard the screams of the woman and the negroes fled.

After a 24-hour hunt, Lewis was caught. As he attempted to escape after being ordered to throw up his hands, he was shot and killed.

At midnight a telephone communica-

tion was received from Gasaway, stating that two negroes had been captured near that place and placed in jail. Men with rifles are said to be guarding the jail against a possible lynching party.

FARMERS LOSE.

Put Money in the Southwestern and Dropped It All.

London, Nov. 4.—The reorganization of the Southwestern Traction Railway Company has not been effected as yet, but is under way. Enough is known, however, to warrant the statement that the President of the company will be Mr. Fred G. Rumball, the head of the old company. General Manager Mowet will also continue in control.

The statement is made that the farmers and others who put sums of money into the railway, at the time of and preceding its construction, will lose every cent.

"Plenty of farmers along the route of the railway put from \$100 to \$1,000 and more into the undertaking at the outset," said a gentleman who is in touch with the company's business, "but they will get nothing out."

"Are they greatly dissatisfied?"

"No, I do not think they are feeling very badly over the matter, because they recognize that the railway has been and will continue to be a very material benefit to them."

However, there are farmers who refused to buy stock in the railway, and these are laughing at their neighbors, and saying, "I told you so." They receive the same benefit from the railway as do their fellow-farmers who have sunk as much as \$2,000.

The heavy losers, however, are the Scotch bondholders, who will lose \$150,000.

This amount was stated to be the fact yesterday, the statement being made upon excellent authority.

BLTYHE IN EFFIGY.

Feeling in Agincourt Strong Against Wife Slayer.

Toronto, Nov. 3.—The feeling in Agincourt against Walter Blythe, the wife slayer, who was sentenced last week to 18 years imprisonment, is shown in that village when to-night an effigy labelled "Blythe, the Murderer," was strung from a telegraph pole near Knox Church, Agincourt, where Blythe lived.

J. Alden Loring, the naturalist, and Major A. Mearns returned to Nairobi, British East Africa, from their exhibition to Mount Kenya. The climbers ascended the mountain to an estimated height of 16,500 feet, within 700 feet of the summit.

Peter G. Leist, a hermit, was found dead at his home near Savannah, Ga. He was seated in a chair, apparently staring at the wall of his room, on which he had written his will. Two hungry bulldogs were guarding the dead man.

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Soiled ribbon, light colored silk and delicate laces may be very successfully cleaned at home with Taylor's Borax Soap. Shave up fine half a bar of Taylor's Borax Soap, add a little boiling water and let it stand until it forms a thick jelly. Wet the articles to be cleaned with lukewarm water, then spread on a flat surface and run in the soap jelly with a fine, soft old tooth brush. Go over the entire piece in this way without rubbing at all until thoroughly clean.

Rinse and spread on the top of a table, smooth out every wrinkle with the hand, and let remain until dry. A glass wash board and two or three extra small sized tubs will be found a great convenience in every laundry.

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DRAMATIC CASE

Trial of Mme. Steinheil Arouses Remarkable Interest.

Offers of \$200 Made For Opportunity to Enter Building.

Paris, Nov. 3.—The trial of Mme. Adolphe Steinheil, accused of the murder of her husband and mother-in-law, Mme. Japy, was begun here to-day under circumstances which are calculated to make it one of the most remarkable in recent years. Judge Devalles had received 25,000 applications for seats in the courtroom, but refused all, with the exception of those made by the press, the bar and others directly concerned with the trial.

The first persons who were in line outside of the courtroom this morning were admitted, and places of vantage in this line commanded as high as \$200. Thousands who were unable to obtain admittance lingered about the streets, and it required the services of police to keep them moving.

Not since 1902, when Frederic and Therese Humbert were convicted of a \$12,000,000 swindle, has a trial in Paris excited the intense interest exhibited. In the murder charge the prosecution sets forth that the alleged motive is found in the defendant's hatred for her mother-in-law and a desire to rid herself of the husband, in order that she might marry Maurice Bordenel, a wealthy merchant, who had become infatuated with her.

Mme. Steinheil, innocent or guilty, will not need to reproach herself to-night for the manner in which she endured her four-hour ordeal to-day. She parried with lightning-like rapidity every thrust of the presiding Judge, who, in the French Assize Court, acts as the prosecuting attorney. Once she drooped from his line of questioning by the scornful way in which she said: "You seem to take me for a common woman."

