

WILL CUT LITIGATION COSTS NEW BILL FOR HIGH COURT

Mr. F. P. Betts Instituted the Movement Which Led To the Demand for the Measure—The Proposed Change Explained.

Local lawyers are greatly interested in the bill read before the House yesterday by Mr. C. C. Hodgins, member for North Middlesex, in regard to establishing a weekly sitting of the court in London, without taking the cases to Toronto, as is now done. It is not generally known that Mr. F. P. Betts, of the firm of Cronyn, Betts & Coleridge initiated the move at a meeting of the legal association. Mr. Betts noticed that such a bill had been passed regarding the weekly courts at Ottawa, and at once suggested to the legal fraternity of this city that a move be made to secure a similar privilege here. All saw the value of the suggestion and Mr. Hodgins was communicated with, with the result that the bill yesterday passed its second reading and will likely become law shortly.

Value of the Measure.

"The chief value of the measure," said Mr. Betts to The Advertiser this morning, "lies in the great saving of time and money to litigants and lawyers in this vicinity."

"The old bill was so circumscribed

with provisions that in a number of cases it was far easier to go to Toronto and serve a notice of motion than to try the matter here.

"All the way from ten days to two weeks would frequently be lost in communication between lawyers to see if they would agree as to where the case should be tried.

"If the notice of motion was served in Toronto, the case was called on a certain day and the lawyers for both parties would have to go there. This involved considerable time and expense, especially for lawyers living a long distance from Toronto.

Same as Toronto.

"Now London will stand in the same position that Toronto does in this respect, and a lawyer can give notice of motion here and have the case tried quickly and with comparatively little expense.

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Acting Mayor Blames Street Railway For Bad Condition of the Streets

Snow Piled Up To Dangerous Heights Along Certain Thoroughfares.

"The streets along the lines of the London Street Railway are a disgrace," said Ald. Rose, who is acting mayor today.

"This is especially true on the Ridout street line.

"The snow is piled up very high, and it is practically impassable for horses and rigs.

"I think it extremely dangerous. In front of the Normal School also there is snow piled up to a height of 5 or 6 feet.

Should Remove It.

"The company should be compelled to remove it in accordance with the bylaw governing this matter.

"In West London it is worse,

especially along the streets leading to the cemetery.

"It is very difficult to conduct funerals along these streets. Something should be done.

"The other city streets are in good condition. If a heavy snow comes down the gutters and such are all in first-class shape to take the water away.

"We will have no trouble on that score, but I am afraid the street railway will cause us a lot of trouble.

Engineer Speaks.

"I have written to them several times, but the company will do nothing," said City Engineer Graydon.

"The only way to make them do what is wanted is to sue them. That would bring them to their senses."

Some Men at Work.

The street railway company had a few men at work taking the ice away, but nothing very extensive was done. Dundas street is in rather bad shape.

It is thought that the company is waiting for the thaw, which is expected almost any day now.

Annual Banquet of Canadian Club Will Be Held Following Easter

Committees Were Appointed and Arrangements Furthered—Other Business.

At a meeting of the executive of the Canadian Club of London, held at the office of the secretary, Masonic Temple, last night, arrangements were set in motion for the annual banquet which will be held during the month of April.

A communication was read from Mr. H. J. Wickham, of the Navy League, in Toronto, asking if the club in London would care to have an address

from Mr. C. F. Hamilton, late war correspondent of the Globe in South Africa, on the subject of Naval Defense.

The matter was referred to the literary committee.

A letter was also received from the Canadian Club of Victoria, B. C., suggesting the adoption by Canadian municipalities of a distinct Canadian uniform for the police of the Canadian towns and cities on the lines of the English, rather than the United States styles. The secretary was instructed to advise the club in Victoria that the police force in London is already equipped with uniforms of the kind suggested.

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Farmers' Institute Gathers at Comber

Special to The Advertiser.) Comber, Ont., March 5.—A most successful farmers' institute meeting was held here yesterday. A. Beckell, Toronto, A. McLenney, Essex, and John Richardson, Valetta, addressed the afternoon session. The ladies of the town and vicinity were met by Mrs. C.

Campbell and Mrs. J. Holden, of Windsor, and a women's institute was organized, starting off with a membership of twenty-two. Monthly meetings will be held and the future looks bright for the Women's Institute. A joint meeting was held in the evening at which Mr. Beckell and Mrs. Campbell delivered addresses.

British Immigrants Return To Homes

The early morning express on the C. P. R., which goes through here at 3 o'clock, went through in two sections this morning, carrying altogether eleven big coaches of English, Scotch and Irish emigrants, from Chicago and the Western States, who are sailing for their homes on Saturday on the Empress of Ireland.

The majority of these returning stated that they intended remaining

at home, as they could do better there than in the Western States.

Altogether, nearly two thousand people were in the coaches, and they state that they are but the advance guard of a large number of other English, Scotch and Irish people who intend to return shortly.

The C. P. R. reports that many extra trains have been arranged for, and that for the next few weeks they expect to be busy carrying these people to the ports where they will embark for home.

Marble Font in Memory of Dean Innes

A beautiful font in memory of the late Dean Innes, rector of St. Paul's, for many years, is being erected in the front part of the cathedral.

The font, when completed, will be most beautiful, being made of Carrara marble, brought especially from Italy.

It is a gift from the members of the congregation to the memory of their late rector and will cost \$1,000.

The foundation of the font, which is mosaic work, is just about completed, and inlaid in it in colored letters are the words "Innes Memorial."

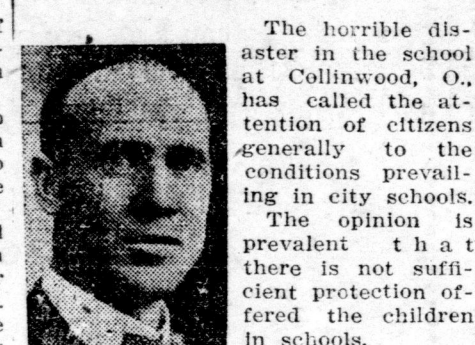
On the font will be a neat brass plate, bearing an inscription relating to the late dean.

The font and baptistry will be surrounded by a brass railing.

Special dedicatory services will be held by Bishop Williams, when the work is completed, which will be very

Not Enough Exits in the Schools Only Proper Safeguard for Scholars

So Says One Gentleman, While Others Think the Schools Are Perfectly Safe.



Fire Chief Clark sufficient fire es-

Residents May Ask for Injunction To Stop Dundas Street Pavement

Unless Broken Stone, as Contract Calls for, is Used.

An injunction may be issued to stop the Dundas street pavement being laid in case the council passes the bylaw sanctioning the use of gravel instead of broken stone for the foundation.

Already a couple of petitions with quite a number of signatures are in the hands of the city clerk, and it is expected that at the next meeting of the council when the question comes up, there will be a large deputation of citizens living on Dundas street on hand to protest against the change.

In case the bylaw is carried then recourse will be made to law.

The contention is that the contract calls for broken stone, and it should be lived up to. There is no good reason, say those against the change,

why gravel should be used instead of broken stone.

The Injunction.

"I understand that such a move is in contemplation," said a prominent resident of Dundas street this morning.

"Some of the residents on the street protest vigorously against the use of gravel, and will make a decided stand against the change.

"A protest will be made to the council, and in case the council does not see its way clear to make the change, an injunction is talked of.

"That will delay the laying of the pavement for some time.

"The most of us are anxious to get this pavement down.

"The residents of the street have quarreled so in the past that the street has been a disgrace for years. Now, when we thought the matter was settled this trouble crops up.

"The council should take the matter in hand and lay whatever pavement it likes, and make the residents stand back and be good. It is hard to say what objections will be made to the pavement before spring."

Property Owners Didn't Get Prices They Thought Reasonable for Lands

Awards Made in the Arbitrations for Portions of Isolation Hospital Site.

The awards in the recent arbitration for the land for the isolation hospital have been made public.

Mr. Charles Woodward is given \$2,500 for his property.

He asked \$6,000 for it, and assessment Commissioner Grant offered him \$3,000, and would probably have given him \$2,500, but Mr. Woodward refused to take less than \$6,000.

Mr. George Slade wanted \$5,000 for his property, and was offered \$3,000 by Mr. Grant. He, too, refused to take less than that.

The arbitrator fixed the value of the property at \$3,600.

The costs of the arbitration amounted to \$270, which the city paid.

The claim of Mrs. Scott was settled for \$1,800 without arbitration, the title being the only matter to arrange in this case.

Victoria Hospital Overdraft \$3,363 Expenditure for 1907 Was \$60,603

A Statement Showing the Big Increase in Amounts Asked From the City.

The following table shows the itemized expenditure for 1907:

Salaries	\$18,645 12
Fuel	5,331 33
Drugs	3,591 76
Meat	3,776 25
General furnishings	3,333 62
Milk	1,138 17
Repairs	2,111 63
Medical appliances	2,848 31
Groceries	2,159 79
Butter	2,107 37
Light	1,825 90
Repairs	1,509 82
Repairs	1,572 76
Contingencies	1,452 49
Flour	1,108 96
Tea and coffee	575 79
Potatoes	807 57
Beer and wines	371 25
Ice	507 51
Taxes	579 75
Water	221 00
Surgical instruments	251 05
Brooms and brushes	980 00
Printing	359 66
Other expenditure	916 83
Total	\$60,603 45

Ottawa Derail May Come Up Again At Meeting of Railway Commission

The fact that the Dominion Railway commission will meet at Ingersoll and Chatham during this month has some interest to Londoners, as the Ottawa avenue derail of the London Street Railway may come up for consideration.

At a former meeting of the commission in Chatham, the London Street Railway applied and was given permission to install a new derail and signals at the Ottawa avenue crossing of the Pere Marquette. As pointed out some time ago in The Advertiser, this derail applied to cars running one way only, and made it practically impossible to run cars both ways as the bylaw governing this line demanded.

For some reason or other the city

was not represented and the commissioners thinking the request was not opposed granted the desired permission.

As soon as the decision was brought to the attention of the council, the city solicitor was instructed to enter a formal protest to the commission on behalf of the council. Mr. Meredith did this, but so far no action has been taken on the matter.

It is expected, however, that the attention of the council, the city solicitor will be ordered to enter a formal protest to the commission meets either at Ingersoll or Chatham.

So far no notification of the meeting has been received by City Clerk Baker, or the London and Port Stanley Board.

KING PAYS VISIT TO SICK PREMIER

First Time King Has Entered No. 10 Downing St. Since It Was Official Residence.

London, March 4.—King Edward spent half an hour today with Prime Minister Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, previous to his departure for Biarritz, where he is going for his health.

The King's visit to the premier is an example of the numerous little, tactful courtesies on which his majesty's popularity with the nation is largely based. It is the invariable custom for the British premier, on the eve of the sovereign's departure abroad, to seek an official farewell audience at the royal palace. It is usually a mere formality. An omission of the meeting on the present occasion would not have been remarked. Hence, the King's kindness in making the visit, which is unprecedented, and fires the popular imagination.

The King arrived at 10 Downing street, the official residence of the prime minister, in his private brougham. He was not noticed by the passersby. He forbade any ceremony, and sat by the premier's bedside and chatted cheerily on ordinary topics. When he left, the prime minister was noticeably brighter.

It is noteworthy that no British sovereign has ever before entered No. 10 Downing street since it became the official residence of the first lord of the treasury.

MR. ALF. BURWELL HAS BEEN APPOINTED

A Clerk in the Assessment Department for the Summer.

As announced some days ago, in The Advertiser, Mr. Alfred Burwell has been appointed to be the fourth assessment clerk.

He will commence work on Monday next.

The other appointees, Messrs. Black, Doble and Gillen, have been at work all week.

William Peel and Arthur Essery were the other applicants for the position.

FLAMES AMONGST CORKS

A Big Chicago Plant Almost Completely Destroyed.

Chicago, March 5.—Fire, starting on the third floor of a five-story building, occupied by the Armour Cork Company, 20 and 22 Market street, spread to the fourth and fifth floors and to the Muralo Company, 24 and 26 Market street. Several persons are said to be on the upper floors of both buildings.

A UNIQUE PETITION

A Departure From the Usual Plan in Pleading for Prisoner.

Windsor, March 5.—A unique petition was forwarded from Windsor yesterday to the minister of justice at Ottawa. It asked for the release on parole of Walter Fitzgerald, who was sentenced to prison for a term of one year for misappropriating money from the Trussed Concrete Company, of Walkerville, and it bore only two names, those of Fitzgerald's wife and his mother. The usual practice is to obtain the signatures of as many sympathizers as possible, but no attempt was made to do this in this case. The appeal was accompanied by a few strong letters of recommendations from prominent Detroiters.

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW—SLEET OR RAIN.

FORECASTS.

Toronto, March 5—8 a.m. Today—Easterly winds and milder. Friday—Easterly winds, with occasional sleet or rain.

Local Temperatures.

The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the local observatory up to 8 p.m. yesterday were: Highest, 32°; lowest, 3.5° above zero.

TEMPERATURES.

Stations. 8 a.m. Min. Weather. Calgary. -10 -12 Clear. Winnipeg. -12 -18 Cloudy. Port Arthur. 22 29 Cloudy. Parry Sound. 16 14 Fair. Toronto. 20 16 Cloudy. Ottawa. 4 4 Fair. Montreal. 16 16 Cloudy. Québec. 6 2 Clear. Father Point. 8 2 Cloudy.

Minus (-) means below zero.

The first column in the above table records the temperatures at 8 o'clock this morning, and the second column records the minimum temperatures during the 24 hours previous.

WEATHER NOTES.

The low area over the southwestern States is drawing very slowly toward the great lakes, accompanied by sleet and rain.

The weather continues decidedly cold in the Western Provinces, and moderately cold from Ontario to the Maritime Provinces.

YESTERDAY'S TEMPERATURES.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, 6 below—19; Atlin, 8 below—20; Victoria, 32—45; Vancouver, 28—44; Kamloops, 10—24; Port Simpson, 20—40; Edmonton, 11 below—14; Battleford, 28 below—6; Calgary, 6 below—8; Regina, 12 below—10; Winnipeg, 14—16; Port Arthur, 18—23; Parry Sound, zero—32; Toronto, 8—28; Ottawa, 16—35; Montreal, 16—23; Québec, 14—24; St. John, 6—22; Halifax, 12—22.

165 Perished in School Holocaust Said To Be Work of Incendiary

Half the Families of Cleveland Suburb Have Been Bereaved.

Cleveland, O., March 5.—One hundred and sixty-five lives, all but two of them children, between the ages of 6 and 15 years, are known to have been lost in the fire which yesterday destroyed the public school in North Collinwood, ten miles east of this city.

Several others still are missing and their bodies may possibly be in the ruins.

It probably will be several days before the exact number of dead is accurately determined.

Of the bodies recovered, 168 have been identified. The remaining bodies, so blackened by fire and smoke, are so battered and bruised by trampling feet that it is only by means of some unburned articles of wearing apparel that their names can be ascertained.

The Cause a Mystery.

The cause of the fire which, aided by a frantic panic, a narrow hallway and doors which it is claimed by many were made to open inward, still is a mystery. It was at first supposed that it came from an overheated furnace, or an exploded boiler in the basement of the school house. It has been established that there was no explosion, and the janitor of the school, Fred Herter, three of whose children perished, declares that it could not have come from the furnace.

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Lively Row Over Warton Cement Co. Many Londoners Held Shares

Charges of Fraud Are Heard—Annual Meeting Here on March 10th.

A dispatch from Detroit to The Advertiser says: The fight being waged between officers and stockholders of the Colonial Portland Cement Company for control of the big plant at Warton, Ont., has resolved itself into a campaign of circular letters, personal abuse and charges of fraud.

Although it was decided at the annual meeting, Feb. 25, that no more circulars would be issued, others have made their appearance and the feeling has been intensified.

R. M. Fisher, a medical practitioner and vice-president of the company, ridicules the statement made by President Joseph W. Humphry, in which the latter claims credit for putting the company on its feet. Mr. Fisher has issued a circular in reply to Mr. Humphry.

Charges Made.

E. Y. Jackson, the company's engineer, is also out with a circular in which he makes charges against Humphry.

Mr. Humphry, on the other hand, had Dr. Whittier, 20 Hazelwood avenue, Detroit, Wednesday, issue a circular in which the doctor, over his signature, declares that it was the energy and resourcefulness of President Humphry that had made the plant a success, and that it is in the interest of all the stockholders to see that he is re-elected president at the adjourned meeting in London, March 10.

Many shareholders of the company reside in London.

New Boathouse for Boating Club To Be Erected on Scarrow Property

Enthusiastic Meeting Held Last Night in the Masonic Temple.

