

INTERNED RUSSIAN CRUISERS PREPARING TO GO TO SEA

Warship Driven Into Shanghai by Togo Reported To Be Coaling and Remounting Her Guns.

FLEET LEFT KAMRANH BAY THURSDAY MORNING

[Special to The Advertiser.] whether the Russians are still at
London, April 20. — The Shanghai Kamranh Bay, although they were re-

Later the foreign office gave out a formal denial of the reported protest of Japan, saying in response to many inquiries: "Neither Dr. Motono (the Japanese minister) nor the Japanese Government have made any protest."

when the Askold was disarmed, have been duplicated. A pilot has been engaged for her. Five Chinese warships have been ordered to watch the cruiser.

London, April 21.—It is impossible to learn definitely whether the Baltic fleet is still at Kamran Bay. In Tokyo

it is believed that it is, while in Paris its presence there is denied. An English correspondent in Paris quotes Foreign Minister Delcasse as saying in the lobby of the Chamber that the fleet left the Annam coast Thursday morning.

Tokio, April 20.—5 p.m.—The reply of France to the protest of Japan against the Russian squadron using Kamranh Bay, has not been received in Tokio, but is expected shortly.

The statement that the cabinet and the fleet commanders, after a conference, had forwarded a note to the Russian ambassador in Paris, that the French fleet in France was approached through the

usual diplomatic channels. The Associated Press is again au-
The officials here are not certain thorized to state that Russia has re-

TORONTO TO OTTAWA	BRANCH TO ABBITIBI
Prominent Man Present Railway	Grand Trunk Pacific Will Run L

Toronto, April 20. — A bill was introduced in the Ontario Legislature this afternoon for an act incorporating

of the Toronto, Ottawa and French River Railway Company. The company proposes to build from Toronto to Ottawa, through York, Northumberland, Lennox, Addington, Lanark and Carleton Counties. They also propose a branch from a point on Georgian Bay, near

French River, connecting with their main line. The capital stock is \$1,000,000. Prominent Toronto men are the principal directors.

A Rough Experience.

Montreal Que. April 20. — Joseph

Cracksmen Put to Flight.

Perron, aged 25 years, was knocked senseless on Tuesday night, his money, amounting to \$8, stolen, and his body thrown into the water at the foot of Nicolet street in the east end. The cold water revived him and his cries resulted in his rescue. Perron's nose was broken and he is in a bad way from his experience.

A SECOND TRIP TO HUDSON'S BAY

AWAITS DECISION OF PRIVY COUNCIL

**Government Fitting Out the Premier Whitney States
Neptune for a Trip to
Polar Regions.**

Ottawa, April 20. — The Government has just closed with jobbers of St. Johns, Nfld., for a party for the steamer Neptune to proceed northward with another Hudson Bay expedition. The Neptune has just returned from the spring sailing voyage, and will be fitted out for the double wherry.

The expedition will be in charge of Commander A. P. Low, who made such a successful voyage on the same ship in 1902. It is expected that this year, however, an earlier start will be made. With a view of investigating the ice conditions in the Strait of Davis, the ship the "Neptune" will sail from Halifax on the 1st of June, the earliest date of departure of any ship from this port.

northern water. The Neptune will carry supplies for the steamer Arctic, which is expected to leave for the west coast of Hudson Bay. After the Arctic returns, the Neptune will super patrol the Neptune passage strait north of Barrow Strait, where the Arctic will be expected to arrive in August for making the northwest passage. The Neptune will be expected to meet that his instructions do not allow him to make the attempt.

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Thousands of Tons of Earth Caved In, Doing Great

Damage.

Summer Corsets
in Heavy Net
at 25c and 40c.

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A full line of
Children's Easter
Headwear.

WALL PAPER DEPARTMENT.

This is the time to pick Wall Paper. Our stock is immense; patterns and coloring cannot be excelled; the prices irresistible. A few only of the bargains for Saturday are:

200 rolls Pretty Paper, regular 5c, sale price	3 1/2c
250 rolls Paper, regular 8c, sale price	5c
175 rolls Paper, in green and pink, regular 12 1/2c, sale price	8c
100 rolls Cream Paper, with terra cotta roses, regular 20c, sale price	10c
200 rolls Silk Finished Paper, with pink roses, regular 20c, sale price	10c
Cream Window Shades, regular 25c, sale price	25c

\$3.25 WAISTS, SATURDAY \$2.50.

New Easter Silk Waists, Jap wash silk, in brown, cream and black, made in two different styles, deep hemstitched tucked front and back, new leg-of-mutton sleeves; also white silk waists, with front made in yoke style of yokes, hemstitched tucked back and sleeves, tucked cuffs and collar, regular \$3.25, sale price

Immense line of Ladies' Easter Neckwear, 78 styles to choose from, at

Immense line of Ladies' Easter Neckwear, 64 styles to choose from, at

\$1.00 SHAMS, SALE PRICE 75c.

A beautiful line of Fine Swiss Embroidery Shams, in pretty conventional design, 32 inches square, regular \$1.00, sale price

50c HATS, SALE PRICE 30c.

Children's Muslin Hats, in cardinal, cream, blue and white, with lace trimmings, tan crown, with shirring, regular 50c, sale price

Ladies' Long Sleeve Cotton Vests, white only, lace trimmed, shaped waist, regular 35c, sale price

SPECIAL DISPLAY UPSTAIRS.

Be sure and see the downy little chicks, just hatched by the Chatham Incubator Company. This exhibition is of special interest to everyone at Easter time. Have the children come also.

SATURDAY SPECIALS IN THE BASEMENT.

14-quart Tin Dishpans, regular 20c, sale price

7-inch White Enamel, regular 3c, sale price

Shamholders, regular 25c, sale price

3 only Dinner Sets, in blue, brown and green, regular \$1.50, sale price

2 dozen China Jarrahlers, handsomely decorated, regular 50c, sale price

Splendid display of Near Cut Glass in the Art Room.

WOODS' FAIR

500 designs
in Easter Cards,
all prices.

THE PUPPET GROWN.

BY HAROLD MACGRATH.
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"Carew!" the Englishman repeated thoughtfully. "Are you not Carew, of the American legation in Vienna?"

"Yes."

"May I ask you a few questions?"

"A thousand."

"A fellow-countryman of mine has mysteriously disappeared. He left Vienna for Bieleberg, saying that if nothing was heard of him within a week's time, to make inquiries about him. This request was left with the British ambassador, who has just written me, adding that a personal friend of the gentleman in question was in Bieleberg, and that this friend was Maurice Carew, attaché to the American Legation. Are you acquainted with Lord Fitzgerald, son of my late predecessor?"

