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It is currently reported in Britain that Premier Asquith will retire be-fore the close of 1913. It will be interesting, therefore, to recall the conditions under which many of his sors have laid down the burden of office, which proved too heavy

for their shoulders.

One remembers, for instance, how, as long ago as 1874, Mr. Gladstone announced his intention to leave the arena of politics for the "more reposeful atmosphere of private life." "At the age of sixty-five," he said, "and after forty-two years of a laborious public life, I think myself entitled to retire on the present opportunity. This retirement is dictated to me by my personal views as to the best method of spending the closing years of my life." He little dreamt at this time, when he fancied himself "too weary and old" for his great position, that he would still be discharging its onerous duties nearly twenty years later, when within sight of his eight-fifth sirthday.

Mr. Asquith is still a young man as British Premiers go. He is but one year older than Mr. Gladstone was when first he assumed the office. Lord Palmerston did not consider himself too old to undertake the Premiership for the first time at seventy; Sir H. Campbell-Bannerman at sixty-nine; Lord Grey at sixty-six; and Disraeli at sixty-two; and these statesmen still had vigor enough to direct the British Empire for an aggregate period of twenty-three years. Of our Prime Ministers during the last two centuries no fewer than six have worn their harness in the seventies; two, Lord Palmerston and Mr. Gladstone, laid it aside at the advanced age of eighty-one and eighty-four respective-One remembers, for instance, how

laid it aside at the advanced age of eighty-one and eighty-four respective-ly; and seven, including Palmerston, have died in office.

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Ministers.

But in spite of these remarkable survivals there can be no doubt that the cares of this high office have proved too great 1 r many of its holders of whom seven have died in harness while many others, including Beaconsfield, Portland, and Liverpool, were broken in health when they resigned. Probably it was bearing this in mind that Gladstone, as he walked along Downing street to form his last Government, said pathetically to striend. "This is a tragedy at my time of life!"

George Canning was a comparative

friend. "This is a tragedy at my time of life!"

George Canning was a comparative ly strong man of fifty-reven when, in April, 1827, he succeeded Lord Liverpool, who had been struck down by paralysis; but four months later he was lying in Westminster Abbey, having drawn his last breath in the very room in which Fox had died twenty one years earlier. His brief tenurs of office was embittered by a contest with the House of Lords, conducted with much personal acrimony, of which Canning, an amiable and highly-sensitive man, had to bear the brunt. At the end of the short session he left the House a broken man, to die a month later at the Duke of Devonshire's villa at Chiswick.

Twenty-one years earlier William Pitt had closed his brilliant and brief career, utterly worn' out by the anxieties of the first Napoleonic wars. It was a time of terrible gloom and anxiety for England, when Napoleon was ravaging Europe with fire and sword, and the fate of England, hung nevil. London Mixed Paints. ravaging Europe with fire and sword, and the fate of England hung perilously in the balance. When the news of the victory of Austerlitz, which made the Corsican master of Europe, reached Pitt at Bath, where he was CROWELL BROS. reached Pitt at Bath, where he was taking the waters, it proved a mortal blow to the great statesman.

He traveled back to his house on Putney Heath so weak that the journey occupied three days. As he entered the house and saw a map of Europe which hung on the wall, he exclaimed sadly, "Roll the map up; it will not be wanted now." A week later he died, whispering with his last breath the historic words, "Oh, my country! How I love my country!"

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my country! How I love my country!"

Although Pitt was only forty-seven when death came to him, he had already been England's Prime Minister for nineteen years; and it is to be feared that it was as much his passion for the bottle as the anxieties of office that brought his life to such a premature close

Palmerston was twenty-three years short of his first Premiership at the age when Pitt had run his course. Wonderful tales are told of the virility of this grand old statesman who, almost to his death, rode to the Derby every year, galloping on to the Downs as fresh and eager as a boy. In 1865 the weather was so bad that, to his disgust, he had to make the journey in a barouche; and, as he saw the French horse, Gladiateur, forge in front, he said jokingly to a friend, "I shall not live the year through if the toreigner wins." Four months later he was lying dead, his writing-table littered with the papers on which he had been busily engaged but a few hours earlier.

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Another minister? You don't mean the was clear enough now. She recalled Douglas' troubled look of an hour ago. She remembered how he had asked if she couldn't go away. It was this that she couldn't go away. It was this that he meant when he promised not, to give her up, no matter what happened. In an instant she was at the deacon's side pleading and terrined. "You wouldn't get another minister! Oh, please, Deacon Strang, listen to me, listen! You were right about Jim. He did come to get me, and I am going best to the circus only you won't send Mr. Douglas away, you won't send Mr. Douglas away, you won't say you won't!" She was searching his syes for mercs. "It wasn't his fault that I kept strying on. He didn't know how to get rif of me. He did try. He tried only theay."

"So he's comin' round," sneered Strong.

Strong.

"Yes, yes, and you won't blame him any more, will you?" she hurried on anxiously. "Zou'll let him stay, no matter what he does, if I promise to go away and agver, never come back again?"

egain?"
"I ain't holdin' ne grudge agin him,"
Strong grumbled. "He talks pretty
tough sometimes, but he's been a good
snough minister. I ain't forgettin'
that."
"Oh, thank you, Mr. Strong, thank
tour, I'll got my things. It won't take you. I'll get my things. It won't take a minute." She was running up the steps when a sudden thought stopped her. She returned quickly to Strong. "We'd better not let him know just yet. You can tell him afterward. Tell him that I ran away. Tell him that"—She was interrupted by Douglas, who came from the house. "Hello, Strong! Back again?" he asked, in some sur Polly remained with her eyes upon the deacon, searching for some way of escape. The pastor approached. She burst into nervous laughter. "What's the joke?" Douglas

asked.
"It's only a little surprise that the deacon and I are planning." She tried to control the catch in her voice. "You'll know about it soon, won't be, deacon? Good afternoon, Mr. Strong!" She flew into the house, laughing hyswith a puzzled frown. It was unlike Polly to give way to her moods before

others. "Have you gentlemen changed your minds about the little girl staying on?" he asked uneasily.
"It's all right now," said Strong. seating himself with a complexent air.

"All right? How so?" questioned
Douglas, more and more pussled by
the deacon's evident satisfaction.
"Because," said Strong, rising and
facing the pastor—"because your circus ridin' gal is goin' to leave you of
her own accord."

"Have you been talking to then girl?" asked Douglas sternly. "I have," said Strong, holding his "T have," said Strong, holding his ground.

"See here, deacon, if you've bees browbeating that child I may forget that I'm a minister." The knuckles on Douglas' large fists grew whiter.

"She's goin', I tee you, and it ain't because of what I said either. She's gain' back to the chrous."

"I don't believe you."

"You would 'a' believed me if you'd geen the fellow that was just a-callin' on her and her a-buggh' and a-kissin' of him and a-promisin' that she'd be a-waitin' for him here when he come back."

"You He!" cried Douglas, taking a stap toward the retreating deacon.

"There's the fellow now!" cried Strong as he pointed to the gate. "Suppose you ask him afore you call me a liar."

Douglas turned quickly and saw Jim

low are you, Mr. Douglas?" said 7m www.wardly,
"You've seen Polly?" asked Dougles,
shaking Jim cordially by the hand.
"Yes, I've seen her."
"The deacon here has an idea that

Polly is going back to the circus with you." He nodded toward Strong, al-most laughing at the surprise in store "Back to the circus?" asked Jim.
"Did she say anything to you about it?" He was worried by the bewilder-

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ment in Jim's manner.

Before Jim could reply Polly, who had reached the steps in time to catch the last few words, slipped quickly between them. She were her coat and hat and carried a small brown satchel.

"Of course I did, disn't I, Jim?" she said, turning her back upon the pastor and motioning to Jim not to answer. Douglas gased at her in aston-fahment.

"What do you mean?" he asked in a hoarse, strained voice. He gianced at the cost and hat. "Where are you Then comes the time when war shall cease, With all its flaunting bauners furled, When floats, the white-starred flag of peace Triumphant o'er a walting world.

Polly avoided his eyes and continued servously to Jin:
"What made you come back? Why didn't you wait for me down the street? Now you've spoiled everything." She pretended to be very vexed with him. The big fallow looked puzzled. He tried to protest, but she put a warning finger to her lips and pressed the little brown satchel into his hand. "It's no use," she went on hurriedly. "We might as well tell them everything now." She turned to Douglas and pretended to laugh. "You have found us out." have found us out."