A new clubhouse for the Thames Boating Association is now practically assured.

At the meeting held last evening in the Teutonic House, Mr. Arthur Keene, secretary-treasurer, informed the members that practically two-thirds of the sum needed—\$2,000—had already been subscribed, and that there were many inquiries for the rest, so that in a short time the whole amount would be subscribed.

The shares were \$10 each, and no limit was put to the number of shares purchasable.

The clubhouse will be built on the Scarrow property, just west of the bridge.

It will be a splendid structure, and will do a great deal toward encouraging aquatic sports in the city.

Parks Commissioner Pearce was present, and read a paper on beautifying the Thames. He is in favor of building a drive along the river bank, which was one of the prettiest natural scenes in this part of the country.

He also outlined a plan for beautifying the river by plant beds and such. He advised the association to join the Playground Association and build playground grounds down the river.

Mr. Pearce was given a hearty vote of thanks.

Mr. J. Thorne reported that the membership had been increased a very great deal, and there was considerable enthusiasm for the boathouse project.

The secretary reported that he had estimated the cost of the improvements to the river and dredging to be \$200.

A request had already been made to the city council to do this work, with good prospects of its being done.

At present there are 44 launches, motor boats, canoes and rowboats on the river, with a strong probability that this number would be increased considerably before the year was out.

Mr. Jack Collison was elected president, and Mr. Arthur Keene was elected secretary-treasurer of the new association.

Form an Association, Hold a Picnic

Retail Grocers Discuss These Matters

Both Left Over Until the Next Meeting of the Local Association.

There was a large attendance at the regular meeting of the Grocers' Association last night, when the questions of holding a big union picnic in the city in July, and of forming an interprovincial grocers' association were discussed freely.

The forming of the association depends to a certain extent on when the big union picnic is held, as it is the plan to get grocers from all over the country here, and on the day following the picnic, hold a big convention at which it is hoped the new association will be launched.

The Picnic.

Considerable controversy took place in regard to holding the picnic, some of the members urged that it should have to be held at the end of the month it would be too close to the week of the Old Boys' celebration.

Others thought it would be advisable to go ahead and hold the picnic and the convention following it and get the new interprovincial association going as soon as possible.

The opinion was practically unanimous that the association should be formed and that it would result in inestimable good to the grocers of the country.

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AUTO PROBLEM TO COMMITTEE

**Bills To Curb Reckless Motor-
ists Before Legislature.**

HYDRO COMMISSION EXPENSES

**Proposed Reforms for London Weekly
High Court Approved by Both
Sides of the House.**

Toronto, March 5.—An interesting pronouncement on the board question of the regulation of automobile traffic was made by Premier Whitney yesterday afternoon in the Legislature. The issue was raised by Mr. Bower, who moved the second reading of his bill, providing that motorist meetings shall stop their machines, and where practicable shall turn down intersecting highways. Mr. Bower said that the bill was prompted by an unpleasant affair in Kent County, where a funeral procession to break up in disorder.

Mr. Bower's bill is one of half a dozen designed to regulate automobile traffic. One provides for the impounding of offending cars while others would restrict them to certain days or specified highways.

The Premier said the Legislature would have to grapple with the whole puzzling question, and the most practical plan would be to be guided from year to year by developments. The highways were primarily for foot traffic. The rights of horse-drawn vehicles coming next. Motorists must recognize that at London the same status as that at Ottawa, thus allowing cases arising from the surrounding counties of Perth, Elgin, Oxford, Kent, Huron, etc., to be tried at London on consent of all the parties. Mr. Ross (Middlesex), warmly supported the bill, which was in the interest of justice and favored by the legal mind and the general public. Attorney-General Foy stated that the corresponding bill regarding the Ottawa weekly court had not yet been brought into force by proclamation. He consented that the measure should go to the legal committee, and advised its supporters to be present to advance its interests.

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COLDS Quickly Cured

Everybody has a cold. Some resort to tablets and powders that contain dangerous drugs, and death from heart-depressing remedies is not infrequent. It's poor policy to neglect a cold—especially when it can be cured so quickly without medicine.

You can send the soothing vapor of the pine woods, the richest balsams and healing essences right to the cause of your cold by inhaling Catarrh-ozone.

Little drops of wonderful curative power are distributed through the whole breathing apparatus in two seconds.

Like a miracle, that's how Catarrh-ozone works in bronchitis, catarrh, colds and irritable throat. You simply breathe its only fragrant vapor and every trace of congestion and disease flees as before fire.

So safe, infans can use it, so sure, doctors prescribe it, so beneficial in preventing winter ills no person can afford to do without Catarrh-ozone. Used in thousands of cases without failure. Try it yourself.

The Premier pointed out that Mr. Ross' bill was out of order, as it provided for the raising of revenue. He asked that it be withdrawn, promising at the same time that Mr. Ross should be allowed opportunity of laying his views before the special committee, while the Government would consider taking up his measure as a Government bill. Mr. Ross therefore withdrew his bill.

The Assessment Act.
The Premier made another statement regarding the many amendments to the assessment act. He spoke of the care bestowed on the present act, and said its principles were so interdependent that tinkering would spoil many of its good features. He suggested that all bills which would affect its basic principles should be withdrawn, on the understanding that next session the fullest freedom should be allowed to their introduction, and a special committee appointed to consider them all. Members would be allowed to explain their bills before withdrawing them.

Hydro Expenses.
Replying to Mr. Smith's (Soo.) question as to the hydro electric power commission, Hon. Mr. Foy showed the following sums had been paid to the present or former commissioners: Hon. Adam Beck, traveling and other expenses, 1906, \$600; 1907, \$1,000; P. W. Ellis, honorarium, \$500; Geo. F. Paterson, M. P. P., three years honorarium, \$300; John Milne, three years honorarium, \$300. The cost of the commission had been: 1905, \$6,639 95; 1906, \$25,762 82; 1907, \$40,524 21. Total \$72,926 98.

Mr. Pratt's bill to incorporate the chartered accountants was withdrawn. Premier Whitney stating it irregular for a private member to introduce such a bill.

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CUPID LOST USE OF JUDGE'S PHONE

**Little Fellow Sat Too Long on
the Wire—"Line's Busy"
Always To Him Now.**

London, March 4.—Judge Winchester is most obliging. He is, however, a very busy man. These days, and hasn't time to act as telephone operator for amorous young men who frequent his offices daily.

Moreover, his honor has objections to the use of his desk telephone for long private conversations between maiden and swain, with Cupid sitting on the wires. Henceforth it will be "line's busy" to all persons who want to use the judge's telephone for such purposes.

Too Much Love-Making.
It seems his honor has been bothered considerably in this way lately. When hearing cases in Chambers, which adjourns his private room, he often spies young men dodging into his room to use his telephone. The simple use of the telephone wasn't so bad. But when the judge returned to his room and found double-hearts; young ladies' pet names, and so on, scratched on official documents on the desk by love-lorn young men, he instantly developed beyond a joke. When young ladies called up time and time again to ask for Mr. So-and-so, and the judge had to send the court crier down the corridors looking for the gentleman in question—well, these were the last straws.

Room Is Now Private.
His honor's room is now private—strictly so. When he comes out of it to take a case in chambers, the door is shut, and no one may enter except the court crier, Mr. Powell. The judge's telephone, too, is now absolutely private, and the young gentlemen whose business takes them daily to the county judge's court must find some other telephone through which their lady friends can get into touch with them during business hours.

**DEATH'S BIG TOLL
BY IMPURE MILK**
Infected Milk Responsible for a
Large Percentage of Infant
Mortality.

Washington, March 4.—Surgeon-General Walter Wyman, of the public health service, today submitted to Secretary of the Treasury Cortelyou a "report on milk in its relation to public health."

The report is the result of an investigation ordered by President Roosevelt and conducted by federal experts under the direction of Professor J. M. Roseau, of the hygienic laboratory. In his introduction to the 22 treatises of the report, Dr. Wyman says that "it is recognized that the gastro-intestinal disease is the largest single cause of infant mortality. It has been the object of this work to include all available data, showing the influence of milk as a carrier of infection, and the measures necessary in consequence."

Dr. Wyman declares that the ideal milk, drawn from a cow with a healthy udder, and preserved from contamination by the milk of commerce, and he cites the fact that samples of market milk in New York showed 35,000,000 bacteria to the cubic centimeter. London, 21,000,000; and he says, "gives figures to prove that the high infant mortality may be attributed almost entirely to impure milk."

The surgeon-general writes: "Dr. Mohr points out that probably the most important disease of cows from the standpoint of public health is tuberculosis, and it is the most prevalent. He insists that all milk should come from either tubercle-tested cattle or be subject to pasteurization."

"The important subject of pasteurization has been carefully studied by Dr. Roseau. He recommends 60 degrees centigrade for twenty minutes as the best temperature to use."

The report contains an amazing array of evidence of the possibility of infected milk for epidemics of typhoid fever, scarlet fever and diphtheria. Assistant Surgeon-General John W. Trask has tabulated the data of 500 cases, which were definitely traced to the milk supplies.

Surgeon-General Leslie E. Lumsden, following up on the data collected by Dr. Trask as relating to typhoid, says: "Considering the terrible multiplication which the bacteria can undergo in twenty-four hours in milk, it is easy to see how one can or bottle of infected milk taken into a dairy and there mixed with a large volume of milk, may be responsible for exposure to infection of several thousand persons."

FOUR HOSPITALS FAILED
James Heard, of Morton Park, Ont., says: "While employed at the Special Works of Newmarket six or seven years ago, I bruised my ankle, but through neglect this bruise turned to an ulcerated or burning sore, which caused me a great deal of suffering. I tried a great number of doctors, and was in the hospital four times. I tried almost everything, but nothing did me any good. I could not sleep at night with the scalding and burning pain, but from the first application of Zam-Buk I never lost any sleep, and felt nothing more of it than if I hadn't had any sore at all. It started healing and gave me no further trouble. Shortly after this as I was getting on my feet, my ankle slipped and I came with all my might down the edge of the step and gave my foot a terrible mangle. This made it far worse than ever, but I started again with Zam-Buk, and it did the same work again as it did at first and my ankle is sound and well as ever. I cannot speak too highly of Zam-Buk."

Zam-Buk cures cuts, burns, chapped hands, chafings cold sores, itch, chilblains, eczema, running sores, sore throat, bad chest, ringworm, piles (blind or bleeding), bad legs, inflamed joints, rheumatism, neuritis, sciatica, abscesses and all diseased, injured and irritated conditions of the skin. Obtainable of all druggists and stores, 50c, or postpaid upon receipt of price from Zam-Buk Company, Toronto.

NOW I AM WELL

THANKS TO "FRUIT-A-TIVES"



Elk, Manitoba.

I wish to state, for the sake of others who may be suffering like I was, that I suffered from severe indigestion and constipation for years and that there was also womb trouble with unpleasant pains in my back which made me miserable, constantly. I tried physicians and took many remedies but I got no relief. I was induced to try "Fruit-a-tives" and I can truly say this was the first medicine that ever did me any good. "Fruit-a-tives" quickly relieved the constipation and indigestion and completely cured all of my symptoms of womb trouble. I cannot express too strongly my great gratitude to this medicine. "Fruit-a-tives" is now in every way as ever I was, thanks to "Fruit-a-tives". I can strongly recommend "Fruit-a-tives", it is easy to take and the effect is always mild like fruit.

(Sgd) MRS. M. BRELAND.

Many women suffer with what the doctors call "Womb Trouble"—"Diseased Ovaries"—"Painful Complaints" etc.—when Constipation is causing all the pain. Cure the liver and make the bowels move regularly with "Fruit-a-tives" and the "Womb Trouble" will be cured at the same time.

"Fruit-a-tives" are sold by dealers at 25c a box. —6 for \$2.50—or will be sent on receipt of price. Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

MESMERIZED BY VICTIM'S WIFE

**Story of a Man's Mad Love for a
Woman and How She Con-
trolled His Actions.**

Berlin, March 4.—The murder of a military officer by a brother officer Christmas night, which excited great interest in Germany, has become doubly sensational through the murderer's confession that he was hypnotized by the wife of the murdered man into the commission of the crime. Beyond the fact that Capt. Von Goeben, of the artillery, shot and killed Major Von Schoenbeck, of the dragons, in the latter's house, owing to the former's guilty love for Frau Von Schoenbeck, little was certainly known, although many versions of the affair were current. Friends tried to get Von Goeben declared insane, but experts declared he was sane. Von Goeben realized that his execution as a common murderer was certain, and he committed suicide yesterday in his cell in the military prison at Allenstein, on the Polish frontier, by hacking his throat with a blunt table knife. To the Munich alienist, Prof. Baris Schrenknotzing, the murderer a few hours previously had made an astonishing confession of mad love for Frau Von Schoenbeck and of her power over him. In the course of his confession, which was sworn to, he said: "My country, my mother, my friends, all I would have cheerfully betrayed could I but have exchanged them for this witch, who made me swear beneath the twinkling branches of her alder Christmas tree that I would kill my father that very night."

Although he knew from her own lips that she had led a reckless life, Von Goeben said: "I regarded her as something pure and sacred. I believed blindly anything she said. When I think back I cannot comprehend how I credited it all. The two women must have exercised a sort of mesmerism over me, for I would have unhesitatingly and unhesitatingly have committed the greatest crime for her. I never had pangs of conscience. I honored her as a goddess."

The woman constantly complained of her husband's ill-treatment, and Von Goeben resolved to free her. They discussed means of getting rid of him, and at one time decided that the wife should poison him. In his confession Von Goeben adds: "I bought her enough arsenic to poison two hundred persons, but her courage failed." Other means were discussed, until, when Christmas came, Von Goeben said: "Von Schoenbeck, during the latter's absence from the room, Frau Von Schoenbeck made Von Goeben swear that he would kill her husband. Von Goeben said: 'I cheerfully made that oath.'"

And with the wife's consent, leaving he re-entered the house after hours after midnight. Mayor Von Schoenbeck was disturbed by the noise, and met the intruder with his revolver, but before he could fire, Von Goeben shot him squarely in the heart, and the major died almost instantly.

Rottterdam's harbors and shipping facilities are the immediate cause of its prosperity and growth. In June this year the city council appropriated \$12,000,000 for the construction of an additional harbor to be called Waalhaven, which, when completed, will cover an area of about 800 acres and provide berths for 200 sea-going steamers, thus doubling the present entire harbor accommodations.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup provide berths for 200 sea-going steamers, thus doubling the present entire harbor accommodations.

For this reason many people suppose that birds do not suffer from the cold of winter, being also protected by their thick coat of feathers. But they do. Birds and all the woodland folk feel cold, and a hard frost causes severe suffering.

THE ARCHDEACON OF P.E.I.
Praises Dr. Agnew's Heart Cure—Remarkable Testimony.

We, the undersigned, have been seriously troubled with valvular heart disease; have both had fainting spells upon the slightest extra exertion. Last April, when we both were unable to do any work of moment, we began using Dr. Agnew's Heart Cure, having no faith in it but hoping it might relieve. After taking six bottles we feel almost cured. We feel compelled to send this unsolicited testimonial, with the hope that others may be benefited as we have been. Gratefully yours, T. B. Reagh, Archdeacon P.E.I., and L. D. Reagh.

Sold by Callard & McLachlan.

Weather
Probs:
MILDER.

Smallman & Ingram
THE SATISFACTORY STORE—PHONE 655

Thursday
March 5

STORE NEWS TODAY.

NEW NETS ARE HERE

Fashion has declared strongly in favor of these for spring and summer wear. And we have stocked accordingly. A visit to our Lace Department, and a glance at our window display, will convince you that they are here, and here in force; but notwithstanding our immense assortment and large quantities, we would advise your early selection, as these will go, and go with a rush, for the styles are right, values are right, and the goods are right. And it is surprising even to ourselves how quickly these large stocks disappear, particularly when there is a strong demand for a particular line of goods, which is liable to cause a scarcity of same later on.

Make your selection now.

