

HE FEARED TO EAT

Till "Little Digesters" Cared His Indigestion

Like many another sufferer from indigestion, Mr. E. Thedy looked forward to mealtime with dread instead of pleasure. Writing from his home at 141 Yorkville Ave., Toronto, on June 12th last, he says:

"For two years I suffered with indigestion and obtained no relief from anything I took, including several prescriptions from prominent physicians. Every meal was followed with acute pain until I feared to eat, consequently became run down for lack of nourishment."

"Little Digesters" were recommended to me by a friend and I tried them with remarkable results, two boxes completely curing me. It is three months since I took any and have not suffered a pain no matter how heartily I eat. I would certainly recommend them to anyone suffering with indigestion."

Why allow yourself to be handicapped and your life shortened by indigestion or Dyspepsia, when you can so easily avoid it? "Little Digesters" are guaranteed to cure you or your money will be cheerfully refunded.

25c. at your druggist's or by mail from the Coleman Medicine Co., Toronto.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Representation by Wards.

To the Editor of The Advertiser: As this is the day when so much is being said about civic government, either by board of control or commission, I do not think it would be out of place for me to say that in my opinion the ward system of representation is the only one that will give satisfaction. There are districts in the city that have been without representation ever since the change to the popular vote, and quite likely to be, as long as the present method is continued.

All cities of importance adopt the ward system. Toronto, Hamilton and Ottawa make no change. County councillors are elected from districts. Another feature which is decidedly in favor of election by wards is that people generally like to record their votes for candidates living in their wards. When an elector goes in to record his vote, he looks over a list on a ballot paper, from 25 to 30 names, and they may be all good men, but as he is not fully acquainted with them, he is not in a position to record to the best interests of the city. There is not a single reason to be advanced for a salaried board of control for London. The city is not large enough, and if they were appointed, what would there be for them to do, with all the other boards now existing. A board of control is ward representation.

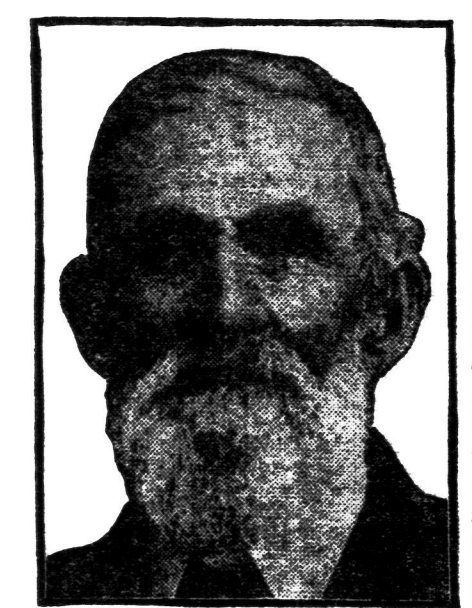
CHARLES G. MOORHEAD.
London, March 17, 1910.

About Early Closing.

To the Editor of The Advertiser: With reference to early closing, I, for one, think that all stores in the east end should close every evening, excepting Saturday, at 7 o'clock, and I intend doing so whether the other merchants do or do not. From 7 o'clock in the morning till 7 in the evening should be time enough for people to do their shopping. The laboring man will not work later than 6 o'clock. Then, why should the businessman be compelled to work until 8:30 p.m.?

There are some merchants who do not close on public holidays or Wednesday half-holidays, so it would hardly be expected that these would close at 7 every evening. Yours respectfully,
THOS. J. FLANNAGAN,
557 Hamilton Road.

BRONCHITIS AT 78



Mr. J. M. Ellett Says Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey Has Prolonged His Life Five Years. It Relieved and Strengthened Him When Nothing Else Did Him Any Good.

"I have been taking Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey for six or seven years for Bronchitis, which I have had for about twelve years. Before this I tried doctors and everything else, but nothing did me any good. Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey was recommended to me, as it would benefit me and would build up my whole body and system. I commenced taking it and found that it did me more good than all the medicines I had taken in the past."

"I think Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey the best thing that a man can take to build himself up and prolong his life, as I am in my 78th year, and had I not taken Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey six or seven years ago I believe I should have been in the ground five years ago. I find it is the most invigorating medicine I can take, and I will let the people of the world to know what it is doing for me."—J. M. Ellett, 608 Twenty-Third Street, Richmond, Va.

Ministers of the gospel, doctors of medicine, nurses and people everywhere unite in commending Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey—the only perfect tonic stimulant, the one true medicinal whiskey.

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey

Is an absolutely pure, gentle and invigorating stimulant and tonic. It overcomes all weakening, wasting and run-down conditions of the body, brain and muscle, giving the system power to throw off and resist coughs, colds, grippe, catarrh, bronchitis, asthma and lung troubles, and is a wonderful remedy in the prevention and cure of consumption, pneumonia, malaria and low fevers, if taken as directed. It is prescribed by doctors and recognized as a family medicine everywhere.

If in need of advice write Medical Department, The Duffy Malt Whiskey Company, Rochester, New York, stating your case fully. The doctor will send you advice free, together with a valuable illustrated medical booklet, containing rare common sense rules for health, which you cannot afford to be without, and some of the many thousands of gratifying letters received from men and women in all walks of life, both old and young, who have been cured and benefited by the use of this great medicine, and who continue to enjoy good health. Sold by druggists, grocers and dealers, or direct, \$1.25 a large bottle.

For Sale by Scandrett Bros., E. B. Smith, Hockin Bros, Tecumseh House and City Hotel.



GREENHOUSE WILL DECIDE WHO WILL GET JOB

City Will Name a Parks Commissioner Today—Meeting Held Last Night

The selection for a parks commissioner has narrowed down to two men, and the choice between them will be made today, when the board of works will inspect the greenhouses of one of the aspirants to see whether or not the house is of any value to the city. The aspirants who stand a chance are W. A. Pring, 625 Princess Avenue, and Nelson E. Bilyea, 25 Emery Street. The salary asked was the same in each instance, \$800.

There were 20 applications for the place considered by No. 2 committee last night. When the matter was brought up, Ald. Morgan suggested W. A. Pring, J. A. Taylor and N. E. Bilyea in succession. Ald. Pocock suggested Mr. E. Whiting, and Ald. Tancock named A. R. Murdoch.

On a vote, Messrs. Taylor, Whiting and Murdoch were eliminated from the contest, and the applications of Messrs. Pring and Bilyea were alone considered.

Use of Greenhouse.

The majority were in favor of Mr. Bilyea, but Mayor Beattie pointed out that Mr. Pring possessed a fine greenhouse, which he was willing to devote to the exclusive use of the city, provided the fuel bill and ordinary repairs were paid. This, he thought, would amount to about \$100 per annum.

"It would be well to look into this offer," said his worship. "We have been in need of a hothouse for years, and we may be able to get along for some time in this manner. Mr. Pring is thoroughly qualified for the position, in any event."

The committee will visit Mr. Pring's place today, and on the result of their visit will depend the recommendation to the council.

Good Roads.

Assistant Engineer Wright read a long report of his visit to the Good Roads Association convention recently held in Toronto. It was filed for reference.

City Engineer Graydon reported that he had prepared plans of the river and had sent them to manufacturers of sand-suckers and dredging apparatus, as required by the committee.

All other matters were laid over. The usual accounts were passed.

Those present were: Ald. Tancock, chairman; Ald. Pocock, Ald. Morgan, Mayor Beattie, City Engineer Graydon and Secretary Wright.

ST. THOMAS MAY GET AN AUTO PLANT

Big Concern Anxious To Settle in the Railway City.

St. Thomas, March 17.—A large auto company is seeking to establish a branch in St. Thomas.

It was decided to act promptly on the proposition, and representatives of the council and the board of trade met at 7 o'clock, and discussed the preliminaries of a possible acceptance by the city of the offer of the company.

A hydro-electric power is also a prime factor in the choice made by the company of its Canadian location. The automobile people will ask the corporation to subscribe for a small block of its stock.

A thorough investigation will be made of the company's industrial conditions, and if the securities offered be such as the committee can recommend to the people, the ratemakers will be asked to pass upon the investment. Mayor Guest, Ald. Chant, W. H. King, W. E. Fisher and City Solicitor Doherty will meet the representatives of the company at an early date, and will later report back to the committee.

EASTER CARDS

Are now on display, and we never offered such a dainty assortment. The early buyer always gets the pick—be wise.

THE MALLAGH BOOKSHOP

'Phone 366. Next Boomer's.

STORM SEWERS WILL BE AGAIN SHELVED

It Is Not Probable City Council This Year Will Do Anything in Matter.

The report of Engineer Willis Chipman on the sewer system of the city was laid over by the board of works at the meeting last night until the estimates are struck.

The whole question of storm sewers will then be brought forcibly to the attention of the council, and something will be done to relieve the situation.

Judging from the opinions expressed at the meeting there is little hope that anything will be done this year. "I doubt that we have the right, in face of the vote of January last," said Mayor Beattie, "to expend money on a partial system of storm sewers when a proper scheme for the whole of the city was defeated. I should say that the citizens must again vote on that matter. I do not think we can take anything out of the general rate for this work. There is no doubt that something should be done."

Campaign of Education.

"Why not initiate a campaign of education," said Ald. Morgan. "The trouble is that the citizens have not been made well enough aware of the situation. If this thing is right, and I have no reason to doubt it, we should educate the people."

"We will not get this money in the estimates," said Ald. Tancock.

"You had better leave the consideration of this report until you see what the finance committee will give you," said City Engineer Graydon. "I doubt that they will give us anything."

This suggestion was agreed to.

TAFT AT CHICAGO

Emma Goldman Also There For the 17th, But She Was Closely Watched.

Chicago, March 18.—Emma Goldman, anarchist leader, who has been in Chicago for several days, viewed the Taft St. Patrick's Day parade from a window in the Lexington Hotel. Four secret police men stood at her elbow. She laughed at the precautions taken.

"I won't bite," she said. Emma did not particularly relish the presence of the secret service men. She affected an austere manner and appeared to wish to ignore the presence of the guard.

"One would really suppose I was fitted out with a set of fangs," she snapped.

"Fangs, no," said one of her watchers. "But then, you know, some of our disciples may bite. They have been known to bite, and biting is putting it mildly."

But they did not, and Emma only laughed.

The President was to have stood on a piece of the "old sod" tonight when he addressed the Irish Fellowship Club. Fifty square feet had been imported for the occasion, but souvenir hunters had it all but about one square foot long before banquet time. Mr. Taft, however, did have one real Irish article. He was presented with a genuine blackthorn stick by A. J. Conroy, of the friendly sons of St. Patrick.

His speech was mostly about St. Patrick and Ireland. He gave the history of the saint's life and how he rose to be Bishop of Ireland.

FIVE DEAD BODIES FOUND PILED IN HEAP

Had Been Dead For Several Days—Terrible Murder Mystery at Houston.

Houston, Texas, March 18.—The local police were called upon today to solve one of the most puzzling murder mysteries in the history of Houston, following the discovery late yesterday of five dead bodies piled in a heap in the home of Gus Schultze, in Houston Heights. The bodies were those of two men, a woman, and two babies. It is believed all were killed with an axe. The walls of the room were splattered with blood, and the skull of one victim was crushed. The victims had apparently been dead for several days. The bodies were found only after neighbors had become suspicious, because no one had been seen to enter or leave the house for some time. When the sheriff broke into the house the bodies of Schultze, his young wife, and their two children were removed, and the body of an unidentified man was found at the bottom of the heap. The body of Mrs. Schultze was nude.

The fact that Schultze was evidently the victim of a blow on the head leads the police to believe that all were killed by an outsider, who, after the deed was committed, locked all the doors to the house and escaped.

LOCKED IN DEATH FIGHT

Republican Insurgents and Democrats Battling To Down Speaker Cannon.

Washington, D. C., March 17.—Encouraged by their repeated victories over the Speaker and the Republicans of the House of Representatives, the insurgents today started an aggressive movement for a change in the rules of the House, for the purpose of eliminating Speaker Cannon from the committee on rules and curtailing his power in legislative matters.

The struggle continued throughout the evening, with every indication of developing an all-night session.

At 11:10 o'clock the House, by a vote of 142 to 139, turned down a motion to adjourn until tomorrow. The vote was followed by cries of a "Rule," from the Democrats to Mr. Cannon, but the latter, smilingly throwing a kiss toward the Democrat side of the chamber, recognized Representative Johnson, Republican of Ohio, and the fight was on again.

As a weaver, nature is an exceedingly neat worker. Certain tree barks and leaves furnish excellent cloth, such as, for instance, the famous tapa cloth used in the South Sea Islands.

SMALLMAN & INGRAM, LIMITED.

WEATHER PROBS: FAIR AND COLD.

SMALLMAN & INGRAM, LIMITED



Bright Attire for Glad Easter.

GLAD EASTER, demanding new costumes from head to foot, will soon be here. Are you ready for it? We know we need not remind you that OUR'S IS THE "EASTER STORE", and that you may know the style is right when you come to us. We cannot tell you on paper about all the things we have for you, but would remind you that this store now carries almost everything that men, women and children wear, including Men's and Boys' Clothing, and almost everything that goes to furnish the home, including Furniture, Wall Paper and Carpets. Qualities are dependable and our prices the lowest always, quality considered. WE RESPECTFULLY INVITE YOU TO COME AND SEE OUR EASTER DISPLAY.

