HAMILTON, CANADA, MONDAY, MARCH 9, 1908,

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TRACTION MANAGER ON STAND TO-DAY.

Intimated That Trouble Came From Detroit.

Which Mr. Reeves Quite Hotly Resented.

Theaker Arbitration Was Continued To-day.

The Theaker arbitration resumed it meetings this morning, and the company started its case. The evidence of Mr. C. K. Green and Mr. Duncan Miller was taken at this morning's session. Mr. Miller will complete his story this afternoon. He stated that he was quite willing to bring every man off the road to the commission to prove that the charges of discrimination against Theaker by the company were untrue, and he assured Mr. Reeves, who is conducting the case for Mr. Theaker, that he would prove that the charges were on the

the Dominion Power and Transmission Company was the first witness on the stand, and stated that Theaker had been discharged from the company's employ because he had carried passengers free. Mr .Green said there were other charges that would be brought up. Mr. Green admitted that spotters were on the cars and he had seen spotters' reports concerning Mr. Theaker.

Mr. Reeves read several of the rules issued by the company, and said he wanted to show that these rules were not being carried out. Mr. Reeves want

wanted to show that these rules were not being carried out. Mr. Reeves wanted to know what was done by the company in regard to the fare-boxes and the registers. Mr. Green said that the company depended on the fare box. It had been found almost impossible to work the fare box and register, and the latter was used only as a help to the conductor. Mr. Green admitted in answer to Mr. Reeves that it was impossible for a man to obey all the sales, but all the company asked was that a man should do his best.

Mr. Reeves asked Mr. Green if he was opposed to the union. Mr. Green replied that he had nothing against the union, and as a matter of fact he never had much trouble with the men. It was only when influence was brought from Detroit, that trouble arose with his men. Mr. Reeves rather resented the insimuation and said that he was not here for the purpose of stirring up trouble, but in the interests of peace. The question of hiring the men for the Radial line was brought up. Mr. Green said that the staff was reduced in the winter and increased in the summer. In answer to a question of Mr. Levy, Mr. Green said that Theaker admitted to him that he had carried passengers free. Mr. Green said that Theaker admitted to him that he had carried passengers free. Mr. Green said that Theaker admitted to him that he morning after his discharge and wanted to know-why he had been let go.

Mr. Green admitted that age and value of service were always taken into consideration, but when any man's recerd became bad, he would be let go, whether he had been with the company 5 or 25 years.

Mr. O'Donoghue asked Mr. Green if he had beguelt any influence to have

5 or 25 years. Mr. O'Donoghue asked Mr. Green if

be had brought any influence to bear on Arthur O'Neil for him to keep his father from the union. Mr. Green sait O'Neil, sen, himself and requested him to stay away, because of the drinking that went on at the meetings.

Mr. Green said he knew of the petition that was circulated abong the men and signed by 79 of them. but stated he bad nothing to do with it.

Duncan Miller, superintendent of the street railway, was called and mentioned some of the infringements of the rules that he charged against Theaker. He stated that riding on the platform with a motorman was a common occurrence with Theaker, and that he had (Continued on page 3) (Continued on page 3.)

The Detroit Free Press announces a

Dropped Dead

Washington, March q .- Rev Chas. Alvin Smith, pastor of the Peck Memorial Presbyterian Chapel, dropped dead of apoplexy while dining last night at the home of the late pastor of the Church of the Covenant. Rev. Dr. Smith was 46 years old, and came here about ten years ago from Philadelphia.

KAISER'S LETTER.

MR. ASQUITH TELLS THE HOUSE THAT IT WAS PRIVATE

And Would Not be Made Public-Letter Had No Official Character-Chancellor Snubs His Questioners-Tories Trying to Stir Up Trouble.

letter sent last month by Emperor William of Germany to Lord Tweedmouth First Lord of the Admiralty, in which, it has been charged, His Majesty attempted to influence Great Britain's naval legislation, and the British Minis-

naval legislation, and the British Minister's reply thereto, would be made public for the edification of the people was quickly dispelled by Herbert H. Asquith, Chancellor of the Exchequer, in the House of Commons this afternon.

In a couple of curt sentences Mr. Asquith, who was acting as Premier, told A. J. Balfour and his other questioners that he had nothing to add to his statement of Friday, and that so far as he knew Lord Tweedmouth has nothing to add to his declaration beyond the fact that immediately on the receipt of Emperor William's letter the First Lord of the Admiralty showed it to Sir Edward Grey, the Foreign Secretary, who agreed with the recipient that the letter had no official character, and should be treated as a private communication. "It is as a private communication. "I clearly out of the question," conti clearly out of the question," continued Mr. Asquith, "to lay private, and per

Mr. Asquith, "to lay privates and personal correspondence on the table."

A question from Amelius R. Lockwood, a Conservative member of the House, as to whether it was possible for a communication on such an important question should be regarded in any way as private, drew a still curter "Yes." from Mr. Asquith, and when he was asked to give the House of Commons an opportunity to discuss Lord Tweedmouth's conduct, the acting Premier maintained conduct, the acting Premier maintained

BISLEY TEAM.

Col. Labelle Commandant and Major King Adjutant.

Ottawa, March 9.—(Special.)—Lieut.-Col. A. E. D. Labelle, 65th, Montreal. has been appointed commandant of the Bisley team, and Major W. C. King, Bowmanville, has been appointed adju-

This Season's New Maple Syrup. To-morrow we will receive the first of this season's run of new maple syrup from Mr. Guyett's maple bush in Bin-brook. No doubt you had some from us last season, and know all about its splendid flavor. Order early, as the quantity will be limited.

Ripe strawberries in to-day; also Roston head letture, oka cheese and sweet protators. Bain & Adams. 89. 91 Kington protators. Bain & Adams. 89. 91 Kington protators.

potatoes.—Bain & Adams, 89, 91 King street east.

GOT NEW JOB

Montreal, March 9.—Prof. Flux, of McGill University, professor of political economy, has resigned to take a position under the British Government in Lon-

IN THE BIG U. S. CITIES.

LICENSE MATTERS.

First Day of Making Application For Renewals.

This is the first day for the receiving of applications for liquor licenses, but up to noon no one had applied for a up to noon no one had applied for a license to sell next year. Inspector Birrell, however, has every reason to be lieve that all the holders of licenses at present will apply again, but he does not anticipate any new applicants. The time for making application expires on April I, after which the License Board will hold a public meeting to hear any persons who have objections to make against any of the applicants. There are 68 licensed hotels and 17 liquor stores in the city.

In "the trade" circles just now there is a good deal of speculation as to the intentions of the Hamilton Brewery Co., which secured incorporation papers recently. The hotel men generally are hoping that it will be ready to supply the foaming beverage before the hot weather arrives. It is said the established brewery companies passed around an

weather arrives. It is said the establish-ed brewery companies passed around an agreement a short time ago, offering to bind themselves to not raise the price of beer during the next two years to hotel men who would sign to buy from them for that period. Not more than two hotelmen signed the agreement. A A with the grip.

IT CAUSED HER DEATH

lace, aged 22 years, a student at the Normal School, who came from Blind River, near the Soo. Some time ago, while trying to remove an ingrowing toe nail, Miss Wallace slightly lacerated the flesh. She paid no attention to the small wound, which finally developed blood poisoning. Everything possidied a few hours before the arri-

man connected with the business said to-day that this fact shows, that there are few 't'ind houses" here, like there are in Toronto. Mr. J. Orr Callaghan, chairman of the icense Boar², is confined to his home

WENT SMILING TO THE DEATH CHAIR

With a Cheery Good-Bye Murderer Paid the Penalty of His Crime

-- May Be Last Electrocution in State of New York.

York, for the purpose of robbery, went to death in the electric chair at Sing Sing Prison to-day with a smile

extraordinary composure. When he entered the death chamber with a light, springy step, his face was beaming

literally slashed to pieces. In all, there were 36 stab wounds in the murdered man's body.

here to-day did so to see for themselves the manner in which the capital punishment is carried out.

THE MAN

there to Whitney.

after a cheery good-bye to those who had been summoned to witness the execution.

Four contacts were made before the man was pronounced dead

and the smile was never absent for an instant.

BOTH DEAD.

Aged Couple Took the Gas Route

to the Cemetery.

beck, 70 years old, and his wife, Anna

75 years old, were found dead in their bed at the home of their daughter, Mrs.

bed at the home of their daugnter, and Anna Bostrum, 479 Racine avenue, to-day. Death had been caused by asphyx-iation by illuminating gas. The police are of the opinion that the couple, dis-couraged by the loss of their home last Saturday, made a suicide agreement.

FOR MISSIONS.

First International Convention of Y.

P. Missionary Movement.

Pittsburg, March 9.-Five special rains bringing delegates from Canada

and the north east, south and west of

this country arrived here to-day for the first international convention of the Young People's Missionary Movement, which convenes here to-morrow morning for a three-days' session. The delegates now in the city number 2,000, and at least 500 additional representatives of missionary societies will arrive before

convention at the day and evening sessions, presenting the problems in the home and foreign missions.

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missionary societies will arrive before night. Some of the ablest speakers of missionary and educational themes in Great Britain, Canada, the United States,
Japan, China and India will address the lave been found ware

Ossining, N. Y., March 9.—Antonio Strollo, an Italian, who killed a man in Van Courtlandt Park, New

Strollo killed Antonio Torselli, a fellow-countryman, in Van Cortlandt Park last summer. Torselli's face

The execution was witnessed by three New York Assemblymen. They declined to give their names

Judge Edmund R. Terry, of Brooklyn, was also present. It is said that a bill is being prepared for presentation in the Assembly which provides for the abolition of capital punishment, and that the assemblymen who came

THE HAN

IN OVERALLS

A million dollars is neither here nor

The hens should be getting ready for

The Cemetery Board might make a ittle extra money by erecting a ory up behind the marsh.

The Herald might run out a few more Parliamentary candidates just to show that it has lots more up its sleeve.

Don't be surprised if Sothman sends

in his bill to the city for interpreting Mr. Hawkins' offer. I won't be.

Talking of the good old summer time t's a long time since we had any Cale

How have the asphalt pavements weathered the winter, Chairman Sweeney

The Stanley Mills & Co's, business

Who says that the weigh scales men have been weighed in the balance and found wanting?

of the she did?

ble was done for her, but the girl val of her parents from Blind

PANAMA CANAL.

Former Chief Engineer Says it Will be a Failure.

New Haven, Conn., March 9 .- John F Stevens, a vice-president of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, and a former chief engineer of the Pan ama Canal, has issued a statement regarding the waterway, in which he prophecies its failure. Mr. Stevens says phecies its failure. Mr. Stevens says that the canal will not help the United States in its trade with South America,

States in its trade with South America, as practically all the inhabitants of the southern continent are east of the Andes. Mr. Stevens also says that in the commercial relations of the United States with the islands of the Pacific and the far east, the canal will be of little value. The coal and wheat centres of the United States are inland. Their products have to be started on their way by rail.

Of constipation is found in Dr. Goode's Health Tablets. Health Tablets. These little sugar-coated tablets get after a lazy liver and make it make it work in the way nature in tended it should. One tablet each night will drive away that dull, drowsy feeling, and that ache in the back. Sold at 25c per box.—Parke & Parke.

Strollo showed the most

the buildings and put them in a building by themselves. No question of expense should be allowed to come in here.

But why haven't the promoters of the art gallery scheme applied for a civic grant? Have they got all the money they need subscribed?

Seeing that the Con. Club has no visi-ble means of support, it should be run in as a vag.

If Jim Livingston does not quit fight

Why not make it a five-fifths clause

I suppose Barrow's fate rests with the Executive Committee. Has he paid up his dues?

A man said to me the other day, "The sidewalks are part of the King's high-way, and no civic by-law can compel me to keep them clean." Wonder what

to keep them clean. Wonder Judge Monck thinks of that contention.

If Jeanotte Lewis finds herself short

few moonlight excursions might make up the deficit.

No doubt Toronto has done well since

it came to this country. It got a good start, too, by hiring out among the

ing with the clergy, I fear me he make a hot finish.

NOT READY YET FOR THE CITY COUNCIL.

A Great Fire

Tokio, March 9 .- Fire in Niigata, which started at 6 p. m. yes-terday, was extinguished at 2 o'clock this morning. In a district comprising 21 of the principal streets, 1,500 houses were destroyed, the area being swept clean. There was some loss of life, but the number is not known.

BATTLESHIP FLEET.

UNITED STATES WAR VESSELS NOW ON THE ATLANTIC COAST.

derful Feat-Ships Will Reach Magdalena Bay Ahead of Schedule Time.

Washington, March 9 .- About the last place that the Navy Department expected to hear from the Atlantic battleship fleet for at least six months, battleship fleet for at least six months, was on the Atlantic coast, yet this is what has happened. The Navy Department to-day received a telegraphic message from its wireless station at Pensacola, which had been in direct direct communication with the battleship fleet, a most remarkable performance, considering that the wireless impulses were obliged to traverse the Gulf of Mexico, then cross overland the State of Texas, part of Mexico and against traverse several hundred miles of ocean. This particular message was from Rear Admiral Thomas, in command of the second division, and was as follows:

"Have you any important news from home?"

home?"
On board U. S. S. Georgia, 8 p. m.,
March 8, (via United Wireless Telegraph Company.)—The fleet's position at this hour is latitude 14.37
north, longtitude 19.01 west. The weather is line and the snips are moving along at a speed of ten and one-half knots per hour. The fleet will reach Magdalena Bay on March 17, two days ahead of their schedule. The cruise has been successful in every way. The ships are in perfect condition and will be ready for record target. Practice immediately upon target practice immediately upon their arrival at Magdalena Bay. The position of the American battle ship fleet as given in the wireless des-patch is off the Mexican port of Acap-

QUEBEC BRIDGE.

Report of Commission Ready-Who Will Bear the Loss?

It is very likely that the report of the Commission on the Quebec bridge will be presented to Parliament to-day. summary of what it is to contain has already been published. The real question is as to who is to bear the loss, the report showing that it was owing to faulty design that the bridge fell. This would look as if the Phoenix Bridge Co. would have to bear the expense, but as the plans were approved by the Domin-ion Government, there may be a distribution of the loss. However, this is a mere matter of speculation.

AN EXPERIENCED ARCHITECT.

Every now and again, you will notice, the Spec. insults the English. Wonder what it has got against them. Herbert H. New, who for the past eight years has been associated with the leading architects of Boston, has opened an office on the sixth floor of the Spec-tator building. Before leaving Hamilton he spent two years in Mr. Peene's of-fice. He was also in Europe for a year, and is, therefore, experienced and up-to-date. He is a son of Mr. Henry New.

highest point of cigar perfection. Al sizes are sold in this city at peace's cigar store, 107 king street east.

Street Railway Matter Not Coming Up.

Charity Work of Winter Costs About \$6,000

And Smallpox Epidemic Runs Up \$5,000.

The Street Railway Company did

not give its answer to the city's proposition on Saturday as it was expected it would. Chairman Sweeney, nowever, expects a reply to the offer this afternoon. Notwithstanding the fact that it was intimated on Satarday the company would decline the proposition the opinion is still prevalent in municipal circles that the offer would be accepted. The city's demands as to extensions, the time in which the work is to be done and other restrictions may delay a settlement. The matter will not come up at the council meeting to-night. Even when a proposition is agreed upon there are a great many details to be settled before the thing will be in shape to lay before the council. Ald. Jutten would like to see an extension of the company's tracks from the end of Guise street, across the avenue to Ferrie street. There is little chance of the suggestion that the tracks be laid south on Victoria avenue from Ferrie street being acted upon. The Dominion Railway Board would never consent, it is thought, to the street railway crossing the would never consent, it is thought to the street railway crossing the Grand Trunk's main line on the level and this is the reason why the city wants the tracks taken over the Fer-rie street bridge to Ferrie street, joinrie street bridge to Ferrie street, joining with the Radial tracks to Barton street.

There is very little on the City Council's programme for to-night to keep the aldermen in session any length of time. Some of the members may take exception to Mayor Stewart maming the special committee to consider the re-organization of civic departments. If any objection is made the Mayor intends defending his course on the ground that Chairman Sweeney of the Board of Works, who moved the resolution, intended that he should have the appointing of the committee. If the Courfell is not satisfied that he acted fairly fan aming the committee, the mayor says it is quite free to name a new one, It is thought some of Sackville Hill's friends may make an effort to get part of the contract for supplying sewer pipe for his firm. The committee recommended that it be given to the Hamilton Sewer Pipe Company.

Chief Ten Eyck of the Fire Department, is satisfied that the lives of children attending the Victoria Avenue school would be endangered in case of fire, the exits from the building, a fire, the exits from the building, a three storey structure, not being satisfactory. The chief strongly advises that fire escapes be put on this building at once, He inspected it this morning in company with Secretary Foster, of the Board of Education, and Trustee Booker, They also visited Stinson Street Schook. The Internal Management Committee dealt with the question of fire escapes at its last meeting, recommending the Board of Education to have them put on lall three-storey buildings, It is likely that the Victoria School will be equipped

Contractor Fearnside will finish the pile driving at the inlet for the annex sewer by to night and the city officials say that if the ice will hold good for two days the pipe will be in place. By being able to work on the ice a considerable saving has been effected.

Genuine Havana Cigars.

The Prince Rupert eigar is the king of lear Havana eigars and has reached the ighest point of eigar perfection. All tizes are sold in this city at peace's end of the month or the beginning of (Continued on page 10.)

ALFONSO'S VISIT TO BARCELONA CAUSING MUCH UNEASINESS.

The Place a Republican Hotbed---The King Hotheaded Enough to Risk His Life

Captain-General of Catalona, is confident ancient families from Catalona at the that the visit of King Alfonso to Barcelona will pass off safely. His Majesty thusiastic popular reception is not exis expected to-morrow morning. Gen. pected. Linares declares the population of this city is anxious to show its loyalty to the King, whose courage in coming after New York, March 9.—President Roosevel has decided to destroy the bucketshops, and all the machinery of the shops, and all the machinery of the Government will be used against these concerns, which have been robbing the public for years, and giving the people the impression that Wall street had undertaken this business was received in Wall atreet with enthusiasm, and it was celebrated with an advance in the stock market of from one to three points.

New York, March 9.—President Roosevel the repeated bomb outrages here is greatly admired. Nevertheless, the Captains operations of going to Barcelona, which is described as a wasp's nest, but the King, with a display of the old Bourbon courage, has refused to be dissuaded. He considered it his duty to go, and is confident that his visit to Barcelona allowed to be printed, and the houses along the streets through which the King is to pass have been thoroughly undertaken this business was received in Wall atreet with enthusiasm, and it was celebrated with an advance in the stock market of from one to three the repeated bomb outrages here is

Barcelona, March 9.—Gen. Linares, the brought about by the withdrawal of the time the Government was centralized at Madrid after the French model, an en-

Opposed to Trip.

Madrid, March 9.-It developed here Ministry is bitterly opposed to King Al-

TOO MANY KISSES ANNIE WANTED

son, who arrested him for deserting his affectionate wife that he would stay with her on that basis They found him in Springfield, Ill., where he went several weeks ago. "It's a case of too much love-lovey dovey-business," said Leedom on the way back from Springfield. "My wife-she was married once or twice before—is a good woman and a fine housekeeper, but she is too strong on the love business to suit me. Now I'm not cold hearted, or anything like that, but I don't want a woman kissing me all the time. When I come home from work in the evening I like to sit down and read the papers. My wife would want me to hold hands "A few days before I jumped out of town some actress down in New York made a hit with a kiss

that lasted 45 seconds. When my wife read about that in the papers she said she could beat it with one hand tied behind her back.

"The only fault that I have to find with Annie was her loving nature. I'll agree to go back and live with her if she will only cut out the kissing business. I don't mind a little kiss now and then but I draw the line at more than six a day.'

Hospital Benefit Tickets.

Mr. R. L. Reeves, officer of the Inter national Street Railway Men's Union addressed a meeting of the local unio on Saturday night, and told of what the

ON STREET CARS.

pital scheme, and the members passed a resolution to the effect that all the union conductors sell tickets in the cars, providing the manager of the company gives them permission to do so.

FIREMEN HURT.

Chicago, March 9 .- A score of firem vere injured, three perhaps fatally, by a fire which destroyed Apollo Hall, a three-storey structure at 256-262 Blue Island avenue, early to-day. The cause of the fire is unknown. Damage is esti-mated at \$85,000.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES. To rent at \$2 a year and upwards, for

the storing of deeds, bonds, stocks, wills, silver and other valuables.

TRADERS BANK OF CANADA

BUCKET SHOPS.

President Lends Support to Wipe Them Out.

New York, March 9.-President Roose-

complete agreement between the strikstove mounters and the stove manu facturing concerns. The agreement in

willingness to go back to work Monday

It is said that there is some likelihood of the Stove Mounters' Union declaring a strike here, although not many of them are at work. The foundrymen have asked that they accept a cut in their wages, as they did the Moulders' Union. A member of the union stated on Saturday that some Hamilton concerns had advertised in other cities for mounters, and some union men had come here, but had refused to go to work when they learned that trouble is brewing. cludes not only Detroit, but practically the whole stove business of the west. The result in Detroit will be the immedi ate return of 5,000 men to work-most of them, in fact, resumed work this morning. The Free Press says: result of an agreement reached at a conference between the striking

5,000 Men Return to Work in Detroit---Effect

on Hamilton.

STOVE MEN SETTLE TROUBLE

when they learned that trouble is brewing. The moulders and foundrymen are
marking time here. The shops all remain idle, and the parties do not seem
to be any nearer together than they
were a month ago. The foundrymen say
they will not re-open their shops until
they get the wages question settled, and
the moulders decline to submit to a reduction. mounters and representatives of the different stove manufacturing concerns of the city on Thursday afternoon 5,000 men will go back to work Monday The stove mounters have been on strike for the past six months and their

the moulders decline to submit to a reduction.

The local moulders have been idle since neces had been held between the manufacturers and representatives of the strikers. The settlement effected is reported to be satisfactory to all concerned. All the strikers have signified their; the moulders decline to submit to a reduction.

The local moulders have been idle since now mounters since about the middle of December.

With a general resumption of work on the other side, a number of moulders were made by some of the younger members of the union.

Miss Jeannette Lewis addressed the union in regard to the Children's Hos-

Sweet Norine

CHAPTER XVII.

As Norine walked up the little path to her cottage bone, she tried to bring back the happy, careless smile to her face that her old grandparents always expected to see there. It was a great affort, for not seeing her lover had made the girl's innocent young heart as heavy as a stone in her bosom.

As she entered the door of the old kitchen, where they sat, was it only lancy, or did she hear them both say:

"It is best not to tell Norine."

What could it mean? Her heart almost stopped beating. Had her handome lover come to the cottage door, lespite his misgivings as to the weltome he would receive, and called for her during her absence? Yes, it must be that. What else would they plan so arnestly with each other to keep from her?

She did just what any one who know

her?

5. She did just what any one who knew her would have expected of her—walked attraight up to them, standing before them with a white, startled, eager face.

7. "Grandma—grandpa," she murmured, huskily, looking with straight eyes from one to the other, "will you tell me of whom you were speaking as I entered?"

7. For a moment there was a terrible, deathlike silence in the little meagre zoom, broken only by the clock ticking belowly on the mantel.

Her grandfather was the first to rezover his composure.

composure. She had asked a direct question, and

oft would be answered, he told himself, as the gulped down the great lump that larose in his throat.

Are gulped down the great lump that larose in his throat.