She moved the audience to a murmur of approval when she replied to the judge's comments on her contradictions before the Magistrate, who conducted the preliminary inquiry:

"When a poor woman has been for seven hours a day for many days facing a Magistrate who keeps harassing her with questions and never ceasing to repeat 'I know you are guilty; you killed your husband and mother; when your mind has been tortured and your spirit broken, are contradictions unnatural?'"

She taunted the prosecution for not daring to confront her with her lover, Bordenel, whose evidence is the Government's strongest argument. One of her replies caused Judge Devalles to confess that she was no money leech.

During her dramatic examination, Mme. Steinheil protested her innocence and declared repeatedly that her original story that the crime had been committed by three men, dressed in long, flowing coats, with the assistance of a red-haired woman, was true. She explained the stories told by her subsequently in which she accused various persons, on the ground that she was in a nervous condition at the time, and the victim of suggestion on the part of journalists.

15 YEAR SENTENCE.

Italian Who Attempted Murder Put Out of Harm's Way.

Parry Sound, Nov. 3.—Nicola Aiello, an Italian, was to-day sentenced to 15 years in penitentiary by Justice Magee for attempted murder.

Aiello, last summer, had attached himself to a boarding car occupied by some Bulgarian railway navvies and had borrowed \$25 from one of them, Den Demoff. He learned that Demoff had \$260 in a belt that he always wore and one day waylaid Demoff, who was acting as nightwatchman at a lonely spot along the line, and fired at him with a gun. Demoff was struck in the head, but not seriously hurt. He recognized his assailant and shouted at him, and Aiello ran off. He was arrested at Depot Harbor.

The Archdeaconry of the Diocese of Keewatin has been filled by the appointment to the position of Rev. Charles W. McKim, rector of St. Alban's Church, Kenora.

SCRAP BOOK POETRY

Sometimes I get to thinkin' o' the days o' youth, an' then I used to know in Pixley, an' I sit with 'em while. Lavin' all the fun we knew before we put on style. A dancin' all the dances, the lancers an' o'drilles. A colic to the huskin' bees an' picnics on the hills. An' I quite forget I'm livin' on a crowded city street. Where I don't know a quarter of the people that I meet.

I settle in my arm chair an' I light my meerschaum pipe. An' then I'm back in Pixley with the apple I'm makin' eyes at Agnes, which is wrong I must allow.

Cos she was married long ago an' has four babies now. An' I'm pokin' fun at Lydy, who was in for any joke. But she has married wealthy—still out yonder in th' smoke.

She is still th' laughin' lassie, free from all the worry an' care of her, an' I'm glad to see 'er. That wimmin folk think needful when they marry millionaires.

Then I steal a kiss from Nellie an' I hear her say "No, no, no." The way she did a thousand times, but never meant it, though.

An' again from church we're comin' an' the hour is gettin' late. An' we stand awhile a gabbin', she a-singin' on th' gate.

A tellin' of her antics, an' her aunts an' how they were. While all that I was wantin' was to stay an' talk of her, an' again she ups an' leaves me sayin' "Ed it's after nine."

O, I tell you what! It's funny, when I think about it all. An' I kinder get to broodin' an' th' old days I recollect.

When there warn't no automobiles, warn't no problem plays an' such. When the only fault with young folks was they loved to play too much.

When there warn't no style about us, one war't richer than another.

When we didn't think of money, never snubbed a poorer brother.

An' to see 'em now with riches, an' ashamed to even say.

That they ever lived in Pixley—why, my soul is there!

The Engineering Alumni of Toronto University is taking steps to establish scholarships in applied science.

Edward Bales Barr, the explorer, who reported the discovery up the Gaster River of a huge waterfall, which he is confident will prove the highest on the western hemisphere. This fall is said to be larger than Grand Fall in Labrador, which is 368 feet high.

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When women have backache they often attribute their suffering to other disorders and do not realize that the kidneys are diseased.

Neglect usually means

CROWN POINT MADE MERRY.

New Citizens of Hamilton Celebrate Annexation Victory.

Large Procession, With Torches, Marched Through Streets.

Will Hold a Banquet and Speeches Later On.

The residents of the east end of the city and especially of Crown Point received the good news that the Railway Board had at last settled the annexation question with joy and to express their feelings had a celebration last evening. They had a procession through the east end. The celebration was the outcome of a suggestion by the leaders of the annexation party, and the people did it up in good style. Plenty of contributions were at hand for the fireworks fund.