Are You Looking for This Announcement?



In order to bring our mail order department into still greater prominence and induce the outside public to shop here by mail, with all the satisfaction that can be given by a store that stands above the ordinary in its qualities, its value-giving, its liberality, and most of all, its ability to serve as few stores can, we inaugurate a mail order campaign, beginning Monday, March 21, and ending Saturday, April 2.

Every other day one or more items will be advertised for mail order customers at very special prices, much under regular value, but sold only by mail. That you may place your entire confidence in our assertions, if for any reason goods sent are not

up to your expectations, your money will be promptly refunded, we paying express or postal charges both ways. These special items will not be sold over our counters during these mail order sales. Customers in or out of the city must order by mail. On all purchases of \$5.00 or over we pay postage; if parcel exceeds the postal limit in size or weight we prepay express to any point within 200 miles of London.

SHOP HERE BY MAIL

A convenience for and an advantage to you. See Saturday's advertisement.

TELL YOUR FRIENDS about this event, acquaint yourselves with our liberal methods of business. If your order does not amount to \$5.00, join with a friend or neighbor. Instead of waiting for samples, we would advise ordering direct for these special lines, as the values offered will be so unusual that they are not likely to last longer than the day following the ad. Address all orders to

MAIL ORDER DEPARTMENT,
SMALLMAN & INGRAM, LTD.,
London, Ont.

See Saturday's paper for first mail order specials.

Boys' Knickers 25c

250 pairs Blue Serge Knickers, S. & I. Special, lined throughout with bleached cotton, in sizes for ages 4 to 11. Special, pair 25c

Boys' Heavy Tweed Knickers, double seat and knees, all sizes. Pair 79c

Children's Head Wear

Don't forget we carry in our Men's Furnishing Section a full assortment of the newest things in children's Felts, Tams, Turbans, Etons and Felt Sailors. Prices 25c up to \$1.25

Penman's Underwear 95c

Sovereign and No. 95 Brands Men's Natural Wool Underwear, in medium weight for spring; sizes 34 to 44; a full range in shirts and drawers. Special, per garment 95c

CLOTHING SECTION—RICHMOND STREET.

MILLINERY OPENING THIS WEEK.

SMALLMAN & INGRAM LIMITED

SEE OUR WINDOW DISPLAYS THIS WEEK.

Women's Fresh Easter Suits \$25.00

Fine materials, best work, correct styles, perfect fit. Our Ready-to-Wear Garments stand for all this, and our range is so immense that it is hard to know which styles to mention, but the only reason for picking on this little group is the fact that \$25.00 to \$29.00 are favorite prices, and your friends are sure to ask where you get such good suits for the money. A pretty style is shown in navy, brown and electric shadow stripe worsted, single-breasted coat, 32 inches long, semi-fitted, shawl collar of embroidered linen, 13-gore skirt, with alternate gores pleated to hip. A smart, well-tailored suit for \$25.00

Stylish Serge Suits \$28.50

In terra cotta and myrtle; semi-fitted coat, 32 inches long, silk lined, shawl collar of moire silk, trimmings of braid and buttons; skirt in new pleated style. Price, \$28.50
Navy and taupe, self-colored stripe Venetian; Russian style coat, silk lined, patent leather belt, trimmings of fancy buttons; skirt tunic style, pleated. Price, \$27.00
Serge suit in reseda; coat 32 inches long, semi-fitted, corded silk lapels, seams strapped, finished with braid and buttons; skirt new pleated style. Price, \$29.00
SECOND FLOOR.

Clothing of Quality for Men

Tomorrow You Can Buy High-Grade Suits for \$15.00



And you will see the best value you ever saw in your life under \$20. These suits are built for the man who knows, the man who has always worn good clothes and can spot them the minute he lays his eyes on them. An opportunity such as this is seldom offered.

They Are High-Grade English Worsteds Suits

Particularly well tailored and carefully cut in the most correct models, all sizes for regulars and stouts, the newest shades and choicest worsteds from which to select, mostly mid gray in herringbone stripes; real \$20.00 values; sizes 36 to 42. Saturday special \$15.00

Men's New Spring Overcoats

A very choice range of styles from which to make your selection, in black and gray vicunas, plain or silk-faced, light and dark gray Scotch and English tweeds and fine diagonal worsteds; lengths to suit your height; sizes 34 to 44. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Prices \$10, \$12, \$15 and \$20

DEVOWE CAUGHT. New York, March 18.—After a struggle in a street car on Ninth avenue, Alexander Devowe, murderer and escaped convict, was captured by a detective.

He is dead now, but I wish he would come to life so I could kill him again," he added vindictively.

GOLDEN WEDDING. Mr. and Mrs. B. Sheppard, of Parkhill, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on March 10. They were surrounded by their children and grandchildren and friends, and a most enjoyable time was spent. A purse of gold was given Mr. and Mrs. Sheppard,

besides other beautiful gifts, after which an address was read, which was signed by the children, grandchildren and friends.

For raw cotton from the United States Canada paid \$5,000,000 year.

Condensed Advertisements.

No Advertisement Accepted Less Than Fifteen Words.
 Advertisements for line each insertion, or two cents per word if set solid.
 Meetings.—When no admission is charged, one cent per word each insertion.
 Articles for Sale, To Let, Help Wanted, Situations, Wanted, Board, Lodging, Lost and Found, Rooms to Let, and all similar condensed advertisements.—First insertion, one cent a word; each subsequent insertion, one-half cent per word. No advertisement less than fifteen words.

Births, Marriages, Deaths.

BIRTHS.
 GREENSLADE.—On March 15, 1910, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Greenslade, 137 Central avenue, London, a son (stillborn).

DEATHS.
 KINGSMILL.—At the family residence, 1800 street, on Wednesday morning, March 16, 1910, Ann, beloved wife of Thomas Fraser Kingsmill, Funeral private. Please omit flowers.

KNOWLES.—At Kamloops, B. C., on March 16, 1910, Elizabeth Knowles, formerly of this city.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES

GRAND TONIGHT.
MAHER A Fool for Stock
 Company. PRICES 10c, 20c, 30c
 Amateur Contest Tonight.
 Three evenings, precisely at 8 o'clock
 MARCH 21, 22, 23
 Matinee Wed. at 2, at 2 p. m.
 Klav & Erlanger's New and Greater

THE AUDITORIUM
 SATURDAY, MARCH 19, AT 8:15 P.M.
Popular Concert
 (Assisted by London Sanatorium). Voluntary services by Miss Edith McBride, soprano; Mr. W. A. Heutheuer, accompanist; Mr. John Patterson, (London) Harry Landers, and W. C. A. Minstrels, in conjunction with the Victor Amphitheatre and Shakespearean Society. Reserved seats at Mallagh's Bookshop 15c; general admission 10c.

Anniversary Concert
 Court Middlesex, No. 118, C. O. F. AUDITORIUM, FRIDAY EVENING, March 18.
 Admission—25c, 30c, 50c. Reserved seats at Mallagh's Bookstore. 25c-12c-15c.

POLMATIER SISTERS
 In Musical Concert.
 Admission—25c, 30c, 50c. Reserved seats at Mallagh's Bookshop 15c; general admission 10c.

PICTURES OF WILDEST AFRICA
 Moving pictures of the Zambesi River, etc., by Dr. Peter McQueen, recently returned from his expedition to the Zambesi River, in company with the Victoria Nile Expedition and Shadworth, etc. Reserved seats at Mallagh's Bookshop 15c; general admission 10c.

DANCING—SPECIAL EASTER TERM
 for beginners, week April 4. Ladies Tuesday, gentlemen Thursday evening. Private lessons any hour. Easy terms. Phone Dayton & McCormick.

JUBILEE ROLLER RINK—LADIES
 free tonight; four instructors in uniform. Skating every afternoon and Saturday afternoon and evening.

\$171.40 \$171.40
VACATION TOUR
 All expenses. Personally conducted. Visiting France, England and Scotland. The above rate is from London, Ontario. For particulars of above tour and tickets apply.

F. B. CLARKE
 Steamship Transportation Agency,
 416 Richmond St. next Bank of Commerce.

MRS. ALICE HENDERSON, TEACHER
 of Scotch and Gaelic, 871 Adelaide street. Concert talent furnished.

TONY CORTESE, ORIGINAL LONDON
 Harpers. Music furnished for all occasions. 161 Maple, Phone 1570.

MUSIC FURNISHED FOR PARTIES.
 balls, banquets, Phone 1255. Tony Vita's Italian Harpers, 122 Queen's avenue.

LEARN TO DANCE—R. B. MILLARD,
 36 Princess avenue. Lessons given to waltz and two-step. Rapid teaching. Low rates. Lessons any hour. 21st.

LOST AND FOUND.
 LOST, TUESDAY, BETWEEN PICCADILLY, Richmond, Cynthia or Askin—Gold chain and cross. Reward, this office.

BUSINESS CHANCES.
 FOR SALE—GROCERY AND CONFECTIONERY business, cheap; in good locality. Box 112, this office.

WANTED.
 WANTED TO RENT, IN NORTHERN part of city—a good barn, suitable for four or five acres. Address Box 117, Advertiser office.

WANTED—PURCHASER FOR A \$1,200
 stock of goods in country store. Bidding business; rent low. Apply to T. B. Escott & Co.

WANTED—MANURE IN ANY QUANTITIES.
 best price paid. Phone 1356, or apply Box 113, Advertiser.

ONTARIO LAND GRANTS, LOCATED
 and unlocated, purchased for cash. D. M. Robertson, Canada Life building, Toronto.

WANTED—ALL KINDS OF RAGS,
 iron, rubbers, etc. London Rag and Metal Company, 123 Simcoe street. Phone 1247.

WANTED—A RELIABLE PONY CART
 and harness. Address J. H. Trehan, Chatham.

W. LEFF & CO., 55 BATHURST, BUY
 iron, rubbers, metals, bottles, paper. Phone 2732.

MEETINGS

KILWINNING LODGE, NO. 64, A. F.
 and M. Masonic Temple, this (Friday) evening, 7:30. Visitors welcome.
 G. G. Steele, W. M.; R. W. Glover, secretary.

MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—TWO BOYS
 to learn the drygoods business. Apply T. E. Mara Company.

WANTED—BARBER—MUST BE
 first-class. Highest wages. John Campbell, 241 Dundas street.

WANTED—STOUT BOY, ABOUT 18
 Apply R. R. Bland, 247 Dundas.

WANTED—BAKER, AS SECOND HAND
 on cakes and pastry. Fawkes & Sons, 669 Dundas street.

WANTED—LEDGERKEEPER, EXPERIENCED,
 accurate; good writer. M. Massey & Co.

WANTED—ORGANIST AND CHOIR-MASTER,
 King Street Presbyterian Church. Application, stating salary, experience and references, must be sent not later than March 20 to George Duncan, secretary, 128 Inkerman.

YOUTH FOR BLOCKING ROOM IN
 cap factory. Forsythe, Fraser & Wells, 38 Carling street.

BOYS ABOUT 15 OR 16 YEARS OLD
 can make good wages on piecework. Apply McCormick Manufacturing Company, Limited.

WANTED—BOY, 15 OR 16 YEARS OLD,
 for office, having some knowledge of shorthand and typewriting. Apply Box 107, Advertiser.

GOOD JOB PRINTER WANTED AT
 Department. Apply Tip-Tip-Tip Company, Green-Side Building.

FEMALE HELP WANTED
WANTED—A GOOD GENERAL MAID—
 Apply 402 Oxford street.

WANTED—GENERAL MAID—SMALL
 family. 24 Central avenue.

GOOD REPAIRER ON LADIES' AND
 gentlemen's goods. Apply American Dry Cleaning and Dye Works.

EXPERIENCED HAND FINISHER ON
 uniform caps wanted. Apply Tip-Tip-Tip Company, Green-Side Building.

WANTED—A GOOD SEAMSTRESS—AT
 239 Queen's avenue.

ALTERATION HANDS, WITH KNOWLEDGE
 of dressmaking, for ladies' ready-to-wear department. Shalagh & Ingram.

WANTED—GIRL FOR CARPET-SEWING
 room, at once. Apply Smallman & Ingram.

TWO DINING-ROOM GIRLS WANTED.
 Apply Alexandra Cafe.

ASSISTANT BOOKKEEPER BY
 wholesale firm; knowledge of double entry; speed and accuracy at figures; ready to take qualifications and experience, if any, also if employed at present, and wages wanted. Box 118, Advertiser.

WANTED AT ONCE—GOOD GENERAL
 maid for farm, city limits. Apply Mrs. Alex. McArthur, Wharncliffe road. Telephone 238.

WANTED—A CAPABLE GENERAL
 servant; references required. Mrs. J. J. Ridd, 238 Princess avenue.

WANTED—GENERAL MAID; FAMILY
 of four. Apply Mrs. Jeffery, 518 Ridout.

FEW EXPERIENCED BISCUIT PACKERS
 and girls to learn packing. Apply McCormick Manufacturing Company, Limited.

WANTED—MAID FOR GENERAL
 housework. Mrs. John Purdon, 423 King street.

LADY CLERK WANTED—CAPABLE OF
 reading and writing French. Apply Alfred Taylor, 255 Clarence street.

EXPERIENCED GENERAL MAID
 wanted; small family; no laundry work. Apply Mrs. W. C. Allen, 88 Ridout street south.