"Yes, certainly, child," he answered, though he turned away from her as he attered the words, "we were speaking of the woman who just died yesterday "Mrs. Barrison, of Barrison Hall."

"Is she really dead?" exclaimed Norine, forgetting for the moment the dark-seyed lover who had so engrossed her except thought. "Poor lady, I am sorry for her. I meant to go to see how she was to-day. I had quite forgotten her."

Both her grandfather and grand-mother sprang to their feet simultane-sujsly, looking at her with horrified eyes that nearly bulged from their sockets. "Again it was her grandfather who put the horror of his face into words:

"What do you know of the woman who has just died." he gasped, and both he and his good wife sank down in their seats again, trembling like aspen leaves. They seemed to scarcely breathe, so Intense was their desire to hear what she would say.

"Every one in Hadley has heard of the "Every one in Hadley has heard of the strange old hermit, who had not crossed her own threshold for long, long years. I know you will both be surprised when I tell you that last night I saw her—I thought, in fact, that I saved her life," and she went on to tell them how she cad returned home by the way of Bartison Hall, and hal stumbled against the tigure lying buried in the snow, and finding herself close by a house, had alled to the inmates to come to her aid and shelter the poor soul whom she had discovered freezing in the storm. That they had responded, and when she was strought into the lighted kitchen she was discovered to be their mistress; and that overed to be their mistress; and that bitter cold had already done its deadly work upon her weakened frame; ahe was utterly paralyzed in speech. That she had left her thus, faithfully That she had leit her thus, faithfully promising the old servant who had followed her to the door that she would gall again on the morrow to see how their mistress was. She had meant to go, but the excitement was so great in the village concerning Joe Brainard's disappearance with the company's money, and the fear of an Indian massacre, that all thought of poor Mrs. Barrison had see the mind.

While she had been telling her simple though the eyes of her aged grandparents had been fairly glued upon her. When the had finished they both looked at me another with that strange expression still on their faces, and she could see that both were intensely interested. But shy they should be so greatly agitated suzzled Norine.

""This is all you know, then, girl, of Mrs. Barrison, of Barrison Hall!" her grandfather queried, hoarsely.

"That is all," returned Norine, her wonder growing that they took such an unusual interest in the affair.

"The next words that broke from her trandfather's hoarse lips quickly turned he tide of excitement unon her side.

randfather's hoarse lips quickly turned he tide of excitement upon her side.

"Mrs. Barrison died, leaving the whole of her fortune to a handsome scapegrace, who will soon make drakes and ducks of t. I faney. You have seen him, and may be be her fortune to a handsome scapegrace, who will soon make drakes and ducks of t. I faney. You have seen him, and may be member him. Norine; it is the young nan whose horse you shod—the handsome, white-handed dandy, who gave you the fifty-dollar note for the job, and which I took good care to hand bromptly back to him. You certainly femember him."

""Ye-es." faltered the girl, and it seemed to her that the little kitchen was shirling around her. Indeed, she remembered every lineament of that fatally handsome, faultless face; she had seen nothing else from the house he had live to make the had live to make the seed of the seed of the seed of the little when he had live to make the had live to make the had live to make the seed of the seed of

satally handsome, faultless face; she had seen nothing else from the house he had first crossed her path, waking or sleeping—the face of him whom her grandfather called a graceless, white-handed aristocrat, had haunted her, and would so haunt her until the hour her life ended. "Yes, she has left every dollar of the Barrison fortune to him," went on her grandfather, so hitterly that Norine looked at him in wonder. "And I cry out go Almighty God against it!"
. "It was the grandest act of her life."

"It was the grandest act of her life," ried Norine, enthusiastically. "I can burget what a strange, morbid woman she must have been, on hearing of that great, hobble act. But how did you know about

noble act. But how did you know about it, grandpa?" she cried, excitedly.
"I say it calls for the vengeance of Heaven," cried the old man, smiting the table heavily with his clir—ed hand, and paving no heed to the girl's words.
"Daniel, Daniel, my husband, the past is past. You knew it would not, could not, be as you hoped and prayed. But chough. We will discuss the matter at enother time," his wife murmured, look-hie significantly at Norine.
"The white-handed aristocrat shall give if un to its rightful owner, though I have fo strike him dead to see true and lawful justice satisfied."

A terrible cry from Norine's lips caused

A terrible cry from Norine's lips caused them both to look suddenly up at her. She was standing before them with hands clinched tightly together, her bosom heaving, her face deadly pale. "You would kill him, grandfather?" she whispered, in a voice choking with tears.

"Ay, ay, lass," he cried. "He comes

ween

"I'e did not finish the sentence, for his
ic suddenly crossed to his side and
her withkled old hand over his lips,

admonishing him tearfully to remain silent.

"No!" he cried, fiercely, dashing the faithful hand away, "that I will not. I shall have my say. I have kept my peace too long. I hoped against hope that the right thing would be done, that justice would rule pride and anger when the last hour came. Now I must cry out before the whole world, and wrest the wealth from the grasp of this stranger, who comes from—no one knows where. A curse on this handsome, villainous stranger."

"You are mad, grandpa," exclaimed Norine, calmly, "Let me tell you why you should rejoice that a fortune has come to handsome Clifford Carlisle, whom you have taken such a dislike to, though the complete the state of the complete the content of the complete the complete that a fortune has come to handsome Clifford Carlisle, whom you have taken such a dislike to, though the complete the complete that a fortune has come to handsome Clifford Carlisle, whom you have taken such a dislike to, though the complete the complete that a fortune has come to handsome Clifford Carlisle, whom you have taken such a dislike to, though the complete the comp

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"Stop girl!" thundered the old man, "Stop girl!" thundered the old man, springing up from his seat and pacing the floor rapidly to and fro. "You know not what you say, nor do you know my meaning. You are befooled like half the maids in the village are by this man's handsome, wicked face, as he goes among them making love to them."

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Normie looked bewildered for an instant; there was something in her grandfather's tone that frightened herit was so solemn, so a we-inspiring.

A terrible stillness fe'l upon the three standing there, broken only by the sighing of the chock on the mankel.

Norine was trying hard to tbink, as her grandfather ha dbade her do. Her lover had whispered the sweetest, most poetic love passages into her ear as he had clasped her in his arms, covering her young face with passionate kisses, whose ferveney she could feel even in that moment on her lips; but he had noe even once uttered the word marriage that she could recall.

Her old grandfather saw her hesitancy, and he read aright that the girl was too innocent to discerm—the hand-some stanger had vever intended to

tancy, and he read aright that the girl was too innocent to discern—the hand-some stranger bad never intended to make little Norine his wife!

He was making love to her n secret, simply to while away dul hours; he had won her heart, and when he was tired of the sport he would cast her off as ruthlessly as a child would cast off a broken toy for a newer mettig one. broken toy for a newer, prettier one. He would laugh and ride away, little heeding whether or not he left a broken heart behind bim.

ot answer me Norine," he

"He will yet ask me to be his wife," ratered the girl, bravely taking up the cudgel of defense for her absent lover. "He has not come to that yet, grand-

"He will never come to that!" thundered the old man. "I te'l you that from a ripe knowledge of the world, Norine, and I add this: I thank heaven that I have found out all this in time, to end, it before harm has been done!"

"What do you mean, grandpa!" sobled Norine, trembling with apprehension, for she saw on her grandfather's rugged, winkled face an expression that she had never seen there before, and his words "end it." terrified her.

"You will not ask me to give my lover up;" she added, vehemently. "Oh, grandpa, you surely could not mean that?"

"You have beard me aright, child," re-

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"My prejudice turned out to be wellou there until he has left Hadley."

I have that assurance dear lips.

"Listen, grandpa and grandma, to a secret I have kept from you ever since the hour when I shod Mr. Carlisle's horse. He loves me, and I—your little Norine—love him."

s"I am tired, and that old, old sorrow Sweeps down the bed of my soul, As a turbulent river might suchilarly break Away from a bank's control

It beareth a wreck on its bosom,
A wreck with a snow-white sail,
And the hand on my heartstrings
thrums away;
But they only respond with a wail."
Utter silence greeted Norine's vehement declaration; and, looking from-one
to the other, the girl repeased the words
softly but defiantly: "I love Mr. Carlisle, and—and Mr. Carlisle loves me."
Outside the wind shrieked and moaned
through the bare branches of the trees
like a spirit in distress; within the awful silence that had followed Norine's
confession was ominous in its death-like
stillness.

other's eyes—where could this stranger have told Norine this? Surely not in the first hour that he had met her, Had he seen her since?
"Norine," murmured her grandmother in a voice which she strove piteously to steady into a semblanee of calmness, "tell us about this love that has taken such a hold upon your heart. How many times have you seen this handsome, captivating stranger, and where? I ask you to tell us all, Norine; keep nothing back from us, dear."
Norine raised her sweet, happy, blushing young face to the old, wrinkled ones bent over her.
"Clifford asked me not to tell either of you about it, lest—lest you would

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Plead my cause for me, grandma!" she added, tearfully. "Surely you will to be hard-hearted; you have loved, and when you were young like me, think what a blank, what a wreek your life two wild have been if you had been separated from your lover. Oh, it would be cruel, unjust, inbuman!"

"Your grandfather must have some strong reason to oppose this young man as he does, child," murmured the dear old aday in a husky, quivering voice.

"Depend upon it."

"I will not listen to such nonsense," reied Norine, stormily. "He has simply day a prejudice against Mr. Cardisle. He took a dislike to bim the first time he ever saw him—ay and even before it, I appeal to you, grandma, is that right! Is it just!"

It was her grandfather who answered her; not angrily, but sadiy:

"My prejudice turned out to be well—"My prejudice turned out to be well—"A low, bitter are now of automobiles."

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"If I were to prove to you that this
man is a libertine and a gambler, would
you cease caring for him?"

"Mr. Clifford Carlise is neither one
nor the other, grandpa!" she cried, bitterly, "and in your heart you know it.
You might invent all the tales you
pleased about him, and—and I should
still believe, trust him, and love him, if
possible, even the more fondly, because
of the abuse piled upon his innocent
head. I defy you to part us, do or say
what you will."

"Enough. Norine!" cried her grandfather, furiously. "God forgive you for
setting up your authority against mine.
You shall never see this rascal again—
I swear it. I shall see that you never
meet him again, that he may put more
nonsense into your head, if I have to
lock you in your own room and keep
you theer until he has left Hadley."

Without replying Norine picked up
her candde and left the room.

It was the first time in her young life
that she missed kissing the aged grandfather and grandmother good-night.
They both fet: it keenly. For hours the
old couple sat by the kitchen fire discussing the future, and what action
they should take to part Norine and the
hardsome lover who had so completely
captured the girl's heart.

"It is false!" cried Norine, hotly,
springing at once to her absent lovers'
defense. "Clifford Carlisle is too true,
too noble a gentleman to speak of—or'
love to but one girl—her to whom his
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FAREWELL AT WENTWORTH.

Rev. A. L. Huddleston Gives a Parting Message.

Mr. Christie's Strong Plea For Technical Education.

Former Hamilton Man in Gospel Tabernacle.

Wentworth Baptist Church was crowdd when Rev. A. L. Huddleston preached his farewell sermons yesterday. He took the opportunity to say a few words of regret, and expressed his gratitude to the members and friends of the church for the loyal and hearty way in which he had been supported. During his three-and a half year term there had not been a discordant note, all the societies working with perfect harmony, and allowing him to do his work without interruption and to the best advantage. He had gained the confidence of the members, and he asked that it be transferred to his successor, and hoped to hear the most favorable reports of the church work.

In the morning he selected his text

from the 15th chapter I. Corinthians. 13th verse: "Watch ye, stand fast in the faith, quit you like men, be strong. He said if we look into the Christian life we will find that it presents to men the most difficult tasks, which prove their ability to follow their leader, Jesus. He told of the hardships of the sentinel of the army when at war; the night watchman in factories and the watch of the army when at war; the nightmatn on vessels; how they are required to keep watch at night to ensure safety.
The Christian, being at war with sin, must keep watch and in every way possible defeat it. The church is made up of men and women who watch the growth of church life, and if any should stray bring them back to the fold. They must watch because of the enemy. The strength of the church depends on the watchers. Mr. Huddleston said his belief was that the people of to-day would be unable to hold to all their forefathers' customs, but there was one that they would always hold to and that was religion. Christianity would always shine out, clear and strong, as it has been firmly instilled into men's hearts by the power of God. Be strong in the Lord Jesus, he said. The world is longing and waiting for strong men, men who are waiting for strong men, men who a strong both intellectually and spiritua waiting to the intellectually and spiritually, that they may not only carry their own burdens, but help carry the burdens of the weary traveller who is fighting against sin. Let all things be done in the state of the weary traveller will continue with

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etitions Sent to Washington Expressing Fear of War, in Which Britain Will Join Japan.

Washington, March 8.—Irish opposition, which, it is asserted, defeated the floir than the service of the church and in the work of the choir who were able to give their service freely, and said he enjoyed the singing more because of the voluntary nature, not one cent having been drawn for this work. He said his life had been benefitted by the members of the church, and if he was leaving penniless he would be ready the united states State bears and protests from Irish patriot ganizations, all directed against the work of the Lord."

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ness rather than light.

Rev. Mr. Quarrington, of Cobourg will occupy the pulpit next Sunday.

At the close of the evening service the deacons gathered in the vestry, and wished Mr. Huddleston good-bye and success with the church of which he is to become pastor.

"There ought to be such a storm raised among the people of Ontario and among the toilers of our country for technical education that thousands of dollars would be spent on technical schools instead of squandered on political hacks and in a way detrimental to the public good," declared Rev. Herbert B. Christie, pastor of Simeoe Street Methodist Church, in the course of a ten minute social address, on technical education and wealth producing power, previous to his sermon last evening. In the Province of Ontario, he said, there were scarcely any technical schools and only two thousand students taking technical

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courses while twenty thousand students from Ontario were enrolled in the Scranton Correspondence Schools. This demonstrated that there was a great number of young men and older ones too who were dissatisfied, and ambitious to equip themselves with greater wealth. equip themselves with greater wealth-producing powers, and they were acting wisely. It also showed that there were

Yesterday the pulpit at Knox Church was ably filled by Rev. A. E. Mitchell, M. A., of Ottawa, who preached two excellent evangelical sermons. He spoke at some length on "Missions and the Work of Missionaries." He exhorted all the followers of the Lord to help one

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wisely, It also showed that there were not only twenty thousand but a far greater number of boys out of school before they were properly equipped for life. This was a lesson parents should grasp. Technical education at present was merely in its infancy in the Dominion. There was lots of money in Ontario and the question was how to spend it.

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Mr. Christie had no criticism to make of the high schools, but the time was coming when technical schools would be absolutely necessary and no government would withhold them. There ought to be a technical school in Hamilton. Mr. Christie pointed to Germany as a model for progressiveness in technical education, he declared, should be combined with the present Public School course should end where the High School

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SASK. LEGISLATURE.

Winnipeg, Man., March 9.—A Regina, Sask., despatch, says April 2 has been fixed as the date for the opening of the Saskatchewan Legislature. Premier Scott, who sails from the Old Country

DEATH OF ALFRED DONOHUE.

Alfred Donohue died on Sunday at the residence of his mother, 62 Wentworth street north, after a lengthy illness. He was born in this city and had lived here all his life. He was a presser by trade, and was unmarried. He leaves to mourn his loss a mother, five brothers and two sisters. The funeral will take place from the residence of his mother on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

NO ICE BRIDGE.

Quebec, March 9.—A remarkable fea-ure of the present winter so far is the act that the ice bridge has never formed t Cape Rouge, and that but for the ice t Lake St. Peter the river is open. An arly spring is expected by the shipping conle

Farmers of New Jersey chased three men who had robbed two post offices, and after an exchange of shots captured two of them.

Ten saiiors of the schooner John F. Milton, which was wrecked on the Alaskan coast, died from exposure. English friends of William Terrace, accused of shooting William Curry near Brampton, have retained T. C. Robinette, K. C., for the defence

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MARKETS and FINANCE

TORONTO MARKETS.

Farmers' Market.

weather was unfavorable early in the day, and receipts of grain only moderate. Barley unchanged, with sales of 500 bushels at 70c. Wheat steady, 200 bushels selling at 96c. Oats sold at 56c a bushel for 200 bushels. Hay firmer, with sales of 30 loads at \$19 to \$21 a ton. Straw is nominal at \$16 to \$17 a ton.

Dressed hogs in limited offer, with tries steady. Light sold at \$7.25, and eavy at \$6.75. heavy at \$6.75.

Wheat, white, bushel \$0.96 \$0.00
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Oats, bushel \$0.56 \$0.00
Barley, bushel \$0.70 \$0.00
Rye, bushel \$0.84 \$0.00
Peas, bushel \$0.88 \$0.00
Hay, timothy, toa \$1.90 \$0.21 \$0.00
Do., clover, toa \$16.00 \$0.00
Straw, per toa \$16.00 \$17.00
Seeds—

contributed to the better feeling by ac-celerating the distribution of spring goods and stimulating interest in build-ing operations. Industrial plants are more active, pig iron production rising to the best weekly average in three months. Some strikes were threatened because of necessary reductions in wages, but little interruption occurred. Credits are still closely scanned, and mercantile collections are by no means satisfactory, yet payments are more prompt and the volume of business is distinctly heavier. Liabilities of commercial failures in Feb-ruary were smaller than in the two Liabilities of commercial failures in Feb-ruary were smaller than in the two months preceding, and banking defaults were insignificant as compared with the monthly mortality since the October panic. Railway earnings declined 15.7 per cent, in comparison with those of February, 1907, the returns for the fourth week being much better than the earlier figures.

earlier figures.

Montreal granulated sugar, in harrels, \$8.50; reliow, \$8.60; Acada, \$8.40; On tario beet, \$8.45; in lags prices are selected to the case of the subsequence of of the subsequence

Noon stock letter received by A. E.

Noon stock letter received by A. E. Carpenter from Eanis & Stoppani:

New York, March 9.—The market during the morning ruled very active and firm, with London buyers of such issues as Reading, Steel, Copper and A. N. C. There was considerable profit taking. It's believed that the great mass of short contracts for interests aside from the local professionals is uncovered. the local professionals is uncovered There is much interest in Steel comm

There is much interest in Steel common, which has been absorbed in quantity between 28 and 30, and shows a very small floating supply. It is not to be assumed that development of the country is to stop because of recent depression.

Population must increase steadily, and the great additions to the capacity of the Steel Corporation will all be needed later on, Something between \$60 and \$80 per share has been put back into the property against Steel common, and in prosperous times the stock has earning power of at least 16 per cent. It should be realized that the corporation, with the completion of the Garry plants, will have added 100 per cent. to its capacity, the new duplicate of the original United States Steel being represented by the common shares of the company.

Traders talk of rights to Union Paci.

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Traders talk of rights to Union Paci-Traders talk of rights to Union Pacific, holders in connection with new financing. In seven months of the fiscal year Union Pacific earnings have decreased by equivalent of only 1.2 per cent, of last year. Business reports in various lines continue to show betterment, and politics are no longer the great impediment to further recovery.—Ennis & Stoppani.

The following quotations are reported by A. E. Carpester, stock broker. 102 King St. NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

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NEW YORK STOCK E
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Stocks and Bonds TRACTION MANAGER ON STAND TO-DAY.

(Continued from page 1.)

been warned several times. As a matter of fact, he was always talking to some one. Mr. Miller said Theaker told him he was trying to get away from talking. Mr. Miller said theaker told him he was trying to get away from talking. Mr. Miller said that Theaker had one on duty without wearing the regulation cap. Witness stated he had received information from Mr. George Waller that Theaker was carrying people on limited tickets after hours. He also carried passengers free, and Mr. Milled said that since the strike he had noticed Theaker carrying lady passengers around the line two or three times in an afternoon, and also that Theaker was in conversation with the people. Mr. Miller said he had beard of drinking going on at the union meetings, and he considered that it had a bad effect upon the discipline of the road. He always felt it a painful duty to discharge a man who had been in the service of the company for a number of years. He said that he had nothing personally against Theaker, and that if he had known that the latter was going to institute this commission he would not have given him as much information regarding his dismissal as he had when he discherged commission he would not have given him as much information regarding his dismissal as he had, when he discharged Theaker. Mr. Mitter denied emphatically that he had spoken of discharging Theaker to any one, except to Mr. Green. He admitted having a spotter on Theaker's car. He denied that he advised men not to go into the organization. He said that the 25-foot rule regarding approach to vehicles was being garding approach to vehicles was being lived up to the best ability of every

motorman.

Mr. Miller denied that he had ever state any conversation with Ross regarding the reinstatement of W. H. Smith or Theaker. He also denied that he had ever spoken to any one regarding the company going after Theaker if he was company going after Theaker if he was to Mr. Reeves, witness said that the commany had lost confidence in Theaker, just before the strike, and that it had never been regained.

Mr. Miller said he was going to ask the privilege of the commission to give he whole history of the trouble since Mr. Reeves came here before the strike. He stated that he had been "bottled up" and charged with all sorts of crimes, and he wished to have the opportunity of vindicating himself.

Judge Monck said that it was perfectly right for bim to give his story.

Mr. Miller said that it was a funny thing, but every time Mr. Reeves had ing the schedule or increase in pay. Mr. Miller said it made him blush at some of the actions of the International officers who have been here from time to time. Witness said that he and Mr. Green had talked over the question of the two unions and as there had been the two unions and as the the two unions and as the them the two unions and as the thing the two unions and as the thing the two unions and as the transfer the two unions and as the thing the two unions and as the thing the two unions and as the transfer the t Mr. Miller denied that he had ever

of the actions of the International offi-cers who have been here from time to time. Witness said that he and Mr. Green had talked over the question of the two unions and as there had been so much strife between both, he and Mr. Green had come to look upon the union in the light of a joke. Witness stated that he had never received instructions from the company regarding the union. Mr. Miller was still on the stand when Judge Monck adjourned the session un-til 2 o'clock.

Wise and Otherwise. "My five daughters are all married now." "I suppose you had considerable difficulty in getting so large a number of girls off your hands." "No. The difficulty is in keeping so large a number of husbands on their feet."—Boston Re-

One way to make a man quite speaking to you is to accommodate him with
a loan.—Florida Times-Union.

"That young foreigner has a lot of
debts, hasn't he?" asked Mr. Cumrox,
"Yes," answered his daughter. "Think
how proud we should be to have a man
in the family who could comamnd such
extensive credit."—Washington Star.

Exem a single hair has its shadow extensive credit."—Washington Star.

Even a single hair has its shadow.—

dog yesterday, but I got even with him you bet. Johnny Briggs-How? Tommy der.—Pick-Me-Up. Gain has oft with treacherous hopes

led men to ruip.-Sophocles. "What did you do on your last auto-mobile tour?" "Swallowed dust and

Vienna's Record. There was a large list of suicides in Austria during the year 1907. In Vienna 356 men and 108 women killed themsoo men and 108 women killed them-selves, as against 315 and 110, respective, ly, in 1906. Some 441 men and 298 wo-men attempted suicide without success, The principal reason that brought on a desire for self-destruction among these people were insanity, love and poverty.

Soup should never be allowed to cool in any vessel of tin, copper or

and be stirred.

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Fresh stams upon wall paper, where people have rested their heads, can be removed by covering the spot with a mixture of pipe-clay and water made iato a soft paste and letting it remain over night; then brush off with a stiff whish storom.

Wash and starch doilies having knitted or crochet lace borders. When they are half dry wrap them up in a cloth and lay them aside. Iron only the centre of the doilies and pull the lace gently into shape with the fingers.

