

Births, Marriages, Deaths.

MARRIED.

PITTL-BROWN—At the Church of St. John the Evangelist, on Wednesday, April 2, 1902, William Pittl to Viola, daughter of the late John J. Brown.

DIED.

BRINSMED—In this city, on April 2, 1902, Ellen Teresa, wife of Henry Brinsmed, 755 Hill street, aged 69 years. Funeral from above residence on Friday, at 9:30, to St. Peter's Cathedral at 10 o'clock.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

NEW GRAND To-morrow
The original cast of the play of the year, "The Village Parson." Matinee, 2:30, 5:00, 7:30, 9:30. Evening, 7:30, 9:30.

NEXT FRIDAY EVENING.

The charming comedy drama, "The Village Parson." A beautiful story, well told. Popular prices, 50c, 75c, 1.00. Seats ready.

THE "LONDON" FRI. & SAT.

MATINEE SATURDAY, 2:30. **BIJOU** COMPANY.

Prices, 15c, 25c, 50c, 75c. Seats Thursday.

THE CONCERT OF THE SEASON.

The Eminent English Baritone, **PLUNKETT GREENE**, and the beautiful Canadian Soprano, **MRS. DOROTHY HARVEY**, assisted by **Rudolph von Schup**, Solo Pianist.

NEW GRAND MONDAY, APRIL 7

Opera House. Prices, 1.00, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00, 3.50, 4.00. Seats on sale Friday.

THE BEAUTIFUL CANTATA OF "THE SEASONS"

will be given by the King Street Presbyterian choir, aided by the best local talent and orchestra, in East London Town Hall on Tuesday, April 2, at 8 p.m. Don't miss this treat. Double tickets, 25c; single tickets, 15c.

HEAR "MY OLD KENTUCKY HOME"

and other songs, magnificently treated, Asklin Street Methodist Church, Thursday night. Admission, 10c.

NORTH OF IRELAND AND LIVERPOOL

—Allan Lane steamship. Sails Saturday, April 5, Corinthian, Saturday, April 12, Numidian, April 19, Saturday, April 26, Sunday, April 27, Monday, April 28, Tuesday, April 29, Wednesday, April 30, Thursday, May 1, Friday, May 2, Saturday, May 3, Sunday, May 4, Monday, May 5, Tuesday, May 6, Wednesday, May 7, Thursday, May 8, Friday, May 9, Saturday, May 10, Sunday, May 11, Monday, May 12, Tuesday, May 13, Wednesday, May 14, Thursday, May 15, Friday, May 16, Saturday, May 17, Sunday, May 18, Monday, May 19, Tuesday, May 20, Wednesday, May 21, Thursday, May 22, Friday, May 23, Saturday, May 24, Sunday, May 25, Monday, May 26, Tuesday, May 27, Wednesday, May 28, Thursday, May 29, Friday, May 30, Saturday, May 31, Sunday, June 1, Monday, June 2, Tuesday, June 3, Wednesday, June 4, Thursday, June 5, Friday, June 6, Saturday, June 7, Sunday, June 8, Monday, June 9, Tuesday, June 10, Wednesday, June 11, Thursday, June 12, Friday, June 13, Saturday, June 14, Sunday, June 15, Monday, June 16, Tuesday, June 17, 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Very fine goods; worth 40c each, our price 25c.

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THE ASSOCIATION OF ONTARIO LIBRARIANS

Meet in Annual Session at Toronto—Interesting Papers Read.

Toronto, April 1.—The second annual meeting of the Ontario Library Association opened in the Castle Memorial Hall, McMaster University, yesterday afternoon, President James Bohn in the chair. A number of interesting papers were read. They were: "The Value of a Public Library to a Community," by J. Davis Barnett, of Stratford; "Some Difficulties I Have Had in Library Work," by Miss V. Scott, of Owen Sound; "Public Documents of the Dominion of Canada and the Province of Ontario," by W. George Eakin.

Prof. A. B. McCullum, of Toronto, reported on traveling libraries, saying that material progress had been made in this department in the last year. He complained, however, that in the selection of books, the standard authors were not sufficiently represented, from 20 to 50 per cent of the books being fiction. E. A. Hardy, of Lindsay, maintained that at least 50 per cent of the books sent to the remote districts must necessarily be fiction. Alfred Fitzpatrick, secretary of the reading camp movement, agreed that books sent to the camps must be of a light character. J. Davis Barnett, of Stratford, in his paper on "The Value of a Public Library to a Community," vigorously defended the novel.

The question of admitting the public to the book shelves was discussed, the general opinion being in favor of the practice. W. R. Eastman, of Albany, inspector of public libraries for New York State, spoke emphatically in favor of this plan.

At the evening session President Bohn, in his annual address, referred to the gifts of Andrew Carnegie, giving a list of places in Canada that have received gifts from him.

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EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION

Annual Session of Ontario Teachers Begun.

Views Expressed by Hon. Mr. Harcourt on Matters Referred to in Public School Teachers' Report.