HELP WANTED.
HAND SEWERS ON TROUSERS, APPLY
 H. M. P. Peterson & Co., 234 Dundas street.

HOUSES, ROOMS TO LET.
TO LET—575 WILLIAM STREET,
 seven-room house, with large garden. Apply 402 Oxford street.

TO LET—\$25 per month, House and
 half an acre of ground, 9 rooms, stable and shed, electric and gas, bath, furnace. Inside city on Wellington car line. Possession April 1.

TO LET—\$18 per month, New 7-
 roomed house, in north end, furnace and bath. Possession at once; near cars.

W. E. WISMER, Real Estate and
 Financial Agent. Phone 1088, 413 Park Avenue, London Loan Block.

SEVEN-ROOMED HOUSE TO LET, APPLY
 171 York Street.

EASTERN INVESTMENT COMPANY,
 121 Queen's Avenue, East. We shall be pleased to supply information to all interested in regard to Western lands and investments.

TO LET—ROOMS SUITABLE FOR
 light housekeeping and other conveniences. 192 Central avenue. Apply 190 Central avenue.

TO LET—TWO FRONT ROOMS, WITH
 all conveniences, with or without bath. 213 Queen's avenue.

TO LET—CONVENIENTLY LOCATED
 brick house with 7 bedrooms, 647 Talbot street. Possession April 1. Telephone 2138. Alex. Harvey.

FOR RENT—A WELL-FURNISHED
 room in all-modern house, near the C. P. station. Apply for full particulars to Box 37, this office.

ALEX. HENDERSON'S MOVING VANS
 Largest in city. Good storage. 255 Cheapside. Phone 1724.

STORAGE FOR FURNITURE, PIANOS
 and pictures—Separate rooms, clean and dry. Rates reasonable. John J. Biggs, 97 Carling.

ON MOVING DAY REMEMBER "DAY
 the Mover." H. F. Day, Ideal Moving Van, 567 Wellington. Phone 2887.

FOREST CITY UNION MOVING VANS
 Largest improved vans in city. Furniture and pianos carefully moved. W. A. Broughton (successor to John Biggs), Storage, 97 Carling street. Phone 1262; residence, 144.

HOTEL CARDS.
RATES, ONE DOLLAR AND UPWARD,
 hotel, rubbers, King and Talbot streets.

DUKE OF YORK HOTEL, DUNDAS
 street east—Modern, up-to-date. \$15 and upward. J. M. Young, proprietor.

METROPOLITAN HOTEL—\$1 AND UP-
 ward. Dundas and Wellington. Wm. J. Wright, proprietor.

SITUATIONS WANTED.
SITUATION WANTED ABOUT MAY
 15, by a competent bookkeeper and stenographer; references. Address Box 94, Advertiser.

ARTICLES FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—BABY CARRIAGE, IN
 good condition. Apply 67 Ontario street.

FOR SALE—HOUSEHOLD GOODS, IN-
 CLUDING piano; party going west. Apply 439 Maitland street.

BAY HORSE, RISING EIGHT, WEIGHT
 1,500 pounds; sound; also harness. Apply 190 Dundas street, or phone 534.

FOR SALE—WALNUT PARLOR SUITE
 also baby carriage. Cheap. Apply, 564 Maitland street.

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LONDON, FRIDAY, MARCH 18.

THE CAUSE OF THE TROUBLE.

The thirty-hours' wrangle at Ottawa, ending in an armistice, arose over a private bill to incorporate the St. Lawrence Power Transmission Company, Limited.

The company asks power to build transmission lines along the north shore of the St. Lawrence River from Kingston to Montreal, serving a number of important towns. It seeks no authority to develop power, but it has close relations with an American concern which has been chartered by the state of New York to build a dam in the St. Lawrence River and generate power for sale and distribution.

The bill was referred by the private bills committee to the conservation commission, for a report. The chairman of the commission, Hon. Mr. Sifton, replied that several of the clauses were objectionable, as they apparently contemplated a monopoly on a large scale. He advised that these clauses be stricken out and others inserted, protecting the municipalities in regard to the use of roads and streets, and declaring that the bill should not become law until proclaimed by the governor-general-in-council and upon such conditions as the governor-general-in-council provided. The latter provision would enable the commission to thoroughly investigate the project and advise the Government.

The bill was amended as suggested by Mr. Sifton. If adopted in its present form the company could not sell or distribute power in any municipality without the consent of that municipality. It would have no right to carry its transmission lines across or through any municipality except with the consent of and under conditions named by the Dominion railway commission. The rates to be charged for electrical power would be fixed by the same commission.

In the course of the discussion Hon. Mr. Pugsley intimated that the company expected to get power through the building of a dam at a point on the St. Lawrence where 90 per cent of the water is on the American side. Mr. Pugsley declared that the Canadian Government would not consent to the building of the Canadian half of the dam unless the promoters agreed that half the developed power should be reserved for use on the Canadian side. Nor would the project be approved if it in any way interfered with navigation. The minister pointed out that the development was very much desired on the Canadian side, especially in Brockville, adding:

"In view of the fact that an enormous water-power is there undeveloped, which, with development, could produce some 600,000 horsepower, the question is not one to be turned lightly aside. If that water-power can be developed at reasonable cost so that the people of Ontario can be furnished with cheap power for industrial and lighting purposes, and if navigation will not be injuriously affected, I think that the question is one that is well worthy the consideration of every one who has to do with legislation."

The opposition to the bill comes entirely from the Ontario Government and the hydro-electric commission. It is not contended that the bill infringes on provincial jurisdiction, as the transmission line would cross the provincial boundaries; but the argument is advanced that the scheme would prevent the hydro-electric commission doing for Eastern Ontario what it is doing for Western Ontario with Niagara power. The commission says it has received applications for power from Brockville, Kingston, Belleville, Deseronto and other eastern municipalities, and it objects to the presumption of the field by a private enterprise.

The bill raises the question whether any of the water powers of the province are to be developed by private enterprise, subject to public control of rates. Or are these to be the exclusive preserve of the hydro-electric commission? We think the average municipality would prefer to throw the cost and risk upon a private concern if the prices of power were regulated by a public tribunal and if the power were delivered within a reasonable time.

CANADA AND ARGENTINA AS RIVALS.

A pretty race in wheat production has been run between Canada and Argentina since the beginning of the century.

In 1875 Argentina produced barely enough for its domestic supply. In 1871 Canada's crop was 17,000,000 bushels. Both countries began to visibly affect the world market about the

same time. Argentina produced 55,379,717 bushels in 1901, and Canada 55,572,378. Last year Argentina's yield was about 165,000,000 bushels, and Canada's slightly more. "The rivalry of the Canadians and the Argentines during the next ten years," says the New York Sun, "promises to be interesting. It is a contest between the pampas tilled by Latin-Americans and the prairies tilled mainly by Anglo-Saxons. Both have vast regions to be brought under cultivation. There is also a race in the matter of population, and its increase. Canada had a population of 5,371,315 in 1901 and believes that she has more than 7,000,000 inhabitants in 1910. Argentina's figures for the same years are respectively 4,926,913 and 6,805,684."

The director of the Argentine statistical department claims that Argentina will soon have an excess of 200,000,000 bushels, and will be first among the countries exporting wheat. Canadians are greater wheat-eaters than the Argentines, and may not export as high a proportion of their crop, but there is every sign that Canadian production will expand rapidly for many years. The world's wheat crop has averaged 3,300,000,000 bushels in the past five years, of which the United States contributes 700,000,000. About 30 per cent of the world supply is grown in North and South America; about 20 per cent in European Russia; 35 per cent in the rest of Europe, and 10 per cent in India. The greatest undeveloped sources of supply are in Siberia, and in the Western Hemisphere.

THE BRITISH TRADE REVIVAL.

The British Board of Trade returns for February show that the revival of trade continues in full swing. It began after the introduction of the budget, which, according to one set of politicians, spelled business disaster. Imports last month improved to the extent of £590,000, compared with February, 1909, and exports rose by £2,667,000. The exports last month, amounting to £31,692,000, were the highest ever reached in any February, excepting 1907, when they touched the record figure of £32,100,000. Of the imports last month, £23,900,000 were in food and raw materials, and £12,300,000 in manufactures. Of the exports last month all but a fraction represented manufactures, every line but machinery showing an increase. Especially notable is the improvement shown under iron and steel (over £1,000,000), and "other metals," woollens, ships, chemicals, leather and apparel.

The trade depression of 1908-09 resembled in severity and suddenness of decline the slump after the Franco-German war, and then, as now, the depression first made itself felt in the United States. The present recovery is very much more rapid than that of the seventies, and there is now every reason to believe that the year 1910 will rank amongst the best years of trade. The political and financial turmoil caused by the action of the peers has retarded but not prevented prosperity. Every increase in the volume of trade is a refutation of the arguments of the tariff reformers, and of the other enemies of the budget.

A tariff war need not engender unneighborly feelings. Canada would have the moral support of at least half the American people.

For many years Washington kept this country on the tariff-grindiron. Canadians ought to be pardoned if they smile just a little when they see Washington do the squirming.

The Ontario Government has again shelved the question of technical education. Every year of inaction puts Ontario further back in the industrial race. Neither the manufacturer nor the workman is getting a fair show.

Some of our Conservative contemporaries are giving an amusing exhibition of tight-rope walking on the tariff question. They are not sure whether it will be their duty to support or condemn the Ottawa Government if Washington brings down the big stick. The cue has to come from Mr. Borden.

The Detroit News ridicules the pretence that the United States is discriminated against because Canada gives France preferential treatment on wines, silks, sardines and olive oil. Is the Canadian trade of Detroit and of Michigan to be wiped out at one stroke of the presidential pen? It asks. The News says that the idea is intolerable.

And so the Victoria Hospital trust has decided to revert to the old rule, requiring non-paying patients to be treated only by the hospital staff. Nine years ago Mr. Beck made a hit with the gallery by declaiming against this rule, and commiserating the poor patient deprived of his own doctor. The poor-man cry was mere clap-trap, and the trust today realizes it. The regulation is necessary to the discipline of the hospital, and is in the interests of the patients themselves.

"Because the Herald believes that a bicameral Legislature is necessary to the safety and stability of a nation. The London Advertiser calls this Journal a 'Bourbon.' The 'Tiger' seems to be progressing fast. Already it's far in advance of the whole Asquith cabinet, including its erstwhile idol, David Lloyd George, and its party leaders in this country, not its party leaders in the United Kingdom parliament."—Hamilton Herald.

The Herald knows very well that it is dodging the question. The Advertiser expressed surprise that the Herald should endorse the wild language of Lord Rosebery, who declared that without a second chamber (built on the Rosebery plan, mind you), a fu-

ture British king might share the fate of Charles the First, or Louis the Sixteenth, at the hands of a Government elected by the British people. To ridicule such an utterance is not to argue against a second chamber.

WHERE ENGLAND LEADS.

[London Daily News.]
Lancashire is a sample of a kingdom of tiny area, situated some 4,000 miles from the chief cotton field of the world, and twice as far from the most important cloth market. It is, however, nearly half the world's spinning and more than half the entire value of the world's production. Here are the world's cotton spindles:
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United States..... 28,242,000
Germany..... 6,338,000
France..... 6,300,000
Russia..... 6,500,000
All the rest of the world..... 14,538,000
All the world..... 114,109,000

LOCAL PATRIOTISM IN CANADA.

[Manchester Guardian.]
Nothing strikes the visitor to Canada so much (says a correspondent) as the intense local patriotism he finds in every town. Where two neighboring towns are also rivals the rivalry is of white-hot intensity. Rudyard Kipling very happily hit off the rivalry between Port Arthur and Fort William when he said: "They hate each other with the poison of the 'brothers.' During the last few weeks Montreal and Toronto have shown each other a good deal of such brotherly affection. They have found a petrified man in Montreal," says the Toronto Star. "In a city where most of the inhabitants are ossified this discovery naturally excites a good deal of interest." The Montrealers retort by talking of "Toronto the Good," when Sir James Whitney summons the board of control to discuss the criticisms on Toronto's morality made by some writer to the press. This intensity of local patriotism may have its humorous side, and yet it is responsible for no little of the remarkable progress of Canada. Wherever he goes every Canadian is a walking advertisement for his own city, and such advertisement cannot fail to bring his city a steady flow of business.

ONE ADVANTAGE.

[Toronto Star.]
One beauty of the Canadian winter is that it gives the country a chance to digest one summer's batch of immigrants before the next summer's batch arrives.

PARTISANSHIP RUN MAD.

[Victoria Colonist, Conservative.]
Partisanship seems to be running into the ground, when we find a paper denigrating the Canadian bench because Mr. Foster lost his libel suit against the Toronto Globe.

SOMEWHAT EXAGGERATED.

[Detroit Journal.]
The cities of Toronto and London, Ont., are at the moment absorbed in friendly rivalry, each to demonstrate the other the more immoral.

FORTUNATE MARY.

[S. E. Kiser.]
Mary had a little lamb,
She swanned it for a pig;
The price of bacon and of lam
Makes Mary's fortune big.

CANADA'S GRAVE PROBLEMS.

[Branford Exposition.]
If Canada is to be the land of opportunity there must devolve upon its citizenship the most serious responsibilities. In the development of our natural resources, in the adjustment of social and economic conditions, and in the assimilation of the masses from all quarters of the earth that are now flocking into the Canadian West, there are problems as grave as have ever faced the legislators of any country in the history of the world, problems which call for the most concerted effort and the highest statesmanship on the part of those who are to be in authority over this Dominion in the approaching critical epoch of its history.