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If the color has been taken from silks by acids it may be restored by applying to the spots a little harshorne sal volatile.

When sprinkling linen for ironing, it is better to use hot water than cold, for ir soaks into the linen more quickly, and so much is not required. When the clothes are dampened roll them up tightly until they can be area.

Fire from a lump crussed \$30,000 damages to the Ecena Vista apartment house, Chicago.

The death list at Gereiand school is 174. The building had never been visited by the State inspector.

THE HAMILTON TIMES

MONDAY, MARCH 9, 1908

ABUSE OF A PRIVILEGE.

The Tory organs seek to make first-class grievance of Hon. Mr. Oliver's objection to allowing original documents given out to members to remain indefinitely in their hands, instead of being returned within a specified time to the public files; and they hint tha y merely make the issue the excuse further obstruction. A glance at the situation will be en-

Since January, no fewe than 355 returns have been brought down in response to requests made in The preparation of these returns involves an immense amount o behor, and when they include original uments, there is added the danger of the loss of some of them from the files and resultant legal complications. That this danger is not an imaginary one is shown by the fact that a good many documents obtained by members of the n out beyond a specified time, have never been returned. Hon. Mr. Foster one of the most clamorous against the rule as to returning these documents, was forced to admit this session that he had obtained from the files last session original documents of importance which he had not yet returned, and all he could do was to say that he would try to find them and have them replaced on the files. The importance of keeping the files intact has always been recognized, and, attached to every original return furnished to members, is this reminder: This sessional paper is the property of the House of Commons and must not be taken from the precincts of the House. The member receiving the same for re ference or information is requested to return it to the journal office at his earliest convenience." In spite of this notice and the fact that members are well aware of their duty in this regard, many returns have been taken from the House, and kept for six or eight months: in some cases they have never been returned. Mr. Lefurgey, M. P., obtained one such return and kept it for 261 days, and when he did return it, a number of pages were found to be missing, Our local sleuth, Mr. Barker, in properly kept one of these returns 108 days. Mr. Ames, one of the leaders of the s'anderbund, has taken out many returns, and five, at least, he has never returned. Many others of the members exhibit a like disregard of their duty in the matter; and although the Liberals are desirous of giving them every opportunity consistent with the proper transaction of business to familiarize themselves with the public files, the abuse of the latitude allowed the Opposition has been so gross that it is neces sary to insist on a closer adherence to the rules of the House, as to the return of documents.

The question of returns is being used by the Opposition in the absence of a party policy which might be presented to the people to create an impression that they are fighting a desperate batthe to uncover scandals. The party press has been coached to co-operate and to "Blockers!" and "Corruption ists!" every time that some absurd and irregular demand is made upon the capacity of the Departmental clerks to prepare the enormous quantity of mat-ter asked for at short notice. An illustration of this was furnished in the case of Hon. Mr. Brodeur's Departmental es timates when the offices were too small to accommodate a staff of clerks large enough to get out in time the returns demanded. Asking for returns which in volve great expense to the seems to be an amusement of the Op position. Often they are never used; often they are used but for fishing purposes, and are sought in the vague hope that something may be stumbled upon which can be so distorted and misrepre ented as to make excuse for insinuations of irregularity. We have the case of Mr. Borden himself, who was rather taken aback when his complaints prepared as he would wish, was met with the statement of the vast labor thus placed upon the clerks in the Dereturn asked for by himself made up about 1,000 typewritten pages. To the astorishment of Parliament, the Opposi tion leader admitted that he had quite forgotten ever asking for the return! particular return asked for from Mr. Brodeur's Department, and which think-at least their actions indicated all the Minister had to do was to turn searching of the files, and about 1,000 iginal documents, which were included to facilitate the work and save longer delay. These are but typical of what which is closely allied to crime in its wastefulness, and it is on this abuse that the Opposition hopes to found its plea for public favor.

A POLICY OF PRODIGALITY.

The main Provincial estimates for 1908 have been brought down, and they go to show that this is the growing time in expenditures, the increase over the main estimates of last year being close upon on Friday was \$7,501,875, which does the \$42,000 for his Ministerial colleagues. | tions of the first im Last year's original estimates were for people. Make no mistake here. \$6,519,131, but there were supplementary estimates of \$516,201, making a total of \$7,035,332. Of course, there were some

the account there was expended no less utes and warrants, and which was not voted by the House as part of the esti-mates. The disposal of this large sum of money in this semi-secret method is something which demands consideration. When these extraordinary items of expenditure-extraordinary in their manner of expending and accounting-are considered, it will be found that last year's bill exceeded \$7,700,000. If then, we may look for half a million in supplementary estimates this year, and an other \$1,300,131 expenditure, which the House is not to consider under the head of estimates, the expenditure of 1908, even allowing a few hundred thousands for unexpended balances, may be expect ed to reach about \$9,000,000. This is frenzied financing indeed, and furnishes the explanation of the Cabinet's eager hunt for subjects for increased taxa-

We had been led to expect that the estimates would disclose a determination on the part of the Cabinet to do someeducation, and especially technical education. There are some small increases, but nothing further has been done for technical education. This is a expenditure is being incurred, some proision might have been made for dealing with a matter of such vast importance to Ontario. The total increase for education is \$160,396, a small sum when compared with the enormous increase in the expenditures.

The outstanding features of the estimates are the great increases in the burdens placed upon the people, and the nts proposed to be expended. The hunt for taxes is keen, and experience shows that seldom is a tax once levied done away with. The burdens of the people are being annually increased, and the cost of managing the Province's affairs goes up steadily. We have had good times, and the pressure hath not been much felt. This has encouraged the spenders at Toronto to greater lavishness. Some day the people will make up to the drain of their resources which this prodigal policy involves.

MUTUAL LIFE OF CANADA.

The thirty eighth annual report of the Mutual Life of Canada will be found in this issue, and the figures are a good study for those interested in sound and safe life insurance. The popularity of this progressive Canadian company is shown by the fact that it wrote \$7,081, 402 new business in 1906, a gain of almost 20 per cent, over the previous year. It has a total of over \$51,000,000 insurance in force, and a surplus of \$1,500,000, which is also a gain of over 20 per cent. for the year. The company has total assets of over \$12,000,000, and its securities are all of the gilt edged sort.

Mr. C. B. Linton is general agent o this company for Hamilton, and has a fine central office in the Bank of Hamil-

EDITORIAL NOTES.

N. B .- New Brunswick.

We bank on the school bank.

How is the new Home for Incurables fixed for fire escapes?

It surprises us to see that Ald. Farrar does not come to the rescue of his friend, Mr. Barrow.

Gen. Stoessel is still being kept in suspense. But he should be thankful he has not yet been suspended-by the

You should see the big pile of broken Mr. McMenemy's "unemployed" men have cracked. It covers a whole field at the head of Victoria avenue.

The Hamilton Radial Railway having now been declared to be for the general advantage of Canada, that declaration company.

The cheap pauper labor of Europe United States capitalists enticed across the Atlantic brought with it the horde of anarchists who are now plaguing the

Toronto Board of Control is going ahead with the installation of a 21,000,-000-gallon steam pumping plant. Steam continues to hold its own pretty well as a waterworks power.

A pretty fight is going on just now between the Stewart and Armstrong factions for supremacy in Con. Club affairs. The ward chairmen are all at sea, and the password is changed almost

The British embargo upon foreign im ports of hav will not affect Canadian shipments. It applies only to countries where foot and mouth disease exists. Canada has, this year, but little hay for

The Spectator says "no man pays taxes from choice." Our contemporary overlooks the fact that in the case of protective taxes a good many of us pay them because of the other fellow's

Let the aldermen be careful to look far ahead in making terms as to the future. That is a part of the negotia-

Carnegie's gifts to libraries to date Perhaps, however, his donations for the purpose of encouraging scientific research, although of L. Executive for March 16

but a small fraction of that sum, may

But surely the aldermen did not pect Engineer Sothman to make a report on the Beach pump tenders without remuneration. If his report was worth the price he now asks, \$400, they would hardly think of asking him to do the work gratis.

What a row would have been raised by these men who now complain that Engineer Barrow was not "a strong man" who would do things whether th council would have it or not had the as to attempt to dictate to them in matters of municipal policy?

The number of "serious offences" reorded in England and Wales for 1906 was 82,264 as compared with 113,330 i 1857. That is a cheerful showing. The number of offences against police regulations, however, has increased by nore than 300 per cent., while convictions for drunkenness have increased from 75,859 to 211,493.

The Trades and Labor Council objects to the plan to abolish the system weigh scale clerks. The matter is one which we think is worthy of further consideration before being acted upon by the Council. The system in use tends to public confidence. Will that proposed to be adopted in its place equally serve the purpose?

Mr. Aylesworth's new election la provides that no ballot may be rejected by reason of any marks placed thereon by a deputy-returning officer. That provision will prevent a repetition of disgraceful travesty of justice by which Mr. Sealey was cheated out of his seat, and the electors of Wentworth were

In Winnipeg the taking over of the telephone lines by the Government was quickly followed by an increase of rates. In Fort William, whose telephone system has been the pride of municipalizers, an advance in rates is among the probabilities of the immediate future, the system having a considerable deficit in its accounts. In the ultimate, people must pay for what they get, if not out of one pocket, then out of the other

Toronto Saturday Night hardly knows what to make of Foster's apparent ascendency in the ranks of the Opposition at Ottawa. Borden's absence from the House during the exhibition of mulish obstruction puzzles it. It says "it is curious" that Borden was away, and soul, but the majority of writer it declares, "if Mr. Foster made this this subject rely upon the phe grand-stand play without Mr. Borden's of spiritualism to demonstrate knowledge, it was unfair treatment to does not use the physical phen his chief," Our contemporary has evi-modern spiritualism to convine dently no very high idea of Fosterian readers of the soul, a immortality loyalty. Perhaps it remembers the nest abandons the "gaseous being hypothesis of the spiritists as illogical and unneces of traitors.

the Manitoba Attorney-General, at the liner lobe of the brain. Winnipeg assizes, Le Canada thus very succinetly exposes the judicial outrage attempted:

After the last Federal elections three officials were accused of having struck out, with red ink, the names of certain Conservatives from the voters' lists, and this incident has furnished material for many very violent speeches by the Con-servatives. But there was absolutely servatives. But there was absolutely nothing in the accusation, and it, and the threatened prosecution, served only the purpose of the Manitoba Government in seeking to slander the Liberals

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OUR EXCHANGES

Open the Window.
(Toronto News.)
Much was at one time heard of the pen door" as an approved commercial dicy in the Far East. If Earl Grey

Saved Gamey.

(Toronto Telegram.) It is easy for Hon. J. P. Whitney to forget that he profited by the sacrifices of the one paper that was not afraid to save R. R. Gamey from becoming the Dreyfus of Ontario.

Should Stay on the Job.

An exchange makes the point that as Mr. Borden is paid a handsome salary as leader of the Opposition it is as much his duty to remain at his post in Parliament as it is the duty of Sir Wilfrid Laurier to lead the House.

Fireproof Schols. (Toronto Star.)

(Toronto Star.)

Fire drill in schools is good so far as it goes, but it must not be made an excuse for faulty construction of buildings. Safety must be sought mainly in construction. School buildings should not be more than two storeys in height, and should be of fire-proof or slow-burning material.

Lemieux's Great Act.

fact that Great Britain and the United States have sent special representatives to Canada to study the work ing of the Lemieux Labor Act, and the further fact that the French Government is to despatch a commissioner hither fo the same purpose, constitute a remarkable acknowledgment of the worth of that measure

A Condition Not Desired.

sire Socialism, even as an experiment. They do not propose to pass through a dreadful "quarter of an hour" of revolutionary changes to satisfy themselve of those imperfections of human nature of which they are already well apprised which they are already well apprised and which make impossible the perman-ent constitution of society in accordance with socialistic theory.

New Publications.

ories. The author of this book, not only Speaking of the withdrawal of the charges in the "thin red line" cases by the Manitoba Attorney (cases by

(Parkhill Gazette-Review.)

Reading the accounts of the recent theatre and concert fires reminds us: That we use coal oil lamps for foot-lights in Parkhill.

That when we have a moving picture show, the machine is between the audience and the only means of exit.

That if an explosion occurred the audience would be compelled to pass the fire to reach the exits.

That, in a panic, a Parkhill crowd would act just like any other crowd.

That the people seeking to escape from the Town Hall gallery would be stopped by the crowd on the ground floor and pressed forward by the crowd behind with the usual results.

That we have no fire escapes on any of our public buildings.

That if you jumped from the Town Hall windows you would stand a fair chance of getting hurt.

That Parkhill has as yet escaped a horror of this kind, and that we seem to take it for granted that some kind of special Providence watches over us and protects us, despite our lack of precaution.

PROG'S CURIOUS HOME.

Thirty-Eighth Annual Report

TO JANUARY 1st, 1908, OF THE

Mutual Life of Canada HEAD OFFICE - WATERLOO, ONT.

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BALANCE SHEEET ASSETS Mortgages\$ 5,756.070.85 Debentures and Bonds 3.593.965.84 Loans on Policies Premium Obligations 22.534.21 deal Estate (Company's Head Office) 30.875.79 Cash in Banks 280,494.29

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Cash at Head Office 1.505.19 Due and deferred premiums 319,277.97 Interest due and accrued ..

claims payable in instalments Matured Endowments. unadjusted Premiums paid in advance.
Due for medical fees and

sundry accounts . . Credit Ledger Balances Surplus, December 31st, (Surplus on Government Standard of Valuation

\$11.656,409.92

J. M. SCULLY, F.C.A.,

GEO. WEGENAST,

LIABILITIES

Reserve, 4%, 31/2%, and 3%

Reserve on lapsed policies

Death Claims unadjusted.

claimable

Present values of

\$1.897.358.28.)

on which surrender values

standard

Waterloo, January 29th, 1908

New Business written (gain over 1906, \$1.577,855) 7,081.402

 Insurance in force (gain over 1906, \$4,179,440)
 51,091.848

 Surplus (gain over 1906, \$300,341)
 1,503,719

Booklets containing full report of the Annual Meeting, held March 5th, 1908, are being published and will be destributed among Policyhelders in due course.

C. B. LINTON, General Agent. Hamilton, Ont

Audited and found correct.

A meeting in connection with starting a canning factory in Ancaster was held in the town hall on Thursday, the 5th inst. The proposition was made that if fifty acres of tomatoes were guaranteed

te factory would commence operations, is understood that thirty acres were emised at the meeting, and since then balance has been made up. One ower living below the mountain said a would send his tomatoes to Ancaster,

as he could make more trips per day.

The telephone company is quietly securing subscribers. The greater number
of the business men of the township have

ANCASTER

London Workhouse Inmates Have an Easy Time.

London—Certain boards of guardians in Greater London have gained for themselves a worldwide reputation for themselves a worldwide

BEGGARS WHO ARE CHOOSERS. pauper of the family: He goes off with

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SIX MONTHS FOR PAWSON

Who Stole Articles From His Fellow Boarders.

Inmates of the Mulholland Ranch Taken in.

Other Cases Tried in Police Court This Morning.

Clifford Pawson, who pleaded guilty to stealing a fur coat, a pair of riding breeches, a muffler and sundry other articles, there being six separate chargagainst him, came up for sentence this morning at the police court. The police had nothing to offer as to his character and he had no one to speak in behalf, "You're sentenced to six months on each charge. The sentences to run concurrently," said His Worship.

The police were called to the Mulholland ranch on Saturday night at 9.15 by a neighbor who could not get any sleep. Several constables and a sergeant went to the house and walking in and Agnes Mulholland and Ethel Bedell all full of bad whiskey while Ethel's husband and two other men were also lying around pretty full. They arrested all the girls and Bedell and registered a charge of being drunk and disorderly in their house, against them. The complainant, Mr. Midwinter, did not appear this morning and the cases were adjourned till to-morrow morning. Constable Yaxley was called and swore that the whole erowd were very drunk and the Magis-trate held them on this. Mrs. Bedell was allowed to go on her own recognizance as she has two small children. The Mag-istrate raked the police over for keep-ing her in over night.

the theft of a shirt from George Brook-meyer of the same place. Brookmeyer complained that Burns stole his under-

complained that Burns stole his under-garment while he was asleep on Satur-day night. The complainant did not ap-pear and the case was enlarged.

William Haynes, Bethel, was charged with attempting to assault his wife and with threatening her. He has not been living with her for some time, but went to her house on Saturday and created a distarbance. The Magistrate bound Haynes over in the sum of \$50 to keep the peace.

the peace.

Percy Doan, John street south, was charged with being drunk and disorderly Saturday night. He pleaded not guilty. Constable R. Duncan said the prisoner chased his wife into a neighbor's and then stood on the sidewalk swearing. Doan admitted he was preity full and was fined \$5.

was fined \$5.

Robert Crockett, Toronto, put up \$5
bail to get his liberty after he was arrested on Saturday for being drunk and
as he did not appear this morning he
was fined the five spot.

FREE SPEECH.

Arrested in Chicago For Distributing Goldman Circulars.

Chicago, March 9.-The police arrested Emanuel Loebel, aged 35, a garment presser, who was found distributing of Emma Goldman's anarchistic circulars at 14th and Halstead streets. circulars at 14th and Halstead streets. The circulars attacked Chief Shippey for killing Averbuch, and demanded a right to free speech. The police confiscated several hundred of them, after Loebel's room was searched and a quantity of anarchistic literature found.

Assistant Chief Schuettler obtained a sample of Averbuch's handwriting. It corresponded in every particular with the writing on the envelope containing the decoy letter that the assassin had taken to Chief Shippey's house, indicat-

taken to Chief Shippey's house, indicat-ing that Averbuch had written it.

A GOOD WORK.

St. Vincent de Paul Society Relieved Many Needy.

Vincent de Paul Society held yesterday afternoon in St. Mary's Hall the various conferences reported heavy drains on their funds since September. Each branch, however, has a balance and the society expects to alleviate the suffer-ings of a large number of poor between of a large number of poor between and the end of April. During the last quarter the society has spent \$935. Of this amount \$328 was for fuel, \$369 or trois amount \$525 was for ruet, \$509 for provisions and the balance for shoes and clothing. Mr. J. M. Brown presided at the meeting yesterday. His Lordship Bishop Dowling and Rev. Father Weidner addressed the members.

TWO SMALL FIRES

On Saturday night about 11.30 a fire broke out in a shed in rear of A. Lavis' grocery store, King and Caroline streets, and did about \$50 damage. Two horses belonging to Mr. Lavis were got out

belonging to 311, acres safely.

This morning about 10 o'clock the Fire Department were called to 83 Wilson street, the residence of Charles Shields, where some clothing in a bed room had mysteriously caught fire. The damage

FOR CATHOLIC SOCIETIES

Next Sunday the annual sermon to the Catholic societies of this city will be preached in St. Patrick's Church at 10.30 by Rev. Father O'Reilly, a Redemptionist priest. All the Catholic societies will attend en masse. Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week special services will take place in the Catholic Churches. On Friday evening the forty hours' devotion will open and it will close Sunday night.

SHOT HIMSELF.

Suicide of Commander of the U.S. Revenue Cutter Rush.

Seattle, Wash., March 9.-Daniel J. Ainsworth, commander of the revenue cutter Rush, committed suicide yester day in the bath room of the vessel by day in the bath room of the vessel by shooting himself in the head. No one aboard the vessel would venture an opinion as to the cause of the suicide other than to say that the captain seemed worried of late and had acted straugely. A court martial was in progress involving the conduct of some of the officers aboard the vessel, but the charges did not affect the captain.

Capt. Ainsworth recently applied for a leave of absence to visit his mother who was ill at Portsmouth, N. H. It is said that his request was refused. Capt. Ainsworth was 45 years old and unmarried.

READY TO STRIKE.

INDIANA MINERS MAKE DEMAND FOR INCREASED WAGES.

Threaten General Suspension of Work on April 1 Unless the Scale is Advanced-Delegates Will Back Officers-Pittsburg Operators Order Work Resumed.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 9.-By standing vote of every man in the hall, the convention of Indiana miners meeting at Terre Haute on Saturday night demanded that the National con might demanded that the National convention of the organization which meets here next Thursday shall ask for an increase in the wage scale for the coming year. The delegates also pledged themselves to stand back of their officers in the demand, plainly indicating that they would endorse a suspension of coal mining after the suspension of coal mining after the increased wage is not granted. Word reaches the miners' headquarters that many of the delegates have been instructed by their locals to demand an increase, and there is now little doubt but the national officers will have to accede to the demand and indorse a scale of wages that they

indorse a scale of wages that the know in advance the operators will op

pose.
Pittsburg, Pa., March 9.—Owing to the prospects of a general coal strike April lst, the various coal companies have ordered all their mines in operation which have been gloral.

have ordered all their mines in opera-tion which have been closed down.
Lake shipments, which usually don't begin before the middle of April, will be started March 15th. Owing to the hurry to get out a fair coal supply be-fore April 1st, railroads have ordered cars sent to the various mines ready for coal shipments, and a large num-ber of train crews that have been idle will find work.

I. O. F. RATES.

Re-Scaling Probable at Supreme Court Meeting.

Toronto, March 9.-When the Suprem Court of Independent Order of Foresters meets in June it will ratify an increase in rates and a re-scaling of charges to members dating prior to 1899 that will members dating prior to 1899 that will materially affect the great bulk of the 260,000 members of the order. The new members will be put on the scale of charges of the National Congress Fraternal Table, which will be on the average some increase over the raise in rates put in force by the I. O. F. in the year 1898, and that became operative in 1899. But by far the most striking change will be that affecting present charges to the older members who came into the order prior to 1898. Their dues will be re-scaled, and in every instance those of older age will be asked to pay either in a lump sum, or in another way, enough to bring them up to date in comparison with what the rates charged for at that age by the order are now.

It was explained that many of the old members who have been getting insurance for a remarkably low rate.

spirit of revival still pervades the work among young men, and the workers are much encouraged with the decisions for the Christian life taking place so frequently.

Agently, and even after that, are well able to pay more than they are now paying, while some are not able to increase their monthly dues. Those who are not able will pay the old rate, but for less insurance. That is to say, the face value of their policy will be materially decreased.

The mass of old members will take it as a hardship that after paying for the regular meeting of the Board of Directors will be held next Thursday evening at 6 o'clock.

The Boys' Mutual Christian Club will

as a hardship that after paying for years for insurance at a fixed scale, they will be asked to pay a much larger monthly assessment, but officials of the

monthly assessment, but officials of the order say such a change is necessary to keep the order in existence, and some such step would be taken whether the Government had stepped in or not.

A great many of the older members in poor financial circumstances would have to drop their insurance, if the increase was contemplated without the option of having their insurance reduced.

There are a number of high officials of the I. O. F. in Hamilton, and when seen this morning they said it is not a foregone conclusion that the re-custing of rates as indicated above will be ratiof rates as indicated above will be rati-fied. It is generally agreed, however, that there will be a re-arrangement, and that the rates on old members will be increased to some extent. Opinions differ as to how the old members should be dealt with, but the local officers believe they will get fair treatment,

First Impressions.

"Almost all men feel irritated if a ook agent or a sewing machine agent ushes his way into their houses and "Almost all men feel irritated if a book agent or a sewing machine agent pushes his way into their houses and demands attention at a time devoted to domesticity and relaxation," says Profitable Advertising. "They feel the same sort of irritation when opening mail which proves to be advertising matter." First impressions strongly influence the subsequent attitude of the consumer toward the advertiser who solicits his patronage. The impression produced upon ward the advertiser who solicits his pat-ronage. The impression produced upon the 'prospect' by attacking him with a deluge of circulars' is almost invariably disagreeable. It is not only more tact-ful, but actually cheaper to begin by newspaper appeal. The home newspa-per, advertisements and all, is cordially welcomed where the circular argument is flatly denied a fair hearing." Adver-tise in the Times.