The deacons were slightly uneasy. The frown on Douglas' forehead was leepening.
"Oh, see how serious he looks!" she teased, with a toss of her head toward

"Don't be angry," she pleaded. "Wish me luck."
She held out one small hand. He did not take it. She wavered; then she felt the eyes of the deacons upon her. Courage returned, and she spoke in a firm, clear voice, "I am going to run Douglas stepped before her and stud-

ied her keenly.
"Run away?" he exclaimed increduously.
"Yes—to the circus with Jim." "You couldn't do such a thing," he answered excitedly. "Why, only a me-ment ago you told me you would never

icave me."
"Oh, but that was a moment ago," she cried in a strained high voice.
"That was before Jim came. You see,
I didn't know how I feit until I saw Jim and heard all about my old friends—how Barker is keeping my place for me and how they all want to see me. And I want to see them and to hear the muste and the laughter and the clows senge— Oh, the

clown songs!" She waltzed about, humming the snatch of melody that Mandy had heard the morning that Polly first woke in the parsonage Ting, ling—
That's how the bells ring.
Ting, ling, pretty young thing.

She paused, her hands clasped behind her head, and gazed at them with a brave little smile. "Oh, it's going to be fine-fine!" "You don't know what you're doing!" said Douglas. He seized her roughly by the arm. Pain was making him brutal. "I won't let you go! Do you hear me? I won't-not until you've

thought it over."
"I have thought it over," Polly answered, meeting his eyes and trying to speak lightly. Her lips trembled. She could not bear for him to think her so ungrateful. She remembered his great kindness, the many thoughtful acts that had made the past year so precious to her. "You've been awfully good to me,

Mr. John." She tried to choke back a sob, "I'll never forget it—never! I'll always feel the same toward you. But you mustn't ask me to stay. I want to get back to them that knew me firstfelt her strength going and cried out

wildly: "I want Bingo! I want to go ound and round the ring! I want the lights and the music and the hoops! I want the shricks of the animals and the rumble of the wheels in the plains at night! I want to ride in the big parade! I want to live and die-just die as circus folks die! I want to go ack! I want to go back!" She put out one trembling hand to Jim and rushed quickly through the gate, laughing and sobbing hysterically and calling to him to follow.

CHAPTER XIL ONELY days followed Polly's desertion of the parsonage, Mandy went about her duties very quietly, feeling that the nents which once amused the pastor had now become an interruption o thoughts in which she had no part He would sit for hours with his head in his hands, taking no notice of what passed before him. She tried to think passed before him. She tried to think of new dishes to tempt his appetite and shook her head sadly as she bore the untasted food back to the kitchen.

She sometimes found a portfolio of drawings lying open upon his study table. She remembered the zeal with which he had planned to remodel the church and parsonage when he first came to them, how his anthusiasm had gradually died for lack of encouragement and how he had at last put his books in a cupboard, where they grew dusty from long neglect. She marveled at their reappearance now, but something in his set, faraway look made her afraid to inquire. Thus she went on from day to day, growing more impatient with Hasty and more silent with the pastor.

silent with the pastor.

Mandy needed humor and compassionship to oil the wheels of her hum drum life. There was no more laugh-ter in the house, and she began to

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Polly had been away from the pursonage a month when the complacency of the village was again upset by the arrival, of the "Great American Circus."

There were many calters at the pursonage that day, for speculation was now at fever heat about the pastor. "Will he try to see her?" "Has he for gotten her?" and "What did he ever find in her?" were a few of the many questions that the women were asking each other. Now that the cause of their enry was removed they would gladly have reinstated the pastor as their idd, for, like all truly feminine souls, they could not bear to see a man unhappy without wishing to comfort him, nor happy unless they were the direct cause of his state. "How dare any man be happy without me?" has been the cry of each women since Eve was created to make with Adam.

Bougins had held himself more and more aloud from the day of Polky's disappearance. He expressed no opinion about the descents or their recent disapproval of him. He avoided meeting them oftener than daty required, and strong felt so uncomfortable and tongue tied in his presence that he too, was glad to make their talks as few as possible.

Notking was said about the pastor's

as possible.

Nothing was said about the pastor's plans for the future or about his continued connection with the church, and the inquisitive sisterhood was on the point of exploding from an overaccumulation of unanswered questions. He delivered his surmons conscientiously, called upon his poor, listened to the sorrows, real and fancied, of his

behind the church. He had been absent all day when Mandy looked out on the circus lot for the domenth time and saw that the afternoon performance was closing. It had driven her to desperation to learn that Miss Polly was not in the parade that morning and to know that the pastor had made no effort to find out about her. For weeks both she and Hasty had hoped that the return of the circus might bring Polly back to them, but now it was nearly night and there had been no word from her. Why didn't she come running in to see them, as Mandy had felt so sure she would? Why had the pastor stayed away on the hills all day? Unanswered questions were always He had been absent all day when

Unanswered questions were always an abomination to Mandy, so finally she drew a quarter from the knotted gingham rag that held her small wad of savings and told Hasty to "go 'long to de show an' find out 'bout Miss

"Is Mr. Douglas back yet?" he asked.
"No, sah, be ain't," said Mandy very shortly. She felt that Strong and Elwerson had been "a-txyin' to say on de parson all day," and she resented their wistis more than she usually did.

"What time are you expectin' him?"
"I don't nebber spec' Massa Douglas till I sees him."
Strong grunted uncivilly and went
down the steps. She saw from the
window that he met Eliverson in front
of the church

of the church. "Dey sure am a-meanin' trouble," she mumbled. The band had stopped playing; the last of the audience had straggled down the street. She opened the door and stood on the porch; the house seemed to suffocate her. What was keeping Hasty?

He came at last, but Mandy could tell from his galt that he brought un-

but she didn't done ride."
"See beah, Hasty Jones, is dat ere "I don' rightly know," said Hasty. "A great big man, what wored clothes like a gemmen, comed out wid a whip de udder gal was jes' as good, an' der

"She's sick, dat's what I says," Mandy declared excitedly, "an' somebody's got to do somethin'!" "I done all I knowed," drawled Hasty, fearing that Mandy was regretting er twenty-five cent investo "Go, 'long out an' fix up dat 'ere kitchen fire," was Mandy's impatient

reply. "I got to keep dem vittels warm for Massa John." She wished to be alone, so that she could think of some way to get hold of Polly. "Dat baby faced mornin' lory done got Mandy all wobbly 'bout le heart," she declared to herself as the crossed to the window for a sight

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TUESDAY EVENG, MARCH 25, 1913.

The only solace they have. The only thing with which the Tories The only thing with which the Tories are trying to solace themselves in these troublous times is the hope that there will be no election for some time to come. Their perturbation over the possibility of such a thing occurring is comical to behold. They can put up with the back down of their party in dishet in the Monse. down of their party in debate in the House of Commons, they can swallow the "dumb-dog" policy of Mr. Borden and his followers persuading themselves that is masterly activity, they can pass over the is masterly activity, they can pass over the very serious charges made against Minis-ters of the Crown with scarcely a wince, they do not blush in beholding Messrs.

en and Foster sitting cheek by jow Nantel and Pelletier, they are with Nantel and Pelletter, they are ready even to face the possibility of deopping the Naval Bill; but when the nightmare of an early election them, their shiverings put to the roots aggregated case of St. shame the most aggravated case of St.
Vitus Dance. Last Saturday night, a
Tory mass meeting was held in the town
in Hentville, at which Mr. J. W. Margesen and Mr. C. De W. Foster spoke. The former spoke as usual in a sprightly and entertaining manner and wove a brisk romance concerning current provincial romance concerning current provincial politics. Then came Mr. Foster. From the Halifax Herald we quote what fol-

while the speech in general drew forth mo little applanse, the plaudits which greeted the declaration that there "was no probability of an early election" were thunderous, and prolonged, every man every countenance, as sunlight breaks through the douds and brightens the landscape in a day of mist and gloom. And this is what happens all over the Dominion. The one thing which a Tory audience wants to be told is that these through the country, worrying and destroying cattle and sheep, the

landescape in a day of mist and gloom. And this is what happens all over the Dominion. The one thing which a Tory audience wants to be told is that there will be no early election. The most gratifying news which the Tory press can convert to its readers is to assure them that, whatever else may some out of the present Parliamentary struggle, there will be no dissolution of Parliament. All this is a straight confession that an early battle in the constituencies, would mean certain and overwhelming defeat to the present front-of-brass and feet-of-clay Administration. And their fears are well grounded.

Navy talk not costly.