At 7.30 a large crowd gathered in front of J. H. Plunkett's store, which had been announced as the meeting place and a few minutes later the wagon which led the procession drove up. In it were Mayor McLaren, Ald. Juttim and the annexation leaders. The fireworks were ready in large quantities and as a starter torches were lighted. A skyrocket and some Roman candles announced to the late comers that the hour had arrived for the start. The procession was a long one, and although a few mud-holes were encountered that did not dampen the ardor of the new citizens of Hamilton.

They went up Kingston avenue to Cannon street, to Ottawa street, through Barton street, to Trolley street, through Prospect Place to Main street, to Prospect street, to Poplar avenue, to Blake street, to Main street, to Sherman avenue, to Beechwood avenue, to Barton street and back to the starting point. All along the road torches were left burning to show the path the marchers had taken. The torches were of various colors and made a brilliant reflection. Those who occupied the wagon were kept busy lighting the torches and handing them down to their comrades who were footing it. As the march proceeded their ranks increased. They were loudly cheered from houses they passed. Fish horns and other noise producers were at a premium in Crown Point before the procession started, and a number of them were kept busy for the remainder of the night. As the fireworks were not called for as the people intended having a banquet in the course of a few weeks, and they thought it best to have the speeches then.

30-DAY TRIP.

Frost Fence Party Staried Via G. T. R. Last Night.

One of the finest of overland trips commenced at 3.45 p. m. yesterday, when sixteen of the agents and representatives of the Frost Wire Fence Company left on the specially designed Pullman car "Sunset" attached to the International Limited, for a thirty days' trip through the Western and Southern States as a reward for winning a sales competition which began a year ago. The "Sunset" is a private special hotel car of the Pullman Company, it being one of four of kind in existence. It is a combination dining, sleeping and observation car, with the interior handsomely furnished in mahogany. Everything in connection with it is neat and up-to-date and the compact arrangement and completeness of the cook's quarters is a wonder. The car is furnished with electric light and fans, and everything else essential to an enjoyable trip. The party will be under the supervision of Mr. H. L. Frost and Mr. A. L. Page, who have a private room in the car for their own use. Mr. J. E. Sevin and three assistants are in charge and will attend to all the wants of the party, who will sleep in the car during the whole trip, with the exception of the one night spent at Oakland, California.

All the details of the trip were in the hands of Mr. C. E. Morgan, Grand Trunk ticket agent, and he deserves credit for the excellent manner in which everything was arranged for the convenience of the party. Mr. Morgan also has the distinction of selling the highest priced transportation ticket ever purchased in Hamilton.

FREE FOR TWO DAYS

The Right House is Making a Remarkable Carpet Offering.

Not only has The Right House reduced the prices on several leading lines of carpets, in connection with the big Disposition Sale, but the management has announced that all Axminster, Wilton, Brussels and Tapestry carpets bought this week will be made, laid and lined free of charge. This remarkable carpet offer is only one of a score of special events at The Right House. The great annual fall sale and exhibit is on. Suits, capes, hats and other second floor lines are going fast at greatly reduced prices, and the two-day sale of ladies' underwear was announced last night.

A Rare Piano Opportunity.

Special clearing sale of slightly used upright pianos. The list includes such well-known makes as Goulay, Mason & Risch, Gerhard Heintzman and Mendelssohn, and the prices are such as to insure a rapid transfer from the warehouses to the homes of discriminating buyers. If you are thinking of purchasing a piano it will pay you to inspect these bargains at Goulay, Winter & Leeming's, 66 King street west.

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The doctor should see that his patients are well healed.

TEA TABLE GOSSIP.

Tigers have made arrangements for six hundred more seats in open stands, on sale at Stanley Mills at 9 o'clock on Friday morning. Hamilton Municipal Chapter, Daughters of the Empire, will hold its meeting to-morrow morning at 10.30 in the parlour of the Y. W. C. A., Main street. Mrs. (Rev.) John Somerville, of Toronto, President of the Woman's Home Mission Society, who is to speak in St. John Presbyterian Church this evening. Is the guest of Mrs. Arnott, Emerald street south. B. F. Rapley, the Montreal commercial traveller whose mysterious disappearance from the Campbell House, Brockville, on Oct. 19, has created a sensation, is a relative of Mrs. Richard Wallace, Webber avenue, this city.

TAMMANY HIT.