Toronto, April 1.—The Ontario Educational Association opened its 41st annual meeting this morning at the Normal School. The attendance promises to be the highest on record. The morning was given up to sectional meetings. The committee appointed last year by the public school department of the association to wait on Mr. Harcourt with reference to public school matters, submitted its report to the department. Referring to the suggestion that no certificate be granted to any one under 21 years of age, Mr. Harcourt expressed himself as personally favorable, but feared that opposition would be offered in some quarters for some reason, such as the increased remuneration which would be demanded, and admitted that there were times when the government should lead public opinion, not follow it. As to the question of model school training was under consideration, and that it was hoped soon to arrange it so as (1) to have fewer model schools; (2) to have these well attended, and (3) to extend the term to the academic year. The minister was personally in favor of making Latin optional for the educational council, the minister suggested adding to it five representatives elected by the O.E.A., say the president of the association, the chairman of the college and high school, and the public school departments, and one person elected by each of these two departments. As for changes in textbooks, there would be no change in the near future. He was in favor of the teaching of the metric system in the public schools.

At the afternoon session of the Ontario Educational Association, the public school trustees discussed a motion introduced by Mr. J. A. Cook, of Thorold, that a committee be appointed to confer with the minister of education as to ways and means for re-introducing the Bible as a book of literature in the curriculum of the schools and colleges of the province. The meeting, which included a number of clergymen and laymen, represented all the Protestant denominations, was apparently pretty evenly divided. Nothing was done, and, practically, action has been deferred for another year.

Ald. Leitch, of Brantford, president of the public school trustees, in his annual address, said that the rural schools needed improvement. The foolish fear of increased taxation hinders the engagement of specially qualified teachers. In self-defense and for the moral welfare of the community, if for nothing else, there should be placed at the disposal of every youth a good, practical education, sufficient for everyday life. He would raise public school teaching to the dignity of a profession, to be held by making the remuneration sufficient.

Wm. Johnston, of Athens, spoke of inspectors' salaries, and a committee was appointed to report on the matter of education in reference to the question.

The inspectors unanimously placed themselves on record as opposed to the abolition of high school entrance examination.

At the evening session Mr. Harcourt addressed the assembly with the status of the teachers in Ontario.

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THEY STOOD ON THEIR HEADS

While the Preacher Joined Them in Wedlock.

Queer Proceedings on the Part of John McGee and Amy Thompson at Kewanee, Ill.

Chicago, April 2.—To end lovers' quarrels and to fulfill a promise made by the girl, John McGee and Amy Thompson, who are now playing in "The Telephone Girl" at a local theater, eloped and were married under queer conditions at Kewanee, Ill. A parson of the Illinois town performed the ceremony with the couple standing on their heads.

McGee has been on the stage four years, and hails from New York. Miss Thompson, 25 years of age, is a native of Waterbury, Conn., and has been in the same company with McGee for several months. The elopement was a surprise to the other members of the troupe, for they had believed that McGee would marry a blonde society girl who was not friendly with Miss Thompson.

"I don't see why we have to quarrel so often," said McGee one night after the show.

"Well, I know this is my fault," whispered the girl, as she placed her head on his shoulder. "I'm always picking a quarrel with you, and I will tell you what I will do. You have often asked me to marry you, and I will promise to do so when I next feel like quarreling, provided that you'll stand on your head during the ceremony."

The two separated, and a week passed. They arrived in Denver for a week's stay. When the last night was finished and the lovers were about to say good-night, Amy said: "John, I want to quarrel with you."

"Well, we'll be married tomorrow night," replied he, as he kissed her. But the company, who on Monday night came to the theater from Chicago, were about to seek a preacher the manager would halt them and put them in the dress rehearsal. Last Saturday night came and with it Kewanee. They made up their minds that the ceremony must be performed before Chicago was reached.

So when the manager had kept them busy until a short time before the curtain fell rang they became perturbed. As the clock struck 8 John came with his dressing room with five different colors of paint on his face, a wig on his head and false whiskers on his face. He found Amy in stage attire.

"Come on," whispered he, as he guided her from the stage door into the street and placed her in a cab. "I have the license and we will get married right now. Here is your ring."

After a drive of a mile the carriage drew up in front of Parson Furness' door and the couple entered.

"We want to get married at once," said John, "and we must stand on our heads during the ceremony."

"What?" gasped the parson. "Why, I'm not sure that with a legal marriage ceremony, I can do that."

"Yes it will," said McGee, "I looked the matter up this afternoon, and you must hurry, as we are delaying the show."

"Well, all right," muttered the parson.

Amy placed her hands on the floor and bent her head between them. Then she swung easily to a perpendicular position with her head to the wall. John stood on his head at her side, and the marriage ceremony was performed. It cost a \$20 bill.

Then back to the theater they went to find the manager swearing roundly, the orchestra playing their arms off, and the audience all but in a riot.

"We've got married," smiled Amy, as she went up to the manager and showed

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25 only, Uncovered Baskets, double handle, Thursday 7c.
Step-ladders, 5, 6 and 7 feet, very strong, Thursday, per foot 10c.

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Beautiful 15-Piece Toilet Sets, in green, blue, pink, brown, with very handsome floral design and attractive patterns, regular \$5.00, Thursday 3:50.

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Salt Boxes, wooden, regular 15c, Thursday 10c.
Feather Dusters, Thursday 10c and 15c.
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White Semi-Porcelain Tea Plates, Venice pattern, Thursday, per dozen 55c.
White Semi-Porcelain Bread and Butter Plates, Thursday, dozen 45c.
White Semi-Porcelain Cups and Saucers, good patterns, Thursday, per dozen 80c.