The wild paragraphs appearing in the Tory press, to the effect that the prolongation of the Naval debate is vastly adding to the cost of running Parliament, and the transplant of the cost of the same to the country. All sessions indemnity to the members, all salaries of civil servants, messengers, secretaries, etc., go by the year and fine the would be about as great as if it was in assision for six months. For instanoe, it is assistion of 100—11, was vary nuch greater than the present debate on the cost of keeping half departments of Parliaments of the cost of the same to the cost of keeping half departments of Parliament only as one day, the cost of keeping half departments of Parliament only as one day, the cost of keeping half departments of the cost of keeping half departments of

Instrumental in arranging for a body of leading German business men a tour of this country. The party is to land at Special Easter service in the Methodist church. General items. West are to be visited and trips made over large sections of the neighboring country West are to be visited and trips made over large sections of the neighboring country to study the natural resources. By the large sections of the neighboring country to study the natural resources. By the 14th of August they will have returned to Montreal, and from thence will proceed to St. John. A few days will then be spent in visiting other parts of the Maritime Provinces, Halitax being included in the titnerary, and the latter part of August will see them returning to Europe. Let them come and be welcomed. Canada is now doing business on the front street of the world, and desires that her resources and possibilities shall be as widely known as possibilities raingly and greater and greater one every year. Canada is bound to be one of her chief sources of supply, and greater knowledge of each other's needs and possibilities in this and other regards is in every way desirable. A fast growing market of 67,000,000 people is of great importance in connection with our future development.

A Malignorian in Montreal

A Haligonian in Montreal. The centenary edition of the Montrea Herald contains the following account of

a young Haligonian now resident in Cana young Haligonian now resident in Canda's metropolis:

Mr. Gerald W. Farrell, senior member of the well known firm of G. W. Farrell & Co., with offices at 45 St. Francois Xavier street, is one of the younger members of the Montreal coterie of successful financiers who have done so much to give Canadian securities a good name throughout the world's markets. While Mr. Farrell is but thirty four years of age he has done a life time of good work. He was sorn in Halifax, N. S., in 1878, and was educated at the 'Ampleforth College, York, England. He entered the Royal Securities Corporation in January, 1904, as a cierk and became its managing director in 1907. He was associated with Messrs. MacKenzie and Mann for over a year. He then organized C. Meredith and Company, Idmited, and was the secretary-treasurer of that company until 1910, when he formed the present firm of G. W. Farrell and Company. Company, Mr. Farell is a director of the Ritz Carlton Hotel Co., Montreal; Carleton Investing Co., May. Tork; Atlantic Fruit Company of New York; Lake Eria & North-

real estate companies in this city, and also associated with other companies throughout Great Britain and Canada, Ha also served in the South African war as a lieutenant in the Second Canadian Mounted Rifles and was present at the battle of Hart's River. Mr. Farrell is also greatly interested in athletics. He toursed England in 1902 as a member of the Canadian foot-ball tram, and was the vice-captail of that organization. He is also a cricket player, and visited Philadelphia in 1905 to play with the gentlemen of Canada against the Americans of that city. He also held the half-mile championship of the Maritime Provinces in 1899.

Mr. Farrell is a member of the leading Montreal Clubs, including the St. James, Montreal, Hunt. Racket and Jockey, and of the Toronto Hunt Club, and the Halifax Club.

Ottawa doings. Yesterday, Premier Borden issued manifesto presumably in reply to that of Sir Wilfrid's issued last week. The most portant clause in the manifesto is as

follows:

"The Government having the responsibility of public affairs imposed upon them by the will of the Canadian people, deem it necessary to afford immediate and effective aid to the naval forces of the Empire. They propose to render such aid under conditions which will enable a Canadian naval service to be established in the future if the Canadian people so desire and determine."

This is beginning to hark back to the unanimous resolution of March, 1909, and nanimous resolution of March, 1909, ar proves that Mr. Borden has begun t recognize that public opinion will not per mit the adoption of a permanent policy of

Editorial Notes. - Dynamite is sometimes even mor

- The match industry produces seve matches a day for each man, woman and child in the world. - Gentlemen dining on the thirtie

able to look the high cost of living in the face.—New York San. - It is said that postal employees in th Ozar's domain are unwilling to mar the Ozar's picture on the new postage stamps. In cancelling the stamps they take pains

foor of the Woolworth building will be

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AN AMATEUR FARMER.

ance and much to the appearance of the locality.

Every person interested in the welfare of the town should attend the meeting in St. Peter's Hall to-night at 8 o'clock under the auspices of the Board of Trade. The addresses by Prof. Sexton and Ald. Hattle, of Halifax, on the subject of civic betterment, should be well worth hearing. You are invited to attend and to invite all your friends and make it a bumper house.

Efforts were made yesterday morning to have divers search for the body of Marting Behan, but owing to the high wind the attempt had to be given up. Weather permitting, a search will probably be made to-day.

It is reported that a fight took place near the Lower Canal Bridge Sunday night. The police are investigating, but no arrests have wet heen made.

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To add to the other pleasures of the evening the R.C.R. band performed a programme of Irish music which was a delight, and Lieux Ryan and his corps of musicians gave the company one of the treats of the evening, the selection including: The New Tipperary, Irish Dauces, The Saamrook, Killarney, Peggy O'Neal, Reminiscences of Ireland, and Molly O. President R. E. Finn presided, lutroducing the chief toasts in eloquent terms and carrying out the programme with much promptness, and was ably assisted in the vice chair Dy Vice-president J. D. O'Connor. to the vide chair by vice-pesiates of Dr. O'Connor.

After the King had been honored, President Finn proposed The Pious Memory of St. Patrick. He explained that it was usual to drink this toast in slience, but in consequence of the presence in this city of a distinguished divine, Rev. Father Ethelbert, he had kindly consented to speak to this toast, and they were greatly indebted to him to come among them and say something about Ireland's patron saint.

patron saint.

Rev. Father Ethelbert's response was an intellectual treat, and held the deepest and intellectual treat, and held the deepest and intellectual treat, and held the deepest and interpersed his speech with humorous stories, which created great laughter. He spoke of St. Patricks as and he interspersed his speech with humorous stories, which created great laughter. He spoke of St. Patricks as and their descendants. We are inclined to discount the man in favor of the saint, and he proposed to discous him as a man. St. Patrick was not only a saint, but one of the strongest characters in the world's history. St. Patrick was a genius; it was characteristic of a genius to begin with the smallest resources to achieve actualling success. St. Patrick formed a church on a shamrook; he went to Ireland without any sid; the land was isolated; he had no political assistance; he lands on a foreign shore, meeting strange neople; he meets the nation, he changes their mentality by his single-handed nowers; the nation he found Pagan he left. Christian, The genius creates his opportunities, and he showed how St. Patrick was shown in things politicals, social and religious. As a rule our politicians are true of St. Patrick. The Irishmen had the oharacteristic of a genius that his power and influence live after him, and this was shown in things politicals, social and religious. As a rule our politicians are true of St. Patrick. The Irishmen had the oharacteristic of a genius that his power and influence live after him, and this was shown in things politicals, social and religious. As a rule our politicians are true of St. Patrick. The Irishmen had the oharacteristic of St. Patrick; with little opportunities they met with success. All the prises they give to the great Saint is deserved. Fittingly do we unite in paying the proposed in the proposed of the saint his power and influence live after history; showing the character of the Irish police on the men was always prominent in the proposed of the fart had suffered, but de

brilliant speech, out of the ordinary given at those gatherings, and bristling with faces and figures, comparing this country with other nations. He compared Nova Scotia with Belgium, only haif the size of this province, which, supported a population sixteen times larger. Germany, the armed colossus of the world, had an area 50,000 miles less than Alberta. He discussed the development of Canada since the foundation of this society, and his comparisons of Canada's growth were frequently punctured with applant e. Several of the pointe be made were the subject of remarks of several later speakers.

J. W. McDonald aroused the gathering to enthusiasm with his fine readition of

oregone.
Asst. Vice President Hon. Geo. E. Faulkner. He' spoke strongly of the notion now gaining prevalence in the United States that judicial decisions must be given subject to popular approval, which was a most pernicious idea.

Treasurer T. J. Egan proposed Our Rulers, which was replied to by Premier. Murray, who spoke of one of the great features of a young man coming to Hallfax—the three great National Societies who met in brotherly love and had done so much for this city. He had been coming to the Irish Society banquets for 20 years, and they were always a great pleasure to him. He was glad to hear Father Ethelbert express the opinion that politicians were not entitled to the blame some people gave them. It must be a great consolation to Irishmen that Home Rule had once again been approved by the great British democracy. The Premier then spoke of Nova Scotia, and his ringing words, his optimism created such enthusiasm that there were times he could not proceed with the cheering which prevailed. He showed that they had been told that Belgium, with a population of 8,000,000, produced 16,000,000 tons, Nova Scotia, led the Dominion in coal and steel Their fisheries were the greatest in the world; we have the greatest of the moralism greatest in the world; we have the greatest in the world; we have the greatest in the world; we have the greatest of the moralism greatest in the world; we have the greatest of the moralism greatest in the world; we have the greatest of the moralism greatest in the world; we have the greatest of our national development, Nova Scotia is making more progress than any other portion of Canada. No matter what naty

Out ons. Nova Scotia led the Dominion in coal and steel. Their fisheries were the contest to night. Manager Loughe claimers are susque to pay an advance on the contest to night. Manager Loughe claimers are susque to have least at the world, we have the greatest in the world, we have the greatest in the world, we have the greatest and the world in coal and steel in all the lines of our national development, Nova Scotias is making more progress that any other is in power, said Mr. Murray in containing more progress that any other is in power, said Mr. Murray in containing that cannot be accomplished in this little Province by the sea. There was nothing wonderfain the brand of nothing that cannot be accomplished in this little Province by the sea. The game was marred by the continual wrangle between the officials and the players. The game did not start until the rules. At one time, the New Glasgow with his cong The Shamrock For Me, which he rendered with great effect.

