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TO STAND OR FALL BY THE VETO BILL Announcement After Meeting of Asquith Cabinet - Laborites and Irish Are Becoming More Tractable.

LONDON, Feb. 22.—Without any actual change in the parliamentary situation, the outlook to-night was more hopeful for the government. It seems that certain ministers met the new parliament Monday without having taken any great care either to seek the views of the various groups forming the government majority, or to satisfy their susceptibilities, and the surprise with which the Nationalists and Laborites learned they had misapprehended Premier Asquith's speech with reference to securing "guarantees" for dealing with the house of lords was in a great measure responsible for the acute crisis.

Plucky Engineer Averts a Wreck

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—Engineer John Cody's presence of mind probably averted what might have been a serious wreck to a crowded ten-car passenger train on the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to-day.

WAR ON RUSSELL, M.P. HOT TALK FOR BORDEN

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Another sensation is also promised. The World is informed that immediately Mr. Lumsden, one of the engineers in districts B or F of the transcontinental railway construction work as having made false excavation returns, that engineer will be arrested under the criminal code at the instance of the attorney-general of the province.

The situation is keenly canvassed in the lobbies to-night, and it is fully anticipated that the sensation will be as great as the McGreevy case during the session of 1891.

While the Conservative members are keenly excited over the events of the day, and the probable development, there is also strong criticism by many Liberal members who expected there would be a fair field and no favor.

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THIRTY THOUSAND LOSS IN ADELAIDE ST. FIRE

Art Wallpaper Company Stock Completely Destroyed and Other Premises Damaged.

Fire, which apparently started from defective electric wiring, damaged the building 8 to 14 West Adelaide-st., and the contents to the extent of about \$30,000. The blaze was discovered at 7:40 last night, and was vigorously fought by the department, in charge of Deputy Chief Noble, for over two hours before it was finally subdued and confined to the first and ground floors of the building, and to that part known as No. 14, and occupied by the Art Wallpaper Co. The building, which is an old three-story brick structure, is owned by Ryrie Bros. It was damaged to the extent of \$2000, and is fully insured.

The wallpaper company's loss was placed at between \$15,000 and \$20,000 by P. H. McGee, president of the company. This is insured for \$15,000 by the Ottawa, Rimouski and another company. The stock is totally destroyed by fire and water. Above this wallpaper company's premises are those of T. W. Capp, manufacturer of jewelry. He loses nothing, as neither fire nor water reached his stock.

The premises at No. 10 are vacant, but the ground floor of 12 is occupied by J. Bruner, tailor. His loss will be \$2000. Glasco & Co., who occupy the ground floor of No. 14, will lose \$1000 on a stock of \$2000, fully insured. Lavigne & Co. lose \$5000, and Mr. Lavigne said last night that their loss would be crippling as the firm owed heavily for their goods.

Mr. McGee, with others, was on the ground floor of the building when the fire started. One of the hands went to the basement and found the ceiling in flames. An alarm was immediately turned in. No furnace or other fire is kept in this basement.

How Fire Was Fought. Deputy Chief Noble was on the scene five minutes after the alarm and took charge of the fight, Chief Thompson being in Syracuse, N.Y., attending a meeting of the executive of the International Chiefs Association.

Flames were seen rising in the cellar and on the first and second floors in the rear; indeed, when the Adelaide-street sections first reached the lane, the flames were leaping across and threatening the building on the other side.

Ladders were raised to the second floor and the fire was soon under control there. But the cellar proved a more stubborn proposition. The first floor is four feet below the level of the lane, and this made it very difficult to get into the basement, and a hole had to be chopped in the floor to make a way for the hose. Curved nozzles were used. As the fire had to be fought simultaneously on the upper floors, the task was a difficult one.