36-Inch Bretonne Nets, 25c

Fine quality and nice soft finish, plain nets, in white and Paris; 36 inches wide, only, yard 25c

36-Inch Spot Bretonne, 35c

These make dainty dresses for misses and children; white only, at, per yard 35c

27-inch Spot Bretonne, in white and Paris, at, per yard 25c

18-inch Fillet Net, in two neat patterns, at, only, per yard 25c

42-inch Fillet Net, in Paris and ivory, plain, at, only, per yard 75c

Also pretty patterns in very fine quality, the proper material for your new waist or dress, 42-inch, at, per yard 85c, \$1.00 and \$1.25

42-Inch Point d'Esprit, 50c

Large spot design in Paris and ivory, a leader, at, per yard 50c

42-Inch Figured Nets, 75c

Coin spots and other fancy designs, which make up very effectively in blouse or jumper styles, at, per yard 75c

Black Silk Point d'Esprit, \$1.50

44 inches wide and a splendid wearing quality, our leader, at, yard \$1.50

44 inches, Plain Black Silk Net, for dresses and waists, per yard \$1.00

44 inches, Plain Ivory Silk Net, suitable for Braiding, per yard \$1.50

36 inches, Plain Black Silk Brussels Net, at, per yard 50c, 65c, 75c, \$1.00

36 inches, Plain White Silk Brussels Net, at, per yard 65c

Lace Department—East Aisle, Main Floor.

New Scotch Ginghams, Too, Have Arrived

These are beautiful. Would almost pass for silks—particularly those pretty checks, with the half-inch mercerized white stripes running three inches apart; also the zig-zag, even and fancy stripes. All the very newest, and are designed in stripes and checks; in sizes suitable for children's and ladies' dresses and shirtwaist suits, in colors that will stand the tubbing—pale blue, pink, reseda, blue-gray, gray, mauve, brown, black, navy. All are combinations with white in the above-mentioned designs. Twenty-eight inches wide, at, per yard 20c, 22c, 25c and 35c

See These in Wash Goods Department—East Aisle.

Store Closes at
6 p.m. Daily.
Saturday
Included.

Smallman & Ingram
THE SATISFACTORY STORE—PHONE 655

149 to 153
Dundas
Street

EARL YARMOUTH TO WED AGAIN

**Alice Thaw's Former Husband
Reported Engaged To Noted
American Girl.**

Paris, March 3.—The rumor that Norma Monroe, the American heiress and girl spendthrift, is to be the second wife of the Earl of Yarmouth is the only topic of conversation in the American colony here.

The fact that the earl, since the annulment of his marriage to Miss Alice Thaw, of Pittsburgh, has been in need of money adds strength to the report that he is soon to wed the American heiress whose escapades and legal entanglements have been the talk of two continents.

The Earl is said to have recently spent much time at Monte Carlo, and at the green tables to have further depleted the money he received in settlement at the time of his annulment.

Disclosed by Girl's Letter.
The announcement that he would wed Miss Monroe is said to have been made by the young woman herself in a letter she wrote to one of her intimate women friends in New York, with whom she maintained a steady correspondence since her exile from New York at the time she was sued by Mrs. Leslie Carter Payne, the actress, Miss Munro's friend told another friend, and this other friend wrote to a friend in Paris, and then the story began to circulate.

Miss Munro could not be found to-night to either confirm or deny the story. Yarmouth has disappeared from Monte Carlo, and he has not been seen at any of his usual haunts in Paris.

The rumor of the engagement has revived all of the stories concerning the Earl's first marriage and his troubles since, as well as the career of Miss Munro since the death of her father, the American publisher. Many incidents are told concerning her alleged extravagance. At the time of Mrs. Leslie Carter Payne's suit in 1906 to recover \$57,999, it was alleged that Miss Munro, who was then in Paris and out of the reach of subpoena service, had imported cigarettes from Turkey for her own use on which the duty alone was \$186; that she borrowed Mrs. Carter-Payne's \$8,000 auto, and that it was found crated on an outward bound liner, that she maintained an expensive house on Long Island for which the actress paid, and that she gave Mrs. Leslie Carter-Payne

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS.

No Advertisement Accepted Less Than Fifteen Words.

Meetings—When no admission is charged, one cent per word each insertion.

Articles For Sale, To Let, Help Wanted, Situations Wanted, Board and Lodging, Lost and Found, and all other 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.

DEATHS.

AVEY—In this city, on Thursday, March 5, 1908, Jennie, widow of the late Arthur Avey, aged 58 years.

Funeral private, from the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. Frank Robertson, 679 Dundas street, on Saturday, at 3 p.m.; service at 2:30.

WEIR—At the family residence, Governor's road, North Dorchester, March 5, 1908, Mary Jane Wilson, relict of the late James Weir, in her 90th year.

Funeral notice later.

HOGG—At Montreal, Que., on Monday, March 2, 1908, James Hogg, of London, Ont.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

GRAND TONIGHT, 8:15 ON RUSSIAN SOIL

Wilbur Stock Co. Extra Attraction, MADAME FLOWER, The Bronze Melba.

Popular Prices 10c, 20c, 30c Higher

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INDOOR BASEBALL

Western Ontario Championship.

21ST FUSILIERS, WINDSOR.

At the Armory, Saturday, March 7, at 8:30 p.m. Admission 25c.

9c ywv

WESTMINSTER RINK—CADET BAND every night. Grand ice. Open afternoons. Employees' benefit, Tuesday next.

SIMCOE STREET RINK—THE YOUNG ladies of the Robinson Corset Company guests at rink tonight. Ice in perfect condition. Special music.

ILLUSTRATED LECTURE, "MICHAEL Angelo," by Professor Young, Toronto 8, at 8:30 p.m. Admission, 10c and 15c.

THURSDAY EVENING, MARCH 5, 1908—Tallot Street Baptist Church, illustrated lecture by Rev. J. H. Briggs, on "Life in Burnham." Silver collection.

DON'T MISS IT—GRAND CONCERT given at Knox Church, South London, Monday, March 2. First-class talent selected. Admission tickets, single 15c, double 25c.

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

LEARN TO DANCE—PRIVATE LESSONS by R. B. Millard, 345 Princess avenue. Season open. Call and register.

TONY CORTESE—ORIGINAL LONDON Harpers. Music furnished for all occasions. 161 Maple. Phone 1579.

DANCING—ADVANCED CLASS EVERY Wednesday evening. Primary, Tuesday Ladies, Monday; gentlemen, Tuesday evenings; children, Saturday afternoons. Phone. Dayton & McCormick.

MEETINGS.

Headquarters 7th Fusiliers, London, March 3, 1908.

Regimental Orders—By Lt. Col. F. A. Reid, commanding.

No. 1—A non-commissioned officers' class will be held at the Armories every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

No. 2—Recruit class will be held every Friday evening at 8 o'clock, until further orders.

Men desiring to join the regiment should do so at once as no recruits will be taken on the strength after the battalion drill season commences.

By order, W. A. McCormick, Capt., Adjutant 7th Regt. Fusiliers.

ST. PAUL'S CLUB—THE REGULAR weekly meeting will be held tonight at 8 o'clock, in Croydon Hall. Subject, "The Sacrifice of Isaac," by the Rev. J. H. Briggs.

REGULAR MEETING ST. GEORGE'S, 42 A. F. and A. M., in the Masonic Temple, this (Thursday) evening, 5th inst., 7:30 p.m. Visitors welcome. Confraternity degrees. George Rott, W. Master; A. Ellis, P.M., secretary.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE THAMES River Angling Association, branch of the Ontario Fishing and Game Protective Association, will be held on Thursday evening, March 5, at 8 p.m., in Duffield Hall, over Gas office. Election of officers for 1908 and other matters of importance will be dealt with by W. H. Chittenden, president; J. O. Weldon, secretary-treasurer.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—ONE PAIR OF WHITE KID gloves, elbow length, on Richmond street, Thursday morning. Reward on return to this office.

LOST, MONDAY—WOODEN-SOLED shoe. Reward at 553 Princess avenue.

LOST, ON THAMES STREET, NEAR archway, Wednesday night—Gentleman's gold ring, garnet stone; monogram. Reward on return to Advertiser.

LOST—GOLD NECK CHAIN, FOUR strands, with lock attached, between Wortley road and William street. Finder kindly return to Mr. Arthur W. White, Wortley road.

LOST—LOCKET AND CHAIN, IN-INITIALS "M. L." in Jubilee ring, on East London. Finder rewarded when returned to 888 Queen's avenue.

LOST—BROWN LEATHER PURSE, containing money and keys. Reward on return to this office.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY W. H. Bartram, 90 Dundas street.

MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—GOOD, STEADY MAN TO work on farm; single man preferred. Apply 90 King street, on Saturday, between 10 and 1.

WANTED—COMPETENT MAN AS head shipper; none but well-qualified, honest, experienced, need apply. R. Somerville, 618 Dundas street.

WANTED—SINGLE MAN FOR FARM work, about April 1. Apply Malcolm McNaughton, Arrol, P. O.

WANTED—A GOOD FARM HAND. APPLY Henry Scott, Teiler P. O. 38c-wy

CASH SALARY AND A HEAD OF IT, too, is what railway telegraphers receive. Let us make a telegrapher of you. For particulars, Dominion School of Telegraphy, 2 Adelaide east, Toronto.

WANTED—FARM HAND FOR EIGHT months; experienced. Apply to George Jones, Box 312, Glenora, Ont.

CANVASSERS AND CREW MANAGERS wanted. Apply 33 Clarence street.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—MILLINERY TRIMMERS and preparers. Apply 194 Dundas street.

A GOOD HAND TRONER WANTED. Apply at laundry, Victoria Hospital.

WOMAN FOR LIGHT HOUSEWORK. Apply Room 31, Toronto Bank.

WANTED—GENERAL MAID OR woman, in family of two. Address Box 6, Advertiser.

MAID WANTED FOR GENERAL housework; two in family. Apply evening, 586 Waterloo street.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED HOUSE-MAID. Apply Housekeeper, Telford House.

WANTED—200 LADIES TO GET OUR prices on bread and confectionery. Big Bill Restaurant, 123 King street. Phone 170 K.

INVESTIGATE OUR SPECIAL OFFER to students now. Acme School of Art, 430 Talbot street.

WANTED.

WANTED—BARN, FOR REMOVAL. 123 Adelaide street. J. J. Strath, 361 Elizabeth street.

DO NOT KEEP YOUR WORN-OUT jewelry. Sell it. Milroy, Jeweler, 394 Richmond.

WANTED TO RENT—BY APRIL 1, 50-acre farm in vicinity of London. Apply Box 24, Masonville.

COMINGS WANTED—SELL YOUR clothing. Any size. 225 1/2 ywt

WANTED TO PURCHASE—FIVE TO ten acres of land, with or without buildings, near London. J. W. Boyle, Crumlin.

YOUNG COUPLE DESIRES LEASING modern house, central location; will pay good rent. Box 41, Advertiser.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

WANTED—POSITION AS HOUSE COOK or attendant, private family. Apply Hig. 4816 Richmond street.

WANTED BY ENERGETIC, CAPABLE woman, position as housekeeper or working companion to elderly couple. Apply Box 43, Advertiser.

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Our Daily Hint.



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Who gets the bone? Who gets the prize?

Who gets the job of largest size?

Who gets the flint?

Who gets the chance?

Who gets the offer?

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ARE OUR SCHOOL CHILDREN SAFE?

The terrible holocaust at Collinwood, Ohio, in which nearly two hundred school children lost their lives, prompts the query, How would the pupils of any one of the public schools of this city fare under like circumstances? In this latest catastrophe, which recalls the Hochelaga horror of two years ago, the outbreak of fire was caused by an overheated furnace, and the unusually heavy death list appears to have been due to a lack of sufficient exits. Only two such means of escape were provided in a building occupied by four hundred children. These exits soon became choked with terror-stricken boys and girls, who struggled to reach the open air, until the floor gave way, and all were precipitated into the blazing basement.

In none of the schools of this city, with perhaps one exception, is an outbreak of fire from such a cause impossible. All except St. George's, and including the Collegiate Institute building, are heated by hot air furnaces, any one of which might become dangerous through inattention or some unsuspected defect. In many of these buildings there are no more exits than there were in the Collinwood school. Supposing that on some winter's day the pupils of one of these schools should be startled by flames bursting through the flooring. There is the fire drill, it is true, and in the tests that are constantly being made by the sounding of the familiar fire alarm, and, in some instances, the producing of smoke by burning a few scraps of paper, the pupils show a promptness and eagerness that is surprising. But the Collinwood school also had its fire drill, indeed a subject of special comment of the London teachers on the occasion of their visit to Cleveland, of which Collinwood is a suburb, on the 24th of May last, was the wonderful celerity in which this drill was carried out there. The fact is the pupils soon become accustomed to this feature of school life, and there is noticeable a tendency on the part of the older and larger scholars to treat it very much as a joke. But should there be a real outbreak of fire, there would be the risk of a panic and a stampede, the noise of which would alarm the pupils in the rooms upstairs, and when they reached the ground floor the scenes at Collinwood might easily be duplicated.

What is needed in most of the London schools, if the absolute safety of the children is to be insured, is more exits. St. George's school, now the largest in the city, with an average attendance of 600 pupils, has but two exits. If a fire and panic occurred there the results might be even worse than at Collinwood. In this school at least there should be fire escapes at the rear portion.

The substitution of hot water for not air heating in all the schools would be another step in the direction of safety. St. George's is the only school in the city so equipped. Here an up-to-date hot water heating system has been installed, the furnace being inclosed in masonry, so as to remove all danger from fire. The saving in fuel from the introduction of such a system in all the schools would in a few years pay the cost of the change. But whatever the expense, surely the safety of the children would justify it.

THE WATER QUESTION.

Because Stratford is going in for the filtration of river water, our local contemporary claims it is an argument for the adoption of the same system in London. It does not point out that Stratford gets most of its water from artesian wells, and if that supply were adequate would not think of resorting to the River Avon.

Formerly the whole supply was drawn from the river, but the water was so unfit for potable purposes that six artesian wells were sunk as an experiment. These yielded good water in a quantity sufficient for a time. Later the Grand Trunk Railway Company sank three wells, and by the air lift system so stimulated the flow of its own wells as to decrease the volume of water from the city's. The commissioners concluded that it would be a gamble to sink new wells, as the rock vein was evidently a thin one. Hence the decision to install a filtration plant and supplement the supply from the wells by drawing from the river.

Our local contemporary, in its anxiety to score a point for river water, misrepresents the situation by claiming that Stratford had recourse to

artesian wells only when the river supply became inadequate, and that river water gave satisfaction. Such was not the case. Even the small admixture of river water under the present system made it necessary last summer for Stratfordites to boil city water at periods. When the filtration plant is installed they expect to use river water only three months in the year. They realize the superiority of their well water.

London is under no such compulsion as Stratford to drink river water. That misfortune, if it must come, can be postponed for many years, and citizens of this generation will have themselves to blame if they do not keep their pure and palatable spring water unadulterated for domestic use.

THE PRESENT POSITION OF THE POWER PROBLEM.

The Niagara power question is becoming more involved.

Two public ownership newspapers, the Toronto Telegram and Toronto World, which have been promoters of the Beck scheme, have turned their guns on the Government. The Telegram berates the administration for losing the opportunity to acquire the Electrical Development Company's plant, before it passed into the hands of William Mackenzie. The Premier admits that he received an offer from the company. His excuse for rejecting it is that the Government would have become liable for a ten-million-dollar bond issue of the Electrical Development Company, and would have got power no cheaper than under the proposed contract with the Ontario Power Company. The Telegram accuses the Premier of concealing the fact of the Electric Development Company's offer from the hydro-electric commission, and says the cause of public ownership has been betrayed. The Premier accuses the Telegram of "foul and filthy calumny," a truly Whitneysque expression.

The World prods the Government for inaction. "The next thing we want to impress on Mr. Whitney," it says, "is that the sooner he gets busy on the job of building transmission lines and supplying the municipalities with power at cost, the sooner will he be doing what the people expect of him." Hon. Mr. Whitney's reply is that the Government and hydro-electric commission have done all they can, and that the next move must come from the municipalities. This means that the city of London is now thrown on its own resources in working out the local end of the scheme. So far it has not had a glimpse of the contract which it is required to make with the commission, and it is impossible for the city to make contracts with local consumers of power when it is not in a position to quote rates. The framing of a tariff schedule must be the preliminary step, and the commission should instruct the city how this is to be done.

London is being made a legal center. With a live university it will be an educational center, as it is already the wholesale and industrial center of Western Ontario.

The Toronto Telegram says the Ontario Government's power policy is more a prospectus than a performance. Well, a prospectus is good enough for a general election.

Earl Grey reproves Canadians who sleep with their windows closed tight on cold nights. Too many forget that in shutting out the cold they shut out nature's best medicine, fresh air.

The Ottawa Citizen gushes over Premier Whitney's reply to the temperance people, and says its frankness was as refreshing as the ocean breeze. Perhaps the Citizen will venture to explain the meaning of Mr. Whitney's reply. Did he say definitely "Yes" or "No"? If not, where does the refreshing frankness come in?