See's P. P. Quinn proposed Our Sister Societies and Guests, which called forth responses from Ald. G. A. MacKengle, See's P. P. Quinn proposed Our Sister Societies and Guests, which called forth responses from Ald. G. A. MacKengle, Gregory, refused to play unless the suspended players resulted. The province of Dalphousie University.

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30 YEARS AGO TO-DAY.

To day was exacter Sunday.

Special services were held in all the Churches. At Bishop's Chapel, following the regular evening service, the chort sang a selection of Easter carols. At St. George's church the preacher was Rev. Canon Partridge. In the afternoon a children's service was held, when a programme of Easter carols was also civen Dr. Woodbury assisted at the services to-day in Coburg Road Methodist Church.

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Heavy snowfalt adds to the suffering.

OMAEA, March 25.—Added to the suffering which followed the tornado which demolished seations of this city Easter Sunday, a heavy snowfall began to fail last night, and by moraing two inches of it covered the ground, hampering the work of rescue and reconstruction.

Some residents declars it their beltef that at least 100 bodies are buried in the ruins of houses and brick buildings of amusement places which are mown to be filled with plessure seekers on Easter Sunday. Oity officials, however, do not estimate the unrescued in so large a number, admitting, nevertheless, that many persons yet are to be accounted for.

The storm and falling temperature this morning discouraged many of the searchers, and no additional bodies have been recovered. The death list of Omaha victims remain at 152, while surrounding towns in Nebraseks and Iowa reached late last night a total of fifty more known dead. Telephone and telegraph communication, though reported established yesterday afternoon, agein is eliminated by the snow atorm of almost blizzard proportions raging throughout the State.

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Among the searchers last night and today is Mrs. W. W. Sherwood, Ill in bed,

Among the searchers last night and today is Mrs. W. W. Sherwood. Ill in bed,
Mrs. Sherwood was holding her week old
baby in her arms when the wind descended upon her little household. The home
was unroofed and the infant torn from the
mother's arms and blown away, and so far
it has not been found. In spite of her
weakness and suffering from injuries, she
herself sustained in the storm, Mrs.
Sheerwood, aided by friends, is hunting
the hospitalisand the improvised morgues
shout the city.

DEATH LIST TOTALS 152

In Omaha, and many person yet to be accounted for.

bounce in the British Empire, and which would greatly strengthen British. Felix P. Quinn sang the Dear Little Shamrock in that sweet expressive manner, which always senses such delight as these gathering, and for the hearty encore sang Believe Me of all those Endearing Young Charms.

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Rev. Dr. Pollok (Presby erian) who is always so popular with the Society received an ovation, and in a pleasant manner he serferred to his jubilec eclery address which each of the congratulatory address which he had received from the Society received as ovation, and in a pleasant manner he serferred to his jubilec eclery address which he had received from the Society received as ovation, and in a pleasant manner he serferred to his jubilec eclery address which he had received from the Society received an ovation, and in a pleasant manner he serferred to his jubilec occlery address which he had received from the Society received an ovation, and in a pleasant manner he so of the congratulatory address which he had received from the Society received when the same to the work of the same to the same than the building and sought refuges at the home of Bishop Richard was highly appreciated by his friends, it was these sort of things which did so much good. There were not two two was the server of the same to the week the same the building at the time.



CUBS WON SERIES Nova Scotis teem wins the long end of the purse by total goils of to?.

To Morrison's greet work in the cage the New Glasgow's over their supremacy. The Toronto forwards lost out on several easy shots through over confidence. Ras Murphy again proved the shining light of the evening, and Chester Greggory also played to his form of Saturday.

But one penalty was meted out, Mike Murphy drawing in a five minutes lay off for poking George McNamars in the nose with his stick. Three fifteen minute periods were played. It took Cully Wilson but a minute to score the only goal of the first period. Lowther draw first blood for minutes later Greggory scored unassisted.

in the Cubs in 1 lb of the second session. Two minutes later Gregory scored unassisted. To duplicate this feat it took him but 18 seconds. Steve Vair scored later in the same session, an i had a hand in George McNamara's goal, tieing the score. With a trifle over four minutes of the closing period tolled off. Vair broke loose and slipped in what proved the winning tally. Both teams are anylous to play another contest to night. Manager Loughe claims to have lost in the games.

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To be sold at Public-Auction by the High Sheriff of the County of Halifax, or his Deputy, at the Court House, Halifax, on THURSDAY, the 19th day of April, A. D. 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, under a license granted by the Judge of Probate for the County of Halifax. All the estate, right, title and interest of the late Louis J. Hesslein, deceased, at the time of his death, of, in and to that certain lot, piece Water street, in the City of Halifax particularly described as follows: In parcel, the street, in the City of Hallax, more particularly described as follows:

All that certain lot of land, situated in Ward Number 2, in the City of Hallax, ronting on the City of the City thousand eight aundred and eighty nine.

Terms—Ten per cent deposit at time of sale;

semainder on delivery of deed.

Halifax, March 1913.

ANNIE M. HESSLEIN,

Administratrix.



DUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a resolution of the City Council of the City of Halifax, passed at a meeting held on the thirteenth day of March, 1913, I have this day paid into the Supreme Court at Halifax, on behalf of said city, the sums set out this day paid into the Supreme Court at Halifax, on behalf of said city, the sums set out the said council is reasonable compensation for the properties owned by the persons, firms or corporations set opposite can be sum respectively and expropriated by the City of Halifax for a site for High Service Reservoirs, which properties so exprepriated in the City of Halifax and described as follows:

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Halifax, N. S., March 10, 1913. Hallfax Electric Tramway Comp

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declared.

Warrants will be issued for the same, and mailed to the address of each stockholder, and are payable at the Bank of Nova Scotia. Hallars, 2, 2, 3, and at Montreal, on and after the left day of April, 1913, to all shareholders of record at close of hunteres on the 19th day of March. 1913.
The Transfer Books will be closed from the 20th day of March to the 1st day of April, 1913, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board.
W, J. DEBLOIS.

LEBLANC—Somerville, Mass, March 14, to Mr and Mrs P A LeBlanc, a daughter, PKNNY—Glace Bay, March 18, to Mr and Mrs Jos Fenny, a daughter.

"The House of Authentic Fashions."

### Novelties in Dress Fabrics for Spring.

Women display quite as lively an interest in the new imported Dress Materials as they do toward the new styles in Gowns, for it is from these same new fabrics that master designers compose their models for the present season.

-For Afternoon and Evening Wear-Orepe de Chine, Satin Armures, and Taffetas are most fash-ionable for Afternoon and Evening Wear. The Orepes in color, weave and design are especially novel, and they have never seemed more desirable.

SILK AND WOOL CREPE, in helio, amethyst, reseda, moss, cream, gray, and navy..........Per yard. 75c
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-For House Gowns and Street Wear-

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Each pattern having an illustrated guide for making. SILK EMBROIDERED CASHMERE—In saxe, navy, and EXTRA FINE CASHMERE, in saxe blue and reseda, 15.00 EMBROIDERED TAFFETA, in smoke grey; self embroid-

The New Spring Colors are very rich in tone.

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Are just what you need when preparing for your Five O'clock Tea. We have them in sizes, two and three plate high. These Cake Stands are very convenient for serving nut-bread, sandwiches, cookies, etc., as on one stand you can easily serve them all at once, thus sav-ing room on your table. In Brass, Nickle, Silver plate. Prices-\$5.00 to \$10.25

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The Wedding Gift purchased at Brown's, jewellers, has the stamp of quality and individuality. It need not be

xpensive to be servicable and in good taste. A Curiosity Now-a-days. A hand-written business letter is un-usual, even Manufacturers agents not employing any clerks will operate a Smith a false impression with an old-fashioned and-written letter.

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MINARD'S LINIMENT CO., LIMITED. Have used MINARD'S LINIMENT for Croup; found nothing equal to it; sure care. CHAS. E. SHARP, Hawkshaw, N. B., Sept. 1st, 1905.