A GOOD SIGN.

[Winnipeg Free Press.]
It is not a bad sign to see this flare-up of insurgent feeling in the Alberta Liberals, at the suspicion of something wrong—there is usually altogether too much regard shown for the supposed interests of the party in a difficulty of this character.

A CONTRAST.

[Regina Leader.]
In Alberta the Liberals do not wait for their opponents to make charges and ask for an investigation. Believing a mistake has been made by their own Government, they demand its correction themselves. In Manitoba the Conservatives refuse to allow their Government to be investigated, notwithstanding that a direct charge of wrong-doing is made. The contrast is significant.

JOHN BURNS' SALARY.

[London Daily News.]
In a varied day, devoted to finance, not the least interesting item was the prime minister's remark that if there be general agreement the time has come to raise the salary of £2,000 enjoyed by Mr. Burns at the Local Government Board to the level of the salary enjoyed by Mr. Buxton at the Board of Trade, that is, £3,000. By a self-denying ordinance last year, Mr. Burns and Mr. Churchill declined the new scale of emolument, which would only become effective for the next session. If Mr. Burns had moved to the Board of Trade, and Mr. Buxton had been appointed to the Local Government Board, both ministers would now be receiving the higher scale. The present distinction is thus, as Mr. Asquith explained, "invidious," and it will doubtless be terminated. The Board of Education, the postoffice and the only leading departments now remaining at £2,000, and the process of levelling up will greatly facilitate in the future the reconstruction of cabinets. The general cheers which greeted the suggestion that Mr. Burns should obtain his reward must have been gratifying to the right honorable gentleman, signifying as it did a personal esteem that is not to be measured by pounds, shillings and pence.

GETTING EVEN.

[Brooklyn Life.]
Miss Passay—What lovely gown you have on! But haven't I seen it before?
Miss Tattlelegue—No, I think not. You see, I've only worn it at very smart affairs this season.

FEMININE.

[Judge.]
Jones (during the breakdown)—There is something wrong with her.
Daughter—Let me see.
Gets out, goes behind the car, and returns triumphantly.
"There! Now she'll go, I'm sure. Her number wasn't on straight."

BRITISH CROAKERS REBUKED.

[David Lloyd George.]
"I think there ought to be an end of this kind of thing, this crying of stink-fish. British commerce is no good. British securities no good. The British navy no good, everything no good. (Loud ministerial cheers.) These patriots are always running down their own country, they are heartily decrying everything British, and their words are quoted in foreign papers to our own detriment as a nation." (Ministerial cheers.)

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IMPOSSIBILITIES.

[Yonker Statesman.]
"Well, this is all there is about it," said the first lawyer, "your client must either put up or shut up."
"Quite impossible," replied the other: "in the first place, my client is poor, and in the second place, she is a woman."

TAFT TO YIELD IN TARIFF BOUT

Sentiment in Washington Regarding Possible Tariff "War."

RUSH A RESOLUTION

Date on Which Maximum Rates Go Into Effect To Be Deferred and Finally Dropped.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Washington, March 17.—A tariff war with Canada appears inevitable. Yet it is not believed there will be one; at least not now. President Taft is understood to hold the position that Canada's attitude makes it impossible for him to read the Payne law in any way except to inflict the maximum rates upon that country. And, unless something happens, he must do this reading of the law between now and March 21, two weeks from today.

But something will happen. If the Canadians will not yield—why, then, we will. At least, this appears to be the explanation of the attitude of the Government on this question. The best accessible authorities allege that if the Canadians will not yield this Government will ask Congress to rush through a resolution deferring the date on which the maximum rates of the Payne law are to go into effect.

Deferred indefinitely.

How far they will be deferred is not known. It may be for a few months only, and it may be for a longer period. Possibly they will be deferred and then deferred again, and finally lost sight of, as a good thing to let go of. Certainly it would be suicidal for the President to precipitate a tariff war between this country and Canada before the election this fall.

According to population, Canada is by far the best foreign customer this country has in the world. Also she is the customer who makes the least trouble, because she buys the same stuff used by the people of this country, and she pays for it in the same kind of money used here.

A tariff war with Canada would cause loss in all manufacturing districts of the United States, and especially in the border states. The party responsible for it would certainly hear from it at the polls, and so it is the last ditch, and Canada does not yield, the application of the maximum rates may be put off at least till after election.

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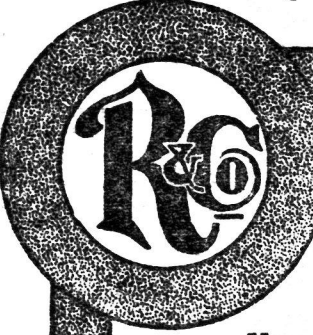
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Something new for the young girl is found in this recent shipment of Capes; in red, rose, navy, cadet, reseda and black; nicely made and beautifully trimmed, with gilt braid and buttons. Very pretty Capes for \$5.00.

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A novelty in spring wraps is our New Long Coats; very smart and stylish, in fawn and cream striped all-wool light-weight goods, also diagonal blues, green and tan pongee; all prettily trimmed and perfectly tailored, at the low price of \$15.00.

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GAS-PIPE AND GUN SETTLE A MAD DOG

Fullerton Farmer Has Exciting Experience—Young Burglars Get Off Easily.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

St. Marys, March 18.—A farmer named Rice, residing in Fullerton Township, about ten miles from St. Marys, recently had a desperate encounter with his dog, which had suddenly become affected with rabies. Mr. Rice noticed his dog the night previous to the attack that it did not seem to be well, but paid little attention to it, until the next day, when the animal made an attempt to attack him. Fortunately Mr. Rice had a piece of gas pipe in his hand, and he kept facing the dog, backing towards his house, and at the same time fighting off the dog's attacks with the gas-pipe. When

he managed to get into his house, he quickly procured a gun, and hurrying outside, he shot the animal.

The case against the three St. Marys youths charged with breaking into and burglarizing the hardware stores of Parsons, Fair and St. Marys Hardware, Limited, came up before Police Magistrate Stanley Thursday afternoon, Crown Attorney G. G. McPherson, of Stratford, prosecuting. After some evidence had been taken, the local ministers and Sunday school teachers and parents of the boys addressed the court, speaking of the previous good characters of the boys, and urged the court to be lenient with them under the circumstances. In view of this, and as reparation had been made by the return of the stolen goods, and all costs paid, the magistrate gave the accused youths their liberty under suspended sentence.

Mr. S. Pullyblank, who had Mrs. Purdy's farm rented on James street south, has removed to the brick cottage, Wellington street north, near the First Presbyterian Church, which he has bought.

According to a report of the forest service, Washington, Louisiana, Miss-

issippi, Arkansas and Wisconsin. In the order named, lead in producing the country's lumber supply, whose valuation for last year exceeds \$500,000,000. Texas, Michigan, Oregon, Minnesota and Pennsylvania came after the first five states.

A New York man who ate 60 buckwheat cakes and two pounds of sausage said he would have done better if he had been hungry.

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ANK OF ENGLAND BOOSTS THE RATE

Minimum Rate of Discount on Gold Advances to Four Per Cent. [Associated Press.]

London, March 17.—The directors of the Bank of England, at their weekly meeting today, raised the minimum rate of discount from 3 to 4 per cent. This action was caused by the continued foreign demands for gold, which seriously depleted the bank's reserves. These are now nearly \$25,000,000 lower than at the same time last year, and prospective further withdrawals of the metal necessitated measures to increase the bank's holdings.

For some time India has been drawing heavily on the available supplies of gold, and considerable sums are still wanted to move the large crops. In addition to this demand, there is a number of foreign issues, including a big delivery of American bonds in exchange for British gold, to be provided for. Forthcoming internal monetary requirements also demand the building up of the reserve.

It is quite unusual for the bank rate to be advanced at this time of the year. No doubt one of the chief causes thereof is the Government's failure to collect taxes. This made money so plentiful that it weakened continental exchanges on London, and made it easier for foreign markets to take gold from this centre.

EMBRO HAPPENINGS

Bible Class Banquet—Farewell Meeting and Presentation.

Embroidery, March 16.—Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Murphy and children, of Woodstock, spent over Sunday at Mrs. J. McMurphy's.

Miss Mabel McKinnon has left for Toronto, where she has secured a position.

Miss Maggie D. Murray is visiting with friends in Toronto.

Mr. Ernie Sutherland left Monday for Fort William, where he enters the Trades' Bank under Mr. F. G. Dewey, a former manager here.

Miss Bossey is visiting her brother in Sandwich.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Burtis, of Carleton Place, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Burtis.

Miss Ethel Sutherland, of Woodstock, spent the week-end at her home here.

Mr. Hugh McDonald, of Toronto, spent over Sunday at his home before leaving on Thursday for the west.

Mr. Angie Sutherland, who has spent

the winter at his home, left on Monday for Denver, Col.

Mrs. Fuller and Mrs. G. Burgess, Woodstock, are guests at Mr. John Fairbairn's.

A banquet was held in Knox Church Sunday school rooms on Friday evening under the auspices of the Bible Classes and Young People's Society, which was largely attended. Mr. H. E. Fair, teacher of the Ladies' Bible Class, acted as toastmaster, and an interesting programme was rendered of toasts, including: "Our Country," "Our Sabbath School," "Our Bible Classes," "Our Young People's Guild," and "The Ladies." There was also instrumental and vocal music and the pleasant affair concluded with the singing of "Auld Lang Syne" by all present.

In view of Mr. Ernie Sutherland's young friends assembled at his home on Thursday evening, and spent a pleasant time together during the evening. Ernie was presented with a beautiful suitcase, also an appreciative address from his many friends and well wishers in the vicinity.

Miss Eva Cody is visiting with friends in London.

TRADE FIGURES

Statistics for the Dominion for February Show Great Increase.

Ottawa, March 17.—The total trade of Canada for February, was \$46,291,291, an increase of \$8,202,374 over February of last year. For the eleven months of the fiscal year the total trade has been \$610,577,981, an increase of \$104,112,307, or over 20 per cent as compared with the corresponding eleven months of the last fiscal year, and constituting a new record for Canadian trade. Imports for the month totalled \$30,341,462, an increase of \$7,152,794. For the eleven months the imports totalled \$332,391,669, an increase of \$68,131,239. Exports of domestic products for the month totalled \$15,937,043, an increase of a little over one million.

Exports of domestic products for the eleven months totalled \$257,012,262, an increase of \$32,805,650. Of this latter increase, about seventeen millions was in agricultural exports, about seven and a half millions was in exports of the forest, and about two millions in exports of manufactures. Exports of foreign products for the eleven months totalled \$21,174,029, an increase of a little over three millions.

The total customs revenue for the eleven months was \$53,781,333, an increase of \$11,389,985.

PLAY FUNERAL MARCH AND TAKE POISON

Sensational Suicide of Three Society Girls at Russian Capital.

St. Petersburg, March 18.—Something like an epidemic of suicide, due to neurasthenia and melancholia, was recently remarked here, and further attention was called to it today by the suicides of three girls of social status, one of them heiress to \$50,000,000.

The three met, and after one of them had played Chopin's "Funeral March" all drank poison and died. They left letters, saying they were tired of life. Fifteen other suicides, mostly girls, were reported today. The Russian law severely punishes attempts at suicide, but a bill has been proposed by some members of the council of the empire, abolishing the penalties on the ground that life is an individual's private property and he should be allowed to dispose of it accordingly.

NEW C. P. R. OFFICES

Fine Building To Be Put Up at Corner of King and Yonge, Toronto.

Toronto, March 17.—The Canadian Pacific Railway Company, it is announced, has secured a lease of the property at present occupied by the passenger department of the company at the southeast corner of King and Yonge streets, and of the adjoining property on King street, at present occupied by the Elias Rogers Company. The property belongs to the George Rostwick estate, and the lease, it is understood, is for a term of forty-two years, subject to renewal. The rental is \$15,000 a year. The railway company intends to put up on this site a large office building, which will accommodate not only the passenger offices, but also the freight and telegraph offices, thus having the business of the company concentrated in one spot.

AFTER MOSLEM BRIDE

Servant Crown Prince May Wed the Daughter of Deposed Sultan.

Vienna, March 18.—It is reported here that the coming of the King Peter of Servia to Constantinople is for the purpose of arranging a marriage between his younger son, Crown Prince Alexander, and Princess Gladie, fourth daughter of the deposed sultan, Abdul Hamid. If such a marriage should be arranged it would be the first occasion in centuries of a Mohammedan princess marrying a non-Mohammedan.

PATTEN IN NEW YORK

Says the Folk of Manchester Did Not Act in Gentlemanly Way.

New York, March 18.—James Patten, the wheat operator, arrived here on the Mauretania last night from England. Speaking of his experience abroad, he said:

"Manchester began to promote the erection of cotton mills several years ago, unwisely employing men to run the mills, who were merely operatives and not businessmen. They were without commercial training and were narrow, prejudiced and provincial in their ideas."

"There is a saying in England that differentiates residents of Liverpool and Manchester. The sentiment of it is that you find a man in Manchester and a gentleman in Liverpool, and that has been my experience. They are broad-minded and generous in Liverpool, because they know something of places and business outside of England. Liverpool men wanted to give me an ovation, but I declined it because I did not want to stir up feeling between Manchester and Liverpool."