"I am indeed. I saw him in Vienna," said Maurice; "but he said nothing to me about coming here, which was true enough. Is there any cause for apprehension?"

"Only his request to be looked up within a certain time. The truth is, he was to have come here on a peculiar errand, with lowered voice. 'Did you ever hear of what is called Fitzgerald's folly?'"

"Yes; few haven't heard of it." Maurice could never understand why he resisted the impulse to tell the truth. A dozen words to the man at his side, and the catastrophe, even if it were to be averted, would tell him who most of these people are, he said, in order to get around a disagreeable subject. "I am a total stranger."

"With pleasure. That tall, angular old man, in the long, gray frock, with decorations, is Marshal Kampf. You must meet him; he is the witliest man in Bieleberg. The gentleman with the red beard is Mollendorf of the police. And beside him—yes, the little man with glasses and a loose cravat—is Count von Wallenstein, the Minister of Finance. That is the chancellor talking to the archbishop, saying that these receptions are fine comedies. The marshal, the count and Mollendorf represent what is called the Auersperg faction under the royal crown. It is a continual battle of eyes and tongues. One smiles at his enemy, knows him to be an enemy, yet dares not touch him. 'Confidentially, this play has never had the like. To convict his enemies of treason has been for ten years the labor of the chancellor; yet, though he knows them to be in correspondence with the duchess, he can find nothing on the strength of which to accuse

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into his heart and twining firmly about, as a vine to a trellis.

It was a mental telegraph, an indefinable substance which is affected by the close proximity of a presence, which, while we do not see, we feel. Perhaps, at any rate, Maurice suddenly became aware of that peculiar yet now familiar agitation of his nerves. Instinctively he turned his head. In the doorway of the conservatory stood a young woman, who was dressed entirely in black, which accentuated the white of the Carrara marble whiteness of her exquisite skin. In the dark, shining coils swept back from her brow lay the subtle snare of a

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red rose. There was no other color except on the full lips. She saw Maurice, but she was so far away that the faint reflection of the rose on her cheeks was gone before he reached her side.

[To be Continued.]

Board of Works Was Busy; Many Matters Considered

The Queen's Avenue Pavement Difficulty Overcome—City Will Pay Extra Cost.

The board of works had a busy session last evening, being engaged for the better part of two hours on a variety of matters, the bulk of which was sent to it by the council. The question of widening the Queen's Avenue pavement, from Richmond street east a distance of 150 feet, was discussed. The committee decided to add the increased expense to the city's portion of the cost of the work. It had been suggested that the extra cost be charged to the properties in front of which the pavement was to be widened, but the engineer stated that this was impossible under the statute. Again, it was thought that if the expense was to be borne by all the ratepayers in the street, some objections might be made, and the committee decided the best way out of the matter was to have the city pay the cost. The extra cost will be about \$300.

The report of City Engineer Graydon on the street service on the various routes was submitted, and Mr. Graydon reported that he had written Manager Carr, calling his attention to the irregular operation of the street service, and asking that the service be improved. Manager Carr, who had not acknowledged the receipt of the letter, and Mr. Graydon was instructed to again write him and demand a more regular operation of the cars, as well as the improvement of the street service. Mr. Graydon should not answer come from the city, but the matter will be again brought before the council.

The committee on Robert Quick that the city will not take over his proposed street until it is properly graded and paved. Mr. Quick desires to open a street north from Dundas

through his property at the corner of Quebec, and he asks that he be permitted to make the street 50 feet wide instead of 66, as demanded by the by-law. The city, however, will insist on Mr. Quick defraying the expense of the by-law, and it will also decline to be liable for the grading of the street. The following local improvements were ordered to be advertised: Cement walk on the east side of Alfred street, from Main to Arthur street; tile sewer on King street, between Glebe and Lytle; cement curb and gutter, south side of Queen's Avenue, English to Ontario street.

The petition against the construction of a trolley and gutter on Burwell street, between Dundas and King, was filed, having been received too late. The board decided, however, not to have the improvements made this year.

The petition of R. Hueston & Son, for permission to erect an illuminated sign in front of their Richmond street livery, was granted, subject to the approval of the engineer.

A decision was rendered in session to receive the report of Inspector Bailey and to consider the question of licenses in an informal manner. The feeling of the board was evidently to the effect that several licenses would have to go, but it was decided to obtain more information before the ill-fated licenses are selected. The whole list of East Middlesex hotels was gone over, and the doubtful ones checked for consideration.

The Inspector's Report.

The inspector's report was as follows: "I may say that the following places are in good repair and have the requirements of the law: W. J. Barnes, Ben Dyer, James Hamilton, George A. Graham, Mrs. Bruchshaw, J. P. Cook, Robert Paisley, Wm. Graham, Mrs. Crighton, Henry McLean, Hugh Lush, Mrs. Young, Fred Burton, John Charles, Mrs. Dunlop, W. H. Fraleigh, and Mrs. E. J. Hodgins.

There are some minor repairs required in the houses of the following: George Maker's and Gardiner Tucker's. "Mr. John Smart has the requirements in regard to rooms, but the building is in a dilapidated state.

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"Charles Stevens has neither the required number of bedrooms nor beds, nor is the house in good repair and is not up-to-date.

The board meets again at 1 o'clock, Saturday afternoon.



THE WEATHER TODAY—Cool and showery.

Still good choosing and many desirable colors left of those \$1 and \$1.10 Bengaline Silks. It's a loss of money to overlook such good values. 59c Per yard.

Easter Towel Bargain

300 Fringed Towels To Go On Sale Saturday Morning.

Don't miss getting some of these Saturday morning. Not since our January Linen Sale have you had such an opportunity to buy values like these.

25 dozen only (and we can't buy more at the price), Cream Damask, all linen, size 19x40, with colored borders—red, gold, blue, and blue and red, regular 20c quality. Special for Saturday, \$1.75 dozen, or each.

Special Items in Housefurnishings for Saturday and Week Following.

These specials in Housefurnishings are money-savers at an opportune time. If you can't come Saturday, come early next week.

80 pairs Nottingham Curtains, good, strong net; 50 inches wide and 3 yards long; regular price 75c a pair. On sale now at only 50c a pair.

30 pairs Fine Nottingham Curtains, in very effective styles; 54 inches wide and 3 1/2 yards long; in white and ivory; regular price \$2.25 a pair. On sale now at 15c.