There's a new Spring Hat for you, Sir And it is awaiting your approval here. From our large stock of "Von Yal," "Christy" and "Buckley" hats you will gramme. and one that will look and fit as if it was made for you. We have a hat here to fit every head. Our shapes are the last word in tyle and the names of the makers tell the truthful story of quality. Prices \$2.00 to 3.00.—ISNOR BROS, The Young Man's Store, Gottingen St.

a-(a) Kashmiri Song, Woodforde-Finden Miss Marion S. Doull. Weinsterl Miss Marion S. Doull. Weinsterl Miss McKenzie, Miss Sanford, Mr. Milligan, Mr. Sohaefer.

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(b) Little Marion, Miss Darothy M. Brookfield.

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(b) Little Marion, Miss Marion, Miss Mabel K. Sanford, Wolkin Dolligato-Mrs. Affect.

Violin Dolligato-Mrs. Affect.

William Dolligato-Mrs. Affect.

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Songs—(a) Request. Woodford
(b) Leaves in the Wood,
Miss Ella M. Courtney.
Song—Farewell to Skye.
Miss Marian S. McKeene.
Quartette—The Crusadera.
Miss Brookfield, Miss Sanford,
Mr. Milligan, Mr. Schaefer.

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CITY NEWS.

- 2xl pound Bars Virgin Castile Soap, -4 bs, of Cooking Figs for 25 cents, at Irwin's, Gottingen Street, foot of WENTZELLS Limited. - Four large rolls of Toilet Paper to 25 cents, at Irwin's, Gottingen Street, foot

- Whisks, only ten cents each, regular price fifteen cents, at Irwin's, Gottingen St., foot of Cunard St.

Wall Paper, Wall Paper. Thousands of rolls of wall paper, from inexpensive papers in great variety to a

reel feature with Miss Orma Hawley p aying the lead. It is a compelling romance of a wealthy young man, his sister of adoption and a Gypsy maiden. Full of unexpected turns of fate, and replete in exciting climaxes. The other picture, the Vitagraph subject, "The Love of John Ruskin," the famous author. These pictures will be seen to-night for the last time at the Orpheus Theatre. To-morrow there will be an entire change of programme.

Banquet at Queen Hotel. At the Queen hotel last night Hallfax lodge, 1200, of the Loyal Order of Moose, gave a banquet to Congressman J. J. Lentz, of Columbus, Ohio, to whom, dur-

Lentz, of Columbus, Ohio, to whom, dur-ing the evening an address of welcome was presented by the officers of the lodge, Ald-erman B. V. Harris replied to "Nova Scotia," Our Order "was, proposed by T. W. Wilkerson, to which Hon. J. J. Lentz responded. On or about September 15th he was hoping to arrange for the heads of the supreme courts of the United States and Canada to visit Halifax.

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DEATHS.

MUIR—On March 8, at 31 Vetterty Mansions,
Earl's Court, suddenly, Surgeon-General H.
Stery Muir, C B, late Medical Staff, aged 71.

BRUNT—Harrietsfeld, Isabella. Brunt, beloved
wire of Benjamin Brunt, in the 78rd year of
daugitar to mourn the loss of a kind and
affectionate wife and mother. The funeral
took place from her late residence this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

WHALEN—AL 77 Brunswick street, March 23,
Catherine, beloved wife of John Whalen,
aged 39 years, laxving a husband, six daughkind and affectionate wife and mother. The
funeral will take place from her late residence to morrow at 2,30 p m.

Mansgrigup—March 2, at the Infirmary, Mrs.

Pinsuti Mansgrad Age to be an infirmation of the first W Mansfield, aged 50 years. Fur the Argule St on Friday at 2.30 p Cross complete.

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Importing our Suits only from the makers of Ladies' Garments who know how to make good Suits and are specialists in this line, they are made perfect throughout. fit with absolute satisfaction and distinctiveness of the great Fashion creating models.

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CITY NEWS.

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Hon, A. K. Madean, M. P., left for Ottawa this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Fraser, who have spent the past three months in California-arrived back last night.

Mr. William Currie, Evangelist of St. Paul's church, is a guest at Mrs. Fleming's, 66 Hazen street, St. John.

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Inexpensive papers in great variety to a large assortment of novelties, including hangings with crowns, chambrays, fabric and cretonne effects, cut out decorations, seenic borders, silks, florals, two tone effects, leathers, etc. At Roche's Wall Paper Store, corner of Argyle and Jacob Sta. Also, Faints, Varnish, Brushes, Alabastina, Marbielne, etc. Get our prices on painting and paper-hanging.

At Orpheus to-day.

"Tamaudra, The Gypsy" a Lubin two-reel feature with Miss Orma Hawley p'aying the lead. It is a compelling romance of a wealthy young man, his sister of adoption and a Gypsy maiden. Full of united that the least of the security of a doption and a Gypsy maiden. Full of united that the least few monbast that a fire has occurred in that blocks.

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At 9.45 another alarm from Box 32 called the apparatus, which at the time was returning to the various stations from Deep Water, to Albemarie Street, in the vicinity of the Barracks. There was no fire.

For 24 hours ending 9 a. m. March 25.

ind, Weather-Cloudy. March 25, 1912.—Thermometer: lowest 30, highest 34.

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CITY NEWS.

Barn and contents burned. A barn on the property of William Whitford, on the Sackville Road, about two and a balf miles from Bedford, was two and a bair miles trom Hedford, was destroyed by fire last night about ten o'clock. The contents, including a horse, farming utensils, bay, etc., were also consumed. The origin of the fire is a mystery, and no our had been known to be near the building for several hours.

Prison keeper to resign. The City Prison Committee had a lengthy Wentzells Limited.

Personals.

F. B. McCurdy, M. P., returned to ottawa yesterday morning.

Hon. A. K. Maclean, M. P., left for Otlander Machine and Machine and

BEFORE THE STIPENDIARY.

Herbert Weeks, colored, charged with procuring girls to go to a disorderly house was partly tried in the police court this morning. Alice Dalton (a white girl) one of the girls arrested ir Emmanuel St. Omar's house, testified that Weeks said the house was a quiet place. She went there. The case was continued until there. The case was continued until Tuesday next, when Violet Versay, the there. The case was continued until Tuesday next; when Violet Versey, the other white girl, will probably go on the stand. Their cases as we'l as that of St. Omar, were continued a week.

Allos Tout, keeper, and Nellie McLean, an inmate of a disorderly house, were remanded a week.

William Maiar, a German seaman, was fined \$10 for fighting on the street, and for assaulting another man a similar fine was imposed.

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W. Farson was found guilty of stealing copper sheathing belonging to the Government. ment.

A north end citizen was charged with keeping a vicious dog which bit a north end aiderman. The case was continued until Thursday.

Featuring Miss Orma Hawley.

A compelling romance of a wealthy young man, his sister of adoption and a Gypsy maiden. Full of unexpected twists and turns of fate, and replete in exciting climaxes. A story that reaches the heart.

Strange historic incident in the

ods life of John Ruskin, the

Rich in Human interest.

"Pathe Weekly." :: "Pauline Cashman, the Federal Spy.

# New Squares for Spring, 1913.

Our stock of the above is arriving daily, and comprise all the latest colorings and designs in pro Brussels, Tapestry, Brussels, Velvet Pile, Axminster and Wilton.

Some of the most beautiful effects are to be seen, and they can be had in all the regular sizes.

As all our goods are bought for cash we are in a position

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THOSE WHO EAT OUR BREAD do not have to be told of its goodness and the number is growing every day. The longer you keep from trying a loaf the more you are missing a perfect bread treat.

BEN MOIR.

BREWSTER'S MILLIONS. over with merriment, by the

Over with merriment, by the Academy Players scored another brilliant success in their splendid productions of the sparkling comedy "Brewster's Millions," which was played to crowded houses at the two performances yesterday. From the first moment the curtain rises to its final ring down at the end of the fourth act, the play bubbles over with merriment. There is not a dull moment in the whole performance. Its characteristics are swinging action depicting the most amusing of episodes, all strung to gether in a sparkling sequence calculated to delight a laughter-loving audience.

Brewster bequeath a million to his son, Montgomery, known to his friends as s'Monty," who are in the act of congratulating him on his good fortune when he receives the astropuding news that an uncle lately deceased out West had left, him 7 millions on condition that he shall have spent every penny of his father's fortune in a year, at which date if he fulfills the conditions laid down, he is to instrict secrecy. Also, he must get into matrinonial entanglements.

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to keep "Monty" from spending his superfluous millions.

Gyril Clarke in the dual role of "Mr.
Grant" and "Monsieur Bargec" appeared
to splendid advantage.

Miss Louise deMar, Miss Emma Haynor,
Miss Florence Davenport and Miss Dolly
Doherty, were all heartily applauded for
olever work.