"The Manchester man has a lot to learn. He looks at the world only from the viewpoint of Manchester."

"I do not intend to take an active part in business again, preferring to leave the work to my junior partner."

ROOSEVELT LAUDS

BRITAIN'S METHODS

Advices the Sudanese to Stick to the Present British Government.

Khartoum, March 18.—Col. Roosevelt's activities yesterday included an examination of his correspondence, which lasted some hours, laying the keystone of an arch of the English Episcopal Cathedral in course of construction, the reception of a delegation of Syrians and a visit to the clubhouses of the native and Egyptian officers, whom he addressed. He filled all his hours with his characteristic energy.

In a speech at the Sudan Club he remarked on the marvelous changes that had taken place in the Sudan in the course of the past twelve years, and said that any attempt to overturn the beneficent regime established would be a crime against the country and humanity generally. Great Britain by undertaking to civilize a country, erstwhile devastated by blood-thirsty tyranny, had proved herself true to the highest imperial traditions. It was only when a country undertook the work of mankind, regardless of its own profit, that it could be called great.

This brought him to refer to his own efforts for the Panama Canal and the opposition to him at home. After humorous remarks about the wish that every lion would do its duty, he said, looking back at the presidency, that he could say he had enjoyed it thoroughly. Sometimes he had periods of trouble, but he always gave the other fellows more trouble.

FEAR SMALLPOX.

Port Wier, March 18.—The board of health met yesterday and in view of the cases of smallpox in Port Arthur decided that in order to protect public health it was necessary to prevent the assemblage of people in theatres and other places of amusement. As the closing of the amusement resorts here will likely cause the people to go to Port Arthur, it is very possible that interurban car service will be discontinued.

ALMOST FREE.

Edmonton, March 17.—An attempted jail delivery on Monday at the provincial penitentiary was made known today. A number of prisoners had sawed the bars and had succeeded in getting from their cells. They attacked a guard and had overpowered him when a Jap trusty gave the alarm.

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NOBBY SUITS, in navy and amethyst Panama, silk lined, semi-fitted, long revers, trimmed with buttons and braid; tailored skirt with pleated sides..... \$15.00

\$25

LADIES' SUITS, made of extra fine all-wool serge, in gray, navy, brown, rose and amethyst, silk lined; coat with long revers of moire; skirt made with pleating from yoke. Special..... \$25.00

Coats Cost \$5, \$7 and \$10 Each

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A very special value in Fine Lawn Waists, with embroidered and tucked fronts, long tucked or bishop sleeves, with shaped cuffs. Many different patterns of embroidery. Regular \$1.25, for..... 98c

Silk Waists \$2.95

Ladies' Jap Taffeta Waists, in green, navy, brown and black, tucked front and back, new long sleeves. This waist is nicely tailored and perfect fitting. Regular \$3.50, for..... \$2.95

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1 only quarter-cut oak CHINA CLOSET Bent glass front, British bevel mirror at top. Was \$24, for..... \$17.50

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1 only CHINA CLOSET—Mahogany finish, bent glass sides, British bevel glass. Was \$26, for..... \$21.00

1 only CHINA CLOSET, quarter-cut oak, polished, British bevel glass. Was \$30, for..... \$24.00

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DISHONEST DAIRYMEN.

Kingston, March 18.—A meeting of the executive committee of the Eastern Dairymen's Association was held yesterday at the dairy school. Two officers were appointed to prosecute all farmers who send adulterated milk to factories or in any other way infringe on the act regarding dairying.

CLOSE TO DEATH.

Hamilton, March 17.—Thomas Callan was snatched from the jaws of death early this morning by the section men on the T. H. and B. Railroad. Callan was lying with his head on one of the rails about a mile from the depot, dead drunk. He was found a few minutes before the eastbound Buffalo express came to pass.

Stop

taking liquid physic or big or little pills, that which makes you worse instead of curing. Cathartics don't cure—they irritate and weaken the bowels. CABARETS make the bowels strong, tone the muscles so they crawl and work—when they do this they are healthy, producing right results.

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TRAVELERS' GUIDE

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

SARNIA, TUNNEL TO WILKESBORO, BRIDGE AND TORONTO.

Arrive from the east—2:45 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 11:12 a.m., 11:28 a.m., 6:30 p.m., 8:30 p.m., 10:10 p.m.

Arrive from the west—12:05 a.m., 12:12 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 1:10 p.m., 4:10 p.m., 6:25 p.m.

Depart for the east—12:14 a.m., 9:41 a.m., 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 11:40 a.m., 2:06 p.m., 4:25 p.m., 6:33 p.m.

Depart for the west—9:55 a.m., 7:40 a.m., 11:38 a.m., 11:43 a.m., 1:40 p.m., 5:15 p.m.

LONDON AND WINDSOR.

Arrive—10:38 a.m., 4:00 p.m., 6:56 p.m., 11:05 p.m.

Depart—6:35 a.m., 11:05 a.m., 2:05 p.m., 5:10 p.m.

STRAITFORD BRANCH.

Arrive—10:25 a.m., 11:12 a.m., 1:32 p.m., 6:45 p.m., 11:25 p.m.

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

LONDON, HURON AND BRUCE.

Arrive—10:00 a.m., 6:19 p.m.

Depart—8:30 a.m., 4:53 p.m.

Trains marked * run daily. Those not marked, daily, except Sunday.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Arrive from the west—10:55 a.m., 10:30 p.m., 11:02 p.m., 10:52 p.m., 12:29 p.m., 4:55 p.m.

Depart for the east—4:55 a.m., 7:16 a.m., 11:45 p.m., 5:42 p.m., 7:16 p.m., 11:00 p.m.

Daily. Daily, except Sunday.

PERE MARQUETTE RAILWAY.

Depart—5:05 a.m., 7:10 a.m., 9:40 a.m., 2:50 p.m., 10:40 p.m., 7:15 p.m.

Arrive—8:45 a.m., 11:20 p.m., 1:50 p.m., 6:40 p.m., 10:20 p.m.

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WABASH

From March 1 to April 15 the Wabash will sell one-way excursion tickets at very low rates, to points in California, Mexico, Idaho, Utah, Arizona, Montana, Oregon, Washington and British Columbia. Tickets are good going all direct routes, and should read over the Wabash, the short and true route to above states. For tickets and time of trains see your nearest ticket agent or address J. A. RICHARDSON, district passenger agent, 6 Yonge street, Toronto, and St. Thomas.

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ANOTHER BATTLE OVER FIRE HOSE QUESTION

Matter Will Likely Be Fought to
a Finish on Monday
Night.

There will be another battle on the hose question at the council meeting on Monday night.

The same recommendation that went through No. 2 committee some time ago, was passed again Wednesday that 2,000 feet of the Cleveland hose be purchased at 87 cents a foot.

The casting vote of Mayor Beattie on the last occasion negated every motion of the council, and as a result, the whole matter was passed up.

The committee last night had a long session with the hose question, and on the same division recommended that the American hose be purchased.

The Last Division.

It is not known what the feeling of the other aldermen on the subject is, or how they will vote. On the last division in the council, Mayor Beattie, Ald. Richter, Eckert, Underwood, Fitzgerald and Jeffries voted for the Cleveland hose, and Ald. Ashplant, Rose, Saunders, Morgan, Pocock and Taitcock voted for Canadian hose. Ald. Stevenson was out of the city. If they line up this way again, the whole question may be thrown back, and the fire department left without hose.

Rather Funny, This.

An amusing situation developed at the meeting. One of the aldermen quoted a telegram he received from a gentleman in Detroit to the effect that the Cleveland hose was not known in Michigan.

It developed that the gentleman who sent the telegram to the alderman was the Paragon agent in that city, and the agent who was dealing with the committee had recommended to the aldermen the Detroit man as the one likely to give an unbiased opinion on the hose question.

Those who advocate the Cleveland hose declare that they are saving the city \$200, and obtaining just as good hose as the Canadian, which it is alleged, is only partially made in Canada.

The other aldermen claim that the Canadian hose is undoubtedly the better, and is, moreover, a Canadian product.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY IN EASTERN CITIES

Great Parades and Celebrations at
Kingston and Montreal.

Kingston, Ont., March 17.—St. Patrick's Day was quietly observed here with church services in St. Mary's Cathedral, with Rev. Father McLaughlin, of Ogdensburg, N. Y., as preacher. Tonight a local production of "Con the Shaughraun" will be given in the opera house.

Montreal, Que., March 17.—Montreal fishermen had a beautiful day for the celebration of St. Patrick's Day, but the temperature was like mid-winter. Early this morning the thermometer was barely ten above zero, but since then it has moderated somewhat. The usual parade took place this morning, the different Irish societies parading at St. Patrick's Church, where high mass was celebrated, presided over by Archbishop Bruchesi, assisted by the leading Irish priests of the city. This evening there will be the usual St. Patrick's Society dinner and dramatic and musical entertainments by the numerous Irish societies of the city.

AN ADIRONDACK TRAGEDY.

Watertown, N. Y., March 17.—Augustus Zandi, aged 30, an Adirondack lumberman, was brought to a local hospital today with a bullet wound through his left breast, inflicted by Stefano Zandi, aged 18, at a camp near Wanakena last night. The latter escaped and his body was found this morning near camp with a bullet through his head. Indications are that the assailant committed suicide soon after the attempted murder. The bullet that struck Augustus passed completely through his body, pierced Angelo Dervillo, the proprietor of the camp, and spent itself in the arm of his wife. None of the injured are fatally hurt.

The Zandis were not related, and no cause for the attack is known.

FIRE AT HAVERHILL.

Haverhill, Mass., March 17.—The business section of Haverhill was threatened with destruction today by an early morning fire, which caused a loss of \$75,000 before it could be extinguished. Three wooden business blocks on Merrimack street were burned out. The loss on the building is estimated at \$10,000. The remainder of the loss, \$65,000, is divided among the firms occupying the structure. The Taylor Clothing Company, whose damage is set at \$20,000, was the heaviest individual loser.

SUFFERING SUFFRAGETTES.

New York, March 17.—A London cable message states that the report of the year's work of the militant organization records that 294 women were arrested, of whom 163 were imprisoned. Hunger strikes to the number of 116 were carried out. Pump feeding was resorted to on 36 occasions.

Since the agitation began the sentences served by women amount in the aggregate to 28 years.

ESTIMATES INCREASE MORE THAN \$5,000

Cost of Feed of Fire Horses Goes
Up and Adds \$1,500 to
Maintenance.

The estimates of No. 3 committee show an increase of more than \$5,000 over last year.

Of this increase \$1,500 is chargeable to the fire department, due to the excessive cost of feed. In 1909 it was estimated that \$43,048.98 would run the department, while this year Fire Chief Aitken figures that it will cost \$44,570.

There is an increase for the cost of street watering of \$2,000, but the most of this will come back in assessments on the ratepayers.

It is not considered likely that much will be cut off these estimates.

CENTRAL MEN WON A BIG CONCESSION

Great System Recognizes Union. National Officers at Wage Conference.

[Associated Press.]

New York, March 17.—Union employees of the New York Central system won a decided concession from the railroad at today's conference between representatives of the company and of the union's on the demand of the men for increased wages and better working conditions. For the first time in these negotiations which have been in progress since last December, President W. G. Lee, of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, and President A. B. Garretson, of the Order of Railroad Conductors, were recognized as the spokesmen for the unions, and were admitted to active participation in the discussion. The recognition of the national officers of the unions is regarded by the men as an important concession for them.

The conference was joined today by representatives of the unions from various cities of the middle west. Among them were delegates from the Michigan Central, the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern, and the Big Four, as well as from the Boston and Albany. The negotiations up to this time have been conducted directly by representatives from the New York Central, but with the arrival of these delegates all the lines of the system will be represented, and the agreement reached will affect the entire New York Central system.

The conference today continued its work along the lines of the tacit agreement reached yesterday, calling for concessions on the part of the company and an increase in wages and changes in working schedules for the men.

EARNED BY FRAUD

Illegal Collection of Wolf Bounties Charged to Fort Frances Men.

Fort Frances, March 17.—An alleged method of defrauding the Ontario Government has been followed by the arrest of eleven people, amongst the number being M. T. Cathcart, of Berwick, and George Wescott, of Rainy River, by Detective Greer, of Toronto.

The Government became suspicious when in a short space of time 500 wolf bounties were paid, and Provincial Detective Campbell was put on the case to work it up. He did so well that Detective Greer was sent for. The alleged manner of procedure was to buy the wolf skins in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta at \$2 per head, turn in the ears to the authorities in Ontario and receive \$15, therefore by netting \$13 per head.

The prisoners were tried before Police Magistrate Holland and elected to be tried summarily.

EMPIRE TRACK ENTRIES.

New York, March 17.—Announcement was made today that the Empire City Racing Association has the largest net average of any stakes closing in the east to date, with a total of 911 entries, an average of 65 to the stake. This is two and one-half times the amount of last year's entries.

It has been decided to make important improvements at the track. There will be a new and much larger paddock, new general offices and jockey stand. The field stand will be torn down, the lawn lengthened and a large number of new stalls will be built.

BRIDGES AFTER POINTERS.