Main Floor Items—Dainty White Wear for Thursday's Selling.

Nightgowns at 43c.
Ladies' Fine White Cotton Gowns, made with yoke back, loose front, made with two clusters of tiny tucks down front, frills on neck and cuffs. Thursday 43c.

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Empire Night Gowns, made of fine white cambric, revers and front of heavy all-over embroidery, finished around sleeves, neck and revers with embroidery, edge to match, good full skirt, Thursday, 95c.

Underskirts at 73c.
Fine Cambric Underskirts, with deep frill and muslin embroidery, a style that washes easily, Thursday, 8:30 73c.

Drawers at 30c.
Fine White Drawers, made un-bella style, embroidery frills, extra value, Thursday, 8:30 30c.

Corset Covers, 23c.
Made of fine Lonsdale cambric, neck and sleeves trimmed with fine lace, a good fitting, well made waist, Thursday, 8:30 23c.

5c—Fairbanks' Great Scouring Soap—5c.

We are the sole agents for London for Fairbanks' Scouring Soap. It is used for scouring pots, woodwork, glass, stone, steps, milk cans, knives, etc. Large square cake, with Fairbanks stamped on face. The name Fairbanks is sufficient guarantee for the great value of this soap. Thursday, 8:30, large cake 5c.

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We quote the regular selling prices and the reduced prices. This Val. Lace is new and the patterns are magnificent.

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500 rolls Paper, in blue and white, pink and white, in sprays or flowers, 5c per roll; border to match.
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Le Journal, Montreal, is trying to stir up some feeling among its readers against Sir Wilfrid Laurier, for his alleged reluctance to use the French language in the House of Commons. The majority of the Quebec members understand English, and if the debates are to be effective, why should they not be made intelligible to the majority of the members of the House? It is true there are two official languages, but why speak either English or French simply for the sake of using the language? "Stubbiness in speaking only English," and "forgetfulness to speak French," are phrases wholly inapplicable to Sir Wilfrid's position. His object, and a commendable one it is, too, is to be understood by the greatest number of both French and English members. In speaking on a purely private measure it would be different, but in addressing the House on matters relating to Canada's relation with the Empire it would be better if Mr. Bourassa, of L'Abolition, would copy the Premier's example.

A Peculiar Magnanimity.

The Free Press seems to be determined to mislead the public with reference to the Hospital. It is apparently impossible to get it to state the truth. In an article the other day it beats its own record. It says:

"By the reform in progress an educated and thoroughly competent staff will be introduced on a salary basis but \$2 a month in excess of the salary amount given to the variety of talent that has been for the best of reasons displaced."

"Back of that, the yearly expense of management has already been reduced from \$17,000 to \$12,000. The hope is indulged that next year the economy will be so far improved that only \$10,000 will be asked for from the citizens for maintenance."

The truth is, the expense of the Hospital is increased from between six and seven thousand dollars annually to the citizens to more than double that amount, exclusive of the interest to be paid on the cost of the Hospital building, which will make the present cost nearly three times what it has been. Yet the Free Press says the expense of management is being steadily reduced.

The sneers of the Free Press at Mr. Purdon need not be noticed, but when it refers to the "magnanimous and whole-souled treatment of the Hospital servants," who resigned, the citizens have a right to know what the Free Press considers magnanimous and whole-souled.

Dr. Balfour was admitted to be thoroughly competent. At a recent meeting Mayor Beck stated that a leading physician said Dr. Balfour was all right; the trouble was with the lady superintendent. Yet Dr. Balfour was replaced by Mr. Heard. Dr. Balfour's treatment will be magnanimous and whole-souled when persecution is such.

The lady superintendent, Miss Murray, a graduate of the London School, a daughter of a citizen of London, is paid \$35 a month; and was to have been given time to visit the large hospitals. Without consultation with the other members of the Trust, Mayor Beck arranges to bring Miss Meiklejohn from Ottawa. A hitch occurs; he can't get her; he then arranges to take anyone she recommends, and Miss Mayou, of Philadelphia, is sent. Salary, \$70 per month. Magnanimous and whole-souled at the public expense!

But what has Miss Murray's assistant done to deserve such "magnanimous," "whole-souled" treatment from the Trust? Has anyone said she is incompetent? Yet the new lady superintendent stipulates for the right to bring her own assistant, and is granted the privilege. Miss Murray was appointed on the recommendations of London physicians, who are known to London citizens. Her successor's recommendations are unknown. It may be "magnanimous" and "whole-souled" to replace the lady superintendent and her assistant without any reason by two ladies, unknown, recommended by men unknown.

The Free Press cannot deceive the public. The cost of maintaining the Hospital today is more than double what it was with the old Hospital—nearly three times as large. Neither can they be got to believe that injustice and persecution is "magnanimous" and "whole-souled."

Lesson From History.