Tuesday, March 10

SHEA'S

MAY MANTON PATIERNS Are Without Question All IOC

Big Hosiery Sale--29c Hosefor 19c

A purchase of nearly 300 dozen or 3,000 pairs of Women's 2 and 1 Ribb Cashmere Hose, thoroughly fast black and beautiful quality. All sizes, 8½ to 10 inch; Hose any store would be proud to show you at 25 and 29c. These goods are on sale now and shown in our west window at per pair 19c

Women's Skirts at \$1.95

Women's Coats \$2.95

Women's Coats in both loose and Women's Coats at \$5.95

A splendid line of loose and fitted oats, black and all colors, well lined

strapped and velvet collars; worth up to \$15, on sale for each \$5.95 Women's Suits at \$10

New Valenciennes Laces

Just passed through the customs a beautiful lot of narrow Valenciennes Laces, in both edgings and Insertions, all the very newest patterns and most reasonably priced at from 5 to 15cc

New Embroideries New Edgings and Embroidery Insertions, in both cambric and muslim

all our own direct importations and the very newest insertions, all reason-ably priced at, per yard 5 to 25c **Black Sateen Underskirts** Made of a splendid quality of black sateen, with frills and ruffles in pro-fusion, made very wide and full, the best value in Canada, at, each \$1.00

White Cambric Drawers

Some Grand Values in Muslin Underwear

White Underskirts, with deep lounces, trimmed with rows of wide isertion, finished with good durable ace, very wide, full make, each \$1.00

White Underskirts, made of beautifully fine Lawns and Cambrics; made with embroidery and lace insertion; with embroidery and lace inser-ence depth flounces of wide embro Val. insertions and beadings, very spe

Val. insertions and beautiful value, at each series with the cotton Gowns, made with vokes of Val. insertion, and good heavy cambric bodies; neck, front and cuffs trimmed with embroidery; very special value for each \$1.00 was with

cuffs trimmed with embroidery; very special value for each . . . \$1.00 Finer quality of Gowns, made with Val. insertion; yokes and necks and sleeves trimmed with fine Val. laces; very special at . . . \$1.50 White Cambric Corset Covers, fronts beautifully trimmed with lace and embroidery insertion in rows, neck and arms finished with Val. lace to correspond at 50e

A U. E. LOYALIST.

Burial of Gabriel C. Hopkins Yes terday Afternoon.

Yesterday there was laid in the grave at the Hopkins family cemetery, on the Plains Road, just near the Hendrie farm, the mortal remains of Gabriel Crickmore Hopkins, a direct U. E. Loyalist descent and of noted family. The funeral took place from

U. E. Loyalist descent and of noted family. The funeral took place from the home of Mr. Wm. Hopkins, a nephew of deceased, 23 Crooks street, and was conducted by Rev. S. B. Russell, of Erskine Church, the pall-bearers all being relatives, Messrs. Wm. Hopkins, jun., and James Hopkins, city; Lawson Hopkins, of West Flamboro; Charles Lemon, East Flamboro; Edwin Lyons, West Flamboro, anw Charles Humperson, city.

Deceased was a son of the late Gabrie! Hopkins, who was born in New Jersey in 1788 and who died in this city on April 9, 1861, and a grandson of Capt. Silas Hopkins, U. E. Loyalist, who served seven years in the Revolutionary War in the Imperial service; was taken prisoner, confined eight years and paid a fine of one thousand pounds. Silas, the founder of the Hopkins family hereabouts, came to Canada during the time of Governor Simcoe and died in 1818 at the age of 77. He left four sons, Caleb, for many years member of Parliament for Halton; Joseph, Ephraim and Gabriel, father of Gabriel C., who was buried yesterday.

Interment took place within a few yards of where the family resided and where deceased was born.

CENTRAL Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

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Bible classes at 10 a. m. and 3 p. m. ere well attended yesterday. These lasses are conducted as training classes,

classes are conducted as training classes, developing the members' ability to teach and lead classes themselves. At the men's meeting at 4.15 Mr. Jas. Judson, of Welland Canal, successor to the late Thos. Bone, gave a very inter-esting address on his work among the sailors.

Evangelistic services will be field Mon-day, Wednesday and Friday evenings of this week between 9 and 10 o'clock. The spirit of revival still pervades the work among young men, and the workers are much encouraged with the decisions for the Christian life taking place so fre-evently.

The Boys' Mutual Christian Club will meet at 7 o'clock sharp; then the Junior Evangelistic Band will go to the First Methodist Church at 8 o'clock. Every member of the band is requested to be

Y. M. C. A. CHECKER TOURNEY.

The checker tournament at the Central Y. M. C. A. is still in progress, the checker tables are kept busy during the day as well as the evening. The following is a list of the leaders with their

E. Sears 25 J. Flen

A DREAM OF MILLIONS.

tained are not true.

GYMNASIUM FOR GIRLS.

The Penalty.

(Guelph Herald.)

That Hamilton man who swallowed a bottle of ink ought to be good at writing without a fountain pen.

The Call of the Wild.

(Kingston Whig.)

Toronto is calling for fireproof schools, and Hamilton for the erection of boiler or furnace rooms outside of the schools. Good ideas, but expensive,

DENSITY OF POPULATION No Where so Great as in Manhattan

The growing concentration of population in great cities is one of the significant phenomena of our times. The city of New York, with its five boroughs, comprises an area of nearly 327 square miles, with a population of 4, 292,000. The population a square mile is 13,130. This is greater proportionately than that of London, whose metropolitan district of about 690 square miles

lis 13,130. This is greater proportionately than that of London, whose metropolitan district of about 690 square miles has a population of 6,581,372, or about 9,500 a square mile. It is greater also than that of Chicago, which, with 190 square miles, has a population of 10,798 a square mile. The density of population in New York is also greater than that of St. Louis, Philadelphia and Pittsburg, although less than in Boston, Baltimore and Milwaukee.

When, however, we take the borough of Manhattan, as the principal part of Greater New York, we are confronted with a density of population so stupendous as to be startling, says the Wall Street Journal. The population a square mile in Manhattan amounts to 100,492. It is probable that in no other equal territory of the world are there so many inhabitants. Even in Brooklyn the population to a square mile is only 18,374, while in the Bronx it is 9,029; in Queens, 1,662, and in Richmond, 1,385.

Such a density of population as this is responsible for the enormously difficult transportation problems which have confronted the city of New York for so long, and which still confront it, although now they are in process of par-

for so long, and which still confront it, although now they are in process of par-tial solution.

although now they are in process of partial solution.

The opening of the Brooklyn subway makes this subject of pertinent in-zerst, Other great transportation facilities are also soon to be given to the city. The McAdoo tunnels under the North River are soon to be opened. The Pennsylvania tunnels under the North and East Rivers are in process of rapid construction, the Belmont tunnels, under the East River, are the subject of negotiation between the private capitalists in ownership and the city, while the towers and steel work of two new East River bridges are looming up above the horizon. With the opening of these important transportation facilities there ought to be a wider distribution of population in the metropolitan district and in its suburbs. It will certainly have that effect. At the same time it should in its suburbs. It will certainly have that effect. At the same time it should be remembered that the population of be remembered that the population of New York is increasing at the rate of New fork is increasing at the rate of 150,000 to 200,000 a year, so that practically a large-sized city is dumped upon the great mass of metropolitan humanity every year.

It would seem as if the time had

It would seem as if the time had about arrived when the concentration of population in large cities was reaching the point of reaction. Within the last few years as a result of the extension of trolley systems, the construction of ruroads, the introduction of bicycles automobiles, the springing automobiles, the springing up of a new love of rural life, it might be said that the country districts are undergoing a process of recreation. Only let the fa-cilities be ample enough and there is sure to be a wider and more equitable

sure to be a wider and more equitable distribution of population.

This, however, is only partially to solve the problem of the sluans, for millions of people elect to herd together in uncomfortable, insanitary quarters, and dirty streets, preferring to accept the drawbacks of a congested, poverty-stricken, metropolitan life, rather than to accept the larger freedom of suburban existence with its drawback of greater distance from the centres of things. The slums are a blot upon modern civilization, and yet the problem which they present is one that appeared impossible of solution. The best that can be done is to improve the conditions and this is being effected by the rapid development of new transportation fa-

PROTECTIVE TARIFF MURDER

The atarming increase in the number of railroad accidents traceable to broken rails is again brought to the attention of the public by the recent disaster on the Southern Pacific near Forest Grove. Twenty years ago railroad accidents caused by broken rails were comparatively rare, but to day nearly two-thirds of the wrecks on roads carrying a heavy traffic are caused by broken rails. Taking a superficial view, it might be thought that this increase in the number of broken-rail tragedies was due to the rails wearing out, and not being replaced with new ones. This theory is disproved by some very interesting official statistics, compiled by the railroad companies for the purpose of fixing the blame for the numerous expensive wrecks with which they have to excessed localestably these statistics.

road companies for the purpose of fixing the blame for the numerous expensive wrecks with which they have to contend. Incidentally these statistics present the iniquitous Steel Trust in anything but a pleasing light.

They show beyond any doubt that in nearly all of the broken-rail accidents it is a new and not an old rail that has caused the trouble. During the year ending December 31, 1906, out of 14 broken rails removed from the Southern Pacific tracks in Oregon, one had been in

service but four months, four for eight months, four for six months, two for twenty, months, and one for twenty years, another twenty-five and another twenty-six years. In the face of such statistics it is not at all difficult to rea-son from cause to effect. When the old rails which figure so infrequently in these disasters were made there was active competition among the rolling active competition among the rolling mills and factories and whenever a rail-road company discovered that the railmaker was putting out a poor grade of rails, orders could be placed with a rival

institution.

The beneficent working of our ad-The beneficent working of our au-mirable tariff system has put an end to all this competition, not only in re-gard to prices, but to quality as well. Has any one ever heard of a broken rail on the main line of the Astoria & Col-umbia River Railroad, although big enumbia River Railroad, although big engines and heavy freight trains have been pounding over them for more than ten years. This immunity to broken-rail accidents is due to the fact that a remarkably low freight rate from Europe and low prices for rails abroad enabled Mr. Hammond, the builder of the road, to purchase his rails in England, where the competition is so fierce that the putting out of rails that would break in from four to six months would result in the manufacturer retiring from business for want of orders. With matchless

ess for want of orders. With matchles machinery, good ore and wonderful fac-ilities, no one doubts for a moment that Americans can turn out the best rails,

ilities, no one doubts for a moment that Americans can turn out the best rails, but the greed of gain, fostered and encouraged by our tariff system, has destroyed all incentive for any other policy than that of extracting from the consumers the greatest possible profit at the smallest cost.

The clink of the dollar has deafened the ears of the Carnegies, Schwabs, Coreys and Fricks to wails of the dying and to laments of those who have witnessed the life being crushed out of friends in brokenrail accidents, nearly all of which are directly traceable to the hastily and cheaply constructed rails. Railroad wrecks are always very expensive for the companies, and for that reason railroad men endeavor to use and maintain safe equipment, but with the Steel Trust there is practically nothing at stake except public opinion. We have long since passed the stage where it cared anything for the public except to rob and steal under the protecting wing of the tariff. Perhaps if Uncle Joe Cannon and Mr. Payne understood that Carnegie libraries are less desirable to some people than the lives of their friends, they libraries are less desirable to some ple than the lives of their friends, they night conclude that the time revision was not near at hand, but a tually here.—The Portland Oregonian

HEIR TO LEITRIM EARLDOM.

Body Exhumed at Kansas City Believed to be His.

Kansas City, March 8 .- A man who died at the Kansas City general hospital on Feb. 19, and was buried unidentified. and is believed to have been Francis Patrick Clements, 23 years of age, brother and heir of Charles Clements, Earl of Leit-rim, Donegal, Ireland. The body was exhumed this afternoon, and it answers

FAREWELL TO COMMONS. British Premier's Health Not Likely to

London, March 8.—There is a general impression that Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman is a good deal worse than the bulletins of his health state. Many of his intimates, however, say that this is a delusion. At the same time, it is most likely that he has bidden farewell to the House of Commons where he is nexdelusion. A likely that the House of the House of Commons, where he is per-sonally popular with all parties. Herbert Asquith, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, is now doing double duty, that entails fifteen hours of work daily.

More Damming of the Nile.

More Damming of the Nile.

Sir William Willcocks in an address on "The Building of Nile Reservoirs" contends that the construction of a barrage at the junction of the White and Blue Niles at khartoum provides the principal engineering solution of the recurrence of low Nile floods, a danger minimized, it is true, by the construction of the Assuan dam, but still a peril to Egypt. He considers that an expenditure of something under three millions significant would suffice for works with a storage capacity of three milliard cubic meters of water. plisaed by the Assuan dam. Out of the six milliard cubic meters of water needed for Egypt the Assuan reservoir will only be able to supply two. For the other four we shall have to turn to the terminal reach of the White Nile, with its wide channel, about 1,000 kilometers in length, with no appreciable slope in 500 kilometers, and one of 1-100,000 only in the remaining 500

the remaining 500.

When Egypt needed besin irrigation—through a period of 6,000 years—the mud solvent waters of the Blue Nile, aided by the still more turbid waters of the Athara, supplied her needs. When teday we need to store clear water for

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Now is the time to buy—this week—to-morrow, before the heavy spring season starts in.

The price range of our popular papers is 8c, 10c, 12½c and 15c Roll

Our March Sale of

Floor Oilcloths and Linoleums

Inaugurated To-morrow Will Continue During the Remainder of the Week

Every housekeeper owes it to herself to see and study the superior values are offering in Floor Coverings of the best domestic and English manu-

we are offering in Floor Coverings of the social facture.

The range of choice just now is most comprehensive, embracing all the newest and most beautiful productions for this season.

Floral designs for halls and dining rooms; tile and Japanese patterns for kitchens and bath rooms; Mosaic and inlaid patterns for offices, vestibules, for around rugs, etc.; in color combinations that will surely appeal to good taste.

to good taste.

Prices start at 25c for Floor Oilcloths and go on up the scale according to width and quality; but in each case be assured that you are getting absolutely the best value obtainable for your money.

Floor Oilcloths 25 to 40c Yard Linoleums 37 1/2 to 85c Yard

> Stair Oilcloths 15c. 18 and 20c Yard Sale of

Housecleaning Helps

And other Household needs in the Kitchen Goods Section to-morrow. Kitchen Goods Section to-morrow,
3 dozen mixed Fibre Banister
Brushes, extra fine, regular 25c
each, on sale Tuesday at ... 19c
12 dozen hard or soft Serubbing
Brushes, regular 8c, for.....5c
3 dozen 10 pegged Folding Hat
Racks, light wood, regular 25c each,
to-morrow for15c
12 only fancy Nickel Tumbler and
Brush Holders, regular 8c, each tomorrow for59c
12 only Mite Enamelled Bath
Room Shelves, with tumbler and

Room Shelves, with tumbler and brushholders, regular \$1 each, tomorrow for 89c 6 dozen White Enamelled Kitcher Dippers, regular 25c each, for 10c 3 dozen handy Pan Rim Strainers, regular 15c each, Tuesday for 9c

Canned Vegetables Peas, Corn and Tomatoes, choice

goods, reliable brands, on sale in assorted lots Tuesday 3 Cans for 25c Cooking Figs Special

Large Natural Cooking Figs worth regularly 7c lb., Tuesday for Breakfast Food

S p'k'gs, of each, or an assorted lot of the following for 25c Wheat Berries, Corn Flakes, Puf-fed Rice or Quaker Oats.

Pork and Beans
Delicious, easily prepared for luncheons or suppers. These are in a rich chili sauce, 3 cans for ..25c

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A Delicious, Nourishing Luncheon for Lent---Try

The ready-cooked, ready-to-serve Shredded Whole Wheat Wafer, Makes crisp, appetizing toast; and is far superior in nourishment to white flour bread or crackers. Best substitute for meat and much mere easily digested.

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White Nile is ready with its reservoir-like basin to meet every need not of Egypt alone, but of the Soudan as well. The White Nile between Lake No and Ethestone is reserved, a lake in flood.

Ethestone is recerved, a lake in flood. Egypt alone, but of the Soudan as well. The White Nile between Lake No and Khartoum is very nearly a lake in flood, and so it would stay for ever if the Blue Nile were subject to a perpetual flood. Between the low summer and high flood Between the low summer and high flood levels there is a difference of eight meters. What we want, therefore, is masonry works of such strength as will keep this water impounded where it is when the Blue Nile has fallen, and deliver it just when Egypt needs it, not superabundarity in October, November and December (when there is no call for it) and in deficiency in April, May and June (when the country is erying out for water), but vice versa.

Whatever works are carried out the necessity of a reservoir at Assuan remains untouched. The question was gone into thoroughly at the time, and the opinion then come to still holds good—namely, "We have concluded that it is absolutely necessary, in the interest of irrigation, to have near at hand at the point where the Nile enters Egypt a reserve of water that may meet whatever contingencies arise." These contingencies might arise from the fact that some of the more important summer crops are

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of the more important summer crops are incapable of standing a ten-day drought, while the summer discharge of reser-voirs high up the Nile would take many days to reach Egypt, and might some-times arrive too late.—London Times.

army veteran, was burned to death in his home near Clarkson on Friday night,

His 24-year-old daughter escaped, The I. O. F. will raise rates, especially affecting those who joined prior to 1899. An early revival in Cobalt mining is predicted.

W. K. McNaught, M. P. P., will intro-duce legislation for a larger and uniform loaf of bread.

AGREEMENT TO SETTLE THE FISH-ERIES QUESTION.

Six Commissioners Joint Regulations to Have Uniform Close Season, Same Sized Nets, and Similar Licenses

Ottawa, March 8 .- A basis of agreement has practically been reached be-tween the United States and Canada, tween the United States and Canada, relative to a final settlement of the fisheries question of all boundary waters. Correspondence is now being exchanged between the two Governments looking to the drafting of the terms of a special treaty which will be made between Great Britain and the United States.

It is understood provision is being made for joint regulations framed by a board of six commissioners, three appointed by the United States and three by Canada, in respect to close seasons, the size of nets to be used, the grant-

board of six commissioners, three appointed by the United States and three by Canada, in respect to close seasons, the size of nets to be used, the granting to licenses, etc., for the waters of Passamaquoddy Bay, St. John River, St. Lawrence River westward from the beginning of the international boundary at St. Kegis, Que., the great lakes, Lake Champlain, Rainy River, Rainy Lake and Juan de Fuca Straits, B. C. The treaty will be for four years, and may probably be continued after that, as both Governments are anxious to end the present unsatisfactory state of affairs, which is rapidly leading to the destruction of fish in these waters.

By making an international treaty the individual States will be bound by its regulations, according to the constitution of the republic. Hitherto the chief difficulty in the war of reaching an agreement has been owing to the fact that each State along the boundary has had charge of its own fisheries laws, and a common agreement could not be reached.

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Canada has everything to gain by the new treaty, as our fisheries regula-tions in the waters referred to are much more strict than has been the case with the States across the border.

case with the States across the border. The new arrangement will practically mean that the United States Government will adopt the Canadian standard of inland fisheries protection.

Lake Michigan will be exempt from the application of the treaty, and to offset this on the Canadian side the Georgian Bay will also be exempt.

The fisheries question is the first to be settled of the outstanding issues between the two countries which were discussed by Hon. James Bryce with the Government here during his recent visit. In respect to other questions, visit. In respect to other questions, negotiations will have to be continued for some time vest

some time yet. BARCELONA'S WELCOME.

King Alfonso to Visit the City Tomorrow.

morrow.

Barcelona, March 8.—The city is being extensively decorated, and no official efforts will be spared to give King Alfonso a creditable and enthusiastic reception on his arrival here on Tuesday. Nevertheless, the greatest-concern is felt for the King's satety, owing to the activity of the Catalonian revolutionists and anarchists who recently have creat. and anarchists who recently have creat ed almost a reign of terror in the city There have been five bomb explosions here since January 1, and not a single culprit has been caught. Only a few days ago placards were posted through-out Barcelona that an attempt would be made upon the life of the King should he carry out his determination of visit-

he carry out his determination of visiting this city. The placards were torn down by the police, but the fear that an outrage will be attempted remains. General Linares, who was in command of the Spanish forces at Santiago, and who is now Captain-General of Catalonia, will be in supreme command of the military arrangements, and in conjunction with Inspector Arrow, late of Scotland Yard, and now chief of police here, is taking every precaution to insure the safety of the King, who will be his personal guest.

sonal guest.

In addition to the troops who will line the routes wherever the King goes practically all the civil guards in Spain except detachments in Andalusia are constituted by the result of the contract of the contrac centrated here, and eight hundred police have been specially drafted for this ser Secret instructions have been is sued to the police to search all persons vearing long Spanish capes, under as was the case in the Lisbon tragedy, arms may be concealed.

A CANADIAN CHANNEL.

to Construct One in Detroit River.

Detroit, March 7.—In addition to Livingstone channel from Lake through the lower Detroit River to westward of Bois Blane, which completed in 1911, prominent Canadian vessel owners and others will ask the Dominion Government to open a channel on the east side of Fighting Island, to be used entirely by upbound vessels. This channel would be wholly within Cana-

ottawa, March 8.—A return of byelections for the Commons held during
1907, issued yesterday in blue book
form, shows that during the year fourteen by-elections were held. Of these
five were by acclamation, the members
elected being all Liberals, namly, Hon.
Wm. Pugsly, Hon. George P. Taham,
Hon. Jacques Bureau, Pius Michaud
(Vietoria, N. B.), and C. B. Major (La.
belle). In the nine contested constituencies Liberals were elected in six and
Conservatives in three. The aggregate
Liberal majoritities totalled 5,318, and Conservatives in three. The aggregate Liberal majoritities totalled 5,318, and the aggregate Conservative majorities 1,500, to which Major Beattie's majority in London against the Labor and detection tributed 1,035.

MAN PROPOSES-WOMAN DISPOSES,

MANY NEW CASES

Amount of Rheumatism Reported Everywhere is Alarming.

have felt the sting and torture of this dread disease, which is no respecter be Framed for Both Countries— of age, persons, sex, color or rank, will Agreement With United States to be interested to know that while for or age, persons, sex, conor or rains, which interested to know that while for many years rheumatism was considered an incurable disease, now it is one of the easiest afflictions of the human body to conquer. Medical science has proven it not a distinct disease in itself, but a symptom caused by inactive kidneys. Rheumatism is uric acid in the blood and other waste products of the system which should be filtered and strained out in the form of urine. The function of the kidneys is to sift these poisons and acids out and keep the blood clean and pure. The kidneys, however, are of sponge-like substance, the holes or pores of which will sometimes, either from overwork, cold or exposure become clogged and inactive, and failing in their function of eliminating these poisons from the blood, they remain the veins, decompose and settling about the joints and muscles, cause the untold suffering and pain of rheumatism and backache, of ten producing complications of bladder and urinary disease, weakness, etc. pain of rheumatism and backache, often producing complications of bladder
and urinary disease, weakness, etc.
The following simple prescription is
said to relieve the worst cases of
rheumatism because of its direct
action upon the blood and kidneys, relieving, too, the most severe forms of bladder and urinary troubles: Fluid Extract Dandelion, onehalf ounce; Compound Kargon, oneounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla,
three ounces. Mix by shaking well in a
bottle and take in teaspoonful doses
after each meal and at bedtime. The
ingredients can be had from any good,
prescription pharmacy, and are absolutely harmless and safe to use at any
time.