Kingston, March 17.—Colonel Bridges, chief of the general military staff of Australia, who had been here since Monday gathering information regarding the equipment and curriculum of the Royal Military College, left this morning for Halifax en route for England. Colonel Bridges, who is a former graduate of the R. M. C., has been intrusted with the responsibility of organizing Australia's new military college.

GOLDBERG SETTLED.

Hamilton, March 17.—Yesterday Klein Bros., of Montreal, secured from the county judge an injunction to restrain the Goldberg Iron Company of this city, from selling any more iron until the company paid \$500 which it owed to the Montreal firm. This morning the injunction was dissolved, Goldberg settling up.

The Royal Templars of Temperance convention this morning was devoted to routine business of no public interest. The officers will be elected to-morrow morning.

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Smart styles for spring.
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MONEY-MAKING OPPORTUNITIES

In our advertisement of last week we informed you that we were opening a department for the handling of syndicate accounts. By the word "syndicate" we mean the joining together of a number of small cash accounts and the utilization of the total sum for the investment of money in New York stocks. By this method the small investor obtains a footing equivalent to the man with a large bank account. For instance, if a man had \$100 to invest, the least he could get would be ten shares of stock, and his \$100 would protect him ten points. A market, such as we have had at present, is capable of moving as much as 25 points, although this seldom occurs. Therefore, the small investor would be wiped out of his money and have nothing to show for it. By putting his \$100 into a pool and operating the pool along conservative lines, large percentage profits can be made. This is what we are doing.

Send us what money you can spare, and we will look after it for you. We will do the buying and selling, notifying clients at the end of each week what has been done. Sometimes the markets are not active enough or are in an unsafe condition, in which case we

may use our judgment and not operate. In this case we allow our clients 6 per cent interest on the amount of money to their credit. This is better than you can do in any other line of business, and have your money available. Credit balances can always be withdrawn by making draft on us, by telephoning us or calling in and getting a check. The following are a few instances of what money will do, operating in stocks, taking the range of prices of Friday, the 11th inst., as an example, the amount of money in use being \$500 in each case, the profits being for the day alone:

By selling 20 Union Pacific.....\$50 could have been made
By selling 20 Reading.....\$40 could have been made
By selling 20 United States Steel.....\$40 could have been made
By selling 20 Southern Pacific.....\$40 could have been made
By selling 20 American Copper.....\$60 could have been made
By selling 20 Smelters.....\$40 could have been made
It will be seen that \$40 is the lowest profit

on any one of the above six mentioned stocks, and \$40 in a day on a \$500 investment means enormous profit. Figure it out for yourself. While this percentage cannot be made daily, yet an average of more than 50 per cent is assured on absolutely safe grounds.

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Put some of your money with us, and do it now. The market is in a splendid trading condition, and small amounts will grow very rapidly. You can, as we have pointed out before, always withdraw if you do not care to leave your balance open. All we ask you to do is to let us demonstrate to you what can be done in the money-making line by conservative investment in New York stocks.

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Cobalt stocks show signs of greater activity. There is an extraordinary demand for good Cobalt properties, and the control of Cobalt mining companies by American capitalists.

Temiskaming recently struck very rich ore at the 425-foot level, demonstrating the fact that the Cobalt camp is not a shallow one, and that this mining region is proving itself to be one of the mining wonders of the world. The gold discoveries in the Porcupine District are also turning out wonderfully well. We strongly recommend the purchase of Temiskaming, Cobalt Lake, Gifford and Beaver. We carry these on margin.

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PASTOR JONES DENIES

Says He Knows Nothing of Divorce
Suit of Wife.

New York, March 17.—The Rev. B. Canfield Jones, pastor of the Presbyterian Church of the Redeemer, Patterson, N. J., who was reported missing yesterday and against whom it was said, a suit for divorce had been filed, denied today that he had disappeared, and that he had any knowledge of a divorce suit. The pastor returned home Monday night, following a visit to New York for an operation.

GOMPER'S ON STRIFE

Says There Is at Present a Combination
Antagonistic to Labor.

Washington, March 17.—The unusual unrest in the world of labor at present time is attributed by President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor to a combination of forces antagonistic to the cause of labor, designed to crush the rights of the workman. While not divulging the plans of the labor organizations, he said in an interview today, that everything possible would be done by them to protect the interests of the working masses. Although wages had not generally decreased, he said, the enormous advance in the cost of living in the past five years had rendered conditions tantamount to a decrease in compensation of the working classes. He cited the court decision denying labor under the Sherman anti-trust law, and said that all means would be exhausted to meet the situation.

Referring to the court decisions in the West Virginia mining cases, that sympathetic strikes are unlawful, Mr. Gompers would not indicate the next step of the labor organizations in the contest, but stated that the fight was certainly not an academic one, and intimated that the matter would not be permitted to rest in its present status, but would be continued through all the avenues of appeal possible for a successful outcome from the standpoint of labor.

BRIGHT FOR WINDSOR.

Windsor, Ont., March 17.—Owing to the prospect of an unusual industrial boom, and also to the increasing number of Detroit employees who seek a residence here because of the proximity of Windsor to the business centre of Detroit, Windsor is likely this year to experience the greatest building boom in its history. City Engineer Brian has issued since Jan. 1 building permits totalling over 1,000 more than those issued during the same period last year, which was the city's record year.

MAY SUE COUNCIL.

Welland, Ont., March 17.—A member of Pelham Township council is threatened with a suit for libel on account of his stating that a Pelham citizen had beaten his own father out of five hundred dollars.

SOLD FOR JUDGMENT.

Welland, Ont., March 17.—E. W. Near has secured judgment for \$1,724 against the Whirlpool Amusement Company, of Buffalo, which built an amusement works, called "Over the Falls and Through the Rapids," at Crystal Beach, this county, which did not prove a financial success. The amusement will be sold to satisfy the judgment.



Delicious Doughnuts

Good doughnuts are good food. Made from the right flour they are not only a delicious treat but the combination of right flour with fat is distinctly nourishing.

You see I put special emphasis on right flour. For it is very important. It means the difference between light, flaky, crumbly doughnuts that melt in your mouth and are easy to digest, and tough, rubbery greasy wads of dough, heavy, soggy, indigestible. Try making doughnuts from OGILVIE'S ROYAL HOUSEHOLD FLOUR. Notice how rich, soft, and flaky they are. Every one comes out of the kettle browned to a turn—appetizing, delicious, nutritious, sweet as a nut.

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JURY SAYS IT WAS AN ACCIDENT

Motorman McFadden Exonerated in Matter of Death of Joseph Allaster.

EVIDENCE SUBMITTED

Stated That Car Was Going at Ten Miles an Hour—Victim Went Under the Fender When Struck.

"That Joseph Allaster came to his death by being struck and run over by an eastbound car on the Hamilton road on Monday afternoon, March 14, and we are unanimously of the opinion that Motorman McFadden did everything in his power to prevent the fatality, and we acquit him of any blame in the matter."

The above verdict was brought in by the jury, which last night, under Coroner MacLaren, investigated the death of Joseph Allaster, who met his death on the Hamilton road last Monday afternoon by being struck by a street car. Mr. George C. Gibbons, K.C., represented the family, and Mr. C. H. Key, the London Street Railway Company.

The Evidence.
William J. McFadden, motorman on car No. 50, said the accident happened at 2:50 o'clock. He first noticed Allaster when the car was about 75 feet west of the crossing. He sounded the bell continually, and when the car was about 5 yards from the crossing, Allaster was about two or three paces from the track. Witness thought then that Allaster did not know the car was coming, and reversed the motor and dropped the fender. The car went about two car lengths over the crossing. Allaster's foot seemed to go under the fender, and he fell back. As his head struck the fender he was thrown forward, and went under it. The car would be going about 10 miles an hour.

The Cross-Examination.
Cross-examined by Mr. Gibbons, witness said the car is one of the oldest in use on the railway. There was a car waiting to cross his at Mainland street. Witness said he was not hurrying more than ordinary to make the crossing. He did not apply the brakes at all. The car would not slacken much by merely slowing off the power as witness did. When the fender dropped, the car would be within two yards of Allaster. Witness swore he did not drop the fender on him. Witness said the only way he could account for the fender raising was the fact that there is a stone crossing at the place about three inches above the roadway. The fender is not firm, and would easily lift up. Witness did not consider it surprising that the car went two lengths before it stopped, considering the speed it was going. Witness could not say whether or not he used the sand in the same box, and did not know whether it was in shape for use or not. He stated that Allaster did not look towards the car at all.

Conductor's Story.
Conductor Wesley H. Rea said he saw Allaster walking towards the tracks. He was then about twelve feet in front of it. The car was going at the time. The car would be going about 9 or 10 miles an hour.

Peter Sternburg, 305 Hamilton road, a passenger on the car, said the car was going 10 or 12 miles an hour. The car was going.

The Post-Mortem.
Drs. F. P. Drake and H. B. Black, who conducted the post-mortem, gave

evidence of the terrible injuries sustained by Allaster. They agreed that death would result instantaneously from shock.

Dr. L. S. Holmes, who had been attending Allaster for some time, stated that he was absolutely deaf. On the afternoon in question he had just left Dr. Holmes' office, and had told the physician that he never felt better.

CORRESPONDENCE

Farmers and the London Market.
To the Editor of The Advertiser:
I was interested in reading an article in The Advertiser of Thursday, March 3, from the pen of Mr. W. G. Trethewey, of Toronto. The burden of the correspondence was high prices, caused by bad roads preventing farmers from getting in to market to supply the demand direct to the consumer. Now, this may be correct as far as Toronto goes, for I am aware they have not much gravel there, and they have fearful roads at times; but this does not apply to the case at London.

There was a time when London was our only market; and even if the roads were bad—as they were then—we had to go there, and a full market was enjoyed, and cheap stuff could be bought. Now, when we look up the report, almost every day for years, the report is a small market for everything but truck, and truck is overdone, while there may be, say, two loads of wheat and three of oats. Do bad roads or the bad weather prevent the farmers from coming in? I say no such a thing. Farmers, as such, do not care a "continental" whether London is there or not. I quote from the article: "The tendency for all things is to move along the line of least resistance." Now railroad stations and grain stores are almost at our doors all over the country. We can take two loads a day to those stations, where one to London would be a big day's drive. It makes no difference what hours we go to the station up to 9 o'clock at night, our grain is never locked out. We get good weight, and no grumbling, no matter what hour we take it. If we are not there about 12 o'clock the market is over, the buyers are gone to dinner or to some hotel. If one of the professionals should be there he comes, sticks his hand in a bag and takes a sniff and says they are a little off, then all non-professionals turn and leave and none of them offers a bid. Then the first gentleman goes the load at half price, and then, perhaps, we have to drive to London East or South and get unloaded as best we can, then hunt your man up to get your money, deliver me from driving grain to London.

Our apples are packed by our association's own packers. The cream wagons call twice a week, and we make more of it at the butter factory than London buyers will give. Eggs sometimes are gathered from house to house. Our hay and straw is packed here at the barn and delivered at the station. The local loaders buy up all our cattle or shippers by the carload. Our surplus horses are all picked up on the farm. We can live like fighting cocks on the farm and never see London.

There is one thing London can beat us in—they have a good strong lockup. Well, they are welcome to it. Perhaps they need it worse than we do. Our constables and justices of the peace here have nothing to do. Yours truly, A. C. ATTWOOD, One of the J. P.'s.

A bottle of milk containing a two-inch minnow was recently delivered by a Pittsfield (Mass.) milkman to one of his customers.

A subway for Vienna is projected, according to the Zeitschrift des Oesterreichischen Ingenieur Vereines. This new system, which, if built, will be the first subway in the city, is designed to run in two lines, crossing each other at right angles in the centre of the city.

GREAT WOE FOR LORD BALFOUR'S COUSIN

Sheriff at Flint Seizes His Silk Hose and Things.

Flint, Mich., March 17.—Sheriff Parkhurst's office shortly before noon today resembled a cabin on an ocean liner. Fancy goods, such as silk hosiery, lace, and patent leather shoes, bric-a-brac and fine lace goods made up the assortment.

Several months ago Harry D. Balfour, 23, dropped into Flint and represented himself to be a cousin of Lord Balfour, of England. He was at the head of the Fleetwood engineering works, he told them, and he succeeded in inducing a number of shrewd businessmen to invest. The proposition was all right, and he learned. The company makes patterns for auto parts. About a month ago, Balfour resigned his position with the company and went to Detroit.

During his sojourn in Flint, Balfour was much petted. When he departed several merchants complained that he had left his bills unpaid. Early this morning Balfour and his valet came to the city and went to the apartments on East Court street, where Balfour had rooms, and began packing trunks, etc. Sheriff Parkhurst received application from Buckingham & Co., clothiers, and R. L. Sellers, druggist, to attach the belongings of Balfour. The goods were brought to the jail. Since then a number of other bills have been pouring in, but Buckingham's bill calls for \$25, the articles named being silk hose, and that of Sellers' amounts to \$18 for perfume.

After the goods were taken to the jail, Balfour sought to satisfy Buckingham and Sellers by giving them checks on a Detroit bank. He also settled a bill with Mrs. Van Worman, owner of the "Tea Cup Inn," in the same manner. Buckingham has a local banker telephone to Detroit, where it was discovered that his deposit was not enough to meet the checks. He then told his creditors that he would send the money to the bank Monday night.

Just before Balfour severed his connection with the engineering company he stated in disgust that he was done with Flint society, because they had neglected to invite him to a social function.