The human race has been telling upward a long time, and has gained a rich store of experience, of which we ought to avail ourselves. The lessons drawn from real life are of more use in practical politics than mere abstract theories. One of these that is written in bold, clear characters and recognized by all thoughtful men, is the difficulty of making men Puritans by external force, or of imposing the idea of virtue which is held by a section upon the whole community. "Be-

cause thou art virtuous, shall there be no more cakes or ale?" is considered a very pertinent question. Or, in other words, if you do not want cakes and ale, and can subsist on more ethereal fare, well and good; leave these things alone; but do not try to force your asceticism on other people. The Puritanism of the seventeenth century were most of them good men, and many of them great men, but they made a mistake in their calculation as to how far a nation can be made sober and moral by mere outward pressure. They shut up the theaters and prohibited many forms of enjoyment and amusement. The generation that immediately followed this severe action was one of the vilest that we read of in recent history. Mr. Gosse says: "The theater was so coarse that its printed relics remain a scandal to European civilization; and that the comedies of Otway and Southerne (for the tragedians were the greatest sinners when they stooped to farce) could ever have been acted to mixed audiences, or to any audiences at all, can hardly be conceived. It would, of course, be very narrow-minded to judge the whole age by its plays. It had its pure divines, its refined essays, and scholars, its austere philosophers. But we cannot go far wrong in taking that redoubtable gossip Pepps as a type of the whole." This does not mean that we are not to fight against all forms of excess, and use for this purpose both law and public opinion, but it does show that if outside pressure is used out of proportion to moral education and public sentiment, a reaction is provoked which may throw back the cause of purity and reform.

Manitoba's plebiscite is being taken today. Wet or dry?

Come, gentle spring, ethereal mildness, come out of cold storage.

Mr. Marter isn't the only Conservative who is tired of a policy of negotiation, stagnation and obfuscation.

If they could see the naval pageant for the coronation, even the Boers might say Great Britain is a strong sea power.

The life of the Ontario Parliament has expired by effluxion of time, but the Ontario Government is good for four years more.

The motto of the Bell Telephone Company is "If you see what you want ask Parliament for it."—Toronto News.

The Bell Telephone Company hasn't been getting everything it has asked for during the last two sessions of Parliament, at any rate. The subscribers are beginning to get a show.

The Hamilton Times suggests that the preference on the British imports might be further cut from one-third to one-half the general tariff, with benefit to the Canadian consumer and to the revenue. This would elicit another howl from the party which claims that the existing preference is a menace to Canadian industry, and at the same time preaches a policy of mutual preference which must be based on free trade within the Empire, or something very near it.

A Glimpse of Gotham.

New York, April 1, 1902. Already this city has assumed almost a summer appearance. Yesterday, on Fifth avenue, the Easter Sunday parade made one think summer was not far away, and although today is not so warm winter is over.

I took the opportunity to hear the successor of Dr. John Hall, the Rev. J. Ross Stevenson, D.D. His sermon was appropriate for Easter Sunday. And, although it may not be the right thing to do, I concluded that we had preachers in London who need not be ashamed to fill a pulpit in America. It is certain that London has better preachers than ever in its history, and it is true, I think, that the congregations are better able to appreciate good preaching.

Dr. John Hall's name has been a household word for many years, and his pupils are probably the leading one in America, in the Presbyterian denomination. His successor does not seem to be anything like his equal or the equal of Dr. Parkhurst, but as he is young, only 36, time must be allowed for development. At present I should say he was an average preacher, no more.

As the congregation dispersed, the Easter Sunday parade, as it is called, was at its best, and for miles streams of men and women, all well-dressed, passed up and down the street, the nationality most noticeable being the Jewish. It would be safe to say that not one in thirty of those whom I passed had light complexions, dark complexions and dark hair being almost universal. Opposite St. Patrick's Cathedral was perhaps the densest crowd. The congregation was dispersing, and on the steps in the neighborhood were some photographic instruments. The Easter parade is an annual event that brings out the spring millinery and good clothes, but this Easter parade has followed all the others, and those who took part in it have played their part.

I saw Henrietta Crossman play Rossini in "As You Like It." She was well supported. The well-known lines, "All the world's a stage and all the men and women merely players," were especially well delivered. She is playing in the same theater, "The Republic," as J. H. Stoddard played "The Bonnie Brier Bush." While on the subject of plays, Brown's Chop House is worth mentioning. It was established in 1857, but not in its present place. It was formerly near the Coleman

House, now the Metropolitan, on Twenty-sixth street. It is an actors' resort. The walls are covered with pictures of actors and actresses of other days and programmes of the plays and entertainments. One I noticed to be given by Stephen Macsett at the Theater Royal, Kimberley diamond fields, South Africa. One of the parts to be given was "The Dying Boy's Prayer." It states that a few years since a little boy six or seven years old came to California with his father, an English musician. He was called "The Infant Prodigy," and with his father traveled very extensively, sometimes billed as "Young America." He took ill, and every care was given him. He became worse and worse, and feeling that he would not live, said just before he died, "Make room for a tired little fellow, kind God."

"He had played for his lordship's pleasure. He had played for her ladyship's whim. Till the poor little eyes were heavy, And the poor little brain did swim; And the face grew peaked and eerie, And the large eyes strange and bright, And they said 'Too late, he is weary,' He shall rest for at least tonight."

"But at dawn, when the birds were waking, As they watched in the silent room, With the sound of a strange chord breaking, A something snapped in the gloom. 'Twas the string of his violinello. And they heard him stir in his bed: 'Make room for a tired little fellow, kind God.' Were the last words he said."

It is interesting to look through the old framed bills of the plays and players of years ago. It is, at the same time, one of the best restaurants in New York. It is on that part of New York where all the amusements are now uptown.