20 pairs Fine Swiss Net Curtains, in new design; 50 inches wide and 3 1/2 yards long; bought to sell at very special price only 10c a pair.

600 yards Tambour Mesh Net, 28 inches wide; a fine and very serviceable net that we purchased at a very low price. Our customers to have the benefit. Selling at only, per yard 25c.

Curtain Extension Rods, 30 to 54 inches, all complete, at each, only 10c.

White Enamel Poles, 4 feet long, complete, and extra value at, each, only 12c.

Ladies' Easter Tailor-Made Suits.

These are so exclusively correct that you will find it a matter of good judgment as well as economy to select from such perfect models, made in Venetians, Broadcloths, Tweeds, etc., all finely tailored.

Ladies' Suit of Fine Box Cloth, in blue and brown, coat silk lined, blouse style with peplum, tucked and strapped, leg-of-mutton sleeve, tucked with cuff, trimmings of silk buttons and braid; skirt 9-gore, with two tucks on each gore. Per suit, only \$28.00.

Ladies' Suit of Blue and Black Broadcloth, blouse coat, collarless, silk lined, tucked back and front; collar, cuffs and front handsomely trimmed with braid and silk; skirt 7-gore, panel front, with three side pleats. Only \$27.00.

Ladies' Suit of Brown Venetian, coat fitted, coat with vest front, tucked front, collarless, trimmed with buttons and braid, silk lined; skirt 13-gore, side pleated with flare pleats on bottom. Only \$21.00.

Ladies' Suit of Light Gray and Blue Homespun, collarless coat, trimmings of broadcloth, fancy braid and buttons, mercerized lined; skirt 9-gore, with flare pleat, box pleats in side gore. Only \$16.50.

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friends—but we have an undying hatred for the traffic."

When Mr. Hamilton had finished, Chairman Paisley remarked that the board would carefully weigh everything that had been said.

The meeting then broke up, but the committee remained in session to receive the report of Inspector Bailey and to consider the question of licenses in an informal manner. The feeling of the board was evidently to the effect that several licenses would have to go, but it was decided to obtain more information before the ill-fated licenses are selected. The whole list of East Middlesex hotels was gone over, and the doubtful ones checked for consideration.

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A WESTMINSTER WEDDING

Mr. John Kelly's Residence the Scene of a Joyous Event.

Lambeth, April 20.—A very pretty and happy event took place on Wednesday, the 19th inst., at the residence of Mr. John Kelly, of Westminster, when his second daughter, Ada Edna, was united in marriage to Rev. J. H. Hillyard of Saginaw, Mich. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. G. Harris, of Lambeth, assisted by Rev. J. S. Fisher, of Lambeth. The couple standing under a beautiful arch of evergreens, the bride was tastefully attired in cream crepe de chine, and carried a handsome bouquet of bridal roses. She was the recipient of many lovely and useful presents. Having been a very earnest worker both in the Epworth League and Sunday school in Lambeth, her loss will be most keenly felt in our village. She carries with her the best wishes of those with whom she has labored in the church and school. Only immediate relatives were present. Before leaving for London a dainty wedding breakfast was enjoyed by the party. Rev. Mr. Reilly and his bride gave for their home in Saginaw on Friday, and will be ready to receive callers after that date.

On Tuesday night the Epworth League held its annual election of officers, as follows: President, Miss J. Mann; first vice-president, Miss Baker; second vice-president, Mrs. H. Woods; third vice-president, Mr. E. Kelly; fourth vice-president, Miss Taylor; secretary-treasurer, Mr. George Poole; treasurer for foreign movement, Miss J. Mann; organist, Miss L. Kelly; assistant organist, Miss M. King.

On Tuesday, the 19th inst., the Willing Workers met at the home of Mrs. John Kelly, when the annual election took place and the following officers were installed for the year: President, Mrs. John Kelly; first vice-president, Mrs. J. G. Thorne; second vice-president, Mrs. J. G. Thorne; third vice-president, Mrs. J. G. Thorne; secretary, Mrs. J. G. Thorne; assistant secretary, Mrs. J. G. Thorne.

Mrs. M. James is spending the Easter holidays with friends in Harrison and St. Marys.

Mrs. A. G. Harris will be the guest of friends in Ingersoll and Dereham during the Easter holidays.

Misses Mabel and Winnifred Harris are

spending the holidays with Mrs. R. W. Nicholson, Jun., of Strathroy.

Mr. E. E. Baker is spending a few days with relatives in Toronto and Hamilton.

Mr. John Paker, of Tupperville, is visiting his father.

Miss Alice Calcott, of London, is the guest of Miss Edith E. Baker.

Special Easter services will be held in the Methodist Church on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hamilton, of Union, are to spend the holidays here.

NOTES FROM WINNIPEG

Building Permits in Prairie City Have Passed \$1,500,000 Mark.

Winnipeg, Man., April 20.—Building permits in this city have passed the million and a half mark this season. Western towns also report a splendid season's outlook.

Mountain bye-election nominations took place today, the candidates being D. A. Baird, Conservative, and James Baird, Liberal.

Open water is visible ten miles out at Port William and navigation will probably open about April 28.

Calgary's assessment this year is about five million one in every 40.

Mr. J. C. VanWart, of Calgary, died suddenly while under the influence of chloroform last night.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Gilett's signature is on each box.

A man at Geneva, Switzerland, claims to have remained in the water for one month. He used a rubber suit of his own invention.

IT KEEPS THE MUSCLES PLIANT.—Men given to muscular sports and exercises and those who suffer muscular pains from bicycle riding and Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil something worth trying. As a lubricant it will keep the muscles pliant and free from pains, which often follow constant use of them, without softening them or impairing their strength. For bruises, sprains and contusions it is without a peer.

In some parts of Siam a girl who reaches a certain age without marrying is labeled and placed in a privileged class under the special care of the King, who binds himself to find a husband for them all. His method is delightfully simple. A prisoner in any one of the Siamese jails may gain his pardon and release by marrying one of the ineligible class. Whether he is already married or not is of no great consequence, for in Siam a man is not restricted to one wife.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over FIFTY YEARS by MILLIONS OF MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEething, with PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES THE CHILD, SOFTENS THE GUMS, ALLAYS ALL PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for DIARRHEA. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Some naturalists say that swans are never hatched except during a thunderstorm.