SURVIVED THE LOSS OF THE BIRKENHEAD

Old Sailor's Vivid Story of How the Troopship Went Down.

London, March 17.—Fifty-eight years ago on Saturday the troopship Birkenhead foundered in St. Simon's Bay, and 454 British soldiers and sailors went to their death with unflinching courage and magnificent discipline. Of the few living survivors one is William Tuck, an octogenarian pensioner, of the Royal Marine Light Infantry, who is still fairly hale and hearty, and lives at Brockhurst, near Portsmouth. He is now 84 years of age. He is not quite clear as to the date of his birth. Tuck, yarning about the disaster, tells that at the time when the vessel, a fine iron paddle-wheel steamer, struck on a hidden rock, two miles from the shore, at 2 o'clock in the morning, he was doing deck duty. As a member of the crew he well remembers how as he stood on the starboard paddle-box he saw the troops drawn up on the poop, awaiting orders as though on parade, while the ship slowly sank; no one stirred. Not until all the women and children had left—and there were 56 in all—did any of the troops move from their place, and then only when the order was given for each man to do the best he could for himself.

"I was still standing on the paddle-box," says Tuck, "at the time the ship's foremast went over the side with a crash into the waters. When the ship went down, and the sea came in aboard, I jumped overboard. For a time I swam about, and then, seeing the foremast just out of water, I held on to it for a time and rested. Then I saw a plank, swam to it, fetched another plank alongside it, and made a raft. By this time a sailor had joined me, and together we made for the shore two miles away, using pieces of timbering as paddles and swimming a good deal as well. We had a lot of trouble to reach land because of great weeds which clung round our raft. We had to cut them away. It took us about fifteen hours to reach land, working against currents. Once ashore we made for the woods.

"Meeting some KYPSE people, they gave us firing, by which we dried ourselves. On the following day a wagon picked us up, and took us, with other survivors, to an inland farm, where they looked after us splendidly. Tuck left the service on a pension in 1867.

MOTTER—BEEKE

Pretty Wedding at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. Beeke, in Hensall.

The residence of Mrs. J. R. Beeke, of Hensall, was the scene of a pretty wedding on Wednesday afternoon, March 16, when her daughter, Mildred G., became the bride of Ervin J. Motter, of Melville, Sask. Promptly at 1 o'clock the bride, who was given away by Mr. E. Rennie, took her place under a handsome floral arch. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. E. Milyard. The bride was attired in a becoming gown of cream satin, and carried a shower bouquet of bridal roses. After congratulations the company sat down to a sumptuous repast.

The groom's gift to the bride was a handsome fur-lined coat; to Miss Pearl, sister of the bride, who played the wedding march, an opal ring; to Oia Cook, the pretty little ring-bearer, a gold-beaded bracelet.

The bride's going-away gown was of dove-gray chiffon cloth with black hat. The happy couple left on the evening train to visit among friends until the latter part of the month, when they will leave for their future home in Melville, where Mr. Motter is a hardware merchant.

UPROAR IN REICHSTAG

Berlin, March 18.—For the first time in the history of the Reichstag a challenge to fight a duel has been issued from the tribune of the House. The challenger was Herr Von Oldenburg, a prominent Conservative, former cavalry officer, who made himself notorious last January by advocating in the Reichstag, the Kaiser's right to send

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DOWNTOWN

a lieutenant and ten men and close the House.

Yesterday's break was the outcome of a squabble, in which Oldenburg denounced certain members who had attacked him, as being devoid of anything approaching honor. This set the House in an uproar, and after much excitement Oldenburg was called to order, but later, enraged by criticisms from Radicals and Socialists, he went to the tribune in a white heat, and challenged four deputies, whom he named, to fight him anywhere at any time.

This provoked an outburst of derisive laughter from the members of the left, which did not improve Oldenburg's temper. Herr Bebel, the Socialist leader, added to his annoyance by stating with mock gravity that the challenges would not be accepted.

The Reichstag then adjourned until April 12, amid much excitement.

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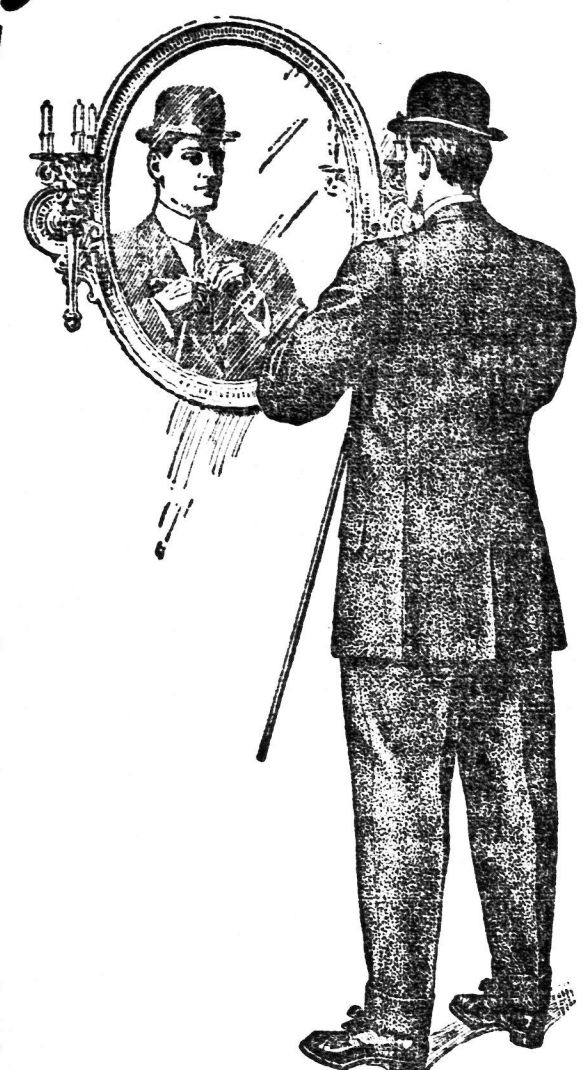
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LATE RICHARD KETTLEWELL

Death Removes One of the Oldest Settlers of Middlesex County.

The death of Mr. Richard Kettlewell, of Stratford, on the 6th inst., removes one of the earliest settlers in Middlesex County, and recalls a period of pioneer days, filled with hardships and privations. Mr. Kettlewell was born in York, Eng., on June 12, 83 years ago. In 1834 he came with his family to Canada, and settled two miles from the village of St. Thomas. Five years later he moved to the still more sparsely-settled township of Elfrida, and subsequently located on a farm in the bush wilderness of Metcalfe. Here on Feb. 5, 82 years ago, he married Ann Tennant, formerly of England, and to them were born ten children, six boys and four girls.

Beginning life in a home rudely constructed of logs, hewn out from the clearance, Mr. Kettlewell became one of the most successful farmers of the township, took an active part in the progress of the country and in early municipal affairs, and saw Western Ontario develop from a wooded wilderness into its cities, its towns, and fine farming communities.

In the deceased pioneer's early life, London and St. Thomas were small villages, and Stratford had but four houses. These were the days when every man was as poor as his neighbor, and life, from a modern viewpoint, was for both husband and wife one great hardship. There were no railroads, and the finest timber was unobtainable. Even cordwood had no market, for every man grew his own fuel. Roads were not yet opened up, and for four years the nearest approach to them was a footpath through the bush, and a blazed road over which, even in summertime, the oxen drew the grain ten miles to mill on a home-made sleigh. Wheat was frequently sold at St. Thomas and Delaware for "three shillings" (37½ cents), and oats for 10 cents a bushel. Threshing was, of course, done with the flail. The nearest store was six miles distant, and to walk to it and carry the butter and eggs was a work that the wife as well as the husband shared. The nearest town was in Delaware, 20 miles away. In those days, were more or less plentiful, and Mr. Kettlewell could call the time when he drove from Metcalfe to London to get the seven dollars bounty offered for the head of one.

After a life of hard work on the farm, Mr. Kettlewell moved to Stratford, where he lived in retirement. In his family life the deceased was singularly blessed. Twelve years ago, he and his aged wife celebrated their golden wedding, and at that time his ten children were all living. Since then a son and a daughter had been taken from him, but in his declining years he knew less of the sting of death than falls to the lot of the average man.

WATCH FOR MR. COMET. San Jose, Cal., March 18.—Halley's comet will be visible to the naked eye just before dawn on April 8, or shortly after that date, states S. W. Campbell, director of Lick Observatory.

"On May 18 the earth may pass through the tail of the comet," said Director Campbell, "but there is no danger for terrestrial life, as the tail will be extremely attenuated."

KEEP RIVER OPEN.

Montreal, Que., March 17.—Prof. Howard T. Barnes, of McGill, who has been studying St. Lawrence ice conditions for some time past under the auspices of the department of marine and fisheries, stated in a lecture last night that the keeping open of the river during the winter was purely a commercial proposition, and could be done when trade interests demanded it.

DRAFTS FROM LONDON. Halifax, N. S., March 18.—It is announced that the strength of the Royal Canadian Regiment in barracks here is to be increased to 700 on April 1 by drafts from Fredericton and London, Ont.

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THE ANCIENT ORDER SELECTS OFFICERS

Mayor Craig, of Fergus, Is Elected Grand Master Workman.

Toronto, March 18.—Mayor Craig, M. P., of Fergus, was yesterday elected grand master workman of the A. O. U. W., succeeding A. B. Morris, of Rodney, who becomes immediate past grand master workman.

The other officers are: Grand over-seer, W. C. Mikel, K.C., D.C.L., city solicitor, Belleville; grand recorder, M. D. Carder, P. G. M. W., Toronto, re-elected for 22nd consecutive year; grand treasurer, F. G. Inwood, P. G. M. W., Toronto, by acclamation; grand solicitor, A. F. G. Lawrence, Toronto, by acclamation; grand medical examiner, Dr. J. M. Cotton, Toronto, appointed; grand guide, Thos. E. Bloodworth, Toronto; grand inside watchman, I. A. Kinsella, North Bay; grand outside watchman, Howard Powers, Ottawa.

The district deputy grand masters elected were: St. Clair, J. G. Stewart, Windsor; Erie, W. Kirley, of St. Thomas; London, James W. Cook, Littlewood; Brant, S. Gibson, Ingersoll; Hamilton, W. B. Shoup, Hagersville; Niagara, Myron McLean, St. Catharines; Guelph, John E. Vogt, Berlin; Huron, Harry Morris, Goderich; Bruce, James Grace, Mooretown; Dufferin, R. B. Henry, Orangeville; Peel, George McManus, Mono Mills; Toronto, W. H. Margan, Toronto; York, W. H. Clark, Stouffville; Simcoe, T. McKnight, Cookstown; Ontario, W. H. Van Valkenburg, Whitby; Durham, F. C. McMaster, Havelock; Quinte, Alex. Moore, Plainfield; Kingston, R. W. Longmore, Camden East; St. Lawrence, James Cummings, Lyn St. Mont; W. Clarke, Cardinal; Ottawa, Wm. Hughes, Ottawa; Lanark, E. W. Vandusen, Smith's Falls; Georgian Bay, R. J. Sanderson, Orillia; Superior, W. E. Robertson, Ignace; Nipissing, W. T. McGav, Callender.

POLITICAL LEADERS TAKE HAND IN STRIKE

Strong Pressure Being Brought To End the Industrial Strife at Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, March 17.—With the arrival here today of State Senator James S. McNichol, and William S. Vare, recorder of deeds of the county, the most potential leaders of the dominant political party in Philadelphia, it is said, added force was given to the movement to bring about peace between the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company and its striking employees. Senator Penrose, it is expected, may also take a hand in peace negotiations. Leading members of the Republican organization are closely allied with certain powerful interests in the Rapid Transit Company, and the attitude Senator McNichol will assume in the trouble is awaited with interest. Senator McNichol is credited with having brought about the end of the carmen's strike last June.

Both branches of city councils will meet in regular session late this afternoon, and more resolutions urging arbitration and other peace methods are expected to be presented. It is believed that if Mayor Reyburn had shown a desire to enter arbitration proceedings, he would have been strongly backed up by the councils. The mayor has not changed his attitude, however, and reiterates he is only interested in maintaining the law. Edward Louber Stokes, the broker, who procured the first meeting between the strike leaders and the car officials, is continuing his efforts to secure some settlement of the difficulty. It is said that he represents powerful financial interests. The labor leaders are still at work trying to spread the general strike. President Greenleaf, of the State Federation of Labor, said today that he has heard from several towns in the state that have voted to join the movement for a state-wide strike if the carmen's strike is not soon settled.

EUCCHARISTIC CONGRESS

Some Opposition Shown To Montreal Paying for Entertainment of Guests.

Montreal, March 18.—Not for a great many years has there been such opposition to a plan that the city council of Montreal proposed to make as that implied in the suggestion that it would very likely make a grant of \$50,000 towards the expenses of the Eucharistic congress to be held in Montreal next September, which is said to be one-half of the total.

The Montreal Presbytery recently passed a strong resolution opposing the proposal, and now the Protestant Ministerial Association has endorsed the resolution, passed by the Presbytery of Montreal, with the result that a large number of the French-Canadian clergymen seem greatly exercised over the opposition, claiming that there have been a number of precedents for the action proposed.