Worked Up Shaft. The fire, which did its chief damage at the rear, worked from the basement up the stairway and hoist shaft. Tons of wallpaper were stored in the building and this made grave danger of the hoists falling. District Chief Smalley, Villiers, Smith and Forsythe were assisting Chief Noble, and when he quit at 11 o'clock, left the latter with a squad of men to stay on watch throughout the night.

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MANITOBA'S FINE SURPLUS AND HOW IT WAS HELPED

Tax on Corporations Netted Quarter Million—Increased Dominion Subsidy is Appealed For.

WINNIPEG, M., Feb. 22.—(Special)—Hon. Hugh Armstrong, provincial treasurer, presented his annual budget this afternoon showing that Manitoba has a record surplus of \$634,118. The total revenue was \$3,376,892, and the total expenditure \$2,742,774. Revenues were \$208,464.44 over the estimates, and the expenditures \$172,676 less.

The bonds of the province sold during the year at 95.5 for some, and at par for others, the highest figure ever received by a western province. One of the largest items in the budget receipts is taxation of corporations, particularly railways, which amounts to \$250,000.

The financial methods of the province have been reorganized and in future, instead of issuing bonds the stock of provinces will be issued on the London market. A strong appeal for better financial terms with the Dominion was made. Manitoba last year got \$100,000 from the Dominion Government, while Alberta and Saskatchewan received \$468,750. The two western provinces will, as they grow, have their subsidy increased to \$1,125,000. Manitoba's subsidy remains stationary.

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## AN EXPLOSION OF GAS SCARES FIFTY CHILDREN

### Almost a Serious Accident at First Congregational Church—Drain Inspector Appointed.

HAMILTON, Feb. 22.—(Special)—It was announced at the meeting of the works committee this evening that George Kerr, father of Bobby Kerr, the sprinter, had been appointed by the board of control as drain inspector at \$750 a year. Inspection of drains will be charged for at the rate of \$1 each. City Engineer Macaulm reported that it would cost \$180,000 to provide sewers for the new annex. Sewers that will cost about \$120,000 will be laid this year by local improvement. The street railway wanted to use a 70-pound rail on its construction work this year, but has agreed to use an 80-pound rail seven inches in depth. Last year it used 30-pound rails, 9 inches deep. The Cataract has been sending in accounts for power under the 1908 contract, until they now amount to \$6023. The mayor said that the company should be notified at once that the city would not pay the account, so that the matter could be fought at once without delay.

### Will Sue Board of Health.

C. T. Connor, who says that his daughter who was taken to the isolation part of the City Hospital with diphtheria, and contracted scarlet fever there, from which she died, notified the hospital governors at their meeting to-day that he would sue them for damages.

The board of education asked for a room at the hospital to be used for dental parlors, where the teeth of the poor children of the public schools would be attended to free, but the governors turned down the request, advocating a room in one of the schools. The salary of Miss White, dentist, was increased from \$30 to \$40 a month, and Dr. Sutherland, who acted as medical superintendent while Dr. Langrish was ill, was voted \$300.

### Gas Explosion in Church.

A room full of gas, which escaped from a main in the First Congregational Church this evening, and exploded, blew out a couple of windows, tore the door off its hinges and gave fifty children a bad scare. A jet had been left burning in an anteroom, and there was a leak in the pipe below. The gas which escaped through this hole, about 3:30, set on fire by the burning gas. In a room adjoining were the children, who were badly scared when they heard the crash of the glass. About 500 dollars worth of property was destroyed. The explosion occurred on March 1, the Hamilton office of The Toronto World will be located at 18 East Main-street. John S. Scott, agent. Phone 1946.

### Salary Increases.

The board of control has decided upon the following salary increases: Assessment Commissioner Macleod, from \$1200 to \$1500 a year; Tax Collector Kerr, from \$1500 to \$1800; Building Inspector Anderson, from \$1000 to \$1200; R. Griffith, from \$1100 to \$1200. Very few increases in addition will be given. The Hamilton Distillery has made a claim for a refund of \$1636 to the city in water rates, and for costs in the suit it brought against the city.