BABY HUMORS.—Dr. Agnew's Ointment soothes, quiets and effects the quick and effective cures in all skin eruptions common to baby during teething time. It is harmless to the hair in cases of Scald Head, and cures Eczema, Salt Rheum and all Skin Diseases of older people. 35 cents.—55c. The strawberry box bottom comes high, but we must have it.

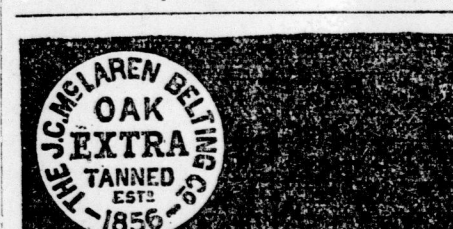
The preparation of artificial butter-

flies mainly consists in spreading with a camel's hair brush very thin multi-

colored or pastel colors on the wings of ordinary butterflies and then sprinkling over this certain delicate metallic powders of various colors. By this process a very common butterfly can be transformed into one that is extremely rare. The fraud comes to light, says the Liverpool Post, through an alleged specimen of a red admiral, the fly so widely noted for its brilliant red and white hues.

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Licenses May Be Denied East Middlesex Hotels

New Board of Commissioners Defer Action On Applications of Eight Hotelmen.

Some very forceful statements were made by those who appeared before the board of license commissioners of East Middlesex on Wednesday afternoon. The speeches of the three hotelmen who represented the Ministerial Alliance were all to the effect that the licenses of several hotels in the east and south limits of the city should be cut off. Several of these hotels, said the speakers, were of great value to the traveling public, and their closure would be a great loss to the community. The speakers referred specifically to the London View Hotel on the Wharncliffe road, just outside of South London, and to the Odell House, on Wellington road, kept by John Smart. The petition presented by Rev. Hector McKay on behalf of the Ministerial Alliance, was signed by ten well-known residents of that suburb. It did not state specifically which of the two hotels—Barnes' or Dyer's—should be considered least desirable by the petitioners, the request being simply that one of the two licenses should be canceled.

After the open meeting was over, and the board took up the question of the renewal of licenses, the following eight hotels were referred to for further consideration: Benjamin Dyer, Pottersburg; John Smart, Odell House; W. J. Burns, London View; P. J. Quigley, Denton; Mrs. Dyer, Odell House; E. J. Hodgins, London View; H. C. Barnes, Hamilton road. The fate of these hotels will be decided at a meeting of the board, to be held on Saturday. The other licenses, namely those of the speaker's report, will probably all be renewed.

Reduction Wanted at Junction.

The first speaker, Rev. Hector McKay, called attention to the fact that the license of the Odell House should not be considered for renewal. It should be considered for renewal, he said, for any licensee if he should be refused a renewal of his license, the same was the case with a farmer who, having expended much money on fertilizing a farm, had to give it up at the end of his five years' lease. The community of London, therefore, it should be considered for renewal, he said, for any licensee if he should be refused a renewal of his license. The same was the case with a farmer who, having expended much money on fertilizing a farm, had to give it up at the end of his five years' lease. The community of London, therefore, it should be considered for renewal, he said, for any licensee if he should be refused a renewal of his license. The same was the case with a farmer who, having expended much money on fertilizing a farm, had to give it up at the end of his five years' lease. 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The following schedule shows the estimated cost of each of the proposed works, the amount thereof to be provided out of the general funds of the Municipality, the approximate annual rate per foot, and the number of such annual assessments, as aforesaid:

WARD ONE.

Cement Sidewalks.

No. of Work.	Description and location of Work.	Total Cost.	City's Share.	No. of Annual Assessments.	Approximate Annual Rate per Ft.
1.	Eight feet wide on the west side of Clarence street, between King street and York street.	325 00	\$ 163 00	10	4 1/2
2.	Six feet wide on the west side of Thames street, between Dundas street and King street.	275 00	150 00	10	3 1/2
3.	Five feet wide on the south side of Bathurst street, between Thames street and Ridout street.	280 00	150 00	10	3 1/2
4.	Five feet wide on the east side of Clayton street, between South street and Nelson street.	240 00	140 75	10	3 1/2
5.	Five feet wide on the west side of Clarence street, between Horn street and Simcoe street.	480 00	268 00	10	3 1/2
6.	Five feet wide on the west side of Clarence street, between Simcoe street and Hill street.	220 00	120 00	10	3 1/2
7.	Five feet wide on the west side of Clarence street, between Hill street and Simcoe street.	220 00	120 00	10	3 1/2
8.	Five feet wide on the north side of Grey street, between Richmond street and a point 400 feet west of Richmond street.	420 00	215 00	10	3 1/2
9.	Four and a half feet wide on the west side of Wharncliffe road, between Riverview avenue and a point 400 feet north of Riverview avenue.	180 00	100 50	10	3
10.	Four feet wide on the south side of Riverview avenue, between Wharncliffe road and a point opposite the westerly limit of lot 12, south Riverview avenue.	400 00	212 00	10	2 1/2
11.	Four feet wide on the north side of Riverview avenue, between Wharncliffe road and a point opposite the westerly limit of lot 14, north Riverview avenue.	380 00	200 00	10	2 1/2
12.	Five feet wide on the south side of Becher street, between Horn street and Perry street.	285 00	152 50	10	3 1/2
13.	Five feet wide on the south side of Perry street, between Wharncliffe road and Teresa street.	675 00	382 50	10	3 1/2
14.	Five feet wide on the west side of Cynthia street, between Askin street and Bruce street.	177 00	95 00	10	3 1/2
15.	Five feet wide on the east side of Cynthia street, between Bruce street and Askin street.	175 00	115 00	10	3 1/2
16.	Five feet wide on the south side of Askin street, between Wharncliffe road and Cynthia street.	282 50	150 00	10	3 1/2
17.	Five feet wide on the north side of Elmwood avenue, between Edward street and Brighton street.	367 50	194 00	10	3 1/2
18.	Five feet wide on the north side of Elmwood avenue, between Marley Place and Wortley road.	235 00	145 00	10	3 1/2
19.	Five feet wide on the south side of Langarth street, between Wharncliffe road and Cathcart street.	975 00	515 00	10	3 1/2
20.	Four and a half feet wide on the west side of West avenue, between Ridout street and Wortley road.	414 90	215 00	10	3
21.	Six feet wide on the west side of Ridout street, between Craig street and Victoria bridge.	325 00	168 30	10	3 1/2
22.	Five feet wide on the east side of Wellington street, between Clarke street and Weston street.	500 00	270 00	10	3 1/2
23.	Five feet wide on the north side of Evergreen avenue, between a point opposite the westerly limit of lot 12, north Evergreen avenue to a point opposite the westerly limit of lot 18, north Evergreen avenue.	180 00	108 00	10	3 1/2
24.	Four feet six inches wide on the east side of Brighton street, between Elmwood avenue and Bruce street.	252 00	152 00	10	3
25.	Four feet six inches wide on the east side of Brighton street, between Elmwood avenue and Bruce street.	252 00	152 00	10	3
26.	Five feet wide on the east side of Ridout street, between Grand avenue and Ferguson Place.	185 00	99 00	10	3 1/2

A Cement Curb and Gutter.