Mr. Ganey wants it understood that he did not stigmatize English immigrants as being "not worth a tinker's dam," an expression which he was reported as using in a speech at Toronto. He may be relieved to know that a tinker's "dam" is not a swear word, but a small coin used long ago. However, he is entitled in fair play to have his contradiction published.

WELL QUALIFIED.

[Philadelphia Record.]
"Bobbs—See that messenger boy reading the dime novel. He hasn't moved for an hour."

"Slobbs—What an ideal chess player he would make."

HIS OPINION.

[Chicago Record-Herald.]
"No man ever thoroughly understood a woman," said she.

"Well," the rude old bachelor answered, "the women ought to be mighty glad of that."

SOME MAIDEN SPEECHES.

[Westminster Gazette.]
By waiting 24 years before making his maiden speech Lord Laugford has exercised an oratorical restraint as rare as in some cases it would be commendable.

The Earl of Rochester, in the days of Charles II., was not equally modest, for he took an early opportunity of addressing the House of Lords, with disastrous results. "My lords," he began, "I rise this time for the first time, the very first time, my lords, and divide my speech into four branches." Here he paused for a few seconds grew purple and confused, and finally blurted out, "My lords, if ever I rise again in this House, you may cut me off, root and branches and all, for ever."

Lord Byron was more fortunate, for his

maiden effort was declared by Sir F. Burdett to be "the best speech by a lord since the Lord knows when."

Lord Rosebery's maiden speech, after three years of silence, was a model of modest oratory, opening with a plea for that favor and indulgence which the House always shows to those who address it for the first time. "Even in a larger measure," he said, "than in my extreme youth and inexperience."

THE OBSTRUCTIONISTS.

[Hamilton Times.]
The obstructionist tactics of the Ottawa Tories is costing the country a good deal. They apparently seek to serve no other purpose than the killing of time, and already well over 4000 columns of Hansard have been filled, mostly with this idle talk. As the production of Hansard alone costs about \$5.45 per column, and the expenses of the House \$3 a minute, it will be seen that talk is not cheap when indulged in by Tory obstructionists to hide their lack of policy and general incompetence.

THE OTTAWA RIOT.

[Toronto News.]
The difference between a riot and an all-night session of the House of Commons is known only to the police.

FOR OTHERS' SAKE.

[Life.]
Father—Why don't you study to be a doctor?
Johnny—I don't want to stir up class enmity.

RODOLPHE LEMIEUX.

[London Free Press.]
The labor conciliation measure, which is the fruit of Mr. Lemieux's effort, remains the greatest tribute to his skill as a statesman. With here and there an objection, as is natural, the labor act has indisputably been a power for good. The removal of friction between capital and labor is a cause worthy of keenest study and concern, and that the Minister of Labor has been able to do much to this end is to his everlasting credit.

And so it may be that some day Rodolphe Lemieux will be Premier of Canada.

GOING TOO FAR.

[Houston Chronicle.]
"Our talented subcommittee," announced the stage manager, "will now endeavor to entertain the audience with a few take-offs."
"Come along, paw," snorted Max Hopwood, "I hadn't a-goin' to stand for no undressin' scene."

MINOR POET.

[Philadelphia Record.]
He—What did your father say when you told him I was a poet?
She—Oh, he raved about it, of course; but, after several hours, I finally convinced him that you weren't much of a poet, after all.

ASSISTING NATURE.

[Chicago Daily News.]
Stella—But you don't seem to grasp my meaning. I'll try to make myself a little more plain.
Mabel—Don't do anything rash, dear. One is foolish to interfere with the work of nature.

THE CHECK REIN.

[Kansas City Journal.]
All taut! Tighten the rein.
Draw it in with might and main.
True, the brutes may feel some pain,
But—
Horses must be stylish.

All taut! Tighten the rein.
There! A full half-inch we gain.
Dumb appeals are all in vain.
For—
Horses must be stylish.

All taut! Tighten the rein.
Necks must arch, though muscles strain.
And to meddlers just explain.
That—
Horses must be stylish.

THE ROAD TO RICHES.

[Louisville Courier-Journal.]
"I've never had any great luck," declared the pessimist.
"Neither have I," admitted the optimist. "Made my money by hard work and advertising."

AT THE MUSICAL.

[Chicago News.]
Tom—Don't you think Miss Screecher sings with considerable feeling?
Jack—Not so I can notice it. If she had any feeling for the rest of us she would not sing at all.

COMPENSATION.

[Philadelphia Press.]
Miss Howells—Since I had typhoid fever I haven't been able to sing at all. I seem to have lost my voice entirely.
Miss Kunningham—Typhoid is a queer disease. I've often heard that if you recover from it, it improves you in every way.

HER ONLY WAY.

[Philadelphia Press.]
"I don't see," remarked Miss Gaddie, "why she should go and marry that old man for his money."
"Who said she married him?" asked Miss Gidday, "how else could she get it?"

FIGURED OUT.

[Washington Star.]
"Did you ever figure out how much a few hundred dollars mean every year will amount to in time?"
"Yes," answered Mr. Ploddan A. Long, "but the man with whom I invested it figured it out before I did and never gave me a chance at it."

DOUBLY WORTHLESS.

[Philadelphia Press.]
Miss Ascum—But when she accepted the count didn't she know he was worthless?
Miss Gausp—Yes, but he proved to be twice as worthless as she thought.
Miss Ascum—Why, how was that?
Miss Gausp—She thought she was going to get him for a million, but he cost her two.

ENVIRONMENT.

[Chicago Tribune.]
"Madame, your husband does not seem to have any organic trouble," said the physician.
"Land sakes, no!" exclaimed Mrs. Pneumonia. "Not in this neighborhood. But the folks that live next door to us have a graphophone that worries him nearly to death."

POSTMASTER DEAD.

Death of Mr. Wm. Regan, Formerly of Glenworth.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Bothwell, March 5. — Mr. William Regan, for many years postmaster of this village, died here yesterday. Mr. Regan was one of the best-known citizens of this place. He came here from Glenworth.

His wife predeceased him some years ago. He is survived by five children.

"REDS" PLOT TO KILL FARLEY

The Catholic Archbishop of New York in Peril of Assassination.

New York, March 4.—Police Commissioner Bingham yesterday stated that anarchist threats against Archbishop Farley and against one of the deputy commissioners have kept the New York police on the alert for four months against any such outbreak as the murder of Father Leo Heinrichs in Denver or the attack upon Chief of Police Shippy in Chicago.

According to the commissioner, there was a threatening outbreak of anarchism some time ago, which included, in addition to the threats mentioned, the circulation of thousands of handbills advising men out of work to march upon Wall street and help themselves. General Bingham states that the Denver and Chicago crimes appear to be a part of the original plan.

"We did receive at police headquarters, an unsigned letter containing threats against the Archbishop and several other men of prominence," says the commissioner.

"Scores of these letters are received by the police every week. We call them 'bug house' letters and seldom pay any attention to them."

"There was never any actual guard placed about the Cathedral house, but any one can imagine that the police would not entirely overlook such a matter, or fail to see that protection was given."

"It was about this time that some Chicago anarchists procured the circulation here of thousands of handbills in which it was stated that every man who could find his way to Wall street, and advising the workmen to march upon that street and get redress."

"About the same time a letter was received at headquarters threatening one of the deputy commissioners with assassination. I wish it distinctly understood that they were matters of several months ago, rather than of the present time."

"There was some slight addition to the Wall street force, to guard against possible outbreaks. It was one of the cases which made it evident to me that this city needs a secret service force. I needed men to mix with the anarchists and find out their plans as regards this or other cities."

GRANTS TO RAILWAYS ASKED IN ST. MARYS

A Twenty-Five-Year Franchise of Certain Streets Proposed.

St. Marys, March 5.—The town council, at its last meeting, made a grant of \$200 to the L. O. P. Band, and decided that they give weekly open-air concerts during the summer season. The council ordered the preparation of a by-law granting a 25-year franchise of certain streets in this town, with tax exemption for 21 years (except school taxes), to the North Midland Electric Railway, of London. The by-law comes up for a second reading on Monday next. The following motion was passed: That the request of the directors of the St. Marys and Western Ontario Railway Company that the \$2000 debentures to the said railway be handed over, be submitted to the ratepayers by by-law, to draw the said by-law, subject to the approval of the council, the railway company to bear the cost of submitting the by-law. The following motion also passed in connection with the by-law: That the St. Marys and Western Ontario Railway Company be requested to present to this council, previous to March 8, a bona fide statement, showing amount of construction already done, amount paid thereon, amount still owing thereon, and the approximate amount required to complete the said railway.

The elevator being built by G. Carter, Son & Co., at the rear of their flour mill, is now roofed in. It is 35 feet high. Highland Mary Camp, Sons of Scotland, intend to hold a big celebration of Scotch games on Victoria Day in St. Marys. They have engaged the Kliffies Band, of Galt, for the occasion.

Mr. Embury, of North Dakota, is home for the balance of the winter, to visit his father, E. H. Brown, and other friends. Mr. W. H. Wood, of Brantford, is here this week, looking after his property interests.

Mr. Jacob D. Robinson, who was so severely injured by a fall from the new elevator, is making good progress toward recovery.

Charles Taylor, who had his left arm and shoulder badly crushed on the St. Marys and Western Ontario Railway several weeks ago, is progressing very slowly.

The Ladies' Aid of St. James' Church held a very successful bazaar for the sale of work on Tuesday.

The leap year ball held in the town hall on Friday was given by Mrs. F. W. Hutson and Miss Lily Andrews. Tony Vita's orchestra, of London, furnished the music.

The Misses McGeorge, of Stratford, were visitors last week with Mrs. S. Riddell, Wellington street south.

Mrs. J. Stoner, of Buffalo, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Vandenberg, Water street south.

Charles Taylor, painter, who has been several weeks in Hamilton, has returned home.

Mr. Fred Dagg, of Detroit, is a visitor with his brother, Mr. Joseph Dagg, King street north.

The one thousandth anniversary of the founding of St. Peter's Church, Chester, England, finds the structure in good condition, portions of it having been rebuilt in 1440 and 1873.

LOOTER SENT TO PRISON

Six Years' Hard Labor for Robbing of Sacred Edifices.

Limoges, France, March 4.—The trial of Antoine Thomey came to an end today with the sentencing of Thomey to six years' imprisonment at hard labor. Thomey is the cooper of Clermont-Ferrand who committed the series of sensational church robberies in France, the revelation of which last fall created a local sensation. The trial began here on Feb. 27. His son Francois, and his mother, together with three antiquaries, Michel, Faure and Dutay, were charged with complicity in the thefts. The mother and Michel were acquitted. The son and the other two antiquaries were found guilty and sentenced each to two years at hard labor. Orders were

issued for their arrest.

Orders were

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Lace Curtains

50 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains, floral patterns and lace-stitched edges, 2 1/2 yards long. Regularly \$1 15. Friday bargain, a pair . . . 85c

Underwear

Ladies' Heavy Ribbed Union Vests, fleece finished. Regularly 35c. Friday bargain . . . 30c

English Flannelette Nightgowns, good full size. Friday bargain . . . 85c

Infants' Long Sleeved Vests, sizes 1, 2 and 3 years. Bargain Day, each . . . 10c

Ladies' Coats

Twenty-five stylish 50 and 52 inch Tweed Coats, handsome winter garments, self strappings on front and back, velvet collars and upturned cuffs. Regularly \$14 00 and \$15 00. Friday bargain \$7 50

Misses' Fancy Tweed Coats, 42 to 45 inches long, in medium and dark colors, fly front and double-breasted. Price . . . \$2 98

Children's Fancy Tweed and Plain Cloth Coats, from 27 to 39 inches long, at half-price—\$3 50 for \$1 75, \$4 00 for \$2 00, \$5 00 for \$2 50, and \$6 00 for . . . \$3 00

Men's Overcoats

Men's Progress Brand Overcoats, of fancy tweeds, lined with heavy twills, finely tailored and finished. Regularly \$12 00. Friday bargain . . . \$5 00

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10 dozen Men's Working Shirts, of Rockfast drills, in black and white stripes only, well made shirts, with double yokes, collars attached. Regular 75c shirts, Friday and Saturday . . . 65c

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33-inch Striped Flannelette, Friday bargain, 15 yards for \$1 00. 36-inch Heavy English Flannelette, pink only. Regularly 18c yard. Friday bargain, a yard 15c

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Ribbed All-Wool Stockings, every size from 5 1/2 to 9 1/2. Regularly 25c. Bargain Day . . . 19c

Ladies' Hose

Fleece Lined Black Cotton Hose, spliced heel and toe, all sizes. Regularly 25c. Bargain Day . . . 19c

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White Embroidered Collar Turns, shaped. Regularly 25c. Bargain Day . . . 15c

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TOBACCO HAS NEW DEFENDER

Statistics Prepared To Show That Smokers Are Not "Stunted."

New York, March 4.—Dr. George L. Meylan, physical director of Columbia university, has just completed statistics showing the effect of the use of tobacco and alcoholic beverages upon 687 new students, mostly freshmen, who have entered Columbia during the last two years.

The results contradict to some extent the findings of Dr. W. W. Weaver, the Yale physical director, who in a recent series of similar tests discovered that the use of tobacco tended not only to stunt the growth of undergraduates, but also to retard their mental development.

Dr. Meylan has found that the physical condition of smokers—that is, their weight, height, lung capacity, and total strength—is, on the average, better than that of nonsmokers.

To some extent the superiority may be explained by the fact that smokers are older, their average age being twenty years and ten months, as against nineteen years and eight months for nonsmokers.

What Figures Show.
About 90 per cent of the students examined were freshmen in the Columbia college, schools of mines, engineering and chemistry. The remaining 10 per cent were new students in the law graduate schools of the university. Out of the 687 men examined 141 used alcoholic beverages, or nearly 26 per cent of the total number.

The number who answered the question as to the use of tobacco was 683, of whom 205 answered "yes" and 478 "no." This represents a proportion of three smokers out of every 10 in the freshmen class. Great care was taken in examining the men and the figures are said to be exceedingly accurate.

The two most significant facts brought out by the tests, according to Dr. Meylan, are that smoking does not affect the lung capacity, as generally supposed, nor does it seem to have any effect upon the height of the individual.

On the contrary, it was found that the measurements of smokers, as well as others, the smokers excelled.

Heart Shows Effect.
"When a man is short of breath he is said to have 'no wind' among athletes, but this, according to Dr. Meylan, has nothing to do with the capacity of the lungs, but with the condition of the heart, which he admits may be affected by tobacco."

The inference drawn by Dr. Meylan is that the popular belief concerning the injurious effects of tobacco is largely exaggerated. He makes no attempt to deny that smoking has a bad effect upon the heart and nervous system, but he does not maintain that smoking may be indulged in by the average healthy individual, in moderation, without appreciable damage.

LOOTER SENT TO PRISON

Six Years' Hard Labor for Robbing of Sacred Edifices.

Limoges, France, March 4.—The trial of Antoine Thomey came to an end today with the sentencing of Thomey to six years' imprisonment at hard labor. Thomey is the cooper of Clermont-Ferrand who committed the series of sensational church robberies in France, the revelation of which last fall created a local sensation. The trial began here on Feb. 27. His son Francois, and his mother, together with three antiquaries, Michel, Faure and Dutay, were charged with complicity in the thefts. The mother and Michel were acquitted. The son and the other two antiquaries were found guilty and sentenced each to two years at hard labor. Orders were

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given that the stolen relics be turned over to the state.

Thomey was taken into custody in October of last year. He confessed to many robberies, including that of the famous cope of Orthe from the church of Amboise. It was his custom to abstract valuable antiquities from the churches of France and sell them to collectors. Some of his loot was found in London, while other pieces were believed to have been taken to the United States.

The value of his known thefts has been placed at \$1,000,000.

THONEY MAY MANAGE AN OUTLAWED TEAM

Boston Americans Went South Without Him, as He Refused to Sign.

Cincinnati, O., March 4. — Jack Thoney, the former Toronto baseball player, was all ready to join the Boston American League Club when that team arrived here yesterday, on the way south, but the train pulled out without him.

Thoney was at the depot to join the team, but after he had an interview with President John I. Taylor, he refused to sign the contract and probably never will join the Boston aggregation. Although Thoney will not give the exact words he used to President Taylor, he said this morning that it was a pretty warm war

FOR A MILLION OF MONEY

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CHAPTER XI.

A Sinister Development.

Much to Olive's relief Mrs. Merridew, who had stood aside in evident amazement at the scene, stepped forward and put herself between her and the virago of a woman.

"It is we who need the police," she said. "This is a disgraceful scene. Stand back at once. Here is my address; if you have anything to say, come and say it when you are sober." And thrusting a card into the woman's hand, she got Olive into the cab and they drove away.