Whether the defeat of Tammany Hall will result in better government for New York than formerly, remains to be seen. The old resorts were open, and apparently doing a land office business. The papers stated numbers of arrests had been made of gambling houses, and that prosecutions had been entered for illegal sales of liquor. To a stranger there is, so far, no difference, New York is still New York, the biggest and best city in America. Its faults of government were, of course, never apparent to a stranger. It always seemed to be quite as well, if not better governed than any other large city.

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All the world and his wife are free to look upon King Edward's coronation pageant in June. The public performers, however, will not be the whole show. Inside the palace gates distinguished artists will have to make the effort of their lives. Their names will not appear on the programme, and for that reason their achievements may pass unrecognized unless mentioned upon. Among them are the King's cook and his wine taster.

It was a decree promulgated by King Edward when he ascended the throne that Mr. Menager was not to be a soldier, but a civilian. Mr. Menager draws an annual salary of \$10,000 a year—about the same as a lieutenant-general in the British army, or an admiral of the fleet. It is the same as the official income of two members of Lord Salisbury's cabinet, and it exceeds that of the keeper of the British Museum and of sundry bishops.

Mr. Menager's position is much firmer than the ministry's. The King has referred to him again and again as "perfect treasure," and frequently professes him a cigar from the royal pocket case.

Mr. Menager's career goes to substantiate the saying that great cooks are born, not made. He is not more than 40 now, and the compliment of being asked to become chef to the Prince of Wales was paid him more than five years ago. He is a Frenchman, probably of the south, tall and comely, with a black beard trimmed to the model of his master's.

It was from the kitchen of the Reform Club, the best club for dining in London, that he moved westward a few hundred yards to Marlborough House. The Reform Club kitchen has been for long the studio of great artists. Its Tory and Liberal members, plodded along with the old, plain dishes and let the cookery contest go by default, by shaking its head and muttering, "Those Whigs always had French leanings."

Francatelli, who was Queen Victoria's cook for many years, came into the Reform. He reached his apotheosis when he wrote a classic on his art and opened a cafe in Paris—not an ordinary cafe where people go who want to live, but one catering for the patronage of the most select of the cosmopolitan society which lives to die.

Before the Prince of Wales' friends started the Marlborough Club at his own door, he dined often with the Marquis of Harrington, now the Duke of Devonshire, and Sir Henry James, who had been a member of the Reform Club. There he learned for the first time to admire the man who devised his dinners.

NO MALES IN KITCHEN.

When Mr. Menager was asked to come up higher he took his mother with him. For one thing, he will have all the simpler work done by kitchen-maids. No male hands in the junior kitchen for him.

He says with conviction that he does not believe that feminine nature can rise to the greatest heights in his art any more than in painting, poetry or music. Yet, in his rare moments of comparative humility he will half admit that his women assistants can do more than he can. He knows of no other kitchen in London, Sir Edward Lawson's and Julius Werners, which have frequently served dinners

to his royal master and are controlled absolutely by women cooks.

His own male assistant confines himself to pastry, omelettes and rolls. Other matters he intrusts to feminine hands.

He does not sleep under the King's roof, but has his private residence in a street not very far away. Breakfast is not his affair on ordinary days; they are the task of his assistant. It is not looked for that any artist can produce three masterpieces in one day, especially when the greatest of the dinner, has to come last. Thus, Mr. Menager need not quit his own roof tree till 11 o'clock.

Then he steps into a hansom and drives to Marlborough House. His kitchen is big and bright and has all the windows on the ground floor facing the lawn. The carte for luncheon is brought to him and his work begins.

The King never draws up the list of dishes for his own meals. That list is done by Lord Farquhar, the master of the household, or Lord Valentia, the controller; but of course it is always varied by the King's own whims. The King wants, for it is a chief qualification of these functionaries to know his tastes.

Menager selects everything that he needs. The master of the kitchen, Mr. Blackwood, a much more prosaic personage, a mere man of figures, sees that all the articles come in and that the items on the tradesman's accounts correspond. When he has verified them they are taken to Sir Nigel Kingscote, the paymaster, who writes out checks for payment.

Leaving these persons to their counting house work, Mr. Menager sallies forth to play a game of billiards, or a big cigar and walks up St. James' street. His destination is the Club in Shaftesbury avenue, where he will play a game of billiards. Then he will drop in at the Cafe Royal and afterward have a friendly chat with one or other of his restaurant competitors near Piccadilly Circus.

At 6 o'clock he returns to Marlborough House to prepare the King's dinner. He is frankly proud of his position. He is a Frenchman, and he might hesitate to trust the word "reform" under the eyes of a king when he was dining, but Mr. Menager and his master understand each other.

His is a far harder task than was his pensioned predecessors in Queen Victoria's days. For weeks at a time the Queen's meals in the last reign would all be served on a single silver tray in a corner of one of her private apartments with only one of her ladies waiting on her.

But now King Edward, when he is at Windsor, orders the banqueting table to be set every night. The King's table seats about thirty, and for that company Mr. Menager must be prepared. Everything is carved in the kitchen and built up again in the dining room. The King's table is a long one, and the food shall all be served like entrees, the separate portions ready cut for each diner. Only at Christmas dinner, when the hutton of beef and the boer's head are on the list, is any carving done on the great sideboard.