3.	A cement curb and gutter on the south side of Becher street, between Horn street and a point 188 feet westerly therefrom.	130 00	73 00	10	3 1/2
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WARD TWO.

Cement Sidewalks.

30.	Six feet wide on the west side of Richmond street, between Grosvenor street and St. James street.	423 00	242 00	10	3 1/2
31.	Six feet wide on the west side of Richmond street, between Pall Mall street and Hyman street.	220 00	128 00	10	3 1/2
32.	Six feet wide on the north side of Piccadilly street, between Richmond street and St. George street.	330 00	194 00	10	3 1/2
33.	Five feet wide on the south side of John street, between Richmond street and St. George street.	310 00	162 00	10	3 1/2
34.	Five feet wide on the west side of St. George street, between Central avenue and John street.	220 00	140 00	10	3 1/2
35.	Five feet wide on the west side of St. George street, between Grosvenor street and St. James street.	350 00	200 00	10	3 1/2
36.	Five feet wide on the south side of Cheapside street, between St. George street and Richmond street.	285 00	157 50	10	3 1/2
37.	Five feet wide on the east side of St. George street, between Carlings Creek and Ann street.	100 00	62 00	10	3 1/2
38.	Four and a half feet wide on the west side of Gunn street, between Saunby street and Oxford street.	233 00	137 50	10	3
39.	Four and a half feet wide on the north side of Wyatt street, between Wharncliffe road and Douglas avenue.	550 00	286 00	10	3
40.	Four and a half feet wide on the south side of Paul street, between Wharncliffe road and Douglas avenue.	550 00	270 00	10	3
41.	Four and a half feet wide on the south side of Paul street, between Wharncliffe road and Douglas avenue.	749 70	388 50	10	3 1/2
42.	Six feet wide on the north side of Grosvenor street, between Wellington street and Richmond street.	320 00	174 00	10	3 1/2
43.	Nine feet wide on the west side of Richmond street, between Kent street and Maple street.	380 00	210 00	10	5 1/2
44.	Five feet wide on the east side of Richmond street, between Dufferin avenue and Princess avenue.	460 00	290 00	10	7 1/2
45.	Six feet wide on the south side of Oxford street, between Richmond street and Wellington street.	330 00	186 30	10	3 1/2
46.	Four feet wide on the east side of Wharncliffe road, between Dundas street and Beech street.	197 20	106 60	10	2 1/2
47.	Five feet wide on the south side of Piccadilly street, between Richmond street and St. George street.	275 00	150 00	10	3 1/2
48.	Four feet wide on the south side of Alexander street, between Wharncliffe road and Wharncliffe road.	268 00	153 00	10	2 1/2

A Cement Curb and Gutter.

4.	A cement curb and gutter on the south side of John street, between Richmond street and St. George street.	398 00	204 00	10	3 1/2
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A Tile Sewer.

1.	A tile sewer in Oxford street, between St. George street and Richmond street.	1,150 00	275 00	10	10
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WARD THREE.

Cement Sidewalks.

51.	Four and a half feet wide on the west side of Eva street, between Dundas street and Florence street.	472 50	316 25	10	3
52.	Four and a half feet wide on the south side of Mary street, between Egerton street and Eva street.	297 00	164 00	10	3
53.	Four and a half feet wide on the south side of Mabel street, between Egerton street and city limits.	471 15	237 50	10	3
54.	Four and a half feet wide on the north side of Mabel street, between Egerton street and city limits.	405 00	212 00	10	3
55.	Four and a half feet wide on the west side of Sackville street, between Dame street and Hamilton street.	369 00	208 00	10	3
56.	Four feet wide on the west side of Rectory street, between Hamilton road and Walker street.	208 00	130 00	10	3

57.	Four and a half feet wide on the west side of Dreaney avenue, between Hamilton road and Nelson street.	567 00	288 50	10	3
58.	Five feet wide on the north side of South street, between William street and Maitland street.	370 00	210 00	10	3 1/2
59.	Four and a half feet wide on north side of Philip street, between William street and Maitland street.	320 00	171 00	10	3
60.	Five feet wide on the north side of Nelson street, between William street and Maitland street.	370 00	195 00	10	3 1/2
61.	Five feet wide on the south side of Lovett street, between Rectory street and Chesley avenue.	420 00	235 00	10	3 1/2
62.	Six feet wide on the south side of King street, between Colborne street and Burwell street.	186 00	103 20	10	3 1/2
63.	Five feet wide on the east side of Waterloo street, between South street and Hill street.	200 00	115 00	10	3 1/2
64.	Six feet wide on the east side of Waterloo street, between Horton street and G. T. R. Company's tracks.	288 00	183 00	10	3 1/2
65.	Six feet wide on the east side of Wellington street, between King street and York street.	244 00	151 20	10	3 1/2
66.	Six feet wide on the east side of Wellington street, between South street and Hill street.	240 00	137 00	10	3 1/2
67.	Five feet wide on the north side of Hamilton road, between Maitland street and Burwell street.	180 00	100 00	10	3 1/2
68.	Five feet wide on the south side of Bathurst street, between Maitland street and Burwell street.	165 00	127 00	10	3 1/2
69.	Six feet wide on the west side of Waterloo road, between Adelaide street and William street.	420 00	230 00	10	3 1/2
70.	Five feet wide on the east side of Colborne street, between Nelson street and York street.	200 00	115 00	10	3 1/2
71.	Five feet wide on the east side of Adelaide street, between Nelson street and York street.	245 00	130 00	10	3 1/2
72.	Five feet wide on the west side of Adelaide street, between South street and Nelson street.	210 00	135 00	10	3 1/2
73.	Five feet wide on the east side of Egerton street, between Pine street and Trafalgar street.	855 00	467 50	10	3 1/2
74.	Five feet wide on the west side of Egerton street, between Trafalgar street and G. T. R. Company's tracks.	1,230 00	705 00	10	3 1/2

Cement Sidewalks and Curbs.