"That such a thing should be possible in an English town!" she exclaimed indignantly. "It is disgraceful, and I feel for you sincerely, Miss Parmenter."

"I can't understand it," cried Olive, lost in bewilderment. "The whole world appears to have gone stark, staring mad."

"What a marvellous coincidence that I should be here," was the reply. "I can, at any rate, promise you a safe night's rest; and I am sure you must be in need of it. Even if we are opposed to one another, we can cry a truce for a single night."

It was, in truth, an awkward situation, and Olive felt not a little embarrassed. But Mrs. Merridew showed tact enough to keep away from the subject of the bitter difference between them; and did all she could to induce Olive to believe that she had no thought save for her comfort.

She was not staying at a hotel, but in apartments; and found occasion to explain this to Olive on the ground that her health did not admit of her taking any but the plainest food, which she had not been always able to get at hotels.

Olive was utterly worn out by the experiences of the day, and paid little attention to this explanation; nor did it strike her as singular. She was faint for want of food, and took what was given to her readily, and hurried off to bed soon afterwards.

She was, indeed, too dazed to think about anything. She owed it to Mrs. Merridew that she had any bed at all.

Advertiser Patterns

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A CHARMING OVER-BLOUSE—5896

The grace and simplicity of the over-blouse modes completed by ruffles, have won for them many admirers. This one is among the newest shown, and is exceedingly smart. Three tucks over the shoulders provide a graceful amount of fullness, which is softly adjusted by gathers at the waistline. The short, wide sleeve is cut in on piece, with the light and back. The development was in light tan-colored voile, the edges piped with velvet in a darker shade. Buttons of reason. The truth is, she continued, when they were again seated at the table, "a very unpleasant thing has occurred. That woman who insulted you at the station came here early this morning, and told the people of the house that you are a dangerous lunatic. They made me promise to be responsible for you. Of course, I did so immediately; and I had to give my word that you should not leave this house until the matter was cleared up. So I propose that you telegraph at once to Mr. Casement and get him to

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to go to, and that she has escaped from the drunken fury of that terrible virago. What she would have done, penniless, friendless, and alone under such circumstances, baffled her imagination; and she fell asleep in the comfortable bed with a feeling of gratitude for Mrs. Merridew's help.

But in the early morning, when she awoke refreshed by her sleep and able once more to think calmly, she began to take a very different view of what had occurred. Certain questions forced themselves upon her. How came it that Mrs. Merridew was in Sheffield so opportunely? And was it no more than coincidence that she had appeared at the station just at the moment when Olive would be in sore need of help?

If the attack in the train had really been planned by Gilbert Merridew—had that paper left little or no room for doubt—might not this further development have been also carefully schemed?

In her sleepy state overnight it had not seemed singular that Mrs. Merridew should be in apartments instead of at a hotel; but was it not a very curious step that Olive would come to Sheffield to prosecute her inquiries; they were greatly afraid of the results, that they would have taken her case of an opportunity offering itself?

All that which had appeared to be no more than kindness on the preceding night now took a very different shape. It might be all part of some plan, cunningly concocted and cleverly carried out. Had Mrs. Merridew helped her out of her trouble with the railway people, only to lure her into a worse one? Was the house a trap?

No sooner had these thoughts occurred to her than she dressed herself, resolved to leave the house without a moment's delay. But then she made a startling discovery.

Her door was locked on the outside. She was a prisoner!

A glance from the window showed her a flagged area thirty feet below. There was no escape that way.

She rang the bell in her room. But without response. Do you agree to that, madam?

"I agree readily," declared Olive. Mr. Casement will put everything right."

It was arranged in that way that there, the lawyer and the woman left.

Olive laughed at the whole matter as ridiculous and without and serious apprehension, awaited Mr. Casement's task being interrupted now and again by questions from her companion.

"I suppose you are quite sure of all that happened, Miss Parmenter?" asked Mrs. Merridew, who knew what she was doing.

"If I were not, I should be insane as this miserable old woman declares."

"It is certainly very extraordinary," was the dry comment. "And you say there was a paper left in the carriage signed by your name?"

"A paper with my name forged to it."

PRIZEFIGHTER SUICIDES

Once Defeated McCarthy and Fought a Draw With George Dixon.

New York, March 4.—John Grant, a former prize fighter, who had failed in six previous attempts to kill himself, in one of which he jumped from Brooklyn Bridge, after gashing both wrists with a razor, committed suicide by gas in his room in a hotel in New York.

Grant's home in Brooklyn. Grant gained considerable prominence during his ring career by defeating "Cal" McCarthy and fighting long draws with George Dixon and Oscar Gardner.

His escape from death in his leap from Brooklyn Bridge was marvelous. When he fell, he landed on a fire escape, and narrowly missed falling into the river.

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KING AND GOVT. HAVE AGREED

Belgium To Take Over Congo Free State From Leopold.

Brussels, March 4.—It is announced that King Leopold and the Belgian Government have come to a complete agreement on the question of the annexation of the Congo Independent State. It is stated in official circles that agreement was made possible by an important concession by the King in consenting that the Parliament have control of the Congo budget. In addition, the King gives to Belgium the magnificent domain of Cape Ferrat in the south of France, reserving for himself the use of it, however, during his lifetime.

The Government, on its part, agrees to propose that the chambers vote a special fund to carry out certain undertakings in the Congo and in Belgium, which fund will not exceed \$12,000,000, and at the same time a special annual credit of \$600,000 will be included in the Congo budgets for fifteen years, for the construction of hospitals and other institutions in the Congo.

It is expected that the annexation treaty in its new form will be presented to the chambers on Wednesday or Thursday next. It was stated late last night that the official gazette will publish shortly a royal decree abolishing the Congo domain in the Congo Free State.

A PITHY STATEMENT

MR. NELLES GIVES AN APT ILLUSTRATION.

HIS VIEWS ON VINOL WORTH LEARNING.

This is the Preparation That is Being Much Talked About.

A reporter asked Mr. Nelles, of the firm of Anderson & Nelles, one of the known druggists, the same question that hundreds have asked him in the last few days. "Tell me, please, why Vinol is better than cod liver oil?"

Mr. Nelles replied in his genial way. "Suppose you had never seen a hen's egg. A man who knew every day. I do not say that you would, mind you, but I am inclined to believe at the start you would make a heroic effort to get away with the whole thing, shell and all. The meat of the egg would be what you needed, as a matter of course, but the shell, in fact, as a matter of course, would be quite the thing for your stomach."

"There you are with cod liver oil. In it you have a medicine, or rather in the liver of a live cod there is a certain form of cod liver oil, a great reconstructer, doctors have administered it for years. They were like the man who had never seen an egg before. They gave it to their patients just as they found it, shell and all. Yes, that is exactly it. The grease was useless and as bad for the stomach, almost, as would have been the shell of the egg. The kernel, or the meat of the remedy, the vital principle that they were after, were contained in it. Science has stepped in and done exactly what the man with the egg might have done—found a way to separate the healthful interior from the worthless husk."

Now we have the active medicinal principle of the cod's liver. We have thrown away the useless encumbrances that formerly encased it, namely, the extract, placed it with organic iron and beef peptone, dissolve in a tincture of cod liver oil, and have a tonic and could not take it, have no trouble in taking Vinol. The medicinal properties of the cod's liver are done by diseases that are of a wasting nature, and the same principle give strength to the weakened digestion and enable the poor sufferer to obtain nutriment from everyday food. These same principles are also active disease germ annihilators."

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GREAT MISSIONARY DEAD

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Dr. Chamberlain was prominent in the Dutch Reformed Church, and was identified with Indian mission work for almost half a century. He was born in Sharon, Conn.

THE N. P. A. CONVENTION

Annual Gathering at Toronto Elects Officials and an Executive.

Toronto, March 4.—The annual meeting of the N. P. A. is in session at the King Edward. The daily session met this morning and elected the following officers: President, W. B. Burgoyne, St. Catharines; vice-president, A. McKay, Windsor; secretary-treasurer, A. G. Donaldson, Toronto; executive, W. M. Osborne, Stratford; L. H. Dugman, St. Thomas; F. H. Dobin, Peterborough; Robertson (John) Ottawa; J. F. McKay, Toronto; Globe, W. J. Taylor, Woodstock; Frank Adams, Advertiser, London; J. I. McIntosh, Guelph; S. Stevenson, Planet, Chatham. A Dominion press association will be discussed this afternoon.

TWENTY-FIVE-YEAR FRANCHISE FOR CO.

St. Marys Council Considers Bylaw for the North Midland Railway.

St. Marys, March 4.—A bylaw on behalf of the North Midland Electric Railway, which is to be constructed between London and Stratford, was considered at a special meeting of the town council last evening. The terms were discussed in committee, Mr. A. Welch, of London, representing the company, and a mutual satisfactory agreement was arrived at.

The company will be given a 25-year franchise, exemption from taxation for 21 years, and the right to enter and pass through the town over Water Street. The bylaw will be finally passed at the regular meeting of the council next Monday evening.

THE BUREAU OF MINES

Output Last Year in Ontario Totaled Over Twenty-Four Millions.

Toronto, March 4.—Returns to the Bureau of Mines show that in 1907 the total output of mines in Ontario reached a value of \$24,343,369, an increase of \$1,954,919 over 1906. Of this the metallic minerals represented \$14,582,118. The largest single item was silver, valued at \$5,927,858, with pig iron next with \$4,716,857 worth. The other principal metals were: Gold, \$56,288; cobalt, \$92,751; nickel, \$2,714,610; copper, \$1,045,511; nickel, \$471,128. The principal non-metallic minerals or their products were valued as follows: Brick, common, \$1,940,000; brick pressed, \$494,417; drain tile, \$248,000; building stone, \$675,000; Portland cement, \$2,610,698; corundum, \$242,808; lime, \$412,000; natural gas, \$775,167; petroleum, \$1,049,631; salt, \$276,821; sewer pipe, \$592,588.

MURDERER AT BAY.

GAME LAWS NEED TO BE ENFORCED

Political Pull Now Shields Many
Offenders, Says Arthur
Kelly-Evans.

Toronto, March 4.—A number of requests to the Ontario Government are embodied in a petition which has been forwarded by Arthur Kelly-Evans, secretary of the Ontario Fish and Game Protective Association, to the secretaries of subsidiary local organizations for signature. The petition, addressed to Premier Whitney, characterizes both the present and past systems of protecting game and fish as farcical. The laws are considered fairly satisfactory, but the assertion is made that they are not properly enforced.

"We have much evidence of political pull being used to shield offenders against the game and fish laws, or to cause the overseers to wink at or to totally disregard open and flagrant violations of the same," says the letter accompanying the petition. The petition asserts that illegal destruction of fish and game is prevalent in the province; that 85 per cent of the catch of good fish is exported and no adequate inspection as to size and species is provided; that in many places it is practically impossible to obtain from the fishermen or dealers Ontario-caught fish. It alleged that by rigid enforcement of the laws and a proper curtailment of net licenses and a supervision of the operations of the licensees, and of the export of their product to a foreign country, an ample supply of food fish would be provided for the people of Ontario, and by the increase of game and game fish a greater attraction would exist for tourists, and larger sums of money would be brought to the province.

The Government is asked to appoint men possessing knowledge and physical requirements as inspectors, wardens, overseers, etc., at salaries which would permit them to give their whole time to the work. It is also asked to supply them with power boats, row boats or canoes where necessary. The province is asked to erect and maintain hatcheries capable of producing at least 300,000,000 fry annually, and to take greater care in enforcing the law as to the pollution of waters, particularly in pulp concessions.

BOYCOTT BY LONDON

Thrilling Tale of Persecution in Ireland That Didn't Take Place.

London, March 4.—Henry Perse, a farmer and justice of the peace of Woodville, County of Galway, Ireland, in emulation of Lord Ashdown's record at a victim of Nationalist outrages, has been thrillingly fashionable audiences in Tory drawing-rooms with a tale of his alleged sufferings. He calls himself "the persecuted man in Ireland," and describes in detail a system of boycott and persecution by the Irish Land League, with which he has been in conflict.

The result of an investigation made by the police is reported in the House of Commons this week by the attorney general for Ireland, who stated that the sole ground for this conspicuous example of terrorist methods and the story of midnight attacks was a stone thrown through a window at a Woodville house, and a great deal of subsequent shooting on the part of Perse and his servants. Though the truth of Perse's story is thus attacked and his posing as a martyr has caused laughter in many quarters, the case has aroused much interest.

Perse is a son of Dudley Perse, J. F. D. L. of Roxborough, near Loughrea, and was educated at Trinity College, Dublin, after which he served in the Indian police. Coming into a legacy, he returned to Ireland, and his troubles began. After a recent talk in the drawing-room of the Duchess of St. Albans he made public his story.

TO SUPPRESS ANARCHISM

The United States Government is To Start a Crusade.

Washington, March 4.—As a result of the killing of Father Leo Hendrich, in Denver, and the attempt to assassinate Chief of Police Shippy, in Chicago, yesterday, the United States Government, in co-operation with state and municipal governments, will begin a crusade with a view to suppressing the Black Hand, Chinese Highlanders and anarchism generally.

A proposal will be made soon by the proper authorities to effect an international agreement between all civilized nations, requiring that where the citizens of one country enters another country, he shall produce a certificate of his home record. Under the present laws, the United States may deport an alien who has been convicted of a crime involving moral turpitude, and it has the right of deporting an alien of the excluded class within three years after his arrival. This law has not worked satisfactorily, however.

A speck of gold weighing the millionth part of a grain may easily be seen by the naked eye.

Thousands Starving in India

It is a historical fact that for centuries past, thousands have died every year in India from starvation. In the midst of wealth and plenty, they die—not because of lack of food, but because they can't eat and digest. To be strong and energetic you must eat plenty of food—but eating is useless unless digestion is good.

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CZAR DETHRONED REPUBLIC FORMED

"United States of Russia" Preparing Bond Issue of \$5,000,000.

New York, March 4.—Russia was proclaimed a republic last night at the Holland House. The proclamation was made and signed by the members of the committee of the Russian Republic, Administration and sealed with the official seal of Ivan Norodny, chief executive commissioner. In it the dethronement of the czar is declared.

The country under the proclamation is to be known as the United States of Russia. It is to take effect October 30, 1910. The czar on sixteen counts was arraigned as a common criminal and one lost to all sense of decency and humanity. The paper, in part, reads: "We accuse you of the crime of protecting all the criminals who commit crimes for the benefit of your dynasty and regime. No member of the Black Hundred nor the Cossack bands have been punished for murder, robbery or any other crime committed against the Russian people."

"We accuse you of the direct murder of the people on Bloody Sunday at St. Petersburg when they went in the most peaceful manner to ask you for bread and freedom."

"You and your dynasty shall be expelled from European Russia and presented with a province in Asiatic Russia for use as a residence."

The signers declare that a republic framed on the lines of the United States of America shall be established, providing for the freedom of the press, of speech and of worship.

The committee arranged to meet again today. They will then discuss an issue of the bonds of the "United States of Russia" to the amount of \$5,000,000. Specimens of these bonds were on exhibition last night.

FLEET AGAIN UNDER WAY

Warships Steam Out of Callao Chered by Thousands.

Callao, March 4.—The fleet of American warships under Rear Admiral Evans weighed anchor this morning and steamed out of the harbor in column formation, headed for the north.

The departing visitors were given a rousing send-off by the people. Several large steamers had been chartered to take out spectators to witness the departure. The fleet was reviewed outside the harbor by President Pardo.

The next stopping place of the fleet is Magdalena Bay, where, according to the schedule, the vessels will arrive on March 14. The distance from Callao to Magdalena Bay is 3,102 nautical miles. The dates of the departure from Magdalena Bay and the arrival at San Francisco have not been definitely decided, as they depend upon the completion of the target practice at Magdalena Bay, which probably will occupy thirty days.

There are no wireless telegraph stations on the coast of South and Central America between Callao and the next stopping place, and the fleet therefore will not be able to communicate by this means.

This is the longest lap of the long voyage, and unless news of the passage of the warships is brought ashore by some passing steamer the vessels probably will not be heard from again until they approach Magdalena Bay.

Five days' sailing from Callao will bring Panama aboard and the vessels will then be practically clear of South America. Counting the long stops made at Trinidad, Rio Janeiro, Punta Arenas and Callao, they have made the circuit of South America in approximately seventy-three days.

CAUGHT BETWEEN BANKS

Fred Chinn Run Down By Express and Cut To Pieces.