Before the King touches a dish, a senior member of his household tastes it and puts it before him. No waiter touches the plate after this tasting performance.

But these things are outside Mr. Menager's province. By that time he is mixing in the outer world among his friends. He knows nothing about politics, but he is always very ready to know a good thing about horses. It is his great relaxation to sport and his master sometimes lets him know a good thing. Then he puts his money on with a will.

Tradesmen holding the royal warrant furnish all the meat and household supplies. They are understood to complain that though the volume of business is much bigger in the new reign the royal purse-strings are more tightly held.

"There are too many lackeys here waiting on each other," are the words reported to have passed Lord Paget's lips when he first overhauled the royal establishment on his appointment as master of the household.

Many such such words could not have been spoken, but the weight of the evidence all went to show that they had been actually uttered—uttered by a person who was sound and sane, and connected with banks and common business companies. Some of the servants suffered in mute grief; others heard in such words of noble levity the first crumbling of the foundation of the throne itself.

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much soap and soda was used every month, and the master of the tub got thrown down badly. It is believed that he is still allowed to supervise the dish-washing although his mastery of the tub is no longer officially recognized.

THE KING'S WINE TASTER.

The King's wine taster Mr. Payne, is scarcely so close to the throne as Mr. Menager, the cook. Mr. Menager rose to his present height through sheer genius, while Mr. Payne belongs to the hereditary branch of the aristocracy, for he succeeded his father.

Physically he is a great man, and he treats his office with becoming gravity. Twice a week it will be often when coronation time comes—he walks into St. James' Palace, produces his bunch of keys, and descends through a trapdoor into the cellar accompanied by a servant holding a lantern.

The cellar is a subterranean passage extending to Buckingham Palace, passing under the Mall, the traffic of London going unheard above. Locked side doors show where particular bins lie, and the thousands of bottles stacked along the walls are scarcely distinguishable from the old gray sides of the passage. What is now a long, narrow wine cellar, stretching from palace to palace had romantic and other uses in the days of the Stuarts, and even, they say, much later.

Mr. Payne has the list of wine he is to take out. Each kind he tastes. Like the professional at his craft he does not swallow. He will tell you that the man who swallows cannot taste. He just takes a little in his mouth and puts it out.

So many dozen are taken up in a crate and handed over to Sir Nigel Kingscote paymaster of the household, who issues the wine to the King's table when it is used. Then Mr. Payne returns to his cellar for more.

There are no rivalries between Mr. Payne and Mr. Menager, although the wine cellar is often rather notable victory over the kitchen. The King never takes coffee for breakfast—always champagne, a small bottle—New York Sun.

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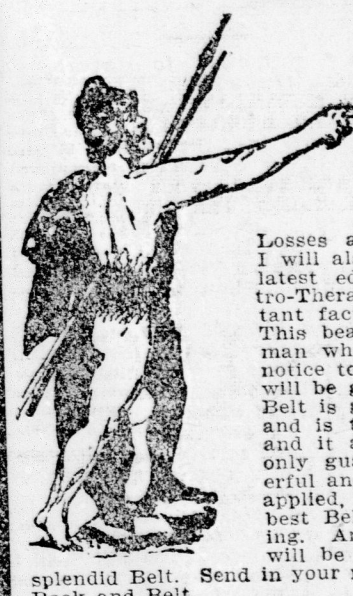
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Wheat, red, per bu. 75c to 75c
Wheat, spring, per bu. 75c to 75c
Oats, per bu. 45c to 45c
Peas, per bu. 65c to 65c
Corn, per bu. 65c to 65c
Barley, per bu. 65c to 65c
Buckwheat, per bu. 55c to 55c

WEEKLY REVIEW.
The deliveries during the past week have been very light. Prices remain firm, with an upward tendency. Oats formed the bulk of grain receipts and sell freely at \$1.21 to \$1.25 per cental. The receipts are also very poor. Prices paid are \$1.25 for all kinds. Corn—A few small lots offering, which sell at \$1.12 for feeding grade; good corn higher. A few loads of barley offered and sold at \$1.15 for feeding and \$1.25 for seed per cental. Feeding peas sold at \$1.10 to \$1.20 per cental; seed peas, \$1.25 to \$1.30 per bu. Hay—\$5.50 to \$6.00 per ton. Quotations:

GRAIN.
Wheat, white, per 100 lbs. 1.25 @ 1.25
Wheat, red, per 100 lbs. 1.25 @ 1.25
Wheat, spring, per 100 lbs. 1.25 @ 1.25
Oats, per 100 lbs. 1.10 @ 1.10
Peas, per 100 lbs. 1.15 @ 1.15
Corn, per 100 lbs. 1.10 @ 1.10
Barley, per 100 lbs. 1.10 @ 1.10
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Turkeys, per lb. 12c @ 12c
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Calveskins, No. 2, per lb. 5c @ 5c