112.	Four and a half feet wide on the east side of Hyatt street, between Hill street and Grey street.	320 00	170 00	10	5 1/2
113.	Four and a half feet wide on the west side of Hyatt street, between Grey street and Hill street.	320 00	170 00	10	5 1/2

Cement Sidewalks.

114.	Four and a half feet wide on the west side of Inkerman street, between Hamilton road and Layard street.	225 00	129 10	10	3
117.	Four feet wide on the west side of Mamelon street, between Hamilton road and Layard street.	140 00	80 00	10	2 1/2
118.	Four feet wide on the north side of Layard street, between Mamelon street and Inkerman street.	125 00	80 00	10	2 1/2
119.	Four and a half feet wide on the west side of Marmora street, between Hamilton road and Nelson street.	225 00	125 00	10	3
120.	Four and a half feet wide on the west side of Mamelon street, between Layard street and Nelson street.	247 50	136 95	10	3
123.	Four and a half feet wide on the north side of Nelson street, between Redan street and Marmora street.	180 00	105 40	10	3
124.	Four feet wide on the east side of Redan street, between a point 240 feet south of the Hamilton road to a point 120 feet north of Nelson street.	120 00	72 00	10	2 1/2

Cement Curbs and Gutters.

1.	East side of Burwell street between Dundas street and King street.	280 00	144 00	10	3 1/2
2.	West side of Burwell street between Dundas street and King street.	228 00	150 00	10	3 1/2

WARD FOUR.

Cement Sidewalks.

76.	Eight feet wide on the north side of Dundas street, between English street and Elizabeth street.	560 00	300 00	10	5
77.	Six feet wide on the north side of Dundas street, between Quebec street and the city limits.	588 00	334 00	10	3 1/2
78.	Five feet wide on the north side of Quebec street, between Quebec street and Ontario street.	450 00	245 00	10	3 1/2
79.	Five feet wide on the south side of Lorne avenue, between Ontario street and Quebec street.	440 00	225 00	10	3 1/2
80.	Five feet wide on the south side of Oxford street, between Adelaide street and Elizabeth street.	325 00	202 50	10	3 1/2
81.	Five feet wide on the east side of Elizabeth street, between Queen's avenue and Central avenue.	870 00	493 00	10	3 1/2
82.	Five feet wide on the east side of English street, between Lorne avenue and Central avenue.	555 00	327 00	10	3 1/2
83.	Five feet wide on the west side of English street, between Central avenue and Elias street.	175 00	113 50	10	3 1/2
84.	Five feet wide on the west side of English street, between Grosvenor street and St. James street.	385 00	205 00	10	3 1/2
85.	Six feet wide on the west side of Maitland street, between Regent street and Pall Mall street.	422 00	240 00	10	3 1/2
86.	Six feet wide on the west side of Maitland street, between Oxford street and Piccadilly street.	190 00	117 00	10	3 1/2
87.	Five feet wide on the west side of Maitland street, between Grosvenor street and St. James street.	355 00	202 50	10	3 1/2
88.	Six feet wide on the east side of Colborne street, between Pall Mall street and Regina street.	190 00	112 00	10	3 1/2
89.	Five feet wide on the east side of Colborne street, between Oxford street and St. James street.	350 00	205 00	10	3 1/2
90.	Six feet wide on the east side of Waterloo street, between Princess avenue and Colborne street.	422 00	234 00	10	3 1/2
91.	Four feet wide on the east side of Waterloo street, between Cheapside street and Victoria street.	250 00	160 00	10	2 1/2
92.	Five feet wide on the west side of Waterloo street, between Cheapside street and Grosvenor street.	370 00	195 00	10	3 1/2
93.	Four feet wide on the east side of Thornton street, between Oxford street and St. James street.	280 00	166 00	10	2 1/2
94.	Four feet wide on the east side of Oxford street, between St. James street and Oxford street.	280 00	155 00	10	2 1/2
95.	Five feet wide on the south side of Prospect avenue and William street.	290 00	159 00	10	3 1/2
96.	Six feet wide on the south side of Oxford street, between Waterloo street and Colborne street.	444 00	276 00	10	3 1/2
97.	Five feet wide on the south side of Oxford street, between William street and Adelaide street.	390 00	229 00	10	3 1/2
98.	Five feet wide on the north side of Oxford street, between Adelaide street and Maitland street.	720 00	412 50	10	3 1/2
99.	Five feet wide on the south side of Oxford street, between William street and Adelaide street.	360 00	205 00	10	3 1/2
100.	Six feet wide on the north side of Wellington street, between Wellington street and Waterloo street.	395 00	215 00	10	3 1/2
101.	Five feet wide on the south side of Grosvenor street, between Waterloo street and Colborne street.	360 00	230 00	10	3 1/2
102.	Four feet wide on the south side of Grosvenor street, between William street and Adelaide street.	250 00	168 00	10	2 1/2
103.	Five feet wide on the north side of Princess avenue, between Elizabeth street and Adelaide street.	355 00	202 00	10	3 1/2
104.	Five feet wide on the north side of Princess avenue, between Elizabeth street and Adelaide street.	415 00	215 00	10	3 1/2
105.	Five feet wide on the north side of Princess avenue, between Ontario street and English street.	575 00	307 50	10	3 1/2
106.	Five feet wide on the south side of St. James street, between College street and Waterloo street.	180 00	125 00	10	3 1/2
107.	Six feet wide on the west side of William street, between Hamilton road and Walker street.	208 00	130 00	10	3

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1.	street, between Queen's avenue and Dundas street	\$ 240 00	\$ 140 70	10	3 1/2
2.	Tiling in of that portion of Carling's Creek, with 43-inch tile, being on the road allowance on the east side of English street, between Lorne avenue and Princess avenue	704 00	352 00	10	20
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Gounod
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Mrs. G. Fox
Piano Solo—Meditation... C. S. Morrison
Miss Mabel Mara
Vocal Duo—Carry Me Back, Stephen Glover
Mrs. Wray and Mrs. (Dr.) Orme
Piano Solo—Improvisation in C Sharp
Minor... Rhinhold
Mrs. Holby
Vocal Solo—Auld Lang Syne... Petrie
Mr. Brautson
Piano Solo—Columbine Minuet... Delahy
Miss Joan Shaw
Piano Solo—Nocturns, op. 55... Chopin
Miss K. Fox
Vocal Solo—Blue Bird... Gerald Lane
Mrs. (Dr.) Orme
Piano Solo—Valse in A Flat, Moszkowski
Miss Clara McFallis
Miss Ida McFallis, accompanist.