Horse-thieves have been operating in Saltfleet Township, their latest victim being Albert King, who had a valuable mare stolen.

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The Royal Hamilton Yacht Club has issued a writ against the County of Wentworth to set aside the sale of its club-house by the county for taxes. William Inglis, this morning pleaded guilty to obtaining money from E. D. Smith & Co. by false pretences, and was allowed to go by Judge Snider on deferred sentence. George Malovick, who knocked his wife down because Henry Brandt helped her home, and who also assaulted Brandt, was sent down for three months.

Prof. Amyot, Toronto, who tested the head of the dog that bit several people last Friday, has reported that the dog showed symptoms of rabies. Neelbitt, Gauld & Dickson, acting for the attorney-general, have issued a writ against the trustees of the estate of the late Charles Gurney for succession duties.

The county council has been called for a special session to consider what should be done with reference to the

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Gross Premiums	Underwriting	Losses Unpaid Dec. 31st.
Equity .....	\$228,073.12	\$62,813.74
Metropolitan .....	75,920.15	4,821.34
Independent .....	101,982.76	4,320.75
Total .....	\$505,976.03	\$66,495.43

Equity	Metropolitan	Independent
Capital Subscribed .....	\$424,800	\$186,980
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### COMBINED SECURITY TO POLICYHOLDERS

Equity's net Security to Policyholders ..... \$488,412.98  
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### mandamus proceedings to force it to build a house of refuge, Warden French blames Sheriff Middleton for stirring up the trouble.

Thieves are busy stealing muzzles in the dogs. Several cases have been reported to the police.

## MANITOBA PHONE SYSTEM HAS HANDSOME SURPLUS

### Second Annual Report Indicates That the Province Has Reaped a Profit of \$372,000.

WINNIPEG, Man., Feb. 22.—There was laid on the table of the local legislature the second annual report of the Manitoba Government telephones.

It showed that there was the large surplus of \$372,000 in operating. The total expenditure was \$782,000, and total receipts were \$754,000. However, \$307,387 was spent on capital account. The increase in the system during the two years of government ownership has been enormous.

There are 6180 miles of long distance lines. Two years ago there were 3550 miles. The total number of subscribers is 25,300.

There are 7000 farmers with rural phones, and 5000 subscribers were added this year, an approximate total of 11,000 in two years.

The increase in revenue for the year is \$104,444.

### MUZZLE THE DOG

Provincial Regulations Go Into Force To-day.

To-day is Doomsday for the blood-hound and the poodle alike. From this time forth forever more he must wear a metallic muzzle or be chained within the premises of his owner. That is what the provincial authorities will enforce. The city police will not go so far. Chief Grassie said yesterday that the city force would confine their attention to dogs loose upon the street, and that he would consider it his duty to look after the Province's dog. You ought to have a man at the point of disembarkation and another at the point of disembarkation to say to the immigrant, "You've got to come in clean, or you can't come in." The government, he charged, was proposing to bring out men with a \$20 mortgage on them to be struck by a mule.

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### Government Will Advance \$20.

In regard to farm labor, they had found a number of classes, who were not just in a position to pick up and come over. The government proposed to give \$20 towards assisting the passage of such immigrants, and many were repaid. It would form a lien on the man's wages. Even if they got a large proportion of it back, the money would have been well spent.

### Hydro Arbitrations.

Hon. Adam Beck laid on the table an order asked for by D. Reed (S. Wentworth), showing the awards of all arbitrators in hydro-electric disputes over easements. In the case of Wesley Smith, Mr. Reed had claimed that he had been awarded \$500 (not \$20 as Mr. Beck had stated), and that it was spread over 20 years. The award of Warden Gage showed that the \$350 was a calculation based on 30 years payments. It had been a cash payment of \$208.88, based on the present worth of the former sum. Gage knew this when he told the leader of the opposition that the award was \$500. He was misleading the hon. gentleman, said Mr. Beck.