Miss Bonnie Hay, who was seen for the
first time on the Academy stage gave a
charming impersonation of "Trixic Clayton," and won new admirers. She was the
recipient of a handsome floral tribute as a
mark of appreciation.

Brewster's Millions every evening this
week and Wednesday and Saturday
matinee.

KILLED ON SOUTH STREET. Telephone lineman received 2,000

volts of electricity and fell to the ground. iam Lawlor, a lineman for the Mar time Telegraph and Telephone Company, met practically instant death on South street about 8.30 o'clock this morning.

Lawlor, in company with nine or ten other men, wasat |work on a span between poles when the accident hannened

stantly and he fell from the ladder to the ground, a distance of about 26 feet, and landed on his head.

When plcked up there was still signs of life and he was immediately taken to the Victoria General Hospital, opposite which institution the accident happened, but when he arrived there the last sperk of life had departed; notwithstanding this fact the hospital physicians made every endeavor to resuscitate him, but without avail.

In New York 'Cooncan' now seriously rivals "Auction." and in London and

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The deceased, who was about 28 years of age, belonged to Pleasknt Harbor, and was well liked by all his fellow-workmen. Mr. Lawlor had only been in the smploy of the Telephone Company for some four months, yet was an efficient workman and his sudden call was desply felt by those awil. Who were with him at the time, to such an extent that they ceased working for the day, out of respect to their late commands. The deceased's sister. Mrs. William A. Newcombe (whose husband is janitor of the Telephone Comyany's Building on Hollis Street) is at present at the Infirmary.

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Medical Examiner Finn will hold his uncertain whether san autopsy will or not be held to ascertain whether the electricity or she fall on the head was the never utitered a word or a cry, and an experienced electricity or she fall on the head was the never utitered a word or a cry, and an experienced electriciant told the RECORDER Coday that the 2000 voits would not have been sufficient to kill the deceased a been temporarily prosprated had the accident happened on the ground, the saident happened on the ground have been empir

Messages received in Sydney report the sealing fleet on the east coast of Newfoundland, as meeting with splendid fuck; on the first day out the steamer Florise killed ten thousand seals and got seven thousand on board. The others in that vicinity, the Ranger and Sagons, are doing well and report the seals plentiful. Advices from Newfoundland state that seventeen fishing vessels have been jammed in the ice on Grand Banks since February.

The steamer Nancy Lee sailed from Liverpool on Friday night for this port with 1,000 tons of sait. I. H. Mathers & Son are agents.

Cables from the old country on Saturday advised the launching of the new Cunard line steamer Andanis. She is intended for the Montreal-London service and leaves Southampton June 12 on her maiden voyage.

On Sunday afternoon at 4.15 o'clock, Rev.

# Baked Fresh Every Day.

The piles of Bread we dispose of would be amazing if it were not for the character of the Bread.

Phones, 1146 and 2146.

PARLIAMENTARY INQUIRY A sparkling comedy bubbling As to British ministers being interested in a wireless

Justice to the part, which she played with the artistic grace and finish that are the outstanding marks of her elever acting.

J. W. Cowell, "Sunshine Macloud" was in all respects well up to his usual high standard. Burr Caruth made a typical "Colonel Drew," and was equally good as the captain of the "Fifter." Alexander Leftwich scored a distinct eucess as "Rawles."

Albert Gebhardt, who made his initial appearance with the Academy Players as "Nopper Harrison," played a strong part, and created a most favorable impression as an actor of much merit. Paul Hackett, as "Frank Bragdon," is another excellent addition to the personnel of the company. He and Harry Horne (Subway Smith) did excellent work in their strenuous efforts to keep "Monty" from spending his superfluous millions.

Cyril Clarke in the dual role of "Mr.

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300 REBELS KILLED In battle with Federal troops

Brownsville, Texa, March 25.—An official despatch from Monteyey, Mexico, says that between 300 and 400 of the followers of Carranas, rebel Governor of the State of Coshulla, were killed or injured in a battle with Federal troops near Saltillo, yesterday. The rebels, numbering about 2,000, are reported to be in full retreat toward Monolova with Gen. Lopez and 1,500 men in pursuit.

POPE IMPROVING TO-DAY. ROME. March 25.—The condition of Pope Plus X. is slowly improving, although the weakness resulting from his recent indisposition still persists. The doctors in attendance on His Holi-ness prevented his from celebrating Mass ness prevented him from celebrating Mass to-day, the Feast of the Annunciation, as his tedeide. It is expected in the Vatican that the celebration of Mass is an exhaust ing effort for the Pope. The sisters of the Pope, according to cus tom, arrived in Rome to-day for the Feast of the Annunciation.

Here, There and Everywhere The monthly meeting of the Ladies Auxillary will be held Wednesday, 26 h instant, in the purlor of the Mission, head of Gerrish Street, at 330 sharp.

City Council meets to morrow night.

Clarke, Hook and Sandall

THURSDAY, 27th MARCH.

37 SOUTH ST.

mencing at 10 clock.

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PIANO and CECILIAN.

Newcomb Cabinet Piano, also Cocilian and Records.

Bedroom Furnishings, including Best English Brass Bedtsead, Hair Mattresses, Walout Marble Top Bedroom Suites, Carpeta, Curather Top Bedroom Suites, Carpeta, Curather London, Scotia Range and Kitchen Utenglis.

All the above furniture is of the best, and include some vary fine pieces of genuine antique Mahogarty.

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AUCTIONS.

works to any extent."

The Chatham, N. B., World, says the Provincial Government will, in future, pay to Exhibition Associations in Chatham, St. John and elsewhere, 75 per cent. of the prémiums they award, instead of a lump sum as faitherio. The new polloy will not apply to Fredericton this year, \$5,000 being given to that city.

Cits Council meets to worms right

leaves Southampton June 1200 220. Which voyage.

The schooner E ide Therriault, which is now discharging coal at Dartmouth, will within a few days load fish for Brasil.

This vessel is having her register changed from Halifax to Bridgetown, Barbados, to enable her entering the seagoing service without having to meet the restrictions of the Canadian law. "Newcombe" Cabinet Piano, Ceci-lian Player, Fine Old Antique Ma-hogany Furniture. Best Ax-minister Carpets, Engrav-logs, Bric-a-Brac, Scotta Range, &c. BY CLARKE, HOOK & SANDALL.

At the residence of Wm. N. Silver, Esq. No. 3

South street, on Thursday next, commencing at 10 colock.

On Sunday atternoon at 4.10 colous, nev. S. H. Prince gave a very enjoyable series of brief readings from Henry Van Dyke's famous book, "The Story of the Other Wise Man," at the Church of England In-Wise Man," at the Church of England Institute. Mr. Prince is possessed of the gift of reading effectively and well, and the readings were illustrated by a beautifully colored set of lautern sildes, adding to the charm of the story. Next Sunday Rew. Rural Dean Cunningham has kindly promised to give a talk on "The Life and Times of the Patriard Joseph" illustrated by lantern sildes. This should be especially interesting to Sunday School workers and bible students generally.

#### **Business** is humming in Boys' Clothing Department.

Yes, we are busy, very busy in our Boys' Clothing Department. We have done everything that we know of to bring this about. We have searched everywhere for the best clothing that we could find, the best made, the smartest styles, the widest range of colors

As you are aware, Easter was very early this year, vet on Saturday, this Department showed the biggest day's business in it's history. As Mr. Post says, "There's a reason." Come and see the reason, come and see the value we are giving in Boys' Clothing at the

> Boys' Buster Brown Suits, 2½ to 7 years—\$3.00, 3.50, 4.00, 4.50, 5.00, 6.00.

Boys' 2-piece Suits, 6 to 12 years, Norfolk and D. B. styles-

9.00, 10.00, 12.00. Jersey Suits, 2 to

3.00.

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FOR SALE: Our 5 p. c.

# P. F. MARTIN,

For Board of Control.

able effects, in the future.

and managed by a commission, which view was supported by the City Council. The assessment laws and the mode of assessment are, in my opinion, capable of vast improvement. In my view also the present system bears all too heavily on the classes least able to bear the burden, while very largely those best able, escape. This evil should be remedied. The 'unloading' proposed a few years ago has not my sympathy or approval. I supported the resolution of the City Council giving temporary relief to he residents of the western slope of the city, viz-; by a sedimentation tank to

I am in favor of city planning, but to engage a planning expert at four thousand (\$4,000.00) dollars to become a dictator would be a mistake at the I further believe that in any case the cost of laying out "serpentine

There are four controllers to be elected on the last Wednesday in April, and I respectfully solicit your vote and influence as one of such controllers. If elected, I will give all required time and energy to the work, and am in favor

P. F. MARTIN,

THE ANNUAL STATEMENT

Shows the Assets to be - - - \$11,148,389.89 Net Surplus (including Capital Stock) - 3.281,284.04 Amount of Losses paid to Dec. 31st, 1912, - 40.596.818.01

DRAR SIR:

I received the Osinpany's cheque, through you to-day, in the amount of \$62.88 for my sickness claim. As the claim papers only went in on the 15th inst, I was completely surprised by the promptness with which it was settled, and I feel that personally I am under an obligation to you for your activity in his major. Certainly no other company could have been prompter, and it is doubtful if any other such would have expedited matters as speedily.