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Wool, unwashed, per lb. 12c @ 12c
Wool, washed, per lb. 12c @ 12c
Tallow, red, per lb. 12c @ 12c
Tallow, rough, per lb. 12c @ 12c
Hides, No. 1, per lb. 5c @ 5c
Hides, No. 2, per lb. 4c @ 4c
Hides, No. 3, per lb. 3c @ 3c
Sheepskins, each. 6.00 @ 6.00
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BUFFALO, April 1.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 82c; No. 2, 80c; No. 3, 78c; No. 4, 76c; No. 5, 74c; No. 6, 72c; No. 7, 70c; No. 8, 68c; No. 9, 66c; No. 10, 64c; No. 11, 62c; No. 12, 60c; No. 13, 58c; No. 14, 56c; No. 15, 54c; No. 16, 52c; No. 17, 50c; No. 18, 48c; No. 19, 46c; No. 20, 44c; No. 21, 42c; No. 22, 40c; No. 23, 38c; No. 24, 36c; No. 25, 34c; No. 26, 32c; No. 27, 30c; No. 28, 28c; No. 29, 26c; No. 30, 24c; No. 31, 22c; No. 32, 20c; No. 33, 18c; No. 34, 16c; No. 35, 14c; No. 36, 12c; No. 37, 10c; No. 38, 8c; No. 39, 6c; No. 40, 4c; No. 41, 2c; No. 42, 1c; No. 43, 1/2c; No. 44, 1/4c; No. 45, 1/8c; No. 46, 1/16c; No. 47, 1/32c; No. 48, 1/64c; No. 49, 1/128c; No. 50, 1/256c; No. 51, 1/512c; No. 52, 1/1024c; No. 53, 1/2048c; No. 54, 1/4096c; No. 55, 1/8192c; No. 56, 1/16384c; No. 57, 1/32768c; No. 58, 1/65536c; No. 59, 1/131072c; No. 60, 1/262144c; No. 61, 1/524288c; No. 62, 1/1048576c; No. 63, 1/2097152c; No. 64, 1/4194304c; No. 65, 1/8388608c; No. 66, 1/16777216c; No. 67, 1/33554432c; 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METEOROLOGICAL

Toronto, April 1—3 p.m.—The weather
continues cool and cloudy, with ac-
celerated showers of sleet, from the great
lakes to the Maritime Provinces, and
there is no indication of any imme-
diate change. Milder weather is, how-
ever, probable in the Northwest Terri-
tories.
Minimum and maximum tempera-
tures: Calgary, 14-16; Edmonton, 22-46;
Prince Albert, 10-34; Qu'Appelle, 6-39;
Winnipeg, 12-28; Port Arthur, 26-36;
Toronto, 34-43; Parry Sound, 30-42; Ot-
tawa, 22-42; Montreal, 32-33; Quebec,
30-36; Halifax, 36-48.
Local temperatures, Tuesday: High-
est 35, lowest 30.
Today (Wednesday) the sun rose at
5:58 a.m. and sets at 6:44 p.m. The moon
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A LOCAL BUDGET.

—Ottawa Journal: Mrs. Jack Car-
ling, of London, Ont., arrived in town
on Friday, and is the guest of her sis-
ter, Mrs. Joseph Pope.

—The shoe stock of Gane & Co., of
Georgetown, valued at \$1,400, was sold
yesterday by J. W. Jones to A. J.
Smith, of this city, at 58 cents on the dollar.

—Col. Leys is a jolly, whole-souled,
big-hearted, open-nested, capable man,
whose friends are legion. May he see
many more birthdays.—Windsor Re-
cord.

—Dr. R. Ferguson, of this city, has
returned from Pinkerton, where he was
exchanging practices with his son, Dr.
J. T. Ferguson, of that place, for the
Easter holidays.

—Mr. J. E. Laughlin, the Windsor
agent of the Grand Trunk Railway, has
succeeded in securing a fast freight
service between Windsor and Toronto,
Hamilton and London.

—Ex-Mayor John Davis, of Windsor,
brother of Mr. T. G. Davis, of this city,
underwent an operation in a Bal-
timore, Md., hospital, has returned to
his home in good health.

—Dr. Francis W. E. Wilson, of Niaga-
ra Falls, and brother of Mrs. (Prof.)
Harrison, of South London, was mar-
ried Monday to Miss Mary Victoria
Beatrice Ferguson, of Niagara Falls
South.

—Mr. Ernest Phoenix, of East Lon-
don, leaves tomorrow for the North-
west, and was recently presented with
a handsome gold pocket by the Sunday
school of the Hamilton Road Methodist
Church, of which he was secretary for
many years.

—Mr. Nicholas Wilson, formerly of
the Grand Trunk freight office in this
city, and lately in the Detroit office,
has resigned from the Grand Trunk to
accept the responsible position of chief
clerk with the Merchant Dispatch
Transportation Company's office in that
city.

—The Young Women's Christian As-
sociation will have a special lesson

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pleted, the London Rowing and Canoe
Club (Limited) will shortly enlarge and
improve their present quarters at the
Forks. The suggestion comes from the
London Rowing Club, whose honorary
secretary, Mr. James S. McDougall, on
behalf of his association, proffered the
shareholders \$300 with which to assist
in defraying the expense. The propo-
sition was favorably considered at the
annual meeting held yesterday after-
noon, and was referred to the directors,
who appointed a committee to have
plans drawn for the addition desired.
The following were elected to office:
Mr. H. S. Blackburn, president; Col.
Macbeth, first vice-president; J. H.
Brown, second vice-president; Edmund
Weld, honorary secretary-treasurer;
Col. Macbeth, M. J. Kent, Edmund
Weld, C. M. R. Graham, James Mat-
tinson, J. D. Tytler, J. H. Brown and
A. Paritt, directors.