SHOT BLACK HAND.

DARING ATTEMPT TO ROB NEW YORK BANK IN DAYLIGHT.

Pasquale Patti, the Banker, Draws a Revolver, and With the Aid of His Son-in-law Plants Five Bullets in Pellatro's Body.

New York, March 7 .- Repulsing daylight attempt of the Black Hand to rob his bank to-day at the point of a pistol, Pasquale Patti, who conducts a large banking and exchange business large banking and exchange business in the Italian quarter of Elizabeth street, in a duel, in which his son-in-law, Louis Carter, joined, shot Francesco Pellatro, akias Guiseppe Sapio, who is dying to-night in a hospital with five bullet wounds in his body, as a result of his attempt to hold up the bank. A second man, Michele Dogostino, whom the police believe is an accomplice of Pellatro, was arrested while running from the bank after the shootine. hooting. For fourteen years, Patti told the

ror tourteen years, Patti told the police, he has constantly defied Black Hand terrors, and only a month ago the front of his bank was blown out by a bomb, and \$40,000 scattered in the street, which was saved by

FOR ANGLICAN CHURCH.

Plan to Raise £5,000,000 as a Thanksgiving Fund.

giving Fund.

London, March 8.—In connection with
the Pan-Anglican Congress in the summer an effort is to be made to raise
money on a scale which has never been
attempted by any-religious body. It is
proposed to provide a thankegiving fund
of £5,000,000.

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There are altogether 249 dioceses connected with the Anglican Church in all parts of the world, and it is hoped that nearly all the Bishops of these dioceses will be present and that they will each bring a handsome contribution to the Thanksgiving fund. altogether 249 dioceses con-

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They combine the germicidal value of Cresolens with the soothing properties of slippery elm and licorice. Your druggist or from us, 10c in stamps. LEMMING, MILES OO. Limited Agents, Montreal, 401 DIAMOND WAR MAY COME.

A Probability That the Monopoly May

be Broken Up.

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London, March 8.—There is a probability, according to The Daily Mail, and the depth would be an any thing. If the scheme is carried out all upbound vessels will use the Canadian channel and downbound the American. The latter is now used entirely for traffic in both directions.

BY-ELECTION RESULTS.

Eleven Liberals to Three Conservatives in One Year.

Ottawa, March 8.—A return of byelections for the Commons held during 1997, issued vesteriasy in blue book discounts. The latter is now used the commons held during 1997, issued vesteriasy in blue book discounts. The Daily Mail, that the diamond monopoly will be broken up through the non-renewal of the contract, which expires this month, between the Premier Diamond Mining Company and the Diamond Syndicate, which hitherto has taken the output of both the Premier and the De Beers. The Diamond Syndicate practically controls the world's output, amounting to about \$50,000,000 on nually. Early in the diamond monopoly will be broken up through the non-renewal of the contract, which expires this month, between the Premier Diamond Mining Company and the Diamond Syndicate, which hitherto has taken the output of both the Premier Company against the DeBeers. The Diamond Syndicate practically controls the world's output, amounting to about \$50,000,000 on nually. Early in the diamond monopoly will be broken up through the non-renewal of the contract, which expires this month, between the Premier and the Diamond Syndicate, which hitherto has taken the output of both the Premier Company against the DeBeers. The Diamond Syndicate practically controls the world's output, amounting to about \$50,000,000 on nually. Early in the diamond monopoly will be broken up through the non-renewal of the contract, which expires the contract which expires the painting that the diamond monopoly will be that the diamond monopoly will be broken up through the non-renewal of the contract, which expires the painting that the diamond monopoly will be broken up though that the diamond monop

TUNNEL EMPLOYEES STRIKE.

Two Hundred Men Quit Work at

MAN PROPOSES—WOMAN DISPOSES,
And the divorce court exposes. The mission of Putnam's is to cure corns and warts, which it does in 24 hours. Insist on Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor. It's the best.

Brigadier-General Otter stated on Saturday that he would accept the position of Chief of Staff at Ottawa, though the appointment had not been officially gate at the Windsor end.

Windsor, March 8.—Two hundred men employed on this end of the new Michigan Central tunnel work struck on Friends and pinker wages. They say that in view of the dangerous and disagreeable nature of the work they want in the does not contain the struck on Friends and pinker wages. They say that in view of the dangerous and disagreeable nature of the work they want intended of seventeen and a half cents per hour for a ten-hour day paid now. They much the appointment had not been officially gate the work of the dangerous and disagreeable nature of the work they want three dollars per day of eight hours instead of seventeen and a half cents per hour for a ten-hour day paid now. They are the work struck on Friends and provide the provided in this end of the new Michison.

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LITTLE GIRL'S JUMPER DRESS.

5702-Girl's jumper dress developed in figured challis trimmed with bands of plain material. Cut in sizes 4 to 12 years and will require 3 1-8 yards of 36 inch material for the 8 year size. These little dresses bid fair to be very popular this season. They are simple and practical and their laundering possibilities appeal White pique with belt of leather would be very stylish.

The pattern here illustrated will be mailed to any address on the receipt of 10 cents in silver or stamps.

Address, "Pattern Department," Times Office, Hamilton.

SMALL LOAF CRY.

INGS FOR UNIONISTS.

Over Thousand Majority-Government Blamed for Increase in Price of Bread. New York, March 8 .- The Herald has

received the following cable despatch from London: The Parliamentary division of Hastings, which takes in three south coast watering places, returned a Radical member in 1885 and again in 1900. Two years ago, however, it show-1900. Two years ago, however, it showed it had had enough of Radicalism, and this week at a by-election it has presented Mr. Arthur Ducros, Unionist and tariff reformer, with a majority of 1,018, two and a half times that givne to his father at the general election.

The big and little loaf trick played an important part in the contest. Bread has increased somewhat in price since the general election, and, though this is plainly due to natural causes, and not

the general election, and, though this is plainly due to natural causes, and not to the Liberal Government, the Unionists made the most of the fact that there has been an increase. All over the Parliamentary division was to be seen a poster on which a drawing showed the Premier, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, carrying a platter on which was a loaf bearing the words "A 436d loaf for 6d." Above were the words, "Radicalism means dearer living."

TEN DIED FROM EXPOSURE.

Schooner John F. Milton Wrecked Off Alaskan Coast.

bring a handsome contribution to the Thanksgiving fund.

About seven thousand delegates will attend this congress, and there is reason to hope that all of these will be guests of members of the Anglican community in London. The committee which is arranging for the reception of the visitors is receiving many offers of hospitality of this character.

CRESOLENE ANTISEPTIC TABLETS

A simple and effective remedy for

twenty-five survivors are still on the peninsula.

Two of the crew put out in a dory for assistance, and arrived at Sandpoint after six days' hardships. The lightkeeper at the island pressed the schooner Martha into service, and despatched it to the scene of the wreck. Up to the time the Czarina sailed the Martha had not returned.

CONVICTS BREAK FOR LIBERTY.

"Lifers" Attack Penitentiary Officials

Deer Lodge, Mont., March S.—Warden Frank Conley, of the Montana Peniten-tiary, was severely wounded to-day, and Assistant Warden John Robinson was killed by three life convicts, George Rock, W. H. Hayes and another, who

Rock, W. H. Hayes and another, who tried to escape from prison.

Robinson's throat was cut from ear to ear, and the jugular vein was severed. Conleys' throat was gasted and he was stabbed several times in the shoulder and the groin before he was able to draw his revolver and shoot down Hayes and Rock, who were armed with pocket knives.

It is believed that the warden will recover.

The three convicts had been taken to The three convicts had been taken to the office of the penitentiary to be tried for some infraction of the prison rules. The moment the men entered the office, Rock turned swiftly on Robinson, who was closing the door, and at the same moment flayes started for Coulay.

CHINESE MURDERERS

WON ENGLISH DIVISION OF HAST- NINE CONVICTED AFTER TRIAL AT BOSTON.

Arthur Ducross, Tariff Reformer, Given One of the Wealthiest and Most Influential Chinese of the City Found Guilty of Causing Four of His Countrymen to be Killed.

> Boston, March 7 .- Warry Charles one of the wealthiest and most influen tial Chinese of Boston, and eight of his countrymen, claimed to be notorious 'hatchet men," were found guilty by jury in the Superior Criminal Court late to-day of murder in the first de-gree on four counts alleging the killing of four Chinese in Boston on August 2 of last year. A tenth defendant, Yee

of four Chinese, in Boston on August 2 of last year. A tenth defendant, Yee Watt, who had also been on trial on the same charge, died suddenly in his cell last Tuesday while the trial, which lasted 33 days, was in progrees.

The murders for which the nine Chinese were found gulity grew out of a long-standing feud between the Hip Sing Tong and the On Leong Tong, rival Chinese societies.

Early in the evening of August 2, 1907, a number of strange Chinese suddenly appeared in Oxford Place, in the heart of the Chinese quarter of Boston, and fired over forty shots into a crowd of Chinese merchants and laundrymen who were lolling about in the rear of their places of business after a hard day's work. When the police arrived they found three Chinese dead and a dozen seriously wounded, one of whom died.

rich and influential Americanized Chinese of this city, and President of the Hip Sing Tong, had instigated the killing in order to frighten the Chinese business men into joining his society. He was therefore indicted as being an accessor'y before the fact. Time to appeal will be allowed before sentence is passed.

CHINA'S APOLOGY

Will Reply Later Regarding Seizure of Tatsu Maru.

London, March 8 .- A special despatch ceived here says that China has apologized to Japan for hauling down the

gized to Japan for hauling down the Japanese flag when the steamship Tatsu Maru was seized. The despatch further states that China later will reply to the Japanese Government regarding the seizure of the steamer and its cargo. The statement was made at the Japanese Embassy here to-day that China has expressed deep regret for hauling down the Japanese flag on the Tatsu Maru, and has promised to punish the officials responsible for the act. It was further stated that China had promised to reply later concerning the seizure of arms.

TREASURER ARRESTED

Heartless Method of Serving a Warrant at Emerson.

at Emerson.

Emerson, March 8.—W. W. Unsworth, Treasurer of this town, is under arrest, charged with misappropriating \$274 of civic moneys. Mayor Wright, who ordered the prosecution, so arranged matters that the warrant was handed to Unsworth during the session of the Council, while he was reading communications.

nunications. He did not notice what it was, and thinking it was a regular communica-tion, proceeded to read to the Council the warrant for his own arrest.

How Rheumatism Can Be Cured

All the aches and pains of acute rheumatism are caused by the presence of Uric Acid in the blood. An attack is usually brought on by exposure to wet or cold. The muscles stiffen, the joints swell, and an attempt at exertion brings on excrutiating twinges. The pain often shifts from one part of the body to another and this is dangerous, as the heart is liable to an attack that might prove fatal. To get right to the seat of the trouble Ferrozone should be used,—it contains wonderful solvents for Uric Acid and eliminates it entirely from the system. Of course it is absolutely necessary to apply Nerviline as a liniment to the affected parts. It takes out the pain, relieves stiffness, restores the muscles to their wonted vigor and elasticity. Every sufferer from rheumatism, neuralgia and lumbago should use Ferrozone and Nerviline without delay. They mean certain, swift, lasting cure.

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Bailey, Frank
Barrett, B.
Babbage, F.
Baker, Mrs. C. F.
Baker, Mrs. C. F.
Beal, John D.
Blooch, Oliver
Blias, Mrs. Fowler
Bower, F.
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CHANCERY FUNDS.

Triennial Report Gives Their Amount as

Triennial Report Gives Their Amount as \$5,500,000.

London, March 8.—Friday evening's London Cazette might easily be called a supplement of "Bleak House." It has a statement of dormant funds in the Court of Chancery, which, in 1903, was ordered to be issued triennially. The aggregate amount of the funds is \$5,500,000, distributed in 3,400 accounts. More than half of these accounts do not exceed \$750 and only 170 exceed \$5,000.

Some of the entries give an impres-

85,000. Some of the entries give an impressive idea of the court's tenacious grip. For example, in the case of the Attorney-General against Speed, the account was opened in 1742, the last transaction being in 1744. Many entries refer to 17th century cases. One of the earliest is that of "Marlborough vs. Van Brugh, before 1726," recalling the fact that Van Brugh built for the Duke and quarreed with the Duchess of Marlborough. He died in 1726.

COTTON MILL STRIKE OVER.

Operatives in Montreal Have Consented

to Return to Work.

Montreal, March 8.—The big strike amongst the employees of the Dominion Textile Company was settled today, and instead of the thousand employees at the St. Henri mills going out in sympathy to-morrow, as they had decided to, with the twelve hundred operatives of the Hochebaga and St. Ann's mills the whole lot will go back to work to-morrow.

The operatives have accepted the company's offer of a full investigation into the compaints against the foreman, the company at the same time agreeing to a resdinglement of hours of labor.

TRAVELERS' GUIDE

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM

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19.130 a. m., 16.35 p. m.

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20. m., *7 GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

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7.40 a. m.—For Toronto, Lindsay, Bobcaysson, Peterboro, Tweed, Kingston, Ottawa,
Montreal, Quebec, Sherbrooke, St. John, N.
B., Halikas, M. S., and all points in Maritime
Provinces and New England States. Tottes
ham, Beeton, Alliston, Craighurst, Baia and
the Musikoka Lakes.

8.60 a. m.—For Toronto.

10.00 a. m.—Grally)—For Toronto.

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Bobcaygeon, Peterboro, Tweed, Brampton,
Fergus, Elora, Orangoville, Owen Sound,
Arthur, Mount Forest, Horriston, Wingham,
Tottenham, Alliston, Craighurst, and intermediate points.

6.05 p. m.—For Toronto.

6.15 p. m.—Grally—For Toronto, Peterbore,
Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, Sherbrooke, Portland and Boston, Sault Ste, Marie, Fort Willand, Winsipeg, Canadian Northwest, Kootensy, and British Golimbia Joiste.

6.05 p. m.—Grally—For Common Peterbore,
Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, Sherbrooke, Portland and Boston, Sault Ste, Marie, Fort Willand, Winsipeg, Canadian Northwest, Kootensy, and British Golimbia Joiste,
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TORONTO, HAMILTON & BUFFALO

HAMILTON RADIAL ELECTRIC RAIL-ROAD-TIME TABLE. Time Table taking effect, January 6th, 1503.

Cars leave Hamilton for Burlington and intermediate points: 6.10, 7.10, 8.00, 9.10, 10.10, 1.10 a. m.; 1.00, 2.59, 4.10, 5.30, 6.10 7.45, 1.15, 11.10 p. m. o a. m.; Loo, 2.30, 4.20, 5.30, 5.30 r.so, are leave Hamilton for Burlington and evilier 6.10, 5.00, 10.10 a. m.; 1.00, 2.30, 9.25, 11.10. These cars stop at Bench ad. No. 12, Canai Bridge, tiotel Braut, rlington and all Stations between Burling-and Oakville.

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RAILWAY—TIME TABLE.

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On Wednesdays and Saturdays a special car will leave Hamilton at 10.30 p. m. This car will neat Hamilton at 10.30 p. m. This car will neat the different theatres.

This time table is subject to change at any time without notice.

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A LESSON FROM TRAGEDY.

London County Council to Take Up School Fire Protection.

School Fire Protection.

London, March S.—The efficiency of the London schools in the matter of fire drill has been the subject of favorable comment of late. But the Cleveland tragedy has been the cause of inspection of all the schools in the jurisdiction of the London County Council by two councillors, who found examples of doors opening inward and other things which appeared to them threatening and highly dangerous. The result is that the Council will discuss the whole subject without delay. cuss the whole subject without delay

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dence duties by living with the father (or mother).

4: The term "vicinity" in the two pre-ceding paragraphs is defined as meaning not more than nine miles in a direct line, ex-clusive of road allowances crossed in measurement.

Bleasurement.

5' A homesteader intending to perform his residence duties in accordance with the above while living with parents or on farming land owned by himself must notify the Agent for the district of such intention. Before making application for patent the settler must give aix months' notice in writing to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Cttawa, of his intention to do so.

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Arthur C. Aiston, under whose management Miss Jane Corcoran is playing 'A Doll's House," this season, clares that the company supporting Miss Corcoran is the best that could be obtained in America. Mr. Aiston has sent many plays on the road, the most not-able ones being "At the Old Cross Raods," "Shadows on the Hearth," "Pretty Peggy" and "The Freedom of Suzanne," but this year he has the best

company he ever gathered together.

Among the prominent members of the company supporting Miss Corcoran are James M. Brophy, Frank Hersome, Tom H. Krueger and Miss Jenny Dunbar. Miss Corcoran portrays the character of Nora, the woman who, when disappointed in her husband, declared she would be free, cast aside all the conventions, and "became a woman first, a wife and mother afterward."

"A Doll's House" will be seen at the Grand to-night.

At Bennett's Theatre.

The headdiner at Bennett's this week will be found to be in a class by itself, It is "The New Scholar." In this plenty of good, wholesome fun is introduced by Windur, the Six O'Connor Girls, and Sam Coite, the well-known comedian. The control is the distribution of the comedian of the control is the control of the contr of good, wholesome fun is introduced by Wisour, the Six O'Connor Girls, and Sam Coite, the well-known comedian. The seene is laid in a school-room and the action of the play centres around the antics of the girl and the new pupil, who soon proves minuself to be a laugister-maker of the first water. The Fourlianos, new at Bennett's, have an acrobatic comedy which is really a novelty, and which has plenty of comedy and excellent acrobatic work. The sketch is called "In Africa," and introduces a vivaciously eccentric maid, an original sort of professor, and two monkey initators that look and act the part.

Emil Hoch & Company's little sketch, "Love's Young Dream," will be bound to prove attractive. It is well written and well acted, and is one of the daintiest morsels in vaudeville. Leville and Sinclair have a novelty singing and dancing act which is much above the average. Juno Salmo, the dandy contortionist, is a wonder and his offering has many sensational stunts in it. Elsie Fay, Bisette and Miller have a high-class singing and dancing turn, and Cook and Stephens have a screaming talk as a coon and a Chinese.

Rooking for Next Season.

Booking for Next Season.

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Toronto, March 9.—Already preparations are being made for the coming theatrical season, and owing to the fact that the presidential election will absorb the interests of the people across the line, producing managers are turning their eyes towards Canada for their early bookings. The enquiries for open time during September, October and November, made to the booking office of A. J. Small, indicate that the biggest of the trave-ling productions are desirous of spending a few weeks on the best circuit in Canada. During recent seasons and since the organization of the circuit, the smaller cities in Ontario have been given the metropolitan productions, exactly the same in cast, scenic mounting and prices as in Toronto, and as a result they have received a liberal patronage, encouraging to the traveling manager as well as to the local house management. Naturally, when the outlook is not bright across the line for the early part of next season, there is a desire on the part of the producers to fill in this bright across the fine for the early pa-of next season, there is a desire on the part of the producers to fill in the time in a section that promises we and as the reputation of the Canadia territory is well established in Ne York, all are anxious to play here.

Matinee for Blondes.

For Thursday afternoon of this week the management of the Savoy has arranged a novelty that ought to run amateur might a close race as a drawing card. It it nothing less than a matinee for blondes. All mative blondes, not over five feet three inches in height, will be welcomed at this nerformance as quest's for blondes. All native blondes, not over five feet three inches in height, will be welcomed at this performance as guests of Hope Booth, the distinguished comedienne, who will be seen in "The Little Blonde Lady," a clever one-act satire, by George M. Cohan. Miss Booth is a charming blonde herself, and just three inches over five feet in height. Miss Booth expressed a desire to meet some of the pretty blondes of Hamilton, and the manager arranged the matinee, Miss Booth announcing that she would hold a reception for the blondes on the stage after the performance. The sketch in which she is starring is declared to be one of the bright satires the celebrated Cohan has penned. There are three people in the cast, Miss Booth as Dolly, Ohas, F. Gibney as Horatio Hammer, diagramatic critic of "The Blade," and Francis Fay as Henry, the affice boy. The scene is laid in the office of "The Blade," a mythical newspaper, and the sketch is said to bristle with humor and wit. Miss Booth has been scoring a tremendous hit, meeting with receptions at the leading American yandeville houses mendous hit, meeting with receptions at the leading American vaudeville houses such as only Melbas are expected to re-

The rest of the big bill will be in keeping with the excellence of the head-liner and includes Julian Caciedo, king liner and includes Julian Caciedo, king of the wire; George W. Evers, a black-faced comedian; Alburtus and Altus, comedy jugglers, in a cyclone of juggling merriment; Kriesel's dogs and cats; Dill and Ward, in a clever singing and dancing turn; Hallen and Hayes, dancing comedians, with a gale of merriment; new pictures by the kinetograph, and a bright, snappy programme by the ornebestra.

riment; new pictures by the kineto-graph, and a bright, snappy programme by the orchestra.

To-morrow will be Hamilton Rowing Glub night. The advance sale assures a packed house. There has also been a good sale for Limerick Night on Wed-nesday evening, when the results of the Limerick contest will be made known.

Coming Musical Event. The music loving people of Hamilton vill be glad to know that arrangements are been made for the appearance in

artists are being engaged, whose names will appear later. This will be the great est musical event of the season. Mr. Hewlett's Recital.

The monthly organ recital by Mr. W. H. Hewlett, held in Centenary Church on Saturday afternoon, was well attended. The programme presented included many famous composers, and Mr. Hewlett handled the numbers with his accustomed skill. The assisting a viet was lett handled the numbers with his accus-tomed skill. The assisting artist was Mr. Arthur Blight, of Toronto, the well-known baritone. Mr. Blight was in ex-cellent voice, and his solos were greatly appreciated. The programme was as fol-lows:

About Miss Crosman.

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Henrietta Crosman, who will appear in "The New Mrs. Loring," her latest comedy success, at the Grand on Wednesday night, is a daughter of Major George E. Crosman, United States army (retired), whose brother was Admiral Dewey's classmate at Annapolis. The maval officer had reached the rank of lieutenant when he lost his life in an attempt to save two of his crew. His ship was stationed in West Indian waters. Two sailors, at work over the side, fell into the sea. As was common among jackies of the old navy, neither could swim. Lieutenant Crosman leaped overboard to their aid. He had hardly struck the water before he was seized by a shark and dragged under, never again to appear. Both of the seamen were saved by the ship's crew.

"The New Mrs. Loring" is the latest success, in which Miss Henrietta Crosman will appear.

"The Awakening of Mr. Ripn"

man will appear.
"The Awakening of Mr. Pipp."

There are comedies and comedies, but few there be that can boast of a story. Especially is this true of the so-called musical comedy. In this respect the play above named, which will be seen at play above named, which will be seen at the Grand next Friday and Saturday, is a departure, for the story of Mr. Pipp is the backbone of its popularity, as an entertainer, that is, when the story is developed by that past master of fun, Charley Grapewin. Possibly the best scene of the play is Mr. Pipp's "the morning after," for its every touch meets a response in the breast of every man in the audience who has ever in-dulged in a "time," it is so natural and realistic, for Mr. Grapewin makes you experience that dark brown taste and feel the head away beyond the normal realistic, for Mr. Grapewin makes you experience that dark brown taste and feel the head away beyond the normal proportion, and then when the hilarious Pipp tries to rise from his bed and finds that the world will not stand still, then it is that one will realize the art of the comedian. Anna Chance, who will be seen as Mrs. Pipp, gives excellent support to the star.

LATE PETER POOLE.

Large Funeral Yesterday—Alex. Crooks in Melbourne Hotel.