### More Charges Dismissed

But Others Are Laid Against Rev. G. M. Atlas.

Rev. George M. Atlas succeeded in shaking himself clear of two more charges of theft in police court yesterday morning, but two more were registered against him for which he was adjourned until Thursday. He still faces three.

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## Carnegie Library Opened.

(Special)—Prominent librarians of the province were present at the opening of the new library to-night. Mr. Nurgess, president of public libraries, and Judge Hardy of the Ontario Library Association, gave addresses. The library cost \$150,000 and was donated by Andrew Carnegie.

## Civil Engineers.

The February meeting of the Toronto branch of the Canadian Society of Civil Engineers was held at the Hotel de Ville.

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SEALED LEAD PACKETS ONLY The native purity and garden freshness of... SOCIETY NOTES The third and fourth year medical students of Toronto will hold a dance on Thursday evening.

PARIS FASHIONS UP TO DATE. Gown of yellow chiffon on brocade silk lining, with embroidery of bugle beads. GUELPH CANADIAN CLUB Addressed by Dr. Neil MacPhalton of New York.

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ALBERTA PREMIER LOATH TO LET CUSHING RETIRE Events Which Led Up to the Resignation of Minister of Public Works. CALGARY, Alta., Feb. 22.—(Special.)—There is no doubt that Premier Rutherford accepted Hon. W. H. Cushing's resignation with great reluctance.

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Metrakos Bros., of Montreal Pay Damages for Having Sold a Substitute for Bovril. To protect consumers against inferior substitutes for Bovril, which is a standardized product recommended by the Medical Profession the world over, the Bovril Co. took action recently against the above-named firm, who had sold other products when Bovril was called for.

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PHILADELPHIA MAY HAVE A GENERAL LABOR STRIKE Question Will Be Put Up to the Various Unions—Two Deaths From Rioting. PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 22.—As a retaliatory measure for the arrest of National Organizer C. O. Pratt of the Carpenters' Union, President John J. Murphy of the Central Labor Union, which claims a membership of 100,000 persons, has communicated with the presidents of all local trades unions affiliated with the central body, asking them the advisability of calling a general strike in sympathy with the street car men.





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WEDNESDAY MORNING, FEB. 23, 1910.

GRAB AND CORRUPTION.

New York State is aghast at the exposures resulting from the Congressional enquiry. Bribery charges against leading members of its senate and evidence that can hardly be rebutted show a condition and degree of corruption which indicate a gross betrayal of public confidence. The point for Canada is that the authors of that corruption were franchise-holding and franchise-seeking trusts. These predatory corporations were the agents in the political debauchery that has been exposed in the pending New York investigation, just as similar corporations have been instrumental in other scandals in other states and in other countries. Yet the very corruption for which such franchise-holding and seeking corporations were responsible is used by them and their agents to defeat the movement for public ownership and operation of service and utility monopolies. Surely the people will learn the nature of the beast and the folly of trusting themselves to its mercy. Grab is the root of corruption, and corruption will cease when grab is made impossible.

YOUR ENEMIES ARE FRIENDS.

This is a very friendly world. It is always trying to do you good, often in spite of yourself. If you find yourself at enmity with the world the probabilities are that the world has a useful lesson to teach you and you are unwilling to learn. If you find the world full of enemies you may rejoice that Providence has sent so many mentors and chasteners to be agents in your training. The most valuable thing the world can give you is experience. There is no limit to the experience constantly being supplied, even to the most unwilling and reluctant. The most valuable thing you can do with experience is to apply it to the development of character. All those people you are in the habit of regarding as enemies are the agents of your experience. They bring you what you need, and afford you the opportunity to discharge your debts. Your chief prayer should be to have your debts cancelled as you cancel what is owing you, a wholly conditional prayer. Most of your enemies are debt collectors in various fields, chiefly mental, moral and humanitarian. When Providence sends a collector around and you mistake him for an enemy and drive him away, it does not improve your credit at the big clearing house. The world is full of your friends. Some of them you know, and some of them you do not recognize. Take off your hat to your apparent enemies. They will help you to grow.