Total Mayoralty Vote—Will Tammany Men Starve?

Many New York Towns Went Dry in the Election.

New York, Nov. 3.—The Tammany bunch, Charles F. Murphy, Daniel Cohalan and the Sullivan, Big and Little Tim, will, in the opinion of those who understand the situation, starve to death politically unless Mayor Gaynor comes to their rescue. For four long years, after Jan. 1 next, these Tammany men who have been running the organization will have no borough Presidents of Manhattan and the Bronx upon whom to draw for sustenance for their followers. The totals of the vote on the city, borough and county tickets as corrected on the day of missing districts show that Tammany saved out of the wreck only a reduced number of assembly members and most of the municipal court justices. The vote for Mayor was about normal in size, 596,000, which shows a loss of 7.12 per cent. on registration of 645,700. This is a little more than the usual loss on a gubernatorial year, but not much. The total vote on city, borough and New York county tickets is as follows: Mayor—Bannard, 177,694; Gaynor, 250,104; Hearst, 155,067. Gaynor over Bannard, 72,410. Mayor Gaynor will have a large number of appointments to make.

WENT DRY. Watertown, N. Y., Nov. 4.—Out of twenty towns in Jefferson county where license propositions were voted upon yesterday, absolute dry, five hotel licenses, two everything, one druggists' and one everything except saloon. Clayton, including Frontenac, was among those that went dry on all propositions.

OBITUARY.

Death of Mr. Robert Lucas at the Age of 81.

One of Hamilton's oldest and most respected citizens passed away yesterday in the person of Robert Lucas at his residence, 118 Catharine street north, in his 81st year. Deceased was born in Ireland, and came to this city 62 years ago, residing here ever since. Shortly after coming here he entered the employ of the old Currier's Company, now the Gurney-Tilden foundry, and for fifty years was an active employee. He was promoted to superintendent, and in 1897 retired from that position on half pay, although he was still connected with the firm, and devoted part of his time as a general overseer. He was a member of Acacia Lodge, A. F. and A. M., and of Hamilton Lodge, C. O. E., of which he was the oldest member. He was also a member of Wesley Church. He leaves, besides his widow, two sons and four daughters, all residing in Hamilton. The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock to Hamilton Cemetery.

Marshall Lyons, of Rock Chapel, died at his home there this morning at the age of 71 years. The funeral will take place on Sunday to Rock Chapel Cemetery.

The remains of Miss Mary McCabe, who died at St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday, were taken from Dwyer's undertaking rooms to the Grand Trunk station this afternoon, and left on the 4 o'clock train for Barrie, where the services and interment will take place.

TEN YEARS JAIL.

Heavy Sentence on Man Who Stole Horse and Buggy.

(Special Wire to the Times.) Cornwall, Nov. 9.—Cyrus Seymour, who stole a horse and buggy from Albert Fulton, of Maple Ridge, near Chateaufort, on Oct. 18, drove it to River Beaudette, shipped it thence to Montreal, where he tried to sell the outfit, pleaded guilty before Judge O'Reilly and was sentenced yesterday afternoon to ten years with hard labor in the penitentiary at Kingston. Seymour pleaded for mercy, because his wife had broken her arm and had several little children dependent on him for support, but this had no effect on the judge, who reminded Seymour that he was an old offender, having been in the penitentiary before for bigamy and horse stealing. The heavy sentence seemed to daunt the prisoner, who stood motionless looking at the floor for a couple of minutes after the judge had finished speaking.

WHO KNEW HIM?

A man known as William Brown died at his boarding house in St. Catharines yesterday. His right name was believed to be George Campbell, a native of this city. He is supposed to be a St. Kitts police to have relatives here and they say he had an uncle here, who kept a flour and feed store, but he died two years ago. Two aunts are also believed to be living. Anyone having information respecting the deceased is requested to impart it at the police office, City Hall.

Hamilton Sanatorium.

To-morrow is ladies' day at the Turkish baths. If you wish to spend an enjoyable afternoon, come up and bring a friend with you. Corner of Park and Duke streets. Phone 33.

POWER FIGHT

Charter for London & Lake Erie Railway Company.

Electric Energy to be Supplied by Other Than Hydro.