I shall have much pleasure in recommending your excellent Company to my friends.

S. H. LAWRENCE, Teacher, S. H. LAWRENCE, Teacher,

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\$3.50, 4.00, 4.50, 5.00, 5.75, 6.75.

16 years-\$5.75, 6.50, 7.50, 8.50,

Boys' 3-piece Suits, 11 to

6 years-\$2.25,2.50,

Boys' Spring Overcoats - \$3.75, 4.75, 5.75, 6.50, 7.50.

YOUR SHOES FOR SPRING

> start this year, and Spring attire is being donned rather earlier than usual. Your Spring Boots or Shoes will be needed sooner than you thought, but you can make your selections now at this store and get the satisfaction which you always expect to receive at "Taylor's." In Tan or Black Calf, Patent Leather or any other stylish material, you will find our Spring are above par in style, fit and workmanship. Prices are as usual, very moderate.

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common cold is at last being seriously, says The London \$2.25 is the starting price. This for a plain, crinkled crepe, with ribbon girdle and mes-

taken seriously, says The London Daily Mirror.

Despite the fact that the cold claims more victims yearly, probably, than any other disease, doctors have frequently regarded it as of minor importance. Now they are beginning to attempt to grapple with the aggravating inflection.

The current number of The Hospital devotes a column article to "Treatment of Acute Corya"—in other words, treatment of a cold in the head.

The curmon cold in the head is one of the minor ills of life to which most people are liable (the writer says). Gargel advises that at the commencement such general treatment

says). Garea advises that at the commencement such general treatment as is productive of sweating should be employed, as, for example, mustard foot-baths, functure of aconite, Dover's powder, or Mindererus' spitt; and to arrest its progress he advised inhalations of hot water for five minutes at a time; three or four times a day, after peinting the nasal mucous membrane with two or three drops of

day, after peinting the nasal mucous membrane with two or three drops of 1 to 1,000 solution of adrenatina. In the adult 1-2,000 grain of atropine sulphate, morning and evening, will check the excessive nasal secretion. Hayem advises, that a few drops of the following mixture be poured on blotting-paper and the vapor inhaled for a few seconds:

Or a few seconds.

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Alcohol 2 parts
Distilled water 2 parts
Such inhalation should not be abused because they may a be productive of aural complications.

A well-known London physician, discussing this afficile, agreed that colds now receive more attention.

"As the article referred to states, he said, "to treat a cold successfully it must be taken at the very, beginning.

ning. "I, myself betteve in frequent douching with salt water, or water with which a little glycothymoline or some similar light disinfectant is wived "Rubbing the lose between the humb and foreinger and the use of a snuff consisting of equal parts of samphor and biameth subnitrate is also recommended; I only used such a snuff once and did not care for it at all

at all.

"For the purposes of the ordinary douche a teaspoonful of salt, with about five drops of eucalyptus, should be added to a print of water. pe added to a first of water.

"If a more gomplicated remedy is necessary, the dipllowing alkaline lotton is usefulted Sodium bicarbonate, boracic acid common salt and some light antiseptic."

Warship Growth.

England is peroming almost as taciturn about her naval construction as Germany. In Actober last the battleships Queen-Elizabeth and Warspite, of 30,000 tone displacement, were laid down at Portsmouth and Devonport, respectively, and there was no parade of the undertaking. It is planned to put engines, in that will give these great shape a speed of twenty-nine knots, making them as fast as battle cruisers. They will have main batteries of ten fourteen-inch guns. When they go into commission they will be the only 36,000 ton warships affoat except the Fuso of the Japanese navy, which was laid down in March, 1912. It is thought that the British battle-ships will be completed first, but however that may be, their greater speed, twenty-pine knots to the Fuso's twenty-two, will make them more formidable.

A pagoine has three long tubes, or durines," which possess no fired wise; a wind chest, sac or tungs in lated by a blowpipe; a chantes with niger holes for playing the melody t is an instrument with a small commerce of about nine notes, which form o diatonic scale, nor are they accur-tely tuned to one another. Each note the diatonic scale, nor are they accurately tuned to one another. Each note originally possessed a Gaelio name, such as hodroho, hananum, huchan, hirchin, etc., and all the airs; reels, flings, slogans, war marches, hulschans, strathspeys, laments, piobaireachd — pibrochs — etc., were self taught by ear. Now there are two or three book tutors in the market.— London Family Herald.

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our rivers, waterpowers and naviga-tion, and maintain a game and health resort of the finest kind. 600-Year-Old Charter The charter granted by King Edward I. to Aberystwyth has been discovered by Dr. Lewis, of the University College of Wales, in a search for documents for the town council. It was granted to Llanbadarn, the name of the ancient church and parish. In

consequence of the direction in the charter that markets should be held on Mondays, Aberystwyth keeps bank holidays on Tuesdays. Cloisters in Danger.

Alarm has been aroused by the condition of the cloisters of Peterborough (Eng.) Cathedral. The beautiful canopied and traceried recesses have been found badly affected by time and weather, and timber shoring is being erected pending complete restoration.

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Which Depositors Have Forgotten. Twenty million dollars lie unclained in the banks of Great Britain

Twenty million dollars lie unclaimed in the backs of Great Britain. This statement is made on the basis of the amount of unclaimed money, in the coffers of the Bank of England alone. That institution a lew years ago had more than 11.000 dormant accounts, 47 of which exceeded \$50.000 apiece, while one was written in six figures.

The banks, of course, are glad to be the depositories of the money, since they claim ownership after keeping the accounts open seven years. It is incomprehensible to some how so great a number of accounts are allowed to become dormant by their rightful owners. There are several explanations. A man in business may, for some private reasons open an account in another bank. He dies; his executors know nothing about the extra account; he has left no memorandom of it and it goes unclaimed. A depositor may die abroad or disappear, leaving no clue as to his whereabouts. A man may even forget that he eyer had such an account, in comprehensible as this may seem, it has frequently occurred. In almost every instance carelessness in money matters accounts for these unclaimed dortunes.

Despite the well-known facts the unclaimed deposits are yearly increasing. To put one's money in abank and go away and forget it is but une degree less careless than to fide it in an old teapot or sugar bowl or beneath the rafters or bury if in the cellar. The only advantage to the public in having the funds in a bank is that the money is invested in some useful project and the public flus realizes a flegree of utility from it, which it would not derive were the money buried. As far as the rightful owner of the gold, however, it might as well be lost; he gets no good from it.

Lugged to New Country. Despite the work of The Standard of Empire in the mother country many immigrants arrive in Australia woefully ignorant of the conditions of affairs there. Some of them bring the strangest assortment of "effects" with them that could be imagined.

One of the latest additions to the results the branch out a case of

Bad For the Highlands. population, which has been steadily maintained since 1851, was continued between 1901 and 1911. The latest census gives the population as 20.179, as against 21.440 in 1901, a decrease of 1.261, and 25.793 in 1851, a decrease of 5.614, or 21.8 per cent.

Only one parish is now at its maximum, while several since the middle of last contray bars decreased by as

Stalwart of Other Days. and Paris, Mr. Henry Matthews took up the law as a profesion. and rapidly-forged his way to the front. Entering Parliament in 1868 as Conservative member for Dungarvan, he eventually transferred his activities to East Birmingham. From 1886-92 he was in the Conservative Cabinet, and few Home Secretaries have passed through such a disturbing period as he. The odium of the Labor riots in Trafalgar Square was heaped upon his head, but when the Conservatives went out of office he was consoled by a peerage.

fatally tarnished had the rascal been convicted. Happily, I managed to get the beggar off."

After dinner a multimillionaire entered. He was a friend of the host, who presented the K.C. to him.

"I do not need to be introduced to this gentleman," observed the millionaire patronizingly. "I met him long ago. In fact, I gave him his start in life. I was his first dient." The noisy hilarity which greeted this announcement was never explained to the late comer.—Tit-Bits.

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This particular corner is about as dangerous as a rest for the sole of your rubbers at Toronto holds, since the imminent car threatens you diagonally with a cross between a head-on collision and a hityour-inthe-back. But the big Englishman and the collie are as unconscious as though they were sitting on a park bench.

The Englishman you can understand. Even the Toronto Street Railway would hesitate to mow down the majesty of the law. But why the collie bears a charmed life is a mystery.