Dundas, March 9 .- The funeral of the late Peter C. Poole, of the Sydenham Mountain top, who died on Friday, took hountain top, who died on Friday, took place yesterday afternoon, and was very largely attended. Interment was at Rock Chapel burying grounds. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Cavers, of Millgrove. The pall-bearers were six nephews, Garwood, Haskins, Charles and John Sheppard, and Thomas and John Poole. Deceased, who had reached the age of 80 years, was one of and John Poo'e. Deceased, who had reached the age of 80 years, was one of the first settlers of West Flamboro', and was the first county constable of Wentworth. His wife predeceased him some years ago, since which time he has lived with his grandson, Fred. Binkley. They had one son and one daughter, the daughter being Mrs. Solomon S. Binkley. The son was Joseph Poole, who was found murdered and mutilated on the G. T. R. track many years ago, an occurrence that baffled the authorities to discover a clue to the guilty ones. Deceased was widely known and highly esteemed.

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Wilkiam Creekmore, who has been suffering with cancer in the face and mouth, died on Saturday, after many months' suffering.

Alex. Crooks took possession of the Melbourne Hotel this morning. He still remains in possession of the Enright livery. Mr. Nichol, who preceded Mr. Crooks in the Melbourne, has moved on Mellville street, and is still in very poor heath.

Fred. Wallace, who has been confined to his bed for about a month with a se-vere illness, is able to be out again. Dr. Rykert returned to-day from New York, where he was suddenly called last week owing to the illness of a sis-

Miss Bessie O'Connor left on Saturday evening for a visit to her sister, Mrs. Wm. Van Schlick, in San Jose, Cal. Czarina in Italy.

Czarina in Italy.

Rome, March 8.—The Corriere d'Italia learns that the Czarina and a numerous suite unexpectedly arrived late on Friday in the strictest incognito at Rapallo, a winter resort 15 miles from Genoa. She will remain for some time at a hotel there. The Czarina is in ill-health.

A Decrease in Immigration.

London, March 8.—Col. Lamb, of the Salvation Army, says a striking change was apparent this year compared with 12 months ago in respect to the popular rush to Canada. White applicants for facilities for emigration were still very numerous, few had the daring to go out on speculation. A second contingent will be sent to British Columbia in May.

With the exception of some ice in Lake St. Peter, the St. Lawrence is open from Montreal to the sea.

HAMILTON ARTISTS.

Praise For Their Work at O. S. A. Exhibition.

R. Holmes, writing in the Globe magazine section of the Ontario Society of Artists' exhibition, says:

Mr. Albert H. Robinson, of Hamilton, exhibits a large canvas with such an

exhibits a large canvas with such an effect of sunlight as marks it out as a notable triumph in this direction.

Messrs. J. S. Gordon and H. A. Neyland, of Hamilton, are very strongly impressionistic, not only in general aim, but also in a pretty rigid application of the technical methods that characterize the school. Mr. Gordon's four large contributions and Mr. Neyland's two are an interesting and important feature of the present exhibit. The irridescence is not over-emphasized in Neyland's 'Irridescent Wave.' The broken blue-grey and green of the sunlit stretch of rugged seashore in 'The Lone Gate' contrasts beautifully with the triangle of placid sea in the uwper right corner, and the sunlight is present. Mr. Gordon's works all attain a very considerable measure of success, and both men are to be congratulated upon their serious prosecution of work in this method which is not a "fad" or an eccentricity, but an application to a carefully thought contains the carefully they are consideration for a measure of saint to a carefully thought contains the cou a "fad" or an eccentricity, but an appli-cation to a carefully-thought-out scienti-

cation to a carefully-thought-out scientific theory.

The portraits by Miss Palm, of Hamilton, display a wide range of treatment. Mr. Gordon's portrait shows the strong, abrupt contrasts resulting from the high studio light concentrated with most force on the face. There is a strong suggestion of life and strenuous energy in the pose and expression of the artist as he turns from his canvas apparently to study his subject.

DESTINY OF RUSSIA

To be Vanquished by Britain, Says Mr. Ambury.

Mr. George Ambury, a lecturer of the Christadelphian creed, gave an address last evening at the C. O. O. F. Hall on "The Destiny of Russia." He said that "The Destiny of Russia." He said that he believed the world of to-day was existing in the Latter Day, which is spoken of in the old Testament. The prophesies of olden time state that a great war will come to pass between two great nations of the world. Mr. Ambury thought that Russia and England were the nations. Russia had always cast a covetous eye on the country to the south of it, and he believed that it would not be long before these countries came not be long before these countries came to blows. In the Bible it is said that the Jews will re-inhabit their own country, and as there are upwards of five million Jews in Russia, the speaker de-clared that when the Russian Jew starts to make his pilgrimage to the Holy Land, then it will be that Russia will

Land, then it will be that Russia will try to make her power absolute through out the Asiatic Continent. But she will not succeed, asserted the speaker, as England has large interests in the east that she will not give up.

Mr. Ambury believed that the judgment day was not far off. The speaker quoted many passages of scripture in support of his argument, but he did not state what the destiny of Russia was, other than to say that she would be severely defeated by England.

THE MIRACLES

Evening.

Last evening a very interesting lecture was given by Prof. W. P. Sey-mour in the A.O.U.W Hall to another large audience on "The Miracles of Christ and Their Relation to Natural

large audience on "The Miracles of Christ and Their Relation to Natural Laws." As a text for the evening the Professor chose the 12th verse of the 14th chapter of the Gospel of John, "Verily, verily I say unto you, he that believeth on me the works that I do shall he do also; and greater works than these shall he do, because I go unto my father."

The Professor opened his discourse by saying: When we view the starry heavens and look upon the beauties of creation what a vast magnificent temple is this which God hath made our dwelling place. How insensible to every noble impulse has that heart become which has neither eye nor ear for the charms of Nature. She is the kind mother of us all; in her arms we are cradled; on her bosom we are nurred, and her voice falls on every well-attured ear like the music of heaven. The harmonies of nature are but a transcript of the divine perfection; her voice therefore is the voice of God, but how false has best the education of mankind in times past and also of the present with refperfection; her voice afterior is tervoice of God, but how false has becthe education of mankind in times
past and also of the present with reference to things divine. Our theologians are ready to admit that the
great Divine Architect is the Creator
of it all, yet they isolate, if you will,
the natural from the Divine, and confess to you that they can not understand anything that is supernatural.
God is the author of nature. Jesus
did not attempt to do anything that
is not natural, therefore, what Jesus
did he did by natural law. Our theologians have told us that these miracles which Jesus did are not to be
understood by the mind of man; we
can not understand them because
they are divine; they are supernatural. It it not more rational to suppose that the principles He taught
concerning humanity were within the
seasibilities for our understanding. concerning humanity were within the possibilities for our understanding? If these great fundamental principles and the laws of which they are conand the laws of which they are con-trolled are great mysteries and to be mysteries forever to you and me and to future generations then His teach-ings are in vain. I believe Jesus was divine and understood natural laws better than you and I do, and that it was his superior understanding

was divine and inderstood natural laws better than you and I do, and that it was his superior understanding of nature's laws and divine revelation that made him a better teacher than any other human being that ever graced this earth.

The Professor took up some of the mitacles of Jesus, such as the woman who was cured by an issue of blood, the turning of water into wine, the raising Jairus' daughter and the raising of Lazarus from the dead, etc., all of which he attributed to Jesus' superior knowledge of mind over matter and not to anything supernatural. Although many of the ideas advanced by the Professor were somewhat startling to many of his hearers he was listened to with profound interest throughout the entire discourse. The Professor will give another lecture in the same hall on Sunday evening next.

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The Right House

5 days' Sale of towels save 1-3

A tremendous March sale of lace curtains Share these price advantages: Supply spring curtain needs now

HUNDREDS and hundreds of pairs of beautiful Swiss Point

Curtains will be ready for you to-morrow morning. And Swiss Point Curtains are perhaps, the most popular of all

So good are the savings that the snowy piles of fresh new Curtains will melt like snow on a warm April day. So come early for very first choice, while the showing is at its freshest and best. Better supply every spring need to-morrow. Scores of dainty patterns—plain centres and neat filled centres, all every beautiful borders. Good, full sizes, in qualities that will wear wear and stand both wash and sun; Pair—

\$2.88, regular value \$4.00

\$3.98, regular value \$5.00 \$3.59, regular value \$5.50 \$4.98, regular value \$7.00

Swiss point curtains: Many \$2.50 new cable net curtains Dollar saving chances for you \$1.37 pair---nearly half price

OVER a thousand pairs. Fresh from the English manufacturer they come. He made too many. We bought them at almost the cost of making alone. Then we marked our own small profit down to the vanishing point. The sult is—the very best curtain bargain offered in years.

And these Curtains are dainty, effective and neat in appearance. But prettiness and low price are not the only things to recommend them. They wear well—withstand both wash and sun. They are made of double twisted cotton thread, making them very strong and durable, without impairing their dainty appearance.

Neat, pretty patterns with very effective borders, plain centres and neat filled centres. Dainty bow knot, floral, vine and medallion designs. Good large size, 31/2 yards by 50 inches. Value \$2.50 pair.

Special purchase March sale price \$1.37 pair.

Thousands of towels in a great five days' underprice sale: You save a full third

HUNDREDS of dozens of good huck towels go out on sale to-morrow morning and for all this week at an average of one-third below their real value. Housekeepers, boardinghouse keepers and hotels—ATTENTION! Think of buying these staple good towels, that you need every day, at an average of a third less than regular value. Worth while, isn't it?

The sale starts to-morrow and will continue all this week. Better supply every towel need for many months ahead and share the savings.

Pure linen Irish huck towels at lowered prices for five days only

Hemmed huck towels of pure linen straight from a great Irish manufacturer who is famed for the quality of his productions. Medium to large sizes in splendid absorbent weaves, self and colored borders. Good hardwearing qualities that will give every satisfaction. Note the savings.

15c, real value 18c 18c, real value 23c

FANCY hemstitched pure Irish Linen Huck Towels. Dam-

□ ask borders. Some have Damask allover patterns. Very superior absorbent qualities in medium to large sizes. Here

are price reasons that will send them hustling out. Secure

43c, value 75c

19c, real value 28c 20c. real value 30c Fancy hemstitched linen huck towels

25c, real value 35c 28c, real value 40c

33c, real value 45c 35c, real value 48c

Plain huck hemstitched linen towels

VERY absorbent, good wearing qualities in medium to large v sizes for any use. Pure Irish Linen Huck with neatly hemstitched ends. No housekeeper will wisely miss laying in a supply of these while the underprice advantages are all in your favor. Three specials-

30c. value 38c

40c, value 50c

45c. value 55c

New spring

New spring dress goods Corner King East THOMAS C. WATKINS and Hughson Sts.

33c value 45c

Dealt With by Prof. Seymour Last PRECAUTIONS AT TRIAL OF ALIA.

371/2e, value 50c

QUESTION OF SANITY OF MURDER-ER OF FATHER HEINRICHS.

Deputies Armed With Revolvers to

outbreak of the Alia's case was the first on the criminal docket, and Judge Whiteford, who is taking his turn on the Criminal bench, had ordered present an open panel of 100 veniremen. It was expectantly with the control of the control the cont panel of 100 veniremen. It was ed that the defence of Attorney ed that the defence of Attorney Widde-combe, representing Alia by appoint-ment of the court, would advance the theory of insanity in the hope of saving the life of his client, and to be prepared for combatting this defence, the prose-cution had summoned eight of the most skilful brain specialists in the city to be present for the purpose of observing the defendant, and thus being in readi-ness to give expert opinion as to his sanity.

The defence had arranged also for three alienists to serve their side; When Alia was taken from the jail to the Court House he was under guard of Sheriff Nisbet and four deputies, each armed with a brace of revolvers. His men had explicit instructions to keep the jail ground clear of, and to arrest any one, who showed any evidence of intention to attack the prisoner. Spectators in the court room were closely scrutinized, and all suspicious characters were excluded from the building.

ABBE LOISY EXPELLED

And All Catholics Forbidden to Hold Communication With Him.

Communication With Him,

Rome, March 8.—In pursuance of his
campaign against modernism, the Pope
has decreed the severest form of excommunication against Abbe Loisy, who was
lately condemned by the Archbishop of
Paris for "his synoptic gospels," and his
reply to the Papal encyclical against
modernism. He is not only expelled from
the Church and deprived of all ecclesiastical privileges, but all Roman Catholics
are forbidden to hold any communication
with him.

Good Prices for Turner Pictures.

The Daily Fashion Hint.



Model for a pongee suit or one in the new cashmere clot'

POWER DAM IN VERMONT.

CONNECTICUT RIVER TO SUPPLY POWER FOR ELECTRIS PLANT.

Will Distribute Electricity Into Parts of Three States Hundreds of Men Working Day and Night-Dam Will Cost More Than a Million.

Brattleboro, Vt., March 9 .- The construction of a big dam across the Conecticut River is now under way with the expectation of turning the waters the expectation of turning the waters of New England's greatest river into New England's biggest electric plant. By means of the dam it is proposed to distribute the electric power within a radius including parts of three States. The power here is believed to be the largest undeveloped water power in New England. Now that the plan to utilize the power has materialized the work is being rushed to completion by a force of 450 men working day and night.

The cost of the dam will be more than a million dollars. Its location is five

a million dollars. Its location is five miles south of this village, abutting on the Vermont side of the town of Vernon, and to Hinsdale on the New Hampshire side. At this point that natural condi-tions are remarkably favorable for the work. The electric power here developed will be 16,500 horse power. While it is expected that the new plant will benefit mainly the towns of Brattleboro and Brandon, Vermont, Hinsdale and Northwille, N. H., more points are also included within the marketable radius of control of the control cluded within the marketable radius of 50 or 60 miles. Included in this circle would be Adams, North Adams, Pittsfield, Springfield, Worcester and Fitchburg, Mass., and Nashua and Manchester, N. H. It is expected that Fitchburg will be one of the main centres of distribution. The height of the dam, including its flush boards, would be 34 feet.

feet.

The power house, which will be built of solid masonry, will extend from the Vermont shore 250 feet out into the river, and wil be part of the dam.

CAVE-IN ON WELLAND CANAL. Large Portion of the Bank Slides Into

the Water.

Welland, Ont., March 8.—The first serious cave in on the Welland Canalin the past ten years took place yesterday at a point three miles south of Welland, when the east bank, for a distance of 350 feet, slid into the water. Though no measurements have been taken, marine men say they believe a sufficient channel has been left for the passage of a boat, so that the opening of navigation on the canal is not likely to be retarded.

The canal at this point passes through a very spongy soil that is not soild enough to hold the immense weight of earth thrown out. The thickness of the cave-in runs from twenty to forty feet.

Mr. W. M. Fitzgerald, of the Toronic civic property department, is mentioned. the Water.

Mr. W. M. Fitzgerald, of the Torontocivic property department, is mentioned
for the office of Secretary of the Graud
Orange Lodge of Ontario West.
The Canadian Northern Railway Company has been ordered to vacate some
ands on the Don Valley or go to arbitration as to the price to be paid

JUDGE MABEE

MAY BE APPOINTED CHAIRMAN OF

ities at Ottawa Understood to Favor His Appointment if He Can e Induced to Accept Post Rendered acant by Justice Killam's Death.

Ottawa, March &-Although no final action has been taken by the Govern in regard to the appointment of a man of the Board of Railway Com-oners, it is understood the appoint-will be made within the next few The names of several of the lead-members of the Ontario Bar and have been considered, any one of ing members of the Ontario Bar and Bendh have been considered, any one of whom would be a suitable appointment if ha could be induced to accept the position. It is now understood that the appointment is most likely to go to Mr. Justice Mabee of the Ontario High Court Benth, who stands very high among the Justice Mabee of the Ontario High Court Bendh, who stands very high among the members of the profession as a man of spleddid legal attainments, and who is also well fitted in every way to sustain the high status of the commission as a Court of Equity.

Thronto, March 9.—When the above despatch was read to him last night, and he was asked for a statement with regard to it, Mr. Justice Mabee replied:

"Well, the appointment has not been

More About Him.

Tell, the appointment has not been officied to me at all, and I don't know whether it will be."

Asked whether he would accept the postion if offered him, he said:

"Tdon't know. I would of course consider it, but I have had no communication at all in any official way in connection with it. I have had therefore no opportunity of considering it. It is a very responsible position, and the work involved in connection with it is of a most important character. It would be such a change from my present work that I should have to consider it very carefully."

Mr. Lutties Meke in a statement with the confidence of the confide

Arr. Justice Mabee is one of the young-er members of the Bench at Osgoode Hall, and one of his qualifications for the Railway Commission is his capacity for hard work. He is a native of Strat-ford, and practiced law there until his appointment to the Bench. He was the Liberal candidate in North Perth at the general election of 1904 against Mr. A. F. MacLaren.

CAISTORVILLE

The annual oyster supper is to be held in the Methodist Church on March 12th. Bengough, of Toronto is expected to be present and give the evening's programme. The ladies of the congregation are expected to provide well-filled baskets. Admission 75c couple; 40 cents single.

The patrons of the cheese factory held The patrons of the cheese factory held their meeting last Monday and report a good time. They found everything in a very satisfactory condition and expect a good year again. W. C. Hoover attended the meeting.

Mr. Metcalfe will be the cheese maker for the coming season.

Arthur Murphy, who spent a few days in Toronto on business has returned home:

home.

No less than seven parties have had sand and stone bees in this community this winter and have nearly all got their

SENT TO AN ASYLUM.

Divorced Wife of Archduke Leopold Threatened Former Husband.

Vienna, March 7.-Wilhelmina Woelfing, the divorced wife of the former Archduke Leopold Salvator, has been removed to an asystum. The woman recently purchased a revolver, with which she threatened to kill her former husband and his brother. Physicians after an examination declared her insane.

an examination dechared her insane. The Austrian Archduke Leopold gave up his expectation and honors several years ago in order to marry Wilhelmina Adamovic, an actress, assuming the name of Herr Woelfing. After the marriage she offended her husband by joining the Asona Anchorites, in accordance with whose tenets she became a vegetarian, went without clothes in taking "sumbaths," and acquired other eccentricities, with the result that Herr Woelfing sued for divorce, which was granted early last July.

SMALLPOX EPIDEMIC.

Nearly Two Thousand Cases in State of

Minnesota.

Winnipeg, March 8.—The reply received by the Provincial Board of Health from Dr. Bracken, Secretary of Minnesota Board of Minnesota Body Found in Attic of College at Winnesota Body Found in Attic of College Body Found in Attic Only 10 to the State Board of Health of Minne-sota, in regard to the smallpox epidemic in that State, where there are nearly 2,000 cases, states that signs are placed on the infected houses, not to

Crew of Schonoer Wm. H. Skinner Picked

Up at Sea.

Belfast, March 7.—The crew of six men of the American schooner William H. Skinner, of Maltimare, were landed here yesterday by the Birtish steamer Brayhead. They had been six days floating on a raft before they were picked up, and were on the verge of starvation when sighted by the Brayhead. They had suffered great privations, and had only four pounds of provisions left.

The Knickerbocker Trust of New York ill monen on March 29

Tells How Tiredness is Turned Into Strong Vigorous Health

We-all inherit a disposition to disease. With one it's consumption, another heart disease or nervousness. At first you are languid, but as the fatigue increases you lose appetite and spirit, feel as if work wasn't in your line. Surely no clearer evidence of ill health is needed.

Thousands have been in the same sickly condition; those who heeded not were sorry—those who used Dr. Hamilton's were cured. Your weakness proves germ life has eaten up the vitality of the blood, and a cleansing tonic like Dr. Hamilton's Pills is urgently needed. At once your blood will redden and gain strength. Digestion will so improve that additional nourishment will be supplied to all needy organs. Surplus vigor will be instilled into the system till disease and weakness are completely driven out. Wonderful is the tonic effect of Dr. Hamilton's Pills which are considered the best system purifier extant.

When you can renew your health with this safe vegetable remedy, the prescription of a noted physician, your duty is clear. Get Dr. Hamilton's Pills at once.

Remember this: It is the prescription of an eminent physician you use

Remember this: It is the prescription of an eminent physician you use in taking Dr. Hamilton's Pills. Absolute safety and permanent results guaranteed in every case of languor, weakness, headache and debility. Price 25c per box or five boxes for \$1.00 at all dealers.

Fun for Times Readers

More About Him

Old Grimes had died.

Reverent bands removed the long dack coat he had always worn.

Then it was discovered why he had ept it always buttoned down before.

He had no vest.

"Are you Mme. Bombazino, the beauty specialist?" asked the fair caller.
"Yes, ma'am," answered the elderly square jawed matron. "What can I do for you!"

hasty exit.



HOW HE WOULD FEEL.

Eliphalet-How would you feel. Ras is, ef another man was toe o' lady toe de theatre, hu? Rastus—I'd feel fo' an ax.

The Professor

His youngest grandchild had manage ying to eat it.
"Pardon me for ng to eat it.

Pardon me for taking the words out
your mouth, little one," said the prosor, hastily interposing.

Editor Had Good Intentions

Col. Jeltz of the Negro Ledger, a Kan-as publication, desired to say something ice about the "mention" of J. F. Jarnice about the "mention" of J. F. Jar-rell of Holton for state senator, so he wrote the following: "If Jarrell gets in-to the senate the thieves and grafters will not plunder the state treasury with-out his knowledge and consent."

How it Happened.

A certain member of the fashionable Metropolitan and Chevy Chase Clubs at the national capital has all his life borne many quips by reason of his exceedingly diminutive size.

diminutive size.

Last spring the diminutive club man took unto himself a wife, the daughter of a well known Federal official, who is said to be as witty as her father.

"Mrs. Blank," said a friend one day recently, "I have just seen your husband for the first time since his marriage. Do you know, he seems shorter than ever?" "Why not?" asked the wife, with a smile; "he's married and settled down." —Harper's Weekly.

"Speakin' of these here state charitable ins'tutions," remarked Uncle Jerry Peebles, "I reckon they ain't as black as they're painted nor as white as they're white-washed."

Same as Horsflesh. Rustic-What makes these

things go?"
Owner of Automobile (who had just paid a repair bill)—"Money."

"Doctor, will my boy recover?"
"Recover? Madam, it will take more than a fall off a trolley car to kill your boy. He's the toughest little imp that runs the streets."
) "O, thank you, doctor! You have taken such a load off my mind!"

His Peculiarity.

"My husband has such a curious fad. He's making a collection of fine silk um-orellas—dozens and dozens of them."
"That must be a pretty expensive fad.'
"Well, of courte, I—br——a't know-how much they cost him."



LOOKING AHEAD

Cissie—If you marry me on tel week, how are you going to keep wolf from the door? Dicky—Easy! Have no door.

Supervision.

Habifax, March 8.—Last Thursday a successful test was made of the workings of No. 1 colliery of the Nova Scotia Steel & Coal Co., Sydney Mines, with a view to minimizing the chances of accident, and the P. W. A recommend that a similar test be made every three months. This committee, after inspecting all the collieries thoroughly, made a number of suggestions, which, if followed, will in a large measure prevent future casualties.

PLEASURE, SAYS PROFESSOR

naughton is Looking For.

Health from Dr. Bracken, Secretary of the State Board of Health of Minesota, in regard to the smallpox epidemic in that State, where there are mearly 2,000 cases, states that signs are placed on the infected houses, not to designate quarantine, but to warn the public that they may avoid such if they wish. He advocates compulsory vaccination as the only means of eradicating the disease. At present there is no compulsory vaccination law in the State, though there was such a law in force some years ago.