(Special Wire to the Times.) London, Ont., Nov. 4.—What looks like a first move in the Niagara Power fight was made to-day when Messrs. Purdon & Purdon made application to the Dominion Parliament for a charter for the London & Lake Erie Railway Company, capitalized at \$2,000,000, to operate a line between Brantford and London, running through Paris, Ingersoll and Woodstock, and with running rights over the line already from Brantford to Hamilton, this is taken to mean that electric energy will be taken from either the Electrical Development Company or the Cataract Power Company, who will be in position to compete with Niagara power. A provisional Board of Directors are: W. K. George, Geo. B. Wood, Sidney Jones, Toronto; Dr. Angus McKay, Ingersoll; E. G. Rumball and John Purdon, London; and Albert E. Thompson, of Cleveland. The company is asking for power to acquire or operate railways intended to be built and operated by the Southwestern Traction Company, and being from Brantford, through Paris, to Woodstock, and from Woodstock to Ingersoll, and from Ingersoll to London, from London to Strathroy and Glencoe, and from Delaware to Lambeth, in the county of Middlesex, and from Aylmer to St. Thomas, in the county of Elgin.

CLEVER WOMAN

Madame Steinheil a Match For the Judge.

Paris Newspapers Publish Extras Every Half Hour.

Paris, Nov. 4.—Madame Marguerite Steinheil, whose examination on the charge of having murdered her husband and stepmother was concluded in the assize court to-day, made a wonderful, single-handed fight over her life, displaying as much skill in confounding the judge as she had in baffling the police. In the dock she presented a dramatic figure, her black mourning gown accentuating the pallor of her face. When caught in the meshes of cross-examination she had recourse to tears or with uplifted eyes and arms extended made fervent appeals to the jury. Paradoxical as it seems, the public conviction is strong already that Madame Steinheil may be guilty, but will not be convicted. The intense interest in the case is shown by the fact that the newspapers printed extras containing the testimony of every participant. The old scandal which grew out of the fatal illness at the prisoner's home of Felix Faure, the late President of France, has not been mentioned at the trial yet, although the court announced that there was no intention to shield anyone. At one point in her testimony, however, the accused woman referred significantly to "a high political personage who had been my friend," but added that she did not wish to involve in this affair one who had been kind to her.

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EBENEZER MISSION.

Mr. Robert McMurdo delivered an interesting stirring address to an interested audience in Ebenezer Hall last evening. He spoke on the conversions and confessions of two men who came into contact with the Son of God, Nicodemus and Levi, or Matthew, as he was later named, were the men whose lives, before and after their conversion, the speaker brought before his hearers. Nicodemus was a learned scribe, while Levi was a tax-gatherer. After conversion there was still a difference, for Nicodemus kept very quiet about his experience with Christ, only once speaking up for Him, in the Sanhedrin, and that in a half-hearted way, when he had a grand chance to tell them what he thought of Him. Levi, immediately after he had been called by Christ, made a feast for Him and in this way showed to his friends that he intended to be a follower of the Nazarene. It is better, said Mr. McMurdo, to have life and little testimony, like Nicodemus, than to have no life, but to be better still to have both the life and the testimony. Meetings to-night and to-morrow night.

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MARRIAGES.

CONNOR-BOWER—On Wednesday, November 3rd, 1909, at the home of the bride's parents, 196 Emerald street north, by the Rev. Wm. C. Barrett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Barrett, to Miss Jessie Isabel Bower, to William D. Connor.

DEATHS.

BARRETT—At the family residence, 192 Hunter street west on Tuesday, 2nd Nov. 1909, Emily Jane Lamin, wife of Wm. C. Barrett, in her 43rd year. Funeral Friday at 2 p. m. Interment at Hamilton Cemetery.

LUCAS—At his late residence, 118 Catharine street north, on Wednesday, 2nd November, 1909, Robert Lucas, in his 81st year. Funeral Saturday at 2 p. m. Interment at Hamilton Cemetery.

LYONS—At Rock Chapel, on Thursday, November 4th, 1909, Marshall Lyons, in his 71st year. Funeral from his late residence on Sunday at 2.30 p. m. to Rock Chapel Cemetery.

MORRIS—On Tuesday, November 2nd, 1909, John Gully Morris, in his 81st year. Funeral from his late residence, 184 Hughson street north, Friday at 3 p. m. Interment at Hamilton Cemetery. Friends will please accept this intimation.

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IMPROVING THE SERVICE. (Continued from Page 1.) One street for George Askew, to cost \$1,200. The power question is practically at a standstill until the Council meets on Monday night next, when it will be taken up in committee of the whole.

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