Toronto, March 4.—The human remains found sticking between the baggage and mail car of the North Bay express which arrived in Toronto last night are believed to be those of Fred Chinn, a laborer who lived near Maple. According to information received here the agent at Maple refused last evening Chinn's request for a ticket to King, whereupon Chinn started to walk to King along the railway track. Great banks of snow are piled up on either side of the track and it is thought Chinn was unable to get out of the way of the express and consequently was run over and cut to pieces. Chinn was about 50 years old, unmarried and without relatives in Canada.

CHECK FORGER FOILED.

Hamilton, March 4.—A check forger yesterday tried to defraud the Bank of Hamilton out of \$257.70 by presenting for payment a check for that amount purported to be signed by R. R. Simpson & Co. of the Hotel Royal. The suspicions of the ledger keeper were aroused, and while he was away comparing the signature with the real thing, just about that time the bookkeeper for R. R. Simpson & Co. arrived at the bank and announced that the signature was a forgery. The check was made payable to W. Ryan.

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Men's Strong Work Shoes, anywhere else \$2.50. Fire Sale price	\$1.88	A few pairs only, Women's Dongola Lace, anywhere else \$1.50. Fire Sale price	98c	Boys' Good School Shoes, anywhere else \$1.75. Fire Sale price	\$1.18
Men's Fine Sewn Velour Calf Bluchers, anywhere else \$4.00. Fire Sale price	\$2.98	Women's Strong Work Shoes, anywhere else \$1.75. Fire Sale price	\$1.08	Boys' Box Calf School Shoes, anywhere else \$2.25. Fire Sale price	\$1.58
Men's Fine Sewn Velour Calf Military Congress, anywhere else \$4.00. Fire Sale price	\$2.98	Women's Box Calf Shoes, anywhere else \$2.00. Fire Sale price	\$1.38	Boys' Fine Sewn Shoes, anywhere else \$3.50. Fire Sale price	\$2.48

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CANADIAN

Infant cholera is prevalent in Winnipeg. Mrs. Archibald Macdonnell, of Pictou, is dead, aged 86.

G. McArthur, assistant engineer of Guelph, has been promoted to chief.

Building permits in Edmonton for January and February total \$596,925.

Col. Buchan is mentioned as the successor of the late Brig-General Vidal.

Miss Jennie Shea, of Hamilton, drank iodine and is in a critical condition.

A Roman Catholic chapel at Mount St. Joseph, to cost \$25,000 is to be erected.

The C. P. R. may touch Parkhill with the new road it is about to build to Sarnia.

Two Englishmen were arrested at Cobalt with two sacks of silver stolen from the mines.

Mrs. J. Somerville, of Montreal, aged 82, who was burned on Saturday, died last night.

John Gustafson is dead at Kenora, of injuries received in a dynamite explosion at Snell.

Engineer Barrow, of Hamilton, will resign, but will be retained as a consulting engineer.

A man, believed to be Grover C. Hoehn, of Buffalo, jumped over Niagara Falls yesterday.

A young man named Rue was killed by the C. P. R. express at Burlington Junction yesterday.

T. J. Moore has been appointed city clerk of Guelph, and Col. White and Wm. Hart as assessors.

David Goldstein, of Hamilton, attempted to end his life yesterday by drinking a bottle of ink.

St. James' Church, Brook, just freed from debt, has been consecrated by the Bishop of Huron.

The Liberals of Brant will hold a convention on March 14 to choose a candidate for the Provincial Legislature.

The Dominion railway commission will hold a session in Toronto, March 18, Ingersoll March 19, and Chatham March 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Cahoon and Mr. and Mrs. Giles Vanklarycom, of Pictou, have celebrated their golden wedding anniversary.

William Warner, of Hamilton, when held up by a highwayman, turned on his assailant and gave him a sound thrashing and kicking.

John Clark, Wm. Sheldon and Ernest Palmer, of Tilsonburg, have been arrested, charged with stealing ten tickets from the M. C. R.

City Treasurer Coady, of Toronto, will prosecute George Adamson, receiving thief, for defalcation. Adamson is \$4,500 short in his accounts.

The hotelkeepers of Toronto will hold an indignation meeting in Massey Hall on Friday night. Mayor Kennedy, Father Minehan and others will speak.

It is now stated that Col. Buchan, C. M. G., will succeed the late Gen. Vidal in the position of inspector-general of the forces. Col. Buchan is senior among the colonels.

Rev. A. H. Hills, formerly of Brantford, but now connected with the Salvation Army immigration work, reports that during the year he brought out 718 immigrants of the best class. All have settled in British Columbia.

The Doukhobor colony at Fort William looked on indifferently, while John Chinn, one of the older members of the band, died of starvation and neglect. The Doukhobors wanted to bury the old man in accordance with their customs, but the law prevented.

Mr. A. E. Lancaster, M. P., St. Catharines, has demanded that Prof. McNaught, of Kingston, retract the statements made in a recent speech before the Canadian Club at Toronto, concerning his son, who was rusticated at the R. M. C. Kingston. The Globe and the World have also had notices served on them.

The new P. E. I. Cabinet is:—Hon.

F. L. Hazard, premier; Hon. S. E. Reid, provincial secretary and treasurer, and commissioner of agriculture; Hon. J. H. Cummins, commissioner of public works; Hon. P. McNutt, Hon. G. E. Hughes, Hon. S. Gallant, Hon. M. Smith, Hon. J. M. Clark, Hon. J. A. McInnis; Herbert James Palmer, attorney-general.

Ralph Smith, M. P., may be one of the new Dominion railway commissioners.

Dr. Donald Hingston, of Montreal, and Miss Lillian Peterson, of Goderich, were married yesterday in Goderich, by Rev. Father McRae.

Twelve hundred operators of the east end mills of the Dominion Textile Company have gone out on strike, and the plants are closed down. The company refused to dismiss a sub-foreman at the request of the men.

Secretary Fryer, of the Western Ontario Niagara Power Union, declares that 8,400-horsepower have been contracted for already. Guelph wants 2,500, Hamilton 1,500, Berlin 1,300 and Galt 1,200. Woodstock, Preston and New Hamburg take the rest.

The loss of stock due to exposure is enormous. The reports of the United States Government officials for the year ended March 21, 1905, indicated 2,687,927 cattle died from all causes, over half of them succumbing from exposure. Within 200,000 as many sheep died during the year, considerably more than one-half of them from exposure. The figures for 1906 and 1907 do not vary greatly from the ones given. In other words, the total annual losses of stock due to exposure are counted at 2,500,000 animals, representing an estimated value of \$24,000,000.

Australia has started a new industry. Nearly half a gallon of oil possessing valuable lubricating qualities has been obtained at Gilgandra, N. S. W., from 72 pounds of rabbit skins without lessening the commercial value of the latter.

Two Dead and One Insane as Result of Scandal.

Berlin, March 4.—A dispatch from Allenstein, East Prussia, states that Captain Von Goeben, who killed Major Von Schoenebeck, a fellow officer, on Christmas night, and who has been awaiting court-martial, has committed suicide by opening an artery in his neck.

A few days after Christmas Captain Von Goeben was arrested in connection with the death of Major Von Schoenebeck, whose body had been found lying at the foot of the stairs leading from his wife's room, with a fully loaded revolver beside it. Von Goeben finally confessed to killing his brother officer, and later declared that he was glad he had done so, as he had only removed a man who had made his wife's life a misery by continued ill-treatment. It appears that on Christmas day Captain Von Goeben dined with Major Von Schoenebeck and his wife in their home. After saying goodnight the captain pretended to leave the house. He slammed the front door, though he did not go out. Some time later Major Von Schoenebeck was aroused by a noise and going downstairs with a loaded revolver in his hand, encountered a man, who shot him dead. This man proved to be Von Goeben.

Dispatches from Allenstein early in January stated that Mrs. Von Schoenebeck, who had been arrested as an accessory to the murder, had gone insane.

ENGINEER ALSO ACQUITTED

Was Tried at Whitby for Causing Fatal Wreck at Myrtle.

Whitby, March 4.—C. P. R. Engineer Hugh Kyle, who drove the engine which caused the wreck at Myrtle and the death of two men on May 25, 1907, was tried today and acquitted on the charge of negligently causing grievous bodily harm. The defense admitted that the engineer had received positive orders to meet and pass engine 1488 at Myrtle, and the crown claimed that his neglect to make sure that the train he was to meet was on the siding was the cause of the wreck, and the death of the two men. The defense endeavored to shift a portion of responsibility upon the dispatcher and conductor, and pleaded extenuating circumstances. Kyle said he believed the train he was to meet was on the siding. His jurisdiction said it was the duty of Kyle to be absolutely certain he was right before going ahead. The charge was throughout against the prisoner.

The largest insect yet discovered is supposed to be a grasshopper of the Karoo Desert in South Africa. Its spread of wings is ten inches wide.

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TRAVELERS' GUIDE

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

SARNIA TUNNEL TO SUSPENSION BRIDGE AND TORONTO.
Arrive from the east—*3:50 a.m., 10:56 a.m., *11:12 a.m., *11:23 a.m., *6:25 p.m., *7:48 p.m., 10 p.m.

Arrive from the west—*12:09 a.m., *3:15 a.m., *11:12 a.m., 1:10 p.m., *4:10 p.m., *6:25 p.m.

Depart for the east—*12:14 a.m., *2:20 a.m., 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m., *11:23 a.m., 2:05 p.m., *4:25 p.m., *6:52 p.m. (Eastern Flyer).

The trains leaving at 7:30 a.m. and 2:05 p.m. stop at all stations.
Depart for the west—*3:55 a.m., 7:40 a.m., *11:18 a.m., *11:35 a.m., 1:40 p.m., *8:05 p.m.

The 7:40 a.m. and the 1:40 p.m. trains stop at all stations.
LONDON AND WINDSOR.
Arrive—10:40 a.m., *4 p.m., *6:50 p.m. (Eastern Flyer), 11 p.m.

Depart—6:35 a.m., *11:27 a.m., 2:20 p.m., *7:55 p.m. (International Limited).

STRAITFORD BRANCH.
Arrive—*3:15 a.m., 11:15 a.m., 1:30 p.m., 6:35 p.m., 11:10 p.m.
Depart—6:10 a.m., 11 a.m., 2:50 p.m., 3 p.m.

LONDON, HURON AND BRUCE.
Arrive—10 a.m., 6:10 p.m.
Depart—8:30 a.m., 4:50 p.m.

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

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

Runs through to Waterford.
PERE MARQUETTE RAILWAY.
Depart—5:40 a.m., *6:50 a.m., 9:45 a.m., 2:30 p.m., *3:40 p.m., 7:35 p.m.

Arrive—8:45 a.m., *12:15 p.m., 1:50 p.m., 4:40 p.m., *9:20 p.m., 11:30 p.m.

*To and from Walkerville, where change trains not "starred" to Port Stanley. Between London and St. Thomas only.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
Arrive—From the east *11:30 a.m., 8 p.m., *11 p.m. From the west—*4:30 a.m., *8:30 a.m., *9:20 p.m.

Depart—For the east—*4:40 a.m., 8:43 a.m., *5:28 p.m. For the west—*11:38 a.m., *8:10 p.m., *11:19 p.m.

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All Latest Sporting News and Gossip

LONDON WINS THE FIRST FROM HAMILTON FOR WESTERN ONTARIO CHAMPIONSHIP

Tigers Snowed Under To the Tune of Sixteen to Four.

Hamilton, in the rugby line, is some pumpkins, while in bowling Tigerville looks like a first-class imitation of the real thing. In hockey she is all—that is, if one judges by the result of the first game in the round for the championship of Western Ontario, which was played last night at the Princess Rink—16-4 favor London.

The Tigers were a disappointment, for it was expected that London would have to go the pace at least to win. Both teams were minus two of their regular players, and in Hamilton's case this was undoubtedly a hardship. London, on the other hand, seemed actually strengthened, and although one can scarcely judge a player by a single game it looks as though the two best bats of the season had been landed in Jimmy Orr, on right wing, and "Hank" Wagner on left.

Locals Appear Stronger.

The locals have not displayed more combination this season than they did against the Tigers, but the fact that they had a weak team to stack up against may have had much to do with it.

Hamilton, however, didn't get away with enough combinations to cover the point of a tooth pick. Close-checking kept them down to individual playing, and in this Motherwell, in center, and Morin, at cover, were best in the Tigerville outfit.

Morden, the Tiger net man, was also there with bells on, and it was only his brilliant work which kept the score from going over the twenty notch. Pearson, of course, was great.

Poor Headwork.

The Tigers made a bad move when they attempted to emulate Collingwood by playing six men up, and the speedy local forwards were not slow to take advantage of the fact.

Jimmy Orr a Wonder.

Each and every man on the London's performed like winners, but the work of Jimmy Orr was the revelation of the night. Jimmy has always been looked upon as a fast city league player, but no one ever looked him above a whisper for fast company. Always ready with a shot, a hard checker, a speedy skater, a fair stick handler, and forever boring in, J. Orr, Esq., must be labeled "it."

Wagner, too, showed that when playing with his proper props he needn't take a backseat from any of the local candidates for the honor.

The game for the most part resembled nothing so much as a burlesque on hockey. The Hamilton players were killing all right, enough, but the stuff wasn't there. And here is saying that Tigerville ought to be ashamed of itself for sending out such a patched-up aggregation. London has lost many football battles in Hamilton, but it always sent the best it had on tap.

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The second half must have resembled a nightmare or a Welsh rabbit pipe-dream to the now thoroughly tamed denizens of the jungle. Orr and Carr came on again, and almost immediately there was something stirring at the Hamilton end of the rink.

Casselman broke away on the bit, and passed to Abram, who returned. Cass scoring. This was only one of a series of as pretty a bit of combination plays as have been seen on local ice in a long time. Time, two minutes.

After some three minutes had elapsed from the whistle, however, the "Tigers" got back, when Carr passed to Harrison, who connected. Score, 7 to 2.

Some additional baby-work on the part of McKewen, who seemed to have the stick-throwing habit, again brought him a pass to the fence. London's famous three-men combination was off again on a canter. Bole to Orr to Abram, 8-2. Bole to Abram, one more.

Up the ice like a gale of wind went Thompson. Score 10-2.

By way of a change a mixup was offered right off the Tiger net. Wag swung, the puck bounced against the strings—and, well, you know.

Variety is the spice of burlesque, and Dave proved that he was highly original two seconds afterward by poking in, back-handed, a pass from Wagner.

Everybody present by this time was brain-weary trying to total up score, but that made no difference to that busy Bole-Abram aggregation, which was always with a snap, and in a Dave-to-Jack-to-Dave seance they ran the figures up to 13-2.

You can't keep good men down and no one was surprised a few moments later when Wag passed to Abram, and the latter drove the puck home once more.

With London leading by 14-2, the Tigers now took a new little lease on life, and talked one on a clever follow-shot by Motherwell.

FIRST PRACTICE HELD TUESDAY

Tigers Do Light Batting and Throwing in Drizzling Rain.

Hot Springs, Ark., March 3.—Despite a drizzling rain the Tigers started their first baseball practice this morning on the Park Hotel grounds. Light batting and throwing the ball about for an hour were all that they attempted, following the grind over the mountains almost before day-break.

Manager Jennings is still wondering why Schmidt doesn't report. The catcher lives only a few miles from here, and it was expected that he would be at the depot to meet the team.

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Then the irrepressible Thompson, sometimes called Jay for short, tossed one over in Bole's direction, and that player hit the gong once more.

A mixup right in front of London's net enabled McKewen to sneak one in past the "stonewall," then the Tigers went back to sleep.

Thompson lifted the rubber to Marshall soon after the face-off, and while that portly party was meditating over Jay's forward action one Mr. Bole slid down his way and annexed the disc before Marshall knew there was an opposing player within a mile.

A graceful "Pole" sweep, and the London end of the Tillsonburg score had been equalled, 16-4.

From a spectator's standpoint the game was a farce of the first rank, and beyond a few individual plays the Tigers never had a lookin'.

The teams:

London. Hamilton.

Pearson.....Goal.....Worden

Casselman.....Point.....Marshall

Thompson.....Cover.....Harrison

Abram.....Rover.....Carr

Bole.....Center.....Motherwell

Wagner.....L. Wing.....McKeown

J. Orr.....R. Wing.....Harrison

Referee—Pete Layden, Paris.

Timekeeper—Ken Murray, London; R. L. Stratton, Hamilton.

Penalty—Irvine, London.

The goals were scored as follows:

Morin, Hamilton, 2 minutes.

Wagner, London, 11 minutes.

Wagner, London, 12 minutes.

Bole, London, 15 minutes.

Abram, London, 22 minutes.

Wagner, London, 24 minutes.

Casselman, London, 25 minutes.

Second Half.

Casselman, London, 2 minutes.