The Provincial Board of Health have again notified Dr. Montizambert, Director-Geneval of Public Health at Ottawa, to take the matter u with Washington, or to have inspectors appointed at the boundary line to see that all persons crossing from Minnesota into Canneda shall be quarantined.

COUNT HOHENAU DEGRADED.

Kaiser's Former Adjutant Deprived of His Rank.

Berlin, March 7.—General Count Wilhelm Hohenau, former commander of the Guard Corps, and at one time adjutant to Emperor William, has been sentenced by a military court of honor to be desprived of his rank in the amy and to surrender all the orders and decorations that have been conferred upon the becomes of his connection with the soc called Court camarillia recently experienced by Maximilien Harden. The sentence has been confirmed by Emperor William.

SIX DAYS ON A RAFT.

Crew of Schonoer Wm. H. Skinner Picked

\$10 New York Excursion.

DARWINISM.

Criticism of William Jennings Bryan's Utterances.

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Sir,—Now since the hubbub recently occasioned by the speechifying of William Jennings Bryan, while on his Canadian tour, has somewhat subsided, permit me a little space in which to offer a few words in criticism of what this worthy person has said anent "Darwinism," that is, Evolution.

Without doubt Mr. Bryan is a clever speaker; perhaps he is best described as a word juggler—but whether or no, it cannot be gainsaid that he possesses a magnificent voice, even though lacking in those other qualities which constitute a true orator. With all due regard to the gentleman's "wonderful versatility" and exceptional vocal powers, however, it strikes me that Mr. Bryan gets sadly beyond his depth when he assumes to discuss a problem of such world-wide import and moment as that much maligned "theory" of evolution. Providing Mr. Bryan was reported correctely in his Montreal address, it is quite evident that the gentleman has succeeded in demonstrating not the falsity of the evolutionary "theory;" but his own colossal ignorance of the subject he undertakes to discuss. In so far his address can be said to have any bearing on the verity of "evolution," it consists mainly of catch phrases, platitudes and vagaries; he does not, and quite likely cannot, produce a single fact or vestige of evidence to bolster up his anti-evolutionary attitude. But this is not strange; only a brief review of Mr. Bryan's past is needed to convince one that he is eloquently typical of the six men who went to see the elephant, "though all of them were blind." Probably Mr. Bryan would recognize a fact were it to hit him on the nose—but it is doubtful. His recent attack on "Darwinism" or evolution fur. recognize a fact were it to hit him on the nose—but it is doubtful. His recent attack on "Darwinism" or evolution fur-

in where angels fear to tread."

Let us observe for a moment how this worthy American gives "Darwinism" its

worthy American gives "Darwinism to coup-de-grace.

The multitude of natural facts and laws, classified and formulated after years of patient study and research on the part of Darwin and a score of other men of science, are rudely—yea, one may say almost flippantly—brushed aside by this Nebraskan corn-husker, and in their place he substitutes that old, revamped and worn-out notion of "design" behind the material universe. Thus equipped—with much "faith" but design behind the material universe. Thus equipped—with much "faith" but little logic—this modern St. George sallies forth to slay the dragon "Darwinism." Needless to say, his efforts prove unsuccessful, for when the church, which

"That must be a pretty expensive fad, "Well, of course, I—er—en't know how much they cost him."

Case for an Expert.

"Have you fixed up my will just the way I told you?" asked the sick man, who was the possessor of many need relatives and some well-to-do but grasping ones.

"I have," asserted the lawyer.

"Just as strong and tight as you can make it, eh?" asked the client.

The lawyer nodded.

"All right," said the sick man. "Now I want to ask you one thing—not professionally—who do you think stands the best chance of getting the property when I'm gone?"—Youth's Companion.

"All right," said the sick man. "Now I want to ask you one thing—not professionally—who do you think stands the sick man. "Sow I want to ask you one thing—not professionally—who do you think stands the sick man." "Now I want to ask you one thing—not professionally—who do you think stands the sick man. "Now I want to ask you one thing—not professionally—who do you think stands the sick man." "Now I want to ask you one thing—not professionally—who do you think stands the sick man." "Now I want to ask you one thing—not professionally—who do you think stands the sick man." "Now I want to ask you one thing—not professionally—who do you think stands the sick man." "Now I want to ask you one thing—not professionally—who do you think stands the sick man." "Now I want to ask you one thing—not professionally—who do you think stands the sole and only explanation of the thousand and one phenomena in which Bryan and his iks see only the "myster-to-utent and only temporary allegiance—for it is leasing to note that while Bryan and his scohorts may periodically mass a died for professionally—who do you then the side of the lith ult.—that granting even Mr. Bryan's contention of a "Designer" behind the material universe (which we deny), even then the sole and only explanation of the thousand and one phenomena in which Bryan and his iks see only the "myster-to-utent and only explanation of "Darwins" will find ready acceptance in certain quarters, yet withal m

pleasing to note that while Bryau and his cohorts may periodically mass a deal of noise, they are nevertheless the centre of a gradually narrowing circle. Slowly but surely "Darwinism" is gaining ground day by day, while Bryanism is indeed "a faith that surely wanes." Few men there are, who occupy high places in science to-day, but who accept Evolution in one form or another. True, some of these are not yet prepared to go the "whole hog" by accepting the full consequences of the law, but was there ever a time in which the timorous were not to be found in the rank of science not to be found in the rank of science took the life of a human being. You let your zeal outrun your discretion, and, to say the least, you have committed a deed of gross carelessness. Beyond the fact that you knew he had committed a felony and was in flight, you, with others, followed him. Had you shot this man when he was threatening you you would have been in a different position to-day, but you were over one hundred yards away, and he was fleeing, and was shot in the back." not to be found in the rank of science as well as the more common fields of human activity? A few centuries ago but few would accept the (now proven) fact of the earth's rotundity—some even persist in a contrary belief to the present day. It would be interesting to know if Mr. Bryan is of this latter cult know if Mr. Bryan is of this latter cult also? However this may be, it is a well established fact that many learned men were convinced that Columbus has sealed his doom when he sailed his ships into the uncharted and "mysterious" waters of the unknown western ocean. Now, why was this? Because these learned, yet withal conservative men (still rooted in their preconceived notion that the earth was flat), expected Columbus' ships would sail to the edges of the world—and then fall over! How body of a man named Lamburn was found in the Grand Trunk yards shortly before 8 o'clock last night. As life was not extinct, he was taken to the General and Marine Hospital, where Dr. J. M. Jory did everything possible to restore consciousness, but this afternoon death resulted. the world—and then fall over! How childish and preposterous this notion appears to us to-day; but we must remember that since then scientific knowledge has verified the "theory" of that "heretic" from Genoa. The conservative wise men of Columbus' time were proven wrong and the "radical" Columbus was right! Is this not also to be the case between the Bryans of our age and the advanced Evolutionists such as Ernest Haeckel?

Haeckel?

Before parting company with Mr. Bryan permit me to enquire (I trust the enquiry is not impertinent), Where does the gentleman hail from? Judging by some of his utterances one might almost imagine he was from the "show me" regions of Missouri. His recent antics, however, tend to confirm the "theory" that he is from the rural districts of Virginia—where 'tis said the natives don't know that the war is over yet.

Now a word regarding the Herald's editorial comment. After pointing out how illogical and untenable is Bryan's position re evolution by referring to the proofs manifest in embryology, that is, the science of foetal development, the Herald straightway commits quite as Haeckel?

the science of foetal development, the Herald straightway commits quite as unpardonable a blunder as that of the chronic candidate for the United States presidence. chronic candidate for the United States presidency.

In summing up, the editorial in question says: "Darwinism is, of course, only a theory. Its truth has never been proven. There are eminent scientists who refuse to accept it." (I take it that the term Darwinism is here used in its broadest sense, meaning the development of the organic from the inorganic, or in other words, man from matter). To me this conclusion is entirely unfounded for the good and sufficient reason that said conclusion is quite at variance with all For shaving supplies is Gerrie's Drug Store, 32 James street north. Most complete stock, including Gillette razors, \$5. Gem safety, \$2.50. Witch safety, \$1.50. Ever-ready safety, \$1. King Shaver and carbo-magnetic (best sold), \$2. King Cutter, \$1.25, and many other kinds. Also razor hones, clippers, Adonis Hed-Rub, June clover and an immense stock of high-grade razor strops. From Suspension Bridge, via Lehigh Valley R. R., Thursday, March 12th. Tickets good 15 days. Particulars 55 King street east, Toronto, Ontario.

Twelve Killed in a Train Wreck. Orenburg, Russia, March 7. —Twelve persons were killed and forty-one injured by the derailing yesterday of a train on the Tashkent line, in the vicinity of Berchuger.

Six men of the schooner Skinner, of Baltimore, were taken from a raft at sea after aix days in nevil.

door life and coarse foods dofor the bowels. Your food, when digested, is sucked into the blood through riads of ducts in the bowels. When the bowels are clogged, the refuse is stopped. It decays. Decay generates poisons. Then those myriad ducts suck the isons into the blood. More than half the ills that we suffer come in just that way.

You in-door people—women or

men-Cascarets are for you. They

do what exercise does—what out-

The remedy is to clean out the bowels.

Not in a harsh way—not with salts, castor oil or cathartics.

But in a gentle and natural way—with Cascarets.

But this way is better yet:

Don't wait till the bowels are clogged. Keep them active.

Take one Cascaret the minute you need it. Carry a box in your poolest.

If we keep the bowels clean, we save all those bad hours

which are wasted by neglect.

That's why we make candy tablets, and put them in pocketsize boxes. We want you to learn how easy it is to keep well.

There is nothing so natural in laxatives—nothing so gentle—

Cascarets are candy tablets. They are sold by all druggists, but never in bulk. Be sure to get the genuine, with CCC on every tablet. The price is 50c, 25c and

Ten Cents per Box

statement re "Darwinism." allow me to

enquire: Does the circumstance that "certain eminent scientists" reject or accept certain dectrines affect the truth of such doctrines? Manifestly not; but from the peculiar construction of the Herald's sentences this inference is set up: "Darwinism is only a theory and its truth is unproven" because "eminent scientists refuse to accept it." I submit that this is to beg the entire question and moreover it does but create and foster prejudices in the popular mind, which must react harmfully in the consideration of more practical questions. The plain facts and the unvarnished truth will hurt nobody—with the possible exception of Mr. Bryan. Methinks, however, that in years to come, when the

sible exception of Mr. Bryan. Methinks, however, that in years to come, when the writer, the Herald's editor and even Bryan with his "woonderful versatility" are lain away and forgotten, "Darwinism" will still be marching on while monuments now undreamed of are being reared to the memory of that master mind of the nineteenth century—Charles Darwin

ROBINSON COMMITTED.

Case of Shooting the Fleeing House

breaker at Granby.

the man surrender and give himself up

Judge Mulvena, in committing him to stand his trial at the next term of King's Bench at Swetsburg, said in part "Thomas Robinson, your next term of the said in part

KILLED AT ST. CATHARINES.

Man Named Lamburn Found Dying in

Grand Trunk Yards.

St. Catharines, March 8.-The mangle

How the fatality occurred is not known. Lamburn, who is quite deaf, was engaged in the Kinleith paper mills,

was engaged in the Kinieth paper mills, and was walking home, three or four miles, along the track towards Jordan. He wore a heavy cap pulled well down over his ears, and, it is presumed, could not hear and was struck by a passing train. Lamburn is survived by a widow and son and daughter.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Bignature of Chart Hillithers

PRISON OR CANADA.

Old Country.

Hamilton's Headquarters

position. Without intent to o

mas Robinson, you are in a seriou ion. Without intent to do so you

that was all.

Hamilton, March 5, 1908.

TREED BY WOLF PACK. An Awkward Adventure of Trappers

Near Port Arthur. Port Arthur, Ont., March 8.—Fron dusk to dawn, with the thermometer below zero, clinging to a slim tree while a pack of 20 ravenous timber wolves kept up an incessant chorus

below zero, cinging to a sim tree, while a pack of 20 ravenous timber wolves kept up an incessant chorus beneath, was the fate of Tom and Patrick Murphy, two trappers, in Silver Mountains, near here, Friday night. They started off into the woods, and before they had gone far they heard the baying of wolves, which gradually became more distinct.

They thought but little of the matter until they realized that the wolves were on their tracks, following them at a good speed, but two shots failed to scare off the leaders, so the Murphys got into a tree just in time, as the leaders made a snap at them. In their hurry to reach safety Tom tore off a portion of his clothing, and, without food or overcoats, the men were kept in the tree all night.

in the tree all night. When morning came, the wolves scattered out of sight, but the men managed to pick off nine of them, for which they collected \$135 in bounty here to-day.

FULL PARDON FOR STOESSEL.

It Will be Granted on the Ground of His Ill-Health.

St. Petersburg, March 8.—It is unofficially stated that the Czar has
commuted the death sentence imposed
upon Gen. Stoesses for aurrendering
Port Arthur to ten years' imprisonmend
in a fortress. It is expected that, on
the ground of ill-health, a full pardon
will be granted him shortly.



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The Way of Some Magistrates in the Old Country,

London, March 7.—Keith Miller Hendy, aged 17, charged with the theft of £39 for betting purposes, was discharged by the Lord Mayor to-day on the understanding that he go to Canada for "a new start in life."

At Liverpool, Samuel Davis, cook, and Albert Korff, stewart, were sentenced to six months in connection with the attempt to introduce diseased aliens into Canada in August per Canadian Pacific steamer. **New Subscribers**

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NEWS **RIGHT UP** TO DATE

WORLD

WHAT IS GOING ON NOW

BASKETBALL **TOURNEY TO-DAY.**

London and Toronto Teams to Battle For Championship.

Marse Abe Won at Odds On at New Orleans-Burns-Johnson Bout in England is Off-Bowling Record Broken at Rochester.

of ladies at the Alexandra Rink this afternoon to witness the first games in the basketball tournament. first game will be at 4.15, second game at 5.15. The London and Toronto boys are here, all fit and hardy for a hard contest. Frank Harvey, who was captain of the Hamilton five when they played off for the world's championship at St. Louis, is in charge of the All London team. He will play his old position as forward.

The rest of the team will be picked from all London and should give a Ottawa. creditable showing. Toronto West End expects to be in the finals. There doubt that this afternoon's games will be fast and furious as the teams defeated will have no chance to win out. To-night the losers of this afternoon's games will play at 8.15, the winners at 9.15. Between the 8.15, the winners at 9.15. Between the halves of the last game a new attraction will be put on—broom ball. The plan for to-night is open at the Alexandra Rink box office and there are a few goods seats left. Those who intend to go will do well to have their seats reserved before hand. Seats can be secured by calling up telephone 71. The management is charging the popular price of 25c.

STARS OF THE EAST

Defeated Western Hockey Team at Toronto.

Toronto, March 9 .- The East Junior All-Stars proved better mud-horses than the West at Mutual street Saturday night, winning in a game that furnished good hockey throughout, by a score of 6 to 3. The East were always in the lead, being ahead at the half 2

The victory was unlooked for, especially in the early moments of play, when it was seen the West were the faster skaters, and, what's more, had a surprising good combination; but, while this would have played haveo on hard jee with the East, yet the victory Saturday night by the East was a well-earned one, but, as before stated, on hard ice the score would have been reversed. Considering the mildness of the weather the ice was in fair condition and the

er the ice was in fair condition and the game was certainly deserving of a larg-er crowd, although at that a fair-sized aggregation of hockey enthusiasts wit-nessed the match and they were well

what won the game for the East was grand work of their defence, Dis ette, Kyle and Reid proving a barrier the West. Many times the West for-

to the West. Many times the West forwards broke away, only to lose the puck either to Dissette or Kyle, or else Reid would spoil their chance by turning aside the shot, and there were not a few of them. Indeed, his work was one of the features of the night.

Allen the Belleville boy, soon caught the crowd's eye by his stellar work, and he took and gave bump for bump. Laflamme played a grand game throughout, while MmGiffin and Mathews on the wings worked like Trojans. Mathews and Dunbar had a battle royal. The

and Dunbar had a battle royal. The teams and summary:

East (6)—Goal, Reid (Corticellis);
point, Kyle (Eurekas); cover, Dissette,
captoin, (8t. Michaels); rover, Allen
(Belleville); centre, Laflamme (8t. Michaels); left wing, McGiffin (Simcoes);
right wing, Mathews (Eurekas.)

West (3)—Goal, Childs (Woodstock);
point, Rocher (Listowel); cover, Pres-

west (3)—(coal; Chinas (Woodstock); point, Rocher (Listowel); cover, Pres-ton (Stratford); rover, F. Rankin (Stratford); centre, Chase (Midland); right wing, Hanley (Midland); left wing, Dunbar (Midland).

OTTAWA BEATS MONTREAL.

Ottawa, March 9.—In the last game of the season here in the E. C. H. A., Ottwaa defeated Montreal Saturday night by 14 goals to 6. The score at half-time was 10 to 2, but in the second half Montreal played a much better game. The line-up was as follows:
Ottawa (14)—Goal. Lesueur; point, Pulford; cover, Taylor; rover, Westwick; centre. Walsh; right wing, Smith; left wing, Phillips.
Montreal (6)—Goal, Finnie; point.

professional brand. The Tigers' line-up will be as follows: Goal—Regan. Point—McDonald. Cover point—Huds Rover—Murdock. Centre—Ratelle.

Right—Rose, Left—Drouchen. If there is ice available, the St. Kitts. team will play here at the Thistle Rink on Friday night.

HOCKEY SUMMARY. All-Star Juniors. Eastern Canada League. Shamrocks.7 Quebec14 Montreal Jansen Cup.23 Waterloo Berlin .. Exhibition

KILTIES WON.

Brantford Officers Played Indoor Ball Here.

The officers of the 38th Regiment Brantford paid their return visit to the officers of the 91st Regiment on Saturday evening. They arrived here about 6 day evening. They arrived here about 6 o'clock and were met by a number of the 91st, who escorted them to the Hamilton Club, where dinner was served. About 9 o'clock all adjourned to the armory, where a game of indoor baseball was played. While they suffered defeat at the hands of the local officers, the score was fairly close at all times. The final score was 48 to 30 in favor of the Highlanders. The teams were:

anders. The teams were:

38th—Colquhoun, Powell, Secord, Newman, Ashton, Pierce, Carlyle, Towers and Soulson.

91st—Evel. Bruce, Linton, Colquboun, Bell, R. Moodie, Stewart, Morison,

After the game a pleasant time was in the officers' mess of the 91st spent in the officers mess of the party until train time. Major Howard and Major Jenet were in charge of the party from Brantford, and Col. Logie looked after the local boys in a capable manner. IN THE TRI CLUB LEAGUE.

In the "Big Three" League on Satur day afternoon in the Y. M. C. A. gymna sium the Travellers defeated the Bank ers by a score of 19 to 16. At the end of the ninth inning the teams were tied, with 16 runs each. An extra inning was ordered, and the Drummers scored three. ordered, and the Drummers scored three, while a goose egg was handed to the Gold Bugs. A large crowd witnessed the game, which was close and exciting throughout. The batteries were: Bankers, Stead and Smith; Travellers, Male and Dore. Messrs, Bradley and Wark were the umpires.

were the umpires.

Saturday's game was the last in the "supper" schedule, but as all three are tie for first place, two more games have been ordered. The Bankers and Tigers will play next Saturday, and the winners will meet the Drummers the following Saturday to decide which club has to pay for a supper.

WINDSOR WALLORED LONDON.

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INDSOR WALLOPED LONDON.

London, March 9.—Owing to unavoid-levacuated the camp on Saturday. WINDSOR WALLOPED LONDON.

able circumstances the indoor baseball team representing the Western Ontario Military League will not play off with the winners of the castern district for the league championship. There are several circumstances which would mitigate rather seriously against such an honored proceeding, but there is one in particular that should be dealt with first, and as it in itself is all sufficient, further enumeration would be unnecessary. This one particular circumstance is that Windsor dropped in here Saturday night and nipped the ambitious local toesers in the but with such perfect craftemanship that there will be no further blossoming until next fall. It was a Windsor walkaway from the start to the finish, and they opened up with six runs in the first inning. Mr. Brian was on the heap and Mr. Brian had everything that was needed for the complete mystification of the celebrated Seventh Fusiliers. The team behind him could lift, run bases and—field much in the style of the one-time famous outdoor nine led by Teddy Deneau, of Grand Rapids fame, and his side-kicker, "Stumpy" Lachlan.

The line-ups were: Windson—Stokes Ls., Ponting c.

"Stumpy" Lachlan.
The line-ups were:
Windsor—Stokes l.s., Ponting c.,
Brian p., Payne 2b. E. Brian l.f., Carmichael lb, Ruthven-3b, Bryden r.s., Fuller

r.f. London—Nettleship 2b, Ironsides 1b, Anderson r.s., Myers l.s., McColl 3b, Penwarden r.f., Callaban l.f., Condon c. Orr Windsor 6102102520—28 London 0010 00001— 2

HARRIERS' MEET.

Mass, McCullough and Bainbridge Were the Winners.

A large crowd attended the Y. M. C. . Harriers' athletic meet on Saturday night. The results were as follows: 20 yard dash-1, J. Maas, 2 D. Mcullough, 3 H. Fraser.

Cullough, 3 H. Fraser.

Walking potato race—1 D. McCullough 2 J. Bainbridge, 3 H. Dean.

Running high jomp—1 J. Bainbridge,
J. Maas and F. Dean tied for 2nd.

Pick-a-back race—1 F. Dean and J.

Maas; 2 H. Fraser and J. Bainbridge;
3 Archdale Dixon and W. Kennedy.

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be held next Saturday evening. Many
young athletes are in training for the
coming scason, and it is not an unusual
occurance to see a bunch of fellows
running around the track on Tuesday
and Thursday nights. There are many
promising athletes in the club and it
is the club's expectation to develop
these into first raters.

GOOD SHOOTING AT H. G. C. TRAPS.

. The regular shoot of the Hamilton Gun Club for the Robertson, Reardon and Du Pont Trophies was held on Sat-urday afternoon. Dr. Wilson and H. urday afternoon. Dr. Wilson and H. Barnard captured the spoons given in connection with the 25-bird events, but they had to shoot all the way, as in the first event W. P. Thomson tied with the

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-	Court Thomson	6	21	20
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	Woodman		16	15
g	Rich		22	20
	Royal	9	19	2
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	Beach Club, of Toronto	, w	ill be	the

Harry Adler, clothing salesman, 40 years of age, shot and killed his divorced wife, Miss Grace Nottingham, 27 years of age, in a room in the Waldors Hotel at Denver, Col., last Wednesday night, and then shot himself to death.

COMMENT

Tommy Burns has only made \$76,000 the ring. And yet he is not discourged. He has not yet accepted Jack from George Kennedy, of Montreal. in the ring. And yet he is not discouraged. He has not yet accepted Jack

of the season here in the E. C. II. A., the has not yet accepted Jack to the second half Montreal Saturday night by 14 goods to 6. The secore at half-time Hamilton Lacrosse Club.

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SHAMPOCKS 7, OURBEC 6.

Montreal. March 8.—Saturday the Shamrocks defected dynebec to-night at the Arab by 7 to 6 in the last of the E. Shamrocks and the state of the Sha

R. H. Y. C. IS IN A **FLOURISHING CONDITION**

Annual Meeting Will be Held Next
Saturday Evening in Board of
Trade.

The anual meeting of the Royal
Hamilton Yacht Club will be held
next Saturday evening in the Board
of Trade rooms. In addition to the
receiving of reports and the election
of officers, the meeting will be asked
to vote on some amendments to the
by-laws of the club. One of the
changes proposed to provide for the
appointing of a paid secretary, who
shall not be a member of the committee of management, but shall act
under the instruction of the committee.