“LOVERS' LANE” CHILDREN.

To a casual observer the stage door
of the New Grand Opera House yester-
day morning would have resembled the
entrance to a New York theatrical ex-
change, the occasion being the first
“call” of the thirty or more embryo
actors and actresses who will take
part in the school scene of “Lovers'
Lane” tomorrow afternoon and evening
at the New Grand. They were a most
enthusiastic lot of artists, and are now
hard at work committing the lines and
songs which they are to use in the
scene. The matinee tomorrow after-
noon at such unusual prices for a
strictly high-class attraction should be
a capacity one.

LODGE MEMBERS ENTERTAIN.

Members of Chorazin and May Queen
Lodges of the Independent Order of
Foresters were “At Home” to their
friends in the East End hall, which
was prettily decorated for the occa-
sion. A pleasant social evening was
passed, and a programme of the fol-
lowing numbers, introduced by Mr. T.
W. McFarland, who presided: Solo,
Misses Scott and May Barrett and Mr.
Gregory; recitations, Miss Barrett and
Mr. Black; duet, Master and Mrs. Wagn-
er, and Mrs. Brown and Mr. Gregory;
quartets, Messrs. Lewis, Parker, Wil-
son and Messrs. J. H. Brown, J. H. Brown,
Simmie, cakewalk, Miss Barrett. The
committee was composed of Messdames
Harding, Woods, Showler, Johnston,
Piper, Fitzgerald, Misses McFarland, Welford,
Simmie, E. Rose, H. Lewis, J. Vining
and Mallowh.

**Tired Feelings, Weariness, Lack
of Energy, Despondency and
Moroseness in Spring, Are
Signs of Ill Health.**

**PAINE'S CELERY
COMPOUND**

**Rejuvenates the Fagged-Out Sys-
tem and Restores Per-
fect Health.**

To thousands of people out-of-sorts,
weary, despondent, morose, irritable,
with weak, failing step, pale faces
and dull and sunken eyes, not sick
enough to be confined to bed, this is a
critical and dangerous season—a time
that urgently calls for prompt action,
if recuperation and cure are the prime
objects.

The past experience of hundreds of
thousands, including able medical men,
clergymen, judges, lawyers, literary
men and women, the rich, and those
in high social position, points un-
hesitatingly to Paine's Celery Compound
the great medical prescription
of modern times, that gives to the al-
ing sick and diseased the true condition
of health that insures happiness and
true pleasure from day to day.

The virtues peculiar to Paine's
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their power in the correction of un-
healthy nerve action, and supplying
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and thus insuring a pure and healthy
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If you have any of the varied sym-
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PRESENT QUARTERS**

**Money Advanced to Build Addition to Boat
and Canoe House.**

If present plans are successfully com-
pleted, the London Rowing and Canoe
Club (Limited) will shortly enlarge and
improve their present quarters at the
Forks. The suggestion comes from the
London Rowing Club, whose honorary
secretary, Mr. James S. McDougall, on
behalf of his association, proffered the
shareholders \$300 with which to assist
in defraying the expense. The propo-
sition was favorably considered at the
annual meeting held yesterday after-
noon, and was referred to the directors,
who appointed a committee to have
plans drawn for the addition desired.
The following were elected to office:
Mr. H. S. Blackburn, president; Col.
Macbeth, first vice-president; J. H.
Brown, second vice-president; Edmund
Weld, honorary secretary-treasurer;
Col. Macbeth, M. J. Kent, Edmund
Weld, C. M. R. Graham, James Mat-
tinson, J. D. Tytler, J. H. Brown and
A. Paritt, directors.

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Walter Scott, James Hogg, Robert
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Joanna Bailey, Lady Ann Lindsay, and
another. But as a sermon is
twice a sermon when heard by the ear,
instead of being merely read in print,
so the words of a song are as but half
the message. What is wanting is the
rich human voice in conjunction with
that dramatic embodiment of senti-
ment which for the moment ban-
diments time and space from the
mind of listeners, as they are
carried afar in imagination, melted
with the pathos of “Bonnie Loch Lo-
mond,” or the longing romance of “An-
nie Laurie,” or lightened with the
gaiety of “Comin' Thro' the Rye,” or
animated with stern resolve by such
lines as:

Lay the proud usurpers low!
Tyrants fall in every blow!
Liberty's in every blow!
Let us do or die!

We respectfully request you, as the
Queen of Scottish Song, to accept this
little St. Andrew's cross of gold.
Whenever you wear or see it,
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little St. Andrew's Society, of London,
Ontario, will always recall your gracious
presence with us on this occasion.
Signed, on behalf of the society,
J. W. PRINGLE, Pres.;
F. D. MACFILL, Sec.

Miss Macfichlan made a graceful
reply, in which she expressed her ap-
preciation of the honor done to her, an
honor which she ascribed more to the
richness and beauty of Scottish song
than to her own efforts to interpret it.
She said she would carry back to
Scotland kindest memories of Canada
and the Canadians, and especially of
the citizens of London. As a parting
adieu, she urged Scottish fathers
and mothers to teach their children the
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The proceeds of the concert will be
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