Hall:
In the afternoon the reporter tra-versed what would be a fifteen or twenty minutes dog trot to the south-east, and called at Spot's home. That name, of course, was only an alias, but we didn't want to strip the jolly old fellow's secret to the bone, did

we?
"He was as normal as could be till "He was as normal as could be till six months ago," said the wanderer's owner, who is very proud of him; "then he took to following policemen. He's been all over, though his last beat before this College one was down on Queen. He even goes after the mounted police. My own theory is that he must have been brought up with men in uniform, soldiers perhaps, and that now he's reverting to his youthful love. I bought him three years ago in Montreal, and he must have been about a year old then."

must have been about a year old then."

Anoher strange freak in the story of Spot is, that through he leaves his College beat at 790 8 he doesn't get home till 10 or later. Here is a problem for the budding Burnses. How does the clever collie put in his time between seasons? Another crackerjack in canine psychology is the question of who orders him to change his beat?

Converts Always Enthusiastic. It is seldom that anyone attempts tell a story in the Commons chamto tell a story in the Commons chamber. Possibly the sight of Speaker Sproule grimly presiding over the destinies of the House dispels all thought of humor, and it's only the more venturesome spirits like Dr. Michael Clark, of Red Deer, who occasionally take up the role of humorist. In the recent debate on the trade agreement with the West Indies, Dr. Clark twitted Mr. Foster, who had charge of the bill, with deserting from his allegiance to the "home market." It reminded the man from Red Deer of two Scotchmen who were out riding one day, and met a man whom they one day, and met a man whom they both knew. The Scotchmen had alboth knew. The Scotchmen had al-ways seen this man in kilts, but upon this occasion he was observed to be wearing an extremely wide pair of trousers. One of the Scotchmen com-mented upon the strange circum-stance, and his companion replied: "Converts, are always enthusiastic."

Cup For Women Curlers.

Apparently winter's indifference in Ontario to sporting enthusiasm has not had its counterpart in Manitoba, says The Canadian Courier. The bonspiel in Winnipeg is a leading excitement at present—and the women curlers are quite as keen as the men. Application made by the Ladies' Strathcona Club for representation in the open events was denied—but the Manitoba Curling Association has donated a special cup for women contestants—the ladies to compete among themselves. The Strathcona ladies were to enter several rinks and be representative players from different towns.

a million.

Already the rush of settlers has started, and train after train passes through Montreal from Halifax and St. John with the newcomers on

board

Rech ship coming into Canadian ports from now on will likely be booked up to its fullest capacity, as the London offices of the different shipping companies have notified their Montreal agents that already all accommodation is sold up on westward trips till the end of April.

Labrador.
Labrador has an area of 200,000 quare miles and a population of 4,000.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at the Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Bank of Nova Scotia on Wednesday, the 22nd day of January, A. D., 1913 the following by-law was passed and enacted by the Shareholders:—

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"That for the purpose of obtaining the necessary capital for the requirements of the business of the Bank, that the Authorized Gapital Stock of this Bank be, and it is hereby increased from \$5,000,000 to \$10,000 to \$10,00

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MARGARET OGILVIE'S DOUBLE How Son Was Doing. Barrie is not the only Scot with Barrie is not the only Scot with a Margaret Ogivie mother, as was recently proved in Western Canada. She arrived from North Argyllshire, the little old Scotch mother, who since April last had been searching for her eldest and only son and, incidentally, proving a poem of Kipling's. She gave her name (probably correct inspite of her Scottish caution) as Mrs. Margaret Foster; her son was "Bobbie."

majesty of the law. But why the collie bears a charmed life is a mystery.

"No, sir," the officer tells you, "he doesn't belong to me, nor yet to the switchman. No, nor he doesn't live in any of the stores. Fact is, we doe't know anything about him except that he lands about eight o'clock every morning coming from the east. He's here all day, and usually goes off duty about seven or eight.

"We call him Spot," the switchman cuts in, "don't know his right name, but that does. Say, he's the jolliest beggar you ever saw?".

The subject of conjecture extricates himself from under the wheels of a City Dairy cart to attend to his police duties, which consist in Reeping all canine traffic on the move. Should a strange dog so much as show his footsteps in the neighborhood of College and Yonge. Spot growls his "Move on, there," and the field is cleared.

"Every day we get bones for him at Davies", the officer went on, "sometimes he goes in himself and barks for them. Everybody, round here knows him—been coming regular for near a month."

The reporter's curiosity got the better of his breeding, and he determined to probe the secret of this dog with the wanderlust, who came from the dawning and disappeared into the mists. It would be Sherlocky to follow him home. But it was much easier to tell him what a heart-smashing doggie he was until he raised his shaggy head end allowed one's fingers to get into the thick fur under his throat, where the city of Toronto had put a brass number on him, the corresponding name for which would be registered at the all-recording City Hall.

In the afternoon the reporter traversed what would be a fifteen or twenty minutes' dog trot to the south.

her heart, she reserted the ferretings-out of reporters who inquired why her son's letter had corped. "Ye mind your own busines I'll tell ye nae mair." That is what she said. And it proved conclusive. The old lady is going home now to-her farm in Argyllshire, satisfied that her Robert is doing well.

A Gloomy Territory

Baffin's Land, that bleak, rugge wilderness in the Arctic seas, and the Eskimos which inhabit it, was the Eskimos which inhabit it, was the subject of an illustrated address by Rev. A. M. Fleming, a missionary to some time there. Mr. Fleming speak simply as a missionary, nt as a explorer, he said.

That it was an inhospitable country with nothing to attract the white may or sustain him if he should wenture into it, no one could doubt attack Mr. Fleming had finished a recent lecture It was simply a stretch of land,

year, three months of summe and inne months of winter. The only vegetation is the moss that covers the nills for a few months, a few flowers and some stray shrubs.

The inhabitants, Mr. Fleming said are a hardy, degraded race, with primitive instincts. Their igloos are full of filth all the year round. They are quite willing to learn and take that their belief is not the only be-lief. However, the idea that the Eskimo was hostile to the white man was quite true, as most of the whal-ers and traders had done nothing but injure him; but once he learnt that the white race could be friendly, he was the most generous person in the world.

them under four feet ten inches, and have a copper color, due, Mr. Flem-ing thinks, to lack of water more than Huge Lighted Cross.

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deneral.

Village Depopurated.

Illustrated papers in England just now are full of pictures of the village of Dove Holes, Derbyshire, which it is said is quickly being completely depopulated through villagers emigrating to Canada. During the last eight years over a quarter of the population sailed. The rush started when Quarryeman J. S. Marchington, whose success in Taronto quickly attracted others. in Toronto quickly attracted His brother, a village grocer, family of eight, proposes joining

The crop of flax last year in the three prairie provinces is estimated at about 13.000,000 bushels. Shipments have already totalled 1,031,592 bushels. At Fort William there is now a stock of over 966,000 bushels, compared with 485,000 bushels last year.

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them that could be imagined.
One of the latest additions to the population brought out a case of goods, which it took six men to lift. The case collapsed when being handled from the trolley, and it was then found to contain odd pieces of iron, such as blacksmiths' cut off when making horseshees.

It was gathered that the owner of the case was doubtful whether there was any iron in the Commonwealth, and so brought some along for his own use. Another immigrant brought out several hundredweight of wire nails of lifterent sizes. He did not want to be short of nails when the time came of him to build his house; a third innau, a cabinet-maker, had many dozens of window-fasteners and fixing outshich he appissently thought would be novelties in Australia. The total weight of luggage for J 100 immigrants who were passengers by the steamer was over 300 tons.

mum, while several since the middle of last century have decreased by as much as 30 per cent., or more. Three thousand four hundred and ninety-six hales of the "occupied" total are connected with agriculture and fishing, this being 579 less than in 1901, while of the females 35.2 per cent. are indoor domestics, and 35.0 are connected with agriculture. Eleven thousand eight hundred and thirty-mine persons, or 58.6 per cent. of the population, can speak Gaelic, 188 speaking that language only. This is 2,713, or 18.6 per cent. less than in 1901, when 489 could only speak Gaelic. The proportional Gaelic speakers varies from 84.8 per cent. in Assyat to 30 per cent. in Kildonan.

The other day Lord Llandaff celebrated his 87th birthday. He now lives a very retired life in London, but his career has been a strenuous one, and twenty years or so ago his name was on systyhody's line. Lord Llandaff was born in Ceylon, where his father was a judge of the Supreme Court. Educated in London and Paris, Mr. Henry Matthews took

Scene—Dinner party at the house of a well-known British peer. "When I took my first brief," said the prosperous barrister, recounting his career, "I was very nervous and excited, especially as my client was a bad egg. He was a man of good family, whose name would have been fatally tarnished had the rascal been

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