ASQUITH AND HIS ALLIES.

As The World has already said, Mr. Asquith is not defenceless against the other members of the coalition upon whom he relies for support. Assuming that he and his colleagues were determined to hold office to the last extremity and to endure endless humiliations in order to do this, Mr. Redmond might be master of the situation. But the Liberal premier has other and weightier considerations that condition his policy. He has to regard his own party and the future of his party. Just as Mr. Balfour placed the maintenance of the integrity of his party above the insistence of the tariff reformers, so Mr. Asquith will adjust his policy to the ultimate interests of the main body of his following. Nationalists and Laborites have their own and separate axes to grind. Naturally they want to exert their influence to the uttermost and are even prepared to do the necessary log-rolling to accomplish their ends. But without the reform party, they are helpless in this parliament. They may resolve and threaten, but they know that if they turn the government out and compel another election, they may fare worse, but certainly not better. If the strife in the United Kingdom is between the classes and the masses, from the former they can get no real assistance in obtaining the legislation they desire. Mr. Balfour has again in explicit terms declared his opposition to home rule—he has even less sympathy with the objects of the Independent Labor party. So long as Mr. Asquith refuses to be rushed, he is the dominant factor.

BRITISH AMERICA ASSURANCE COMPANY.

At the 76th annual meeting of the shareholders of the British America Assurance Company, the annual report for the year 1909 was presented. This showed the large gain on the year's business of \$23,111,510, being the highest ever realized by the company since its incorporation in the year 1833. A statement of the company's position will be found on another page. In moving the adoption of the report, the president, Hon. George A. Cox, pointed out that the year under review was the first year of the business in its revised condition, the policy of the management having necessitated the cutting down of the premium income owing to a smaller schedule of lines having been brought into effect. The

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arrangements are only realized when it is too late to provide for what has been overlooked.

Toronto's water supply ought to be the best. A well governed city is not open to animadversion on the ground that one of the absolute necessities of life cannot be used without risks of disease and even death.

All over Canada public ownership and operation is making good. As a consequence the quality of municipal administration is steadily rising. Greater responsibilities mean greater efficiency.

Why should the City of Toronto and other cities of Ontario and the provincial government be everlastingly compelled to repel the attacks of franchise seeking corporations that ask Dominion charters thus to escape from provincial jurisdiction? The Federal Government and parliament ought to emphatically discourage such attempts on their own initiative and responsibility.

SCIENTIFIC PASTEURIZATION OF MILK.

Efforts to reduce infant mortality in Toronto are recounted in the report of the Ontario Milk Commission. The commission point out that the work is carried on by public-spirited individuals almost altogether at their own expense.

"Such work," says the report, "carried on as it is by public-spirited persons anxious only to lessen suffering and improve their city, is to be heartily commended, and the fact that a new, active and aggressive factor about to join in this noble work on behalf of Toronto infants is to be heartily welcomed. Mr. Ross Robertson has added to the splendid equipment of the Hospital for Sick Children a modern plant for scientifically pasteurizing milk. On a visit to the hospital we found it to be modelled exactly on the lines adopted by Nathan Strauss in the great work he has done in saving infant life in New York. The raw milk, while not secured from a 'model' farm, is secured from a 'model' hospital, it is modified and pasteurized in bottle by being heated to 158 degrees for twenty minutes. The plant was installed in October, and it is the intention not only to supply the hospital with milk pasteurized in accordance with the most scientific regulations, but also to supply infants outside the hospital as well. It is being used for 1200 patients and nearly 12,000 patients each year in the outdoor department. It is, of course, delivered to the children in the wards, but it is called for by those outside who desire it.