Nominations for the various offices
of the club must be in the hands of
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club, has issued a written report to

pended in permanent improvements and furniture during the season, and the Club House is now in a satis-factory condition, the comfort of the yachting members having been espec-ially studied in making these improve-

and improved the lies increase in the membership during the past few years, involving a corresponding increase in the secretary's duties, the Guy R. Judd, the Commodore of the appointment of a steward became ne

club, has issued a written report to the members. From it the following extracts were taken:

There were 23 committee meetings held during the year.

"The sum of nearly \$250.00 was expended in permanent improvements and furniture during the season, and the Club House is now in a satisfactory condition, the comfort of the yachting members having been especially studied in making these improvements.

"There were 30 club races held, in which 120 boats took part. The com-

To Encourage the **Breeding of Good Horses**

From the Canadian Sportsman: of the Ontario Jockey Club, Toronto. The directors of the Ontario Jockey Club have decided to offer the sum of slight to improve the quality of the horses bred in their respective countries. Two notable exceptions are the Dominion Government at Ottawa and the local Legislature of Ontario. The former never has professed any, friendly feeling in er has professed any, friendly feeling in

to the desert.

We publish a copy of the circular and also the form of application that must be made to Mr. W. P. Fraser, Secretary

Entries close May 1st.

1. Stallions to be registered in

legislature of Ontario. The former never has professed any, friendly feeling in such directions, while the Ontario Government has been been fulfilled. Under such efreemistances, it is gratifying to note that the premier Racing Association of Canada has given another evidence that it is not in the game for the sole purpose of making maney. For years its stockholders refused to accept even moderate interest on the money they had invested, preferring to expend the surplus in improving their property and making it attractive their patrons.

The circular we publish below thoroughly explains itself. It denotes \$1,000 in the hope of improving the quality of half-bred horses in Ontario, and the liberal provisions attached thereto should command the enthusiastic support of every owner of a thoroughred stallion. No matter whether your horse has a fashionable pedigree or not, he is just as likely to produce a fine service able half-bred as his more aristocratic to the desert.

We publish a copy of the circular and also the form of application that must the such as the supplies and and so the form of application that must. Stud Book of the 2 canadian Thoroughred Horse Society, Ottawa, or in the Stud Book, published by the Jockey Club, New York.

2. To be owned by Canadians, American Stud Book, published by the Jockey Club, ing to compete (a) must register the name of stallion; (b) the service fee; (e) where standing, and must obtain from W. P. Fraser, Secretary of the Ontario Jockey Club, a service book, which book must be returned to him took late than the lst of September of this year, stating the names and adverses of owners of mares covered. By the strong the provisions attached thereto should command the enthusiastic support of every owner of a thoroughbred to the Secretary of the Ontario Jockey Club reserving the right to verify the affidavit when prizes wilk be awarded and paid in the following proportions to the owner of the stallion at time of entry. Ist prize, \$250; 2nd, \$200; 3rd, \$175; 4th, \$150; 5th, \$100; 6th

CRICKET BY THE HEARTH.

with a big of characteristic English brag. totally and wholly unsupported by facts, and when I say facts I mean facts. Aus-

tralia always wins on her merits."
Quick cricket is now being played daily as an outdoor pastime in England, which is really that dear old game of our childhood, tip-and-run, the rule being that the batsmen must attempt a run whenever they strike the ball. Lawn tennis rackets There is a rumor going about that the about a dozen yards apart, and it seems certain that if the bowlers cared to send the ball down at any pace the batsmen, handicapped by the artificial light, would be at their merey. Last week in London the games were between sides composed of Middlesex and Surrey professionals, the former being represented by A. E. Trott, Hendren, T. J. Hearne and Mignon, and the latter by A. Marshall, Davis, Hitch and Gooder. After two innings had been played Surrey was leading by 11, runs. In the second inning every player was run out with the exception of Trott, who was stumped.

Montreal, March 8.—The cricketers are beginning. His the lacrosse and hear.

"Fair Play" writes from Peterboro: for the coming season, although it is Your correspondent, Mr. Walter Stocker, ums up the English tour in Australia ith a big of characteristic English brag, otally and wholly unsupported by facts, to when I say facts I mean facts. Australia always wins on her merits."

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are used instead of bats, and a soft ball is employed. The wickets are pitched about a dozen yards apart, and it seems certain that if the bowlers cared to send will insist on the Montreal Club playing

was stumped.

Montreal, March 8.—The cricketers are beginning, like the lacrosse and base—may be a withdrawal of the senior team ball men, and the soccer players also, to talk of the possibilities and probabilities: entered instead to take its place.

ALL OFF NOW.

English Syndicate Disgusted With Jack Johnson.

and gymnasium work during the past

London, March 8.—After the news had been cabled to America that the forfeits for the proposed fight between Tommy Burns and Jack Johnson had been withdrawn, Kell, the representative of the syndicate which put up the purse, received the following despatch from Sam Fitzpatrick, Johnson's manager, in New York:

"Accept if you allow \$1,000 expenses and agree to post \$500 here." Kelly replied: "Syndicate disgusted with Johnson's action; calls everything off. Johnson's knew terms."

Burns is training hard for his contest with Jem Roche, which takes place at Dublin on St. Patrick's Day. Burns takes a more serious view of this match than any of his previous matches in length, and has done a lot of road against the hit.

BOWLING RECORDS.

Was Broken and Another Threatened at Rochester.

Rochester, N. Y., March 9 .- The beat work of the first week of the National Bowling ssociation's tournament was done in Saturday's games, when one world's record was broken and another threatened. John McGuirk and John J. Grady, of Paterson, N. J., rolled 1,318 in the doubles, breaking the former record of 1,275, made by Fisher and Blouin, of Chicago, in the recent Toronto tourney.

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To-night, in the individuals, Fred Schwartze, of Brooklyn, rolled a total of 697, two pirs short of the world's record made at Cincinnati by A. Wengler, of Chicago. Other high scores in the singles were: Erdman, New York, 659; Parker, New York, 624; Sauer, New York, 610; H. Stoike, Chicago, 607; Taylor, Paterson, N. J., 606.

The annual meeting of the association was held, and New York was awarded the 1999 tournament. It is the intention of the Metropolitan bowlers to hold the games in Madison Square Garden, beginning about May 18, 1909.

The following officers were elected: President, John J. Clingen, New York; First Vice-President, John G. Floss, Buffalo; Second Vice-President, James H. Pennington, Wilmington, Del.; Secretary, L. C. Stevens, New Brunswick, N. J.; Treasurer, E. E. Dungan, Philadelphia.

A TWELVE-HOUR GRIND.

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Toronto, March 9.—Manager Ryan, of the Toronto Bowling Club, has made arrangements to run off a big trelve-hour grind Friday, March 27. Nineteen teams are all that will be allowed to compete, so the first entries received will be theones accepted. The fontowing is the prize list, which is, without doubt, the best ever offered for a bowling grind:

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Second—Two handsome solid silver

second—Two handsome solid silver ving cups, valued at \$15 each. Third—Two dress suit cases, valued at 810 each. Fourth—Two sets pipes in cases, val-

ued at \$8 a set.

Fifth—Two pearl and gold tie pins, valued at \$6 each.

alued at \$6 each.

Also a handsome solid silver tenpin alued at \$25, for the individual total to the most number of nins. Only Also a handsome solid silver tenpin, valued at \$25, for the individual totaling the most number of pins. Only one team from each outside town or city will be accepted.

The entrance fee will be \$4 a team, and all entries must be in not later than Saturday, March 21.

BISHOP'S LETTER.

New York Clergyman Deals With Racing Evil.

New York, March 8 .- Following is the text of Bishop Potter's letter to August Belmont, which was read at the hearing before the codes committee at Albany before the codes committee at Albany on the Agnew-Hart bill: "No one who knows anything of race track gambling can do otherwise than deplore it. The question of its continued mischief is, as I think the Rev. Mr. Slicer has clearly shown, a question of regulation rather than suppression. Ideally, we would all rather have suppression, but driving a disease under the skin is not curing it, and we may wisely begin, at any rate, with enactments which are educative rather than more sweeping in their aim. From a deepening public conviction which does not invade private rights, we may be able to advance in the higher may be able to advance in the higher ground up to which, as yet, public opin ion is not ripe to ascend."

ANTICIPATING LEGISLATION.

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New York, March 8.—Accompanying the entry lists for stakes to be decided at Belmont Park, which were sent out some time ago, was a notice to the effect that in the event of adverse legislation at Albany the Westacester Racing Association reserved the right to run off the stakes at some track outside the State of New York. This was an exception to the rule, for the other Jockey Club tracks made no such stipulation on their entry blanks.

MARKE ABE AT 7 TO 20.

MARSE ABE AT 7 TO 20.

New Orienns, Li., March 8.—Marse Abe won the Carnival Stakes by a neck from Brougham at the Fair Grounds on Saturday. There were six starters, and rough riding on the part of Powers and Notter, the latter on Marse Abe, marked the finish. The riders were roughing each other for the final sixteenth struggle, and bumped Brougham enough to enable him to land Marse Abe the winner. Irrigator was third. Marse tainty Abe was favorite at 7 to 20. Grougham SADDLE AND SULKY.

SADDLE AND SULKY.

The fine race mare Springwells has a fiply foal at the Valley Farm by The Commoner. At Mr. George Heading Royal Cak farm, near Detroit, Noblesse and Whisting Girl Lave had cours to Monsieur Braucaire.

It is probable that the yearings of Mr. W. O. Parmer's Ederwooll stud will be sold in Toronto during the second week of the Woodkine spring meeting, instead of at New York, as in the mast Canadian purchasers will thus be saved the very considerable expense of shipment and other charges that much be met when buying in the New York market.

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New interest in the New York market.

New interest in the New Prikosia, carrying about 100 pounds, worked a mile over the City Park track in a fraction less than 1.41, which was considered by good horsemen to be a capital move. Burkew, on hearing of the work, merely sturlong," He deniedshaving had any offer from Paul J. Rainey for the transfer of Chapultepee.

Charles Reed has just cold his Fairview Farm, mar Gailatin, Tenn, 1,200 acres in extent, to a real estate syndicate for \$75,000. The farma-is six miles from Gail-tim, nar Gailatin, Tenn, 1,200 acres in extent, to a real estate syndicate for \$75,000. The farma-is six miles from Gail-tim, out of Tora, which raced in Richard Croker's colors bere and which died abroad. A statue of Dobbins, life size, adcress Mr. Croker's stud farm in Ireland.

A. J. Joyner, one of the most capable men in the business, is the trainer of the Whitney stable.

Mr. A. H. Brener, who has Goldbottom in the King's Plate, is the London owner, and nat a Torontonian, as given in the list first published.

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RIDING CLUB OFFICERS.

The annual meeting of the Hamilton Riding Tub was held in the parlor of insane by jeniousy.

Antonio Peretto shot and killed Mrs. Jennie Babcock, with whom he had been very friendly, and then killed himself at Middletown, N. Y. on Saturday. It is believed that Peretto was driven insane by jeniousy.

AND GOSSIP

and gynnasum work during the past week, with occasional sparring. He will leave for Dublin on March 15. In answer to a later telegram from New York, Burns has expressed a will-ingness to meet Johnson in America in a finish fight.

AMUSEMENTS

FRAND TO-NIGHT

NOT READY YET FOR CITY COUNCIL

(Continued from page 1.)

the week to be able to give a large num ber of men employment on sewer con-

Relief Officer McMenemy estimates that the city has cared for nearly six hundred families during the winter months, supplying them with fuel, clothing and provisions. In addition to this, a great number of individual cases have received attention. The Relief Officer has not figured out the expense yet, but the overdraft in the charity account will probably shock the aldermen. Had it not been for the assistance given by the charitable organizations and private citizens, the cost to the city would probably have been doubled. Early in the facil Mr. McMenemy received requests Mr. McMenemy received requests heeping the poor, and to each of these he assigned a family. In this way a great many poor people were cared for without the assistance of the city or the Officers of the charitable or-s think that it will be the end of April before the drain on their funds

The smallpox epidemic, which the health authorities believe they have succeeded in stamping out, has cost the city nearly \$6,000. There is only one patient at the isolation hospital now, Edward Lesfie, and he will be released within two days. The building of the new isolation hospital, for which \$5,000 has been granted by the Council, wall probably be proceeded with at once. The board has given the authorities of the old Catholic Cemetery, who permitted the erection of temporary smallpox buildings on the property, a guarantee that the structures will be removed in the spring. It is said that some of the patients who are isolated in the building did not relish the idea of being quarantmed in a cemetery.

The Board of Heacth will back up the request of the property owners on Paradise road, who are making application for a water supply. The water will be required at the new isolation hospital, and it looks as if the main would be built.

City Engineer Barrow says that the work of repairing the celebrated sand-speker, which was burned to the water's edge last year, has been completed and all that is required now to begin the work of giving the basins a thorough cleaning is a captain and good weather.

Mr. Barrow will begin at once preparing the plans for the new pump house at the Beach, so that there will be no delay on that account when the city makes up its mind as to which power it is going to use for the new electric pumps.

City Solicitor Waddell has received word that the city's application for an order compelling the T. H. & B. to erect an overhead bridge over the Garth street crossing will be heard at Toronto on March 18th.

HE HAS DECLINED.

Extra \$1,000 a Year Did Not Tempt Mr. McPherson.

Although offered an advance of \$1.000 a year over the salary he is receiving, and an assistant pasnow receiving, and an assistant pastor, which would give him much more spare time for study, Rev. Neil Mc-Pherson has decided to decline the invitation to Louisville, Ky., and to remain with the Tabernacle Presbyterian Church, Indianapolis. When it became known that he had been called to Louisville a meeting of the Indianapolis congregation was called and an unusually large number responded. A strong resolution was unanimously passed. It pointed out that his pastorate was begun under a providential guidance as unusual and peculiar as it had been successful and beneficial. It added: "We are joined to Dr. McPherson by the ties of love and by a unity of purpose now indissoluble. What, therefore, God hath joined together, let no man (or congregation) put asunder. It is our sincere conviction, arrived at through calm and prayerful deliberation, that there is no fact, circumstance or reason apparent to us sufficient to constitute a cause for the separation of Dr. McPherson and this congregation at this time." tor, which would give him much more

The committee which waited on Dr. McPherson assured him of the devo-tion and love of every member.

SUMMER MONTHS EXCEPTED.

Manager Byrne, of the Ontario Pipe Line Company, said this morning that the charge of \$1 a month to which a few objections had been raised applied few objections had been raised applied only to the winter months, when the gas consumption ought to be the greatest. It had nothing to do with the term from May I to Oct. I, because the company realized that consumers did not require gas in as large quantities during that period. The low charge had been made with the object of getting the people to use enough gas to make it worth the while installing the service and reading the meter. That was all.

A HARDSHIP.

That august body, the Saltfleet Township Council, has got down to rather small business in taxing the Women's Wentworth Historical Society on battlefield park. The ladies have done a good work in preserving the battlefield, and have added much to the historical importance of that part of the country. Former Councils have recognized this and have always remitted the taxes, but the present Council evidently does not look beyond the few paltry dollars.

Blessings of the Blind

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The calamity of the blind is immense, irreparable. But it does not take away our share of the things that count—service, friendship, humor, imagination, wisdom. It is the secret inner will that controls one's fate. We are capable of willing to be good, of loving and being loved, of thinking to the end that we may be wiser. We possess these spirit-born forces equally with all God's children. Therefore we, too, see the lightnings and hear the thunders of Sinai. We, too, march through the wilderness and the solitary place that shall be glad for us, and as we pass, God maketh the desert to blossom like the rose. We, too, go in unto the Promised Land to possess the treasures of the spirit, the unseen permanence of life and nature.—Helen Keller's "Sense and Sensibility" in the March Century.

TEA TABLE GOSSIP.

—The March meeting of the Hamilton Dickens' Fellowship will be held on the evening of Thursday, March 19. —Messrs. John Hoodless and D. J. Peace have gone to Cleveland to attend the Scottish Rite reunion.

-Mrs. W. W. McGee, nee Dods, Toron-to, will receive for the first time since her marriage on Thursday afternoon, March 12, at her home, 192 Herkimer

—Mr. Albert H. Robinson, whose work at the O. S. A. exhibition at Toronto attracted much favorable comment, has gone to Montreal to exhibit at the Art Association there.

Association there.

—William Haynes, who was committed for trial last week on a charge of stealing coal, was before Judge Snider this morning for election. He decided to be tried by the Judge to-morrow.

—Among the new companies which have just obtained Provincial charters are the Bowman-Gray Lumber Company, Dundas, capital \$40,000, and the Oakville Fruit and Fertilizer Company, capital \$5,000.

—Mrs. R. H. Cummer (nee Kelk) will seeive for the first time at her home, 61 Charlton avenue west, on Wednes-ay afternoon, March 11th, and after-ards on the second Wednesday of each

-Mr. W. N. Warburton, of Windsor, general manager of the Windsor, Essex & Lake Shore Rapid Railway Company, is in the city. His mother, who resides here, has bad a severe attack of grip,

—Dr. Warren White, who has had what was thought to be a slight touch of blood poisoning for some time, was taken suddenly and seriously ill vesterday and is now in the City Hospital. He is a little better to-day, but still quite

This week et waugh's, colored shirts fifty-nine cents, regular price one dollar, made by one of the best makers, every

—Mr. Thomas Burns, 150 Victoria avenue south, fell on Wellington street, just above King, on Saturday at noon, and received a bad cut in the head. He was carried into F. W. Mills' drug store unconscious, and subsequently taken home. Mr. Burns lost considerable blood, but is reported to be on the mend to-day.

LOCAL AUTO CLUB.

which is a strong Provincial organization, working for just legislation, good roads, and the observance of the law by motorists.

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It was unanimously decided by the members of the Local Club to affiliate with the Ontario Motor League and all automobile owners in this district are invited to become members.

The following officers were elected:

Ear the anxion year:

For the ensuing year:
President—Mr. Paul J. Myler.
Ist Vice-President—Mr. A. E. Carpen-

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ficers and Messrs. W. M. Clendenning, A. P. Goering, S. O. Greening, Col. J. R. Moodie and J. M. Young.

Following are the teams which are taking part in the basketball tournament at the Alexandra Rink:
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Day and P. Hamm, R. McMurtrie, J.
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In the City League basketball games on Saturday night the East Hamilton boys defeated the Wanderers by a score boys defeated the Wanderers by a score of 17 to 15. In the second game the Rangers met the Swastikas, Swastikas winning by a score of 26-16. The rangers were handicapped in the absence of W. Southam. The officials were J. Dearness, C. Webster and B. McKay, R. Kerr timer and score.

and scorer.

The Tigers will meet the clerks, and the Alexandras will meet the business men to-morrow afternoon. Officials will be E. Buscombe and F. Stevens.

Dallas, Texas, March 9.—Charles Jackson Vandusen, the once famous jockey, died here yesterday. His last riding was in Germany, where he rode several times for the Kaiser.

STORY WAS NOT TRUE.

There was a story around the City Hall to-day that Detective Wm. Huckle had threatened to evict an English family named Pawley, residing at 326 King street east, because they could not pay their rent. Pawley and his wife have signed a statement to the effect that Huckle never even suggested such a thing, but had shown them kindness. Mr. Huckle thinks it was a deliberate attempt to discretic him.

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THE WEATHER.

FORECASTS.—Fair and cold to-day and Tuesday.

The following is issued by the Department of Marine and Fisheries: Temperature. 8 a. m. Min. Weather.

The cold wave which was coming in over the western provinces on Saturday over the western provinces on Saturday morning has spread eastward over On-tario and western Quebec. The tempera-ture is below zero in Manitoba and Northern Ontario. The thermometer is high over the western part of Canada, and there are some indications that a storm will develop near the Atlantic coast.

washington, Mtrch 9.—Forecasts: Eastern States and Northern New York: Partly cloudy and slightly colder to-night; colder Tuesday; fresh north winds.

Western New York: Partly cloudy to-night; colder in the east portion; Tues-day fair.

TO ENLARGE.

Work On St. John Sunday School Going On.

St. John Presbyterian Church is just about ready to proceed with Sunday school improvements. building committee will meet on Wednesday evening to finally decide upon plans, etc. It has been practically agreed that the west wall of the school will be rebuilt out to the street line, allowing for two large class rooms, and providing accommodation for the choir as well ing accommodation for the choice.

The school is growing and taxes the present accommodation to the utmost. The sent accommodation to the utmost was 000 and changes will cost between \$2,000 and

THE BUILDERS' EXHIBITION.

The April Show Promises to be One of the Finest Ever Held in Canada.

Mr. Paul J. Myler Was Elected President.

The annual meeting of the Hamilton Automobile Club was held at the Commercial Club on Saturday evening and was largely attended by Hamilton motorists. Mr. T. A. Russell, President of the Ontario Motor League addressed the meeting on the work of the League, which is a strong Provincial organization.

Active preparations are already in morgoress for the builders' and contractors' exhibition, which is to be held in the Coliseum, at the corner of Guy and Dorchester streets. This display promises to be far and away a greater success than the first exhibition, which was held in the Victoria Rink last fall, although that exceeded all the expectations of the promoters. The approaching exhibition, to be held during Easter week, April 20, will have many features which from the standpoint of the exhibitions and visitors will mark it as one of the finest in the list of Canadian trade shows of recent years.

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Apart from the spectacular point of view, which was very attractive, the last exhibition was most successful in its money-making aspect, and the proof of its utility is to be found in the fact that nearly all the firms that exhibited that nearly all the irrns that exhibited last year have applied for space in the coming exhibition. The change in the date has been made at the request of those most nearly concerned so as to meet the desires of the exhibitors. Dur-

meet the desires of the exhibitors. During the summer months builders and contractors are so busy that they have little or no time to devote to preparations for exhibition purposes. Contracts, too, are largely carried through in the spring, and new devices shown at this exhibition will stand a good chance of being adopted in the coming season.

The site selected for this year's show is the new Coliseum rink building. Increased space will thereby be obtained and many exhibitors already are asking for large spaces in which to make a good display. Applications have been received not only from the mapority of the prindisplay. Applications have been received not only from the mapority of the prin-cipal concerns in Canada, but also from many in the United States. The exhibition will be open for six

many in the United States.

The exhibition will be open for six days. During the four days of the last exhibition 11,584 persons paid for admission. This year it is estimated that triple this number will pass the box office. The list of firms that have already secured space includes the following: Beullae Limited, Rexford Bishop, E. Cavanagh, T. Chanaine, Jos. Laurier, J. B. Gratton, Wm. St. Pieril, Dominion Oilcloth Company, Jos. Touzin, Leger Laeroix, Praullet and Lessard, L. Glodul, A. M. Ellicott Company, Amie Julian, Lockerby & McCompany, Amie Julian, Lockerby & McCompany, and Ashacia A. M. Ellicott Company, Amie Julian, Lockerby & McComb, Canadian Asbestos Company, Marble Stewart Company, E. F. Dartnell, Warden King & Co., Clinton Fireproof Company, Pedlar Roofing, Swan Church Company, Leprairie Brick Company, Montreal Terra Cotta Com-pany, Francis Hyde Company, Hyde & Webster, T. A. Morrison and many others others.

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SMALL.—At his late residence, 214 Hunter street east, on Friday, 7th March, 1908, Alexander Small, in his 59th year, Funeral Tuesday at 2 p. m. Interment at Hamilton cemetery. Flowers gratefully declined.

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