The Lucky Winner.

The following letter has been sent to Mr. B. J. Warrigby by the London Old Boys' Association:

"London, April 18, 1905.
"Dear Mr. Warrigby, Esq., Cigar Manufacturer, city:
"B. J. Warrigby—Out of the 450 odd letters handed to you contesting for the name to be selected for the cigar, we have selected the name 'Old Boys' Schuvenier,' which was handed in by Miss Adams, 573 Richmond street, city.
"There were any amount of clever names and suggestions, but in many cases they referred to individuals, or in some way infringed on the names that had been selected by other clubs.
"Trusting that the name selected will be satisfactory to you, we are, yours truly, R. A. Carruthers, President L. O. B.; B. C. McCann, Secretary-Treasurer L. O. B."

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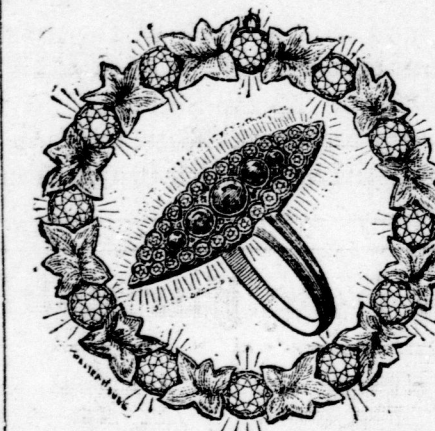
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LONDON AND DISTRICT

—Mr. C. H. Mathewson, civil engineer on the Georgian Bay ship canal survey, is spending the holiday in the city.
—London will be represented at the whist congress in Toronto today by Messrs. Fred W. Magee, Wm. Galbraith, George Young, Guy Andrus, Frank Ashplant and John Connor.
—The management of the Vaudeville Theatre announces a special holiday matinee today. All seats will be reserved, evening prices will prevail, and full orchestra will provide. Special features are announced.
TAKEN TO PENITENTIARY.
John Doyle, sentenced to the penitentiary for burglary by P. M. Love, was taken to the seven-years' home in Kingston by Deputy Sheriff Watterworth and County Detective Northcotes last evening.
BOY GOT THREE MONTHS.
In the police court yesterday, Wesley Boyce, who was convicted of stealing from local liverymen, was sentenced to three months in the Central, Charles Reid, also charged with theft, was allowed to go on suspended sentence.
VENTON—SCHMIDT.
A happy event took place yesterday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Helm, 33 Saunby street, West London, when Miss Annie Schmidt, sister of Mrs. Helm, became the bride of Mr. John Venton, of Stratford, Rev. I. R. Wallwin, R.A., pastor of the Emmanuel Church, officiating. The bride and groom were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Venton took the afternoon train for a trip to a number of friends east, and on their return will take up their residence in Stratford.
A GOOD ENTERTAINMENT.
Mr. Owen A. Smith, the well-known entertainer, is booked to appear at the eighteenth "Pop" in the Auditorium tomorrow evening. He will be assisted by Miss Ethel Fowell, Toronto's favorite soprano, and Miss Pearl Ellar, contralto. Mr. Smith's appearance here should mean a crowded house as Londoners are already familiar with the quality of entertainment he provides. Owing to the great expense incurred in securing this programme, it has been found necessary to ask 25 cents for a few of the best seats. It is the intention to put on a short series of better priced shows for the balance of the season, and "Popgoers" should not miss seeing this one, the first of the season.

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THE RECEPTION

TO MR. HYMAN

Liberals Should Not Fail To Be

at Club Rooms On Monday Evening.

The Liberals of London should not forget the reception to be tendered Hon. C. S. Hyman at the Liberal Club, corner of Park and Queen's avenues, on Monday evening next.

While the event is under the direction of the Young Liberal executive, it is not by any means intended only for the younger generation of Liberals. Every supporter of the cause of good government is urged to attend, and each and everyone can rest assured on receiving a cordial welcome.

A programme of interest is to be carried out.

Be on hand and enjoy the evening.

**TEACHERS ELECT
RAMSAY PRESIDENT**

Principal of London Junction

School at Head of East

Middlesex Ass'n.

Mr. George A. Ramsay, of London Junction, was yesterday afternoon elected president of the East Middlesex Teachers' Association. The vice-president for the ensuing twelve months is Miss McColl, of Hubert, secretary, Miss Blanche Hayes, of this city (re-elected), treasurer, Mr. George Duncan, city (re-elected), librarian, Inspector Thompson, executive committee, Messrs. McGregor and Garratt, and Misses McBride, Cleaveland and Fair.

The elections were held at the closing session of the convention, held in the county buildings. A number of papers of interest were also read, literature being the subject. The papers were by Miss McColl and Miss Sprout. Miss Hayes and Mr. Langford also made some very helpful observations on junior and senior studies in history.

Mr. George Duncan gave some practical advice on the treatment of arithmetic, and Principal Scott's excellent address on the teaching of English, brought the convention to a close.

The association decided to accept the invitation of the East Middlesex Farmers' Institute to accompany it on its outing to Guelph, the latter of which is a resolution of sympathy was ordered to be sent to Mr. Phil Maynard, one of the members, who was absent owing to the death of his father.

DISCOVERED LIFELESS BODY

Ghostly Find of a Hotel Porter Yesterday Morning.

The lifeless body of Thomas Webb, a character well known through the city, was found at an early hour yesterday morning in a shed in the rear of the Grand Central Hotel, corner of King and Rideau streets.

Webb's death is supposed to have been caused by an overindulgence in drink. On Wednesday he was under the influence of liquor, and according to the proprietor of the Grand Central, was on more than one occasion ejected from the hotel owing to his condition.

Webb at 7 o'clock in the evening was still in an intoxicated state, and it is supposed, that instead of going to his home on Thames street, he entered a new summer kitchen at the Grand Central and lay down to sleep.

He was discovered in the morning by the porter of the hotel, John Barons. Webb was lying against the wall with one arm resting on his breast. There was a slight bruise on his cheek, but no importance is attached to it, as it is supposed that Webb may have received it in a fall.

Coroner MacLaren was notified, and decided to hold an inquest.

RAILWAY KICKS

Does Not Like Planting of Trees to Beautify "V."