IMPORTANT FIRE INSURANCE CONSOLIDATION.

From an intimation appearing in our advertising columns to-day it will be seen that an important alliance of fire insurance companies has just been formed. The Equity, Metropolitan and Independent companies will hereafter further advance the security of the Equity in addition to that of their own companies. The directors of the allied concerns are the Hon. Thomas Crawford, M.P., Charles C. Van Nostrand, Judge Moran, David Christie, W. Van Dusen and W. R. Tudhope, all of Toronto; Alfred Taylor, Galt, I. M. Owen, S. John, N. B. H. Hibner, Berlin, and Stephen Foxon, Ingersoll.

During 1909 the Equity received in gross premiums \$228,072.12; the Metropolitan \$75,920.15, and the Independent \$101,882.76, while the net underwriting profit of the three companies was \$68,454.43. The Equity's net security to policyholders stands at \$488,412.82; that of the Metropolitan at \$127,991.42, and that of the Independent at \$109,565.81, which will now form a combined security to them. As allied the total capital of the three companies will be \$768,290, of which \$239,576 is paid-up and \$528,714 in course of payment. The combination has been placed under the charge of William Greenwood Brown as general manager, and his long and extensive experience and sound judgment warrant the belief that this consolidation of interest will prove highly beneficial and lead to a large extension of business.

BELT LINE SERVICE.

Editor World: It looks as if our cars each way, one on each face, is all the belt line has during most of the time. Frequently midway on each Shez-bourne and Spadina there is no car in sight, up or down.

Now, if there is a line on earth which should have frequent cars it is this one, as there are 14 transfer points each way, there are 28 places where many people await the "next car" for double the time in minutes that efficient management would obtain them.

Passenger. Toronto, Feb. 20.

WHAT GAYNOR HAS DONE TO BEHIND "TAMMANY"

Political Organization That Has Dominated New York So Long is Now About Disrupted.

NEW YORK, Feb. 22.—Political stocktaking in Tammany Hall after two months of the administration of Mayor Gaynor reveals a condition in that historic organization that borders on a panic. What has been regarded as the most effective political machine in the country is now face to face with a situation it has not known before.

The district club houses are for the most part deserted. Many of the braves have stopped paying dues, some because they have lost their political positions and cannot afford it, and others, in office, because they can see no benefit to themselves in contributing. The district leaders, who ordinarily after the election of a Democratic mayor would sit in state and send for those they wished to punish or reward, now sit all but alone in the deserted headquarters. The few who keep them company are there grateful for benefits received rather than in hope of favors to come.

Mayor Gaynor has three years and ten months more to serve. No Tammany man cares to predict what the condition of the organization will be at the expiration of his administration. Charles F. Murphy has informed the district leaders that he has a "perfect understanding" with the mayor. He has asked them to submit the names of persons for whom they want places, and to have the lists ready by March 1. He will get the lists, but the Tammany men do not believe that the leader will "deliver the goods."

They base their opinion on the following changes that have already taken place in the civic service since Mayor Gaynor came on the job: Removal of the aqueduct board and order to the new board to wind up the business, saying to commissioners and engineers' salaries annually \$200,000. One hundred and twenty engineers, foremen and laborers dismissed from water department, saving annually \$185,000. Seventy heads of bureaus and laborers dismissed in the office of borough president of Manhattan, saving annually \$80,000. Bureaus reorganized in the Bronx and 85 employes dismissed, saving annually \$120,000. One hundred and fifty foremen and laborers dismissed in Bronx Park Department, saving annually \$110,000. Thirty drivers, stablemen and messengers dismissed from fire department and changes in detail and accounting divisions, saving annually \$100,000. Controller Frendorff has dismissed 30 high-salaried men and clerks, saving annually \$60,000. Sixty-five men dismissed from the sewer department, saving annually \$70,000. Twenty persons dismissed from the department of buildings and offices, saving annually \$20,000. In the highway department 100 men have been laid off for the winter months, saving \$100,000.