Harrison, Hamilton, 3 minutes.

Abram, London, 8 minutes.

Abram, London, 9 minutes.

Bole, London, 16 minutes.

Wagner, London, 20 minutes.

Bole, London, 22 minutes.

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Abram, London, 23 minutes.

Motherwell, Hamilton, 24 minutes.

Bole, London, 25 minutes.

Bole, London, 29½ minutes.

IDEALS BREAK THE CITY RECORD

The stars of the Ideal alleys accounted for some fine rolling last night, breaking the city record for five-men teams.

C. A. A. U. RUNNERS MAY NOT BE ALLOWED IN BOSTON MARATHON

Toronto, March 4.—According to an ambiguous dispatch from Boston this morning, Canadian athletes who desire to compete at the famous Boston Marathon this year must be Federated men.

This is the gist of the dispatch, and the trouble is said to originate with the Boston A. A. A. which controls the big race.

The edict, if it is true, comes as a bombshell to C. A. A. U. athletes, for everywhere from down by the sea, where Hans Homer, Falkner, and Gordon Wolfe are in training; Montreal, where Tom Shipman is busy; Toronto, where Pearce, Hilton Green, Jas. Corkery, O. A. Kerr, Roy Price, Charley Petch, and a dozen more are looking forward to the big event where Tom Longboat won fame, to Hamilton, which has always furnished two or three front-flight Boston runners, C. A. A. U. distance men have been looking forward to the 25-mile grind on April 19.

However, the dispatch here is held to be very much awry, for when Tom C. Flanagan, Pearce, Sellen, Longboat, and Cumming were in Boston the Boston A. A. A. authorities asked them if the I. C. A. C. would send down some men for the race. They were assured that they would, and that other Toronto men would be with their race. Now comes this down, too, and expressed their delight at getting the I. C. A. C. and other men, and George Brown, the B. A. A. manager, said that the club would not stand for any A. A. U. interference with their race. Now comes this message, which says that the Boston A. A. A. people have decided to throw down the C. A. A. U. The dispatch adds that "No one in Boston is in sympathy with the President Sullivan," and remarks that "it remains to be seen whether or no the Marathon trouble will cause a disruption in A. A. U. circles."

A statement of the true state of affairs in Boston way is awaited with interest.

THE RECORDS AND SKETCHES OF THE CHAMPION WANDERERS

The record of the Wanderers during the Eastern League championship season is as follows:

Jan. 8—Wanderers 7, Montreal 3.

Jan. 11—Wanderers 2, Ottawa 12.

Jan. 16—Wanderers 7, Victoria 5.

Jan. 22—Wanderers 3, Shamrocks 1.

Jan. 25—Wanderers 11, Quebec 8.

Feb. 5—Wanderers 5, Victoria 6.

Feb. 15—Wanderers 8, Quebec 6.

Feb. 19—Wanderers 8, Montreal 5.

Feb. 29—Wanderers 4, Ottawa 2.

Cecil Blatchford.

Cecil Blatchford is the veteran of the Wanderers, he having been with them since the club was formed. Before that he was one of the "Little Men of Iron," and he was a member of the famous Montreal team that went west and wrested the Stanley cup from the Winnipeg team. Blatchford, who is captain of the Wanderers this winter, has played splendid hockey consistently, and the battle between him and Tom Phillips Saturday night was a rare spectacle.

Walter Small.

W. Small has been before the Montreal public as a hockey player several years, first with Westmounts and then with Montreal and Wanderers. He played forward up to this winter, when he demonstrated that he was a stellar defense man. Small is aggressive and is absolutely fearless.

Pud Glass.

A sturdy product of Point St. Charles is Pud Glass, who plays rover or cover point for the champions. Pud is eminently useful to his team because of his ability to stand the pace. He is utterly indifferent to body-checks or other forms of punishment, and if necessity arises will mix it up with the biggest players on the ice. Glass was dug up from the junior ranks by the Wanderers Club four years ago, and has been in the limelight ever since. In summer he devotes his attention to canoeing, at which he is an expert.

Ernie Russell.

Ernie Russell, famous as a hockeyist and football player, has been before the public prominently for the past three years. He was formerly with the Montreal Hockey Club, but last year he cast in his lot with the Wanderers, with whom he has since remained. Russell, though not big physically, is one of the most valuable members of the Wanderers team, being especially strong in the scoring line.

Riley Hern.

Riley Hern, the goalkeeper of the Wanderers, achieved a reputation for clever work when playing for Stratford in the Ontario Hockey Association. He played in several championship teams in the east, and then went to Houghton to play in the International Hockey League. His extraordinary good playing brought him to the attention of the Wanderers, who signed him for last winter. Riley is held to be one of the finest goalkeepers ever seen in Canada.

Arthur Ross.

The Wanderers' famous defense man

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learned his hockey at Westmount school, where for three years he played in the forward line of the Westmount hockey team along with the present team mate Walter Small. Business took Arthur to Brandon a couple of winters ago, and he speedily became a star in the hockey world. In fact, so good did he become that when Kenora came down here last season to play the Wanderers for the Stanley cup, Ross was engaged to play for them, and the exhibitions he gave justified the Wanderers in signing him this winter. Ross has scarcely reached his majority, so his best years as a hockeyist are still before him. He is a splendid rugby player, many followers of the game considering him one of the finest half-backs in the country.

Ernie Johnson.

Another player who learned his hockey at Point St. Charles is Ernie Johnson, who has been one of the mainstays of the Wanderers for some years. Johnson has the reputation of being one of the fastest skaters in the E.C.A.H.A., and added to his ability in this connection is his tendency to work at top speed from beginning to end of a match.

Bruce Stuart.

Bruce Stuart is a former Ottawa boy and brother of the late Hod Stuart. He played senior for the Ottawas in the late nineties, and then went to the International League. He finished a brilliant career in that organization as captain of the champion Houghton team. Stuart has been incapacitated the greater part of the winter by a bad knee, and his work has accordingly not been very good. When he is right, though, he is one of the greatest mid-ice men in the business.

BURNS AND ENGLISHMEN

Sporting Life Backs Canadian's Unusual Challenge.

London, March 4.—Referring to a contemporary article on Burns' challenge to fight three Englishmen in one night as a gratuitous insult to the man whose advent has done more to create interest in boxing here than anything else for many years, the Sporting Life says: "It is unrepresentative of English feeling. He was a stranger, and we did not take kindly to him at first, but the longer he is in our midst the better we like him, and when he goes over the Englishman will wish him the best luck and success." Burns also replies in a slashing letter.

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WAS BRENNAN A PRO?

Montreal, March 4.—Some serious charges are likely to result from the C. A. A. U. amateur boxing championships held in Toronto a few days ago. The most serious is that a Buffalo professional, under the assumed name of Brennan, competed in the tournament. He is said to have fought a battle with Frank Erne, and to have lost on a foul. It is also claimed that he is a professional bicyclist. Another Buffalo entry, it is claimed, took part in the tourney, although he also was a professional.

All of the entries from Buffalo were of unregistered athletes in the American Union.

A further claim is that the fact that the C. A. A. U. were being double-crossed was known to one of the officials of the tournament.

SLOSSON BREAKS HOPPE'S RECORD

New York, March 5.—George Slosson last night made the record-breaking run of 329 points at 15.2 ball line billiards, surpassing by 22 points Wm. Hoppe's world's record, made in Chicago, two years ago. The run was made in the first of a series of ten games of 600 points each, with Firmin Cassagnol, the French billiardist. Slosson won the game by a score of 500 to 185. It was the Frenchman's first public appearance in this country, and outside the fourth inning, when Slosson made his big run, Cassagnol played about as well as his opponent.

A fast game of hockey was played at the Simcoe Rink last night between the St. Peters and the First Methodists (class 4). The "Firsts" were defeated by a score of 4-1, although they played hard.

AMERICAN LEAGUE SCHEDULE, 1908

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AT HOME	17 Sundays 12 Saturdays July 4 Conflicting dates, May 2, 10, 31, June 28, July 5, Sept. 6, Oct. 4.	17 Sundays. 11 Saturdays Conflicting dates, May 10, June 28, July 5, Sept. 13.	14 Saturdays. Decoration Day. Labor Day.	15 Saturdays. Decoration Day. July 4. Labor Day.	15 Saturdays. July 4.	12 Saturdays Conflicting dates, Oct. 1, 2, 3.	12 Saturdays. Decoration Day. Labor Day.	12 Saturdays. April 29. Decoration Day. Labor Day. Conflicting date, Sept. 15.
ABROAD	Decoration Day at De- troit. Labor Day at Clevel- and.	Decoration Day at Cleveland. July 4 at Chicago. Labor Day at De- troit.	July 4 at Cleveland.		Decoration Day at Boston. Labor Day at New York.	April 20 at Boston. Decoration Day at New York. Labor Day at Bos- ton.	July 4 at Washing- ton.	July 4 at Phila- phia.

Cutter Upset By Snowbank in Road Horse Ran Away on Adelaide St.

Capt. Becher and the Rev. Mr. Bowen Have an Exciting Experience.

While driving near Adelaide street and Ottawa avenue yesterday afternoon about 4:30 o'clock, Capt. H. C. Becher, the well-known stockbroker of this city, and Rev. R. J. Bowen, secretary of the British and Foreign Bible Society, were thrown out of their cutter and sustained a bad shaking up. Mr. Becher was driving his own horse, a spirited animal. He had driven up Adelaide street from the south and

was about to turn onto Ottawa avenue when a child ran across the street directly in front of the horse.

Road in Bad Condition.

The animal took fright and shied, pulling the cutter over edge of a high bank of snow, which had been thrown up at that corner by the street railway sweeper.

The runners of the sleigh caught in the car tracks, and when the horse plunged forward the vehicle upset, throwing the occupants out.

Neither man was seriously hurt, although they both sustained a few bruises and a severe shaking up. The horse was caught when it reached King and Adelaide streets.

Power Questions for Mr. Whitney Which Leader MacKay Will Ask

Toronto, March 5.—The Globe today says: Hon. A. G. MacKay has put up on the order paper of the Legislature a series of questions that will probably force Premier Whitney to tell the people of Ontario what it is the general opinion of his political friends he should have disclosed when negotiations were entered upon, namely, that the Government of Ontario had an opportunity to settle the entire power problem by acquiring control of the Electric Development Company's plant on terms as advantageous as those secured by Mr. Wm. Mackenzie and his associates. The questions of which the leader of the Opposition has given notice, and which are likely to be followed later by a debate that will clear the air, are as follows:

1. Did any representatives of holders of bonds issued by the Electric Development Company interview the Premier or any member of the Government prior to the 20th of February last, when Mr. Wm. Mackenzie obtained a controlling interest in the said company?

2. If so, was any suggestion, proposition or offer made by the said representative to the Government?

3. If the interview was not along the said lines, what was the nature and result of the said interview?

4. What was the date of the interview?

5. Did any letter or memorandum pass between the said representative and the Premier or any member of the Government?

6. Did the Premier immediately make known to the Mayor of the city of Toronto or to any other member of the city council the nature of the said interview and the terms of any such suggestion, proposition or offer?

7. Did the Premier or any member of the Government do anything what ever towards bringing the said representative and the city council into conference on the subject?

8. If not, why not?

A writ has been issued against D. H. Gillies & Co., of this city, by Mr. M. Eggett, a former employee, who claims damages as the result of having had his thumb cut off by a rip saw, while at work in the plant of the defendant, about a month ago.

The complainant, who is represented by Messrs. Meredith and Judd, of this city, claims that he sustained his injuries through a defect in the machinery, which he was running, and as a result of carelessness on the part of the foreman under whom he was working.

D. H. Gillies & Co., claim that the accident was entirely due to the negligence of the complainant and that he admitted to them after the accident that he had been at fault.

much repair work at G. T. R. Shops

"We have an enormous amount of repair work to do," said Superintendent Treleven, of the Grand Trunk carworks, to The Advertiser this morning, "and as soon as possible we will get into the new shop and get things going there."

"In a couple of weeks more, if the weather holds good, I expect the new buildings will be ready for occupation and we will move in as soon as possible in order to relieve the overcrowding that is now prevalent in the other shop."

"The recent storms proved pretty hard on the rolling stock and many cars are coming in for repairs."

Home and English Goods Hold Market

"American collars and hats and many other lines of American goods' furnishings, which were quite popular here a few years ago, are not in demand at all now," said a prominent goods' furnisher to The Advertiser this morning.

"This change has come about gradually in the last year and a half, and is almost entirely due to the enterprise that British and Canadian manufacturers are showing in pushing their goods."

A Big Change.

"Formerly American collars, known as three-ply standard, were all the rage on the market, and nobody would buy anything else."

"Canadian goods had no chance, because the Canadian manufacturers insisted upon turning out a collar that was inferior in every way and cost less than the American."

"The consequence was that American travelers secured large orders."

"Lately, however, the Canadians have got busy and now is turning out a four-ply collar equal in design and workmanship in every respect to the

husband, and that is one reason why so many men are being placed on the Indian list.

"Many of the men do not seem to know that if they are found guilty of non-support I can send them to Kingston Penitentiary for three years."

"Only two have ever been sent down for that time, as they were extreme cases."

Ask More Funds To Fight Consumption

Toronto, March 5.—About one hundred and fifty persons who have been attending the tuberculosis conference in this city waited upon Premier Whitney and members of the Cabinet this morning, asking more Government aid in the fight against the white plague. At the conference the Government aid to each consumptive patient in the province is \$1.50 per week, and the deputation desired this

raised to \$4.50 a week. Judge Barron, of Stratford, in addressing the conference, said people were going crazy over the tuberculosis question, but consumption killed five people where whisky killed one. Premier Whitney said he was in perfect sympathy with the spirit of the congress, and stated that the Government would receive more formal or perfunctory consideration.

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G. T. R. Yard Engine Jumped Track

Owing to the accumulation of ice preventing a switch in the Grand Trunk yards near Wellington street from working properly, yesterday yard engine No. 54, in charge of Engineer Lanahan, jumped the track and turned partly around.

The wrecking crew was called and succeeded in placing the engine on the track in a short time.

No one was injured.

London May Yet Take Championship If O. H. A. Constitution Is Followed

A Clause That Permits Them To Play Off With the Winner.

London stands a good chance to have another try for the Intermediate O. H. A. championship if the following clause of the O. H. A. constitution stands for anything: "To allow any club, by a two-thirds vote of the executive, to play the winner of the final tie, for the cup and championship, if they consider the circumstances warrant such action."

There are several grounds upon which London hockey enthusiasts believe that they have a right to the benefit of the above clause. In the first place the London team showed its superiority over Collingwood by defeating them in the quarter final score on an ordinary sized rink.

The game at Collingwood was no test of the merits of either team, as the rink there is so short that it is almost out of reason to attempt to play the game as it should be played.

In the opinion of hockey experts London's team work would undoubtedly win a round for them any time against Collingwood on regulation ice. A sudden death game on any large rink is all that the London team asks for.

Then there was some doubt as to one goal in each of the games of the Collingwood round, which were counted for the northerners.

The Collins affair was not exactly a square deal, as square deals in hockey go. Taken along with that there is the fact that the Collingwood team was in town long before the time set for the game, but did not appear at the rink until very late. But they were not fined as they should have been.

Manager Wheatcroft, of the London team, is following up the matter, and if two-thirds of the O. H. A. executive are there with the square deal, London will have another look at the silverware, and will, if hope is correct, land the coveted tin dish.

The preliminary hearing in the case of D. A. Dixon, clerk of the division court of Parkhill, who is charged with embezzlement, was commenced before Magistrate MacTavish, of that place, today.

Dixon, who is about 27 years of age, succeeded his father to the position of clerk of the division court some time ago, and it is alleged that he has failed to give a satisfactory

account of the funds which he handled in that position.

It is further alleged that he neglected to hand over certain funds which he collected as representative of certain insurance companies.

Dixon was highly respected among a large circle of friends in the vicinity of Parkhill and his arrest several days ago came as quite a surprise.

Crown Attorney McKillop, of this city, is in Parkhill in connection with the case.

WHAT ABOUT MR. JUDD?

Toronto Paper Passes a Floral Tribute to the real investigator.

The Toronto Star says editorially: Art, we are told, consists chiefly in what one leaves out. And this is what makes the absence of Commissioner Judd's remuneration from the public accounts of Ontario so particularly

artful.