The officials of the Pere Marquette have lodged a complaint with the city engineer against the planting of a number of trees along the "V" formed by the junction of the Hamilton road and Horton street. The object of the city in having the trees planted is to beautify the property and eventually have it made into a park, but the officials of the railway do not approve of the move, for the reason they say, that the trees will in time make it impossible for persons approaching the rail-

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Tomorrow they will have another special orange sale, selling sweet, juicy, California Navels at 5c a dozen. Include some in your Saturday order.

Way tracks from certain directions, to see trains entering or leaving the city, thereby greatly increasing the danger of accidents. Park Commissioner Pearce, who has had charge of the planting operations at the "V," has told the city engineer and the board of works that the railway officials' fear is unnecessary, for the present, at least, as several years will elapse before the trees are of any size.

NEW PROVISION FIRM

Messrs. Wilson and Mitchellree Succeed Gavin Park in Market Lane.

One of the finest stores in London is that at the corner of the Market Lane and the Market square, just occupied by Messrs. James A. Wilson and Will Mitchellree, successors to Gavin Park. The store has been thoroughly renovated, and a complete line of provisions will be carried. Besides being prepared to cater to the retail trade in the best of cooked meats, butler, meat, poultry, etc., a wholesale department under the personal supervision of Mr. Wilson, has been introduced. This latter is an innovation in London and will be greatly appreciated by the trade. The lines of cheese deserve special mention. The store forms one of the handsomest and most up-to-date business premises in the city.

**HITCH MUST BE
SOON OVERCOME**

The Tecumseh House Deal Has

To Be Concluded by May

1, If at All.

No question more interests the traveling public these busy days than that of changes and proposed changes going on in the hotel business. All travelers who pass through this city agree that London needs bigger and better hotel accommodations, and therefore, there is much speculation with regard to the \$250,000 hotel project which has been launched here by Toronto capitalists, and also with regard to the rumored change in the proprietorship of the Tecumseh House.

This latter proposition will have to be decided by the 1st of May. Dr. Richard T. Massey, representing Detroit capital, is still in town, and any hitch that has occurred in his agreement with Mr. and Mrs. Hook will have to be overcome by that time, it being the outside date fixed for the consummation of the arrangement. Mr. Williams, valuator of Detroit, has taken a careful invoice of everything in the house, so that it looks as if there is a prospect of a satisfactory agreement being reached, for, as is well known, new proprietors always take an invoice of the interior fittings of an institution before taking possession. On the other hand, Mr. Trowbridge, of New York, who has been staying at the Tecumseh for the past week, is believed to represent New York capitalists who are anxious to make a deal in competition with the other one.

Travelers say they do not care how the trick is done as long as London gets its much needed first-class hotel.

TRAVEL WAS BRISK

Extra Cars Added to Every G. T. R. Passenger Train Yesterday.

"How's holiday passenger traffic today?" was the question asked of a railway official standing in the drizzling rain on the G. T. R. depot about midnight last night.

"Well, it's brisk," was the enthusiastic reply, which seemed all the more emphatic considering the very unpleasant state of the weather. "The trains today have been crowded to their fullest capacity, and extra cars have had to be added to every passenger train that passed through here. Trains Nos. 15, 16 and 5 each had two cars added to them at London. It's a wonder where all the people who travel get the necessary money. Today's travel was in excess of Good Friday last year, which is to be wondered at considering the state of the weather and the nearness of the latter to the summer holidays this year."

The other man who is an authority on the state of travel is the hotel clerk. "The large hotels do not benefit from holiday traffic like the smaller ones," said a clerk at a local hotel. "One reason is that the people who have enough money to put up at a large hotel generally go to their homes or the home of their relatives when they strike the city on a holiday. But the country people who come into the city over the holiday to enjoy themselves naturally put up at the cheaper hotels. The smaller hotels benefit in another way," he continued. "For these is always a great deal more liquor consumed on nights immediately preceding a holiday than at other times, and citizens who go out for a good time on the eve of a holiday go to the smaller hotels."

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MUSIC AND DRAMA.

"BONNIE BRIER BUSH" AT THE GRAND TODAY.

"The Bonnie Brier Bush" appears at the Grand for four performances, today, matinee and night, and tomorrow, matinee and night. As is known to many, the principal theme of the story is the struggle of the old Highland shepherd, Lachlan Campbell, between his naturally warm and loving disposition and his sense of religious duty.

Reuben Fax, in the character of the Drumtochty postman, Archibald McKittick, furnishes much of the comedy in which this play is prolific.

"BY RIGHT OF SWORD."

"By Right of Sword," Ralph Stuart's trans-continental success, will be presented at the Grand Easter Monday, matinee and night. Previous to its recent production at the American Theatre, where it scored the romantic comedy record of the season for enthusiastic applause and phenomenal receipts, Mr. Stuart had played "By Right of Sword" for two seasons, with great success.

"DEVIL'S AUCTION."

Charles H. Yale's "Everlasting Devil's Auction" marks the twenty-third edition of this phenomenal spectacular play, and the latest production of this famous show-piece is undoubtedly the best that has yet been presented. It will appear at the Grand next Tuesday. Sale of seats opens tomorrow.

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MARA'S

KILLING WAS JUSTIFIABLE

Man Who Shot Attentive of Wife's Affections Found Not Guilty.

Chicago, April 20.—Convicted that George Gould acted in self-defense when he shot and killed Alonzo R. Hammond, a jury in Judge Tutthill's court has returned a verdict of not guilty, and Gould was given his freedom.

Gould shot and killed Hammond, who was accused of having alienated the affections of Mrs. Gould. He pleaded self-defense, however, and said that Hammond had attempted to draw a revolver. The defense showed that Hammond, who was a conductor on the Metropolitan Elevated Railroad, had made a threat that he would kill Gould on sight. Gould boarded the elevated train, he said, to seek information from Hammond as to the whereabouts of Mrs. Gould, and the shooting, which followed, was in the presence of numerous passengers.

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Cracksmen at Kingston.

Kingston, Ont., April 20.—During the night, the safe in Bailey & Co.'s broom works was broken into by cracksmen. Little money was obtained. The safe was badly wrecked by the explosives used.

Found Dead in Street.

Alliston, April 20.—Miss Rose Keating, aged 25 years, whose parents live in Adajala, and who until lately was employed at the Barriss Hotel, at Loretta, dropped dead on the street here this morning on her way to work. The young lady left her lodging house apparently in her usual health. The coroner has decided not to hold an inquest.

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