Total \$1,655,000. By the reorganization of the bureau of street openings and the abolishment of an antiquated system the city will save annually an amount that it is impossible to estimate, but which the mayor says is "millions."

HOW TO GET A NAVY

Montreal Star Would Authorize Britain to Do the Building.

MONTREAL, Feb. 22.—The Star, in an editorial suggesting a naval policy for Canada, says: "Let us authorize Great Britain to build at once a certain number of ships, Canada assuming the payment of the interest on the cost of their construction. The ships to be recognized as belonging to Canada, let them be named after Canadian provinces and Canadian cities, and let them be manned and officered as far as possible by the men whom we recruit and send over to be trained in the ways and knowledge of the British navy."

FARMERS AND CITY TRADE.

Editor World: Your paper has a large circulation in the County of York and can draw the attention of the York farmers to the growth of Toronto during 25 years. In 1885 it was about eighty-five thousand. Now it is four times that, or say about three hundred and forty thousand. York farmers produce less butter and eggs now than they did 25 years ago. The city has been always a good cash market, always growing and ready to take all such produce as soon as it was offered.

Can you not induce them to double their output of these staples, butter and eggs, to the mutual advantage of both city and county? If something is not done, the trade in these necessities will pass into the hands of companies who would deliver daily to their cash customers, the same as bread and milk are handled.

You have done much for the farmers in advocating daily radiators, better roads on all lines, two-cent-a-mile fares, cheap telephones, electric light and power, and also good roads. Reader. Toronto, Feb. 20.

EATON'S DAILY STORE NEWS

A New EATONIA For Men

Advertisement for Eaton's shoes. Includes an illustration of a shoe and text: 'The illustration is made from the boot and shows the smart, "mannish" design. This one we guarantee will prove satisfactory in every respect. It's English made from select materials by experienced workmen who well know their work, and who take a pride in turning out a boot like this. Excellent quality of box calfskin, fine enough for best wear, or will withstand good, hard general usage; solid English oak-bark tanned, double-welted sewn soles; the shape is particularly new, and one that will appeal to most men who consider the character of a shoe as well as perfect fit and solid comfort. A new shipment, recently arrived, is now opened up ready for your choosing Thursday. All sizes from 5 1/2 to 11. This Style is but one from a complete assortment of MEN'S EATONIAS FOR SPRING SECOND FLOOR—QUEEN STREET.

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AT OSGOODE HALL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Motion set down for single court for Wednesday, 23rd inst., at 11 a.m.: 1. Nelles v. Haggelstein, 2. Reid v. Richards, 3. McBrayen v. Pratt, 4. De Gertley estate, 5. Wright v. Link, 6. Warburton v. Windsor, Ry., etc. 7. Clark v. Wilson. Peremptory list for divisional court for Wednesday, 23rd inst., at 11 a.m.: 1. Proctor, H. Mackay, (to be continued), 2. Re Sing and Chatham, 3. Proctor, McCallum v. Proctor, Kenner v. Proctor, 4. Tremblay v. Butler, 5. Re Jones estate, 6. Re Bannan estate.

Non-Jury Assizes.

Peremptory list for non-jury assizes in the city hall, Wednesday, Feb. 23, at 10.30 a.m.: Before Hon. Justice Britton. 131. McPhillips v. I.O.F. 132. Hutchinson v. Jaffray, 133. Sovereign Bank v. Leitch, 134. Gamble v. Vaughan, 135. Tremaine v. Langstaff.

Master's Chambers.