No doubt what Mr. Judd was paid is there under various headings, but not in such a way that he runs may read. This is all the more remarkable, because all the other commissioners are there in black and white, and what each man got, and why he got it. For example, there is the revision of the statutes, which brought two thousand dollars on the side to half a dozen members of the high court bench. Nobody begrudges it. The laborer is worthy of his hire. Two thousand dollars is a pretty compliment and judge's size. There is also the famous school book commission, in which a St. Thomas man earned the reputation among politicians of spurning the gifts of Providence by sending back his two-thousand-dollar check to the Provincial Treasurer. The voice of envy, at the time, said that Mr. Crowther was bidding for the Conservative nomination, but we waive that aside as not only base but incredible.

Mr. J. R. L. Starr, K.C., we observe, is paid \$2,000 for his excellent report on the license situation in Toronto—fifteen hundred dollars of it being for the judicious procrastination he used in presenting it.

But Judd—the lord high executioner—appears nowhere. It may be that his account with the Government is not closed and that they still have stern duties for him to perform. At all events not a word is said about the last job he was on—the Van Zant case, which one might naturally have looked for in the 1907 report.

Judd is a picturesque figure, and we had expected to see the picturesque figures for his sanguinary performances in the public accounts. It may be that he comes under the heading of secret service, as Radcliffe does with the Dominion Government, but the analogy falls when we remember that Radcliffe does his work almost in private, while Judd does his in public. The tragedies Judd enacts generally run this way: Enter, Judd. Blood. Dull Sickenings Thud. But he does not appear in the public accounts of 1907, and we have looked under all the headings, including Capital Punishment and Irresponsible Government.

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A load of clover seed, which was sold on the local market today brought \$12 25 per bushel, the highest price ever paid in this locality.

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SALES BRISK PRICES FIRM

LOCAL MARKET.

The market today was well-attended by the farmers and buyers, and it was a brisk market, as the dealers and grocers realize if the weather gets away mild it will put the roads in bad shape for a few days, and consequently the farmers will not be able to get in with their produce. Sales were brisk and prices firm in most lines.

Grain—There was fully twenty loads of oats offered, and the demand was quite brisk. Prices ranged from \$1.50 to \$1.55, mostly at \$1.53. A couple of loads of wheat sold at 93c per bushel.

A load of clover seed sold at \$12.25 per cwt. This is a record price according to statements of the buyers.

Hay and straw—There was upwards of 50 loads on the stand and they were nearly all sold by noon. Sales were made at \$14 per ton for inferior, and \$15 to \$15.50 for timothy. Straw sold at \$7.50 to \$8 per ton.

Butter and eggs—Butter was scarce and firm. 25c to 30c per pound for rolls and 25c for crocks. Eggs were easier at 25c per dozen, wholesale. A few lots sold at 26c.

Vegetables—Potatoes sold at 85c to 90c per bag. Turnips in good demand. Rhubarbs sold at 90c to \$1 per dozen. Green onions, 25c per dozen. Lettuce, 35c per dozen bunches.

Apples—Sales slow, at 50c to 80c per bag, and \$1.25 to \$1.50 per bushel. Poultry—Sales were brisk in this line and prices firm; turkeys sold as high as 15c per lb.; chickens, 10c to 12c per lb. alive; ducks, 10c to 12c per lb.

Dressed hogs—Prices were higher, most of the sales being made at \$7.25 per cwt.

DAIRY MARKET

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Ill., March 4.—Butter—Easy; creameries, 22c to 23c; dairies, 23c to 25c. Cheese—Easy, 12 1/2c to 13c.

NEW YORK.

New York, March 4.—Butter—Quiet and unchanged; receipts, 6,518 packages. Cheese—Quiet and unchanged; receipts, 1,131 boxes.

OIL MARKETS.

OIL CITY.

Oil City, Pa., March 4.—Credit balances, \$1.75.

LONDON.

London, March 4.—Petroleum, American refined, 6-10-15; spirits, 7-10.

ANTWERP.

Antwerp, Belgium, March 4.—Petroleum, 22 francs.

BEAN MARKETS.

DETROIT.

Detroit, March 4.—Beans—Spot, \$2.20, nominal; May, \$2.21, nominal.

COTTON MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

New York, March 4.—Cotton—Futures closed barely steady. Closing bids: March, 10.65c; April, 10.71c; May, 10.78c; June, 10.84c; July, 10.90c; August, 10.96c; October, 10.91c; December, 10.92c.

Spot closed quiet; middling uplands, 11.55c; middling Gulf, 11.90c; sales, 50 bales. New York, March 4.—Cotton—Futures opened steady. Closing bids: March, 10.65c; April, 10.71c; May, 10.78c; June, 10.84c; July, 10.90c; August, 10.96c; October, 10.91c; December, 10.92c.

LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, March 4.—Cotton—Spot, good business done; prices unchanged; American middling, fair, 6.73c; good middling, 7.37c; middling, 6.11c; low middling, 5.77c; good ordinary, 5.25c; low ordinary, 4.90c. The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export, and included 9,100 American.

Receipts, 25,000 bales, including 17,500 American. Futures opened and closed steady; American middling, G. O. C. March, 5.72c; April, 5.72c; May, 5.72c; June, 5.72c; July, 5.72c; August, 5.72c; September, 5.72c; October, 5.72c; November, 5.72c; December, 5.72c.

SUGAR MARKET.

NEW YORK.

New York, March 4.—Sugar—Raw firm; refined, 3.57c; centrifugal, 36c test; 8 1/2c; molasses sugar, 3.12c; refined steady; Molasses—Steady.

LONDON.

London, March 4.—Raw sugar—Muscovado, 9c 10/16d; centrifugal, 11c 11/16d; beet sugar, March 4/16d.

TORONTO.

Toronto, March 4.—Sugar—Firm; Montreal granulated, in barrels, \$4.50; yellow, \$4.10; Acacia, \$4.25; beet, \$4.45; in bags, 5c less, except for beet.

PRODUCE MARKET.

TORONTO.

Toronto, March 5.—Peas were the most active feature of the breadstuffs market this morning, with a good export demand, and a fair inquiry from interior points. Buyers also seemed more willing to take Ontario wheat. Rye is in plentiful supply and barley is very dull. Prices are:

Wheat—Manitoba No. 1 northern, \$1.22; No. 2 northern, \$1.18; No. 3 \$1.13; feed wheat, 60c; No. 2 feed, 62c; Ontario No. 2 white, 56c outside; No. 2 red, 56c; No. 2 mixed, 54c to 54 1/2c; No. 3, 52c to 53c.

Corn—Firm; No. 3 yellow American, 67c; Toronto freight, No. 3 mixed, 52c less; inferior, 50c to 51c.

Barley—No. 2, 71c to 72c. Peas—No. 2, 24c. Buckwheat—No. 2, 67c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 52c to 53c outside, 54c on track at Toronto; No. 2 mixed, 49c to 50c outside.

Flour—Manitoba patents, special brand, 56c; seconds, \$5.40; strong bakers, \$5.30; winter wheat patents, \$5.00.

Brans—Full cars, \$23 to \$24.50, bags included, outside.

SHORTS—SCARCE, \$23 TO \$24.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.

London, March 4.—Canadian cattle are steady at 10 1/2c to 12c per lb. dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 3c per lb.

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, March 5.—Cattle—Steady; prime steers, \$5.05 to \$5.50. Veals—Receipts, 10 head; active and 50c higher, \$5 to \$6.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,000 head; 5c to 10c lower; fairly active on light show; heavy, \$4.25 to \$4.50; mixed, \$4.30 to \$4.85; Yorkers, \$4.25 to \$4.50; pigs, \$4 to \$4.50; roughs, \$4 to \$4.25; dairies, \$4.50 to \$4.80.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 4,000 head; sheep in good demand; heavy show; yearlings, 5c to 6c; lambs active; heavy show; yearlings, 5c to 6c.

TORONTO.

Toronto, March 5.—Trade slow, prices firm; 80 loads in today, including 1,300 cattle, 178 head lambs, 60 hogs and 70 calves. Quotations:

Export cattle, choice, cwt., \$4.50 to \$5.15. Export cattle, medium, 4.00 to 4.25. Export hogs, light, 4.00 to 4.25. Export hogs, heavy, 4.00 to 4.25. Butchers' cattle, choice, 4.75 to 4.90. Butchers' cattle, medium, 4.50 to 4.75. Butchers' cattle, common, 4.25 to 4.50. Butchers' hogs, 4.00 to 4.25. Butchers' calves, 3.50 to 4.00. Stockers, choice, 3.25 to 3.50.

Stockers medium	2.75	3.00
Stockers common	2.50	2.75
Stock bulls	2.25	2.50
Feeders, heavy	4.00	4.25
Feeders, short-keepers	4.00	4.25
Butcher's calves, each	4.00	4.25
Milk cows, common, each	25.00	25.00
Springers, each	25.00	25.00
Export cows, cwt.	4.25	4.50
Export hogs, light	3.00	3.25
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Calves, cwt.	3.00	3.25
Hogs, fat and lights	4.85	4.75

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Sheep—Receipts, 12,000; strong, natives, \$2.40 to \$2.50; westerns, \$2.40 to \$2.50; yearlings, \$2.25 to \$2.40; lambs, \$2.50 to \$2.75; westerns, \$2.50 to \$2.75.

ENGLISH MARKET. LIVERPOOL. March 5.—Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red western winter, 35s 3/4d. Futures: March, 35s 3/4d; May, 35s 3/4d; July, 35s 3/4d.

Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed, 3s 6d. Futures: March, 3s 6d; May, 3s 6d; July, 3s 6d.

Peas—Canadian steady, 7s 6d. Flour—In London—Pacific coast dull, 4s 10d to 4s 12d.

Butter—India mess, dull, 5s 4d. Pork—Prime mess western weak, 68s 3d. Lard—Short cut, 11 to 12 lbs, quiet, 25s 6d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 25 to 30 lbs, steady, 4s 6d; short ribs, 15 to 24 lbs, 2s 6d; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, 4s 6d; do, heavy, 25 to 40 lbs, 4s 6d; do, clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, 4s 6d; do, clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, 4s 6d.

Butter—Good United States, 4s 10d to 5s. Cheese—American finest white, new, steady, 2s; Canadian finest white, new, steady, 2s; American colored, finest, new, steady, 2s 6d.

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BIG BANQUET OF STATIONARY ENGINEERS

Will Be Held in the City Hotel on Friday Night.

The London Branch of the Canadian Association of Stationary Engineers held its regular semi-monthly meeting last week, when five new members were initiated and a very profitable time was spent.

According to all reports the banquet which is to be held on Friday evening, March 6th, in the City Hotel, promises to be a grand success.

The principal object of this banquet is to bring the friends of this organization together, when many points of interest both to local engineers and visiting friends and brothers will be dealt with.

Among the speakers of the evening will be representatives from the Dominion and Provincial Parliaments, the City of London, local board of trade, educational departments, as well as the executive of this organization.

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class music on all occasions.

Attended Millinery Openings.
Miss Teresa Nesbitt has returned to
this city after attending the millinery
openings in Toronto.

Attended Convention.
Mrs. T. C. Duncan, of this city, a
lady who takes a keen and practical
interest in the tubercular poor of Lon-
don, attended the convention in Tor-
onto called for the purpose of dis-
cussing ways and means to combat
tubercular diseases.

Hand Cut.
While William Bennett, of the beam
department of Hyman's tannery, was
walking through his department, he
slipped. He had a sharp knife in
his hand, and when he slipped he cut
his fingers badly. His injuries, while
painful, are not serious.

Goes to Windsor.
Rev. Richard A. Bail, pastor of the
B. M. E. Church, has completed the
fourth year of his pastorate in this
city, and expects to leave the city for
another charge shortly. It is possible
that he may go to Windsor.

"Lit." Meets Tonight.

The Literary Society of the Western
University will be held tonight, when
a debate conducted on the Oxford sys-
tem will be held. The subject for dis-
cussion will be, "Resolved, that com-
plete national independence would be
in the best interests of Canada." Canon
Dunn will also give an address on "Ed-
ucation in Ireland."

New Assistant Inspector.

The Hamilton Herald says: John
J. Austin, 57 Oxford street, a mail
clerk, is being congratulated by his
many friends in the city on his pro-
motion to the position of assistant
postoffice inspector at a salary of
\$1,400 a year. His headquarters will
be at London. Mr. Austin has been a
mail clerk on the Harrisburg and
Southampton division of the G. T. R.
and has lived in Hamilton for ten
years. During that time he has made

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dent of St. Vincent de Paul Society,
and for two years he was president
of branch No. 55, C. M. B. A. He is
also a member of the A. O. H.

Left for Syracuse.

London lost one of its popular
newspapermen yesterday afternoon in
the departure of Mr. William Mar-
shall, of the Free Press staff, for
Syracuse, New York, where he has
accepted a position on the Post Stand-
ard. On the evening previous to his
departure, Mr. Marshall was present
with a handsome signet ring by
the members of the staff who ex-
pressed every wish for his future
prosperity in his new position.

A Benefit.

The employees of the Westminster
Rink will hold their annual benefit
on Tuesday evening next when a fea-
ture of the programme will be a game of
hockey played on ice by players wear-
ing roller skates. This is said to be
one of the most amusing sights to be
seen in a rink.

A motor which drives the elevator
at the factory of the Wright Hat
Company of 322 Richmond street,
burnt out this morning and caused
considerable commotion for some
minutes, filling the third story with
smoke, and leading to the belief that
a big fire was in progress.

The fire department made a fast
run and succeeded in putting out the
fire before any serious damage had
been done.

ORANGEMEN WERE
AT HOME TO FRIENDS

Last evening Boyne Lodge, No. 295,
L. O. L., was "at home" to its friends,
when a splendid smoking concert was
given. There were over 300 in at-
tendance and a splendid evening was
enjoyed.

The first part of the evening was
spent in euchre and pedro playing, the
prize-winners being: First, a box of
cigars, Mr. E. Lashbrook; second, a
pipe, N. I. Graham; third, a box of
cigars, E. N. Emerson, and the booby
prize to Mr. G. Dodd.

After the card contests were finished
a very excellent musical programme
was given. Mr. T. W. Nichol presided.
Selections were played in good style
by the orchestra, composed of Messrs.
H. Lutz, G. Denaghy and A. Dostater.
Solos were rendered by Mr. Edgar
Martin and Mr. Fred Jones in splen-
did style. Comic songs were sung by
Mr. W. Baskerville and Mr. Fawkes.

Dances were given by Mr. Robert
Rowan and Miss Nellie Riddie. They
were accompanied on the bagpipes by
Mr. James Hamilton.

Ald. Saunders, acting mayor, was
present, and on behalf of Mayor Stev-
ely, made a brief address.

The invited guests were
Mayor Stevely, Ald. Saunders, Wyl-
den D. D. Graham, Major Beattie, M.
P., Mr. Wm. Gray, Capt. T. E. Rob-
son, ex-Ald. Garratt, ex-Ald. Cooper,
and the masters of city lodges.

The committee to whom the credit
is due for so successful an entertain-
ment was composed of Messrs. T. W.
Nichol (chairman), Fred McMillan, E.
J. Luck, Samuel McCoy, Dr. W. J.
Wilson, V. S. Gordon Walker, S.
Loveless, Wm. Bradshaw and Charles
Hunt.

Trades Council Wants Inspector

Assisting Needy Members Discussed

The Regular Monthly Meeting
Was Held Last
Night.

The matter of a plumbing inspector
was brought up at the regular meet-
ing of the Trades and Labor Council
last evening, and it was recommend-
ed that a competent man be ap-
pointed by the city.

There was a good attendance of
members.

President Secker was in the chair.
A plumbing inspector, it was argued,
is an absolute necessity for a city the
size of London.

It had been suggested that the
building inspector be asked to do this
work, but this was not viewed with
favor, as he was not competent to
deal with plumbing inspection, as he
had no experience.

Big Crowd at Liberal Whist Match

The attendance at the Liberal Club's
whist tournament last night at Hyman
Hall was very large and some splendid
play was enjoyed.

The honors in the compass game
went to Messrs. Wilcox and Wyckoff.
Bert Wilcox is a whistler of great
reputation, while Dr. Wyckoff is a
newcomer.

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wall papers that harmonize in color
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—Hamilton Spectator: Mrs. R. H.
Kennard has received word that her
brother, E. O. Shaver, of London, for-
merly of Hamilton, is seriously ill.

According to a statement recently
made by Mrs. Clara W. Raynor, presi-
dent of the Florida Federation of Wo-
men's Clubs, the new child labor law
of that State, forbidding the employ-
ment of children under the age of 12
years, has taken 5,000 children from
the shops and the factories and put
them in the schools.

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is, but its opposite, an implosion, is
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guarantee, regular price \$12, less
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Ladies' Solid Gold Watches, 14-k, regu-
lar price \$24, less 25 per cent, at. **\$18**
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