Feeling has been running to a very high pitch and today the civic reception committee came out with a statement that, while it had discussed the question of voting funds to the coming congress, there had never been any intention made of the sum to be given. The announcement regarding the amount must therefore have been obtained by local newspapers from some of the individual members of the committee.

A special committee, composed of three Roman Catholics and one Protestant, has been appointed by this re-

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ception committee, and this committee will likely wait on the Roman Catholic archbishop and ask him what form of entertainment he would like to have the city tender to the ecclesiastical visitors. It is likely to include a banquet, a reception on the mountain top, and another at the city hall, and in addition to this, the city will likely undertake to pay to have various streets decorated at the time the conference is being held.

A LINE TO LINK ANTIPODES AND CANADA

Ships Will Bring the Australian Produce to Canada and Carry Back Manufactured Goods.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, March 18.—It has just been announced by the Canadian Government that a new direct service between Canadian Atlantic ports and Australia and New Zealand will be put on this summer. This service is to be put on by the New Zealand Shipping Company, which is one of the big steamship companies of the world. It is expected that this new line will result in a large accretion of trade between Eastern Canada and the Antipodes, the boats bringing frozen meat, wool, tallow, hides and other Australian products to Canada, and taking back manufactured products, such as agricultural implements, flour, carriages, buggies, boots and shoes, sewing machines, and other Canadian manufactured articles, which have for long past been in strong demand in Australia.

The new service will be inaugurated with the sailing of the steamship Rakaka from Montreal on May 15, and monthly sailings thereafter.

The New Zealand Shipping Company, which is inaugurating this new venture, is one of the strong shipping companies of the world. It was inaugurated in New Zealand in 1872, with several sailing vessels, but speedily grew, until, with the advent of steam vessels, it took on a new phase, and became a concern with wide affiliations. At present its headquarters are at London, England, and at Christchurch, New Zealand, and the company owns 17 first-class modern steamships, operating all over the world.

In its origin the company was formed by a number of New Zealand farmers, who felt the necessity for foreign outlet for their trade, but its success speedily caused it to outgrow this limited start.

The service will be operated by five steamships, Montreal being the summer port and West St. John the winter port. The names of the vessels are as follows: Rakaka, Whakatane, Waimate, Papanui and Wakatani. Speedy and Large.

The vessels to be engaged in the service will be comparatively speedy and of large carrying capacity. This service is of more than ordinary importance to the manufacturers in Canada, particularly those in Ontario, Quebec, and the Maritime Provinces, for the reason that it will enable them to lay their commodities down in the Australasian markets with regularity and permit them to compete on an equal footing with their friends south of the boundary. It is the intention of the New Zealand Shipping Company to give the Canadian manufacturer every facility and concession which the American manufacturer now enjoys and which Canadians have felt for some time past they were not obtaining through the port of New York owing to certain discrimination. A matter worthy of note is that although New Zealand granted to the Canadians a preferential tariff some years ago the same has been of little benefit, as it is claimed by Canadian manufacturers that the steamship lines operating out of New York immediately advanced for the carriage of frozen meats from the Antipodes, so as to practically offset the advantage in the duty in order to place the American manufacturer on an equal footing with the Canadian. The New Zealand Shipping Company and Canadian Government in establishing this service feel confident of the full and undivided support of the Canadian shipping public. There is undoubtedly sufficient trade to warrant the success of the line.

These vessels are approximately 9,000 tons burden each, and are all equipped with the most modern cold storage facilities for the carriage of frozen meats from the Antipodes.

This service will undoubtedly promote a more friendly feeling between Australia, New Zealand and Canada, and also increase the interchange of commodities between these great links of the Empire.

AMBITIOUS ANNIE.

Watertown, N. Y., March 17.—Annie L. Peck, the mountain climber, in a letter to the Standard today, states that she would prefer to break the world's record in the Himalayas of 24,600 feet now held by the Duke of the Abruzzi, than to attempt the ascent of Mount McKinley.

"It would be impossible to guarantee the ascent of Mount McKinley, as it is not likely that it can be done by anyone," she said, "but I think there is no question of my ability to surpass Prince Luigi's record in the Himalayas, as there are many mountains in India of the necessary height."

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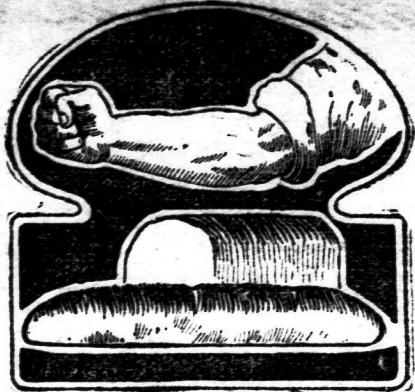
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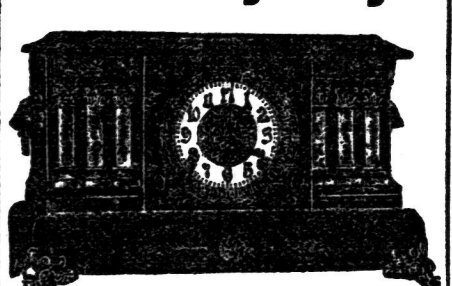
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WHAT IS SOLID ROCK

Ottawa, March 18.—The point at issue between H. D. Lumsden, C.E., and his subordinate engineers was further illustrated yesterday morning when the former chief engineer admitted once more that the question at issue is one of engineering differences of opinion rather than of bad faith on the part of the engineers.

This was proved when R. C. Smith, K.C., counsel for the Transcontinental commission, read an opinion by Donald MacMaster, K.C., to the effect that rock found in ledges in masses or more than one cubic yard should be classed as solid rock when it had to be removed by blasting. Asked his opinion on that opinion, Mr. Lumsden said that if a contractor lost much in blasting it would not make the substance solid rock. Mr. Smith next read an opinion from Wallace Nesbitt, K.C., to the effect that stones and boulders found in masses formed conglomerate and was more difficult to deal with than solid rock. Mr. Lumsden agreed that in such case it should be classed as solid rock. Mr. Nesbitt further expressed the view that solid rock in a commercial sense was material in mass which required blasting to remove, but Mr. Lumsden declined to accept that definition. "Then you entirely disagree with him?" "I can't say I agree with him." The evidence is all very technical and all turns upon the divergence of

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Toronto, March 18.—The Lieutenant-Governor Hon. J. M. Gibson and Hon. Chas. Murphy, secretary of state, were at the demonstration of the A. O. H. in Massey Hall last night. The lieutenant-governor presented Thomas Reynolds, the hero of the C. P. R. wreck near Webbwood, with the Albert medal; Hon. Chas. Murphy presented him with the Royal Humane Society medal, and Mr. Andrew Heron with a silver tea service from the A. O. H. The Royal Humane Society also awarded a medal to Conductor Reynolds, accompanied by a letter officially notifying him of the award, and these, at the request of Mr. H. P. Dwight, chairman of the investigation committee of the association, were presented with the Albert medal.

APPIN BOY DEAD

The death occurred in Appin Wednesday of John Wainwright, only remaining son of Mr. and Mrs. Wainwright, aged 16 years. He was born and lived in London till a few years ago, when the family moved to Appin. Besides his parents, he is survived by four sisters, Mrs. Jack McKenzie, of this city; Mrs. Jack McKenzie, of Hamilton, and Pearl and Gladys, at home. The funeral will take place from the family residence in Appin today.

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CATTLE MAN WAS SENT FOR TRIAL

D. W. Robson, of Oxford County, Bailed for Sum of \$1,000 to Appear On Fraud Charge.

CHECKS ISSUED, NO FUNDS

Alleged That the Man Has Never Made Any Attempt To Meet the Paper, and Hence the Prosecution.

D. W. Robson, a farmer and cattle dealer of Oxford County, was committed for trial yesterday afternoon by Squire Chittick on the charge of fraud. He was bailed in the sum of \$1,000, and neither the prisoner nor his father are residents of the county, a certified check for that amount was accepted as security. Of Lobo Township, who stated that on May 7 he had sold the prisoner two cows for which the latter had given him \$5 in cash and a check for \$100. When the check was presented for payment it was found that there were no funds to meet it.

In the course of the evidence, several instances of a similar character were brought out, but the first charge was the only one standing against the prisoner.

The Prosecution.

W. E. Martin testified that he had sold the prisoner stock valued at \$480 on the same day, which had also been paid by a check. R. Martin, the former witness' brother, told of receiving a check for \$145 while another man, Mr. T. Lipsett, who was unable to attend because of illness, was stated to have received a check for \$180. All the checks were issued May 7. Mr. Marshall Graydon, who acted as private prosecutor, urged that when the checks were issued there was no deposit to meet them, and that therefore the cows were purchased by means of false pretences and with intent to defraud. He urged, too, that since that time the prisoner had made no effort to pay the amounts.

The Defence.

Mr. McKay, of Plattsville, who defended the accused, urged that there was \$175 in the bank at the time that first check was issued to Mr. Headley, and that the other instances were not under consideration.

Mr. G. E. Sterling, manager of the Standard Bank of Plattsville, testified that at different times he had allowed Robson to overdraft his account. An arrangement, however, had been made to have these over checks paid, though they were drawn on his bank.

THE LEGISLATURE ENDS SESSION

Final Business Put Through Yesterday and Prorogation Saturday.

EIGHT HOUR DAY BILL

Labor Member's Measure Lost on Division No Increase in Indemnity.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, March 18.—By putting in a strenuous day and working continuously without an intermission for lunch, the Legislature last evening concluded all the business which was up for discussion this session, and the second session of the twelfth Parliament of the province is now a thing of the past. All that remains to be done is for the Lieutenant-Governor on Saturday morning, give his assent to all the bills passed during the past seven weeks, read his speech from the throne and declare the Legislature officially prorogued. The session this year broke all previous records for the number of bills passed. During the 39 working days of the session 166 new statutes were placed upon the law books, which beats last year's record by one. There was only one night sitting of the House this session, with four divisions on which the yeas and nays of the members were taken. The House had a strenuous day yesterday.

In addition to listening to several speeches on the eight-hour day bill, introduced by Mr. Studholme (East Hamilton), on which the House was divided, discussion of the statute law amendment act, and report of the public accounts committee. Mr. Studholme complained that he had not been given a square deal in previous discussions when he addressed the House, and wanted the members to have lunch before he spoke or not to have lunch while he was speaking. At the suggestion of Sir James Whitney he was right in his speech, and those members who wished left the chamber to get some lunch. Mr. Studholme spoke for about two hours, urging the Government to accept the eight-hour day, and was supported by Mr. A. E. Frapp (West Ottawa). Other members of the House suggested that the government appoint a commission to investigate the conditions of the laborers in the province. Sir James moved that Mr. Studholme be given the six-months' holiday in view of the fact that a Dominion commission was investigating the labor conditions in the Dominion. Hon. Mr. MacKay moved an amendment to Sir James' amendment, asking for the appointment of the provincial commission, which was defeated on a division of the House. Mr. Studholme and Mr. Frapp voted for Mr. MacKay's amendment to the amendment.

The last thing before adjournment Sir James Whitney stated that he understood that certain members of the Opposition wished to bring in an amendment to the report of the public accounts committee. Such a thing was entirely out of order, but in order that it might be decided, the House was called to order. Mr. Whitney then made a speech, winding up with a motion that the report of the public accounts committee be referred for further consideration of the sales of lots in the Gilles Limit Park, the purchase of automobiles by the hydro-electric commission. There was a lengthy discussion on the proposition. Mr. Ferguson (Renfrew), chairman of the public accounts committee, replied to Mr. McDougall, and was followed by Mr. Elliott (Middlesex). The debate was closed by a vote by Mr. McGarry.

Sessional Indemnity.

Sir James again referred to the statement made regarding the circulation of a round-robin asking for an increase in the sessional indemnity. He said he was not prepared to say that the indemnity was too much, but was certainly not prepared to say that it should not be increased. When the indemnity was to be increased, he said, the Government would take the responsibility, and would not increase it during the last week of the session.

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The Executive of the Dominion Trades Congress had interviewed the Government, but had not asked for the bill. They had asked for an eight-hour day for miners and street railway employees, but had not even hinted at a bill such as Mr. Studholme's.

It would be impossible for the Government to pass such a blanket bill without first obtaining all information on the subject. A labor bill was being introduced at Ottawa, and all necessary information was being secured. It would be better for the Ontario Government to wait and get the benefit of that information. If the evidence thus obtained pointed to any direction, the Government would take any action which would serve the people whom the Government represented. Sir James then moved an amendment, that in view of the fact that a Dominion commission had been appointed, the bill be given the six months' holiday.

Hon. Mr. MacKay thought the Provincial Government should appoint a commission. Instead of waiting for the Dominion to report, the House should authorize the House to appoint a commission. He moved an amendment calling for the appointment of a commission.

Hon. Mr. MacKay's amendment to the amendment was lost on a division of 47 to 12.

Mr. Studholme (East Hamilton) and Mr. Frapp (Con., West Ottawa), voted with the Opposition.

ALLEGED CATTLE FRAUD

D. W. Robson, of Oxford County, Is Arraigned.

D. W. Robson, the young Oxford man who is charged with fraud in connection with the purchase of a number of cattle from Lobo County farmers, paying for them with checks, was arraigned yesterday in the case, there being several charges against the young man amounting in the neighborhood of \$200. The case is still under consideration.

ROYAL TEMPLARS ELECT

Ex-Alderman James Hales Made Dominion Grand Councilor.

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