Before Cartwright, K.C., Master. Crane v. Moore; Eames v. McDonnell; H. E. Rose, K.C., for applicants, purchaser of the property, R. McKay, for plaintiff, in first action; J. L. Ross, for plaintiff, in second action. An application by Feacock, Clemson & Dinkey for leave to intervene as claimants, for the price of the \$60,000 ordered to be paid into court on the ground that the full purchase price of \$60,000 was paid by them for the assurance of Eames, who, they allege, was their agent in the transaction, that that was the real price paid to our clients, whereas it now appears from the proceedings in these actions that only \$30,000 was asked by them as a secret profit made by Eames which they are entitled to be repaid. Judgment: Had the purchasers made their demand for repayment before the former sale, the amount would undoubtedly have been entitled to intervene. It can make no difference that they came in after the question has been after directed into court. There should now be directed an issue between the applicant purchasers and the plaintiffs and the other claimants as defendants, but in other respects following the previous order and reserving the question as to whether the \$30,000 was paid to the plaintiffs or to the defendants. Motion on consent for order dismissing action without costs. Order made.

Canadian Street Car Advertising Co. v. Port Arthur—Z. Gallagher, for plaintiff. Motion on consent for order dismissing action without costs. Order made.

Howarth v. Howarth—R. L. Deries, for plaintiff; H. H. Shaver, for defendant. Motion for judgment under C.R. 603. Reserved.

Waide v. Bell—J. F. Boland, for plaintiff; H. S. White, for defendant. Motion by plaintiff for a commission to take evidence of a witness in Alberta. Order to go, and appointing the clerks of the supreme court and the district court or either of them as commissioner. Plaintiff to first file his own affidavit of the necessity.

Barton v. Curry—Brown (6th Mer. R.) & G., for plaintiff; Motion by defendant for order vacating his pendens. Order made.

Gurofsky v. Robert—Finberg (Heyd & H.), for defendant. Motion to dismiss for want of prosecution. Order made.

Judge's Chambers. Before Meredith, C.J. Re Schumacher and the Town of Chesley—A motion by petitioner for an order prohibiting to the county judge of Bruce to prevent him exercising his local jurisdiction by carrying A. G. MacKay, K.C., for the respondents, contra. Motion dismissed with costs, fixed at \$5. Rejected bill and declaration by the returning officer to be sealed up and left in court.

Ferguson v. The World—W. N. Ferguson, K.C., for plaintiff; H. E. Rose, K.C., for defendant, contra. An appeal from

Divisional Court. Before Mulock, C.J.; Clute, J.; Sutherland, J. Park Brothers v. McKay—M. Wilson, K.C., for defendant; O. L. Lewis, K.C., and J. G. Kerr (Chatham), for plaintiff, contra. An appeal by defendants from the

Single Court. Before Meredith, C.J. Re Blissett—W. E. Fitzgerald (Watford) for administrator, F. W. Harcourt, K.C., for absentee and infants. Motion by administrator under C.R. 603 for a habeas corpus and certiorari. Order directing the conviction to be amended, and application dismissed.

Re Lachlan Hunter—H. E. Rose, K.C., for parents of deceased infant; F. W. Harcourt, K.C., official guardian. Motion on behalf of parents for payment out of court of money for funeral expenses, etc. Order for payment out of two-thirds of the fund. The balance to remain in court for infant child of deceased mother.

Re Clute, J.; Latchford, J.; Sutherland, J. Re Jones Trusts—N. F. Davidson, K.C., for appellant; A. J. Jones, Esq. Attorney for petitioner; F. W. Harcourt, K.C., for infants. Appeal from the order of Falconbridge, C.J., of Jan. 28, 1909. Argument resumed from yesterday and concluded. Judgment reserved.

Special Appeals Reversed. LONDON, Feb. 22.—The privy council has dismissed the application for special leave to appeal milk cases of the corporation of the County of Carleton versus the Corporation of Ottawa, and Dickson v. Pitt.

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The reorganization of the Argyle Steamship Co. has been effected and a charter was granted to the new Niagara and Ontario Steamship Co. with a capitalization of \$1,500,000, on Saturday last. The provisional directors who are likely to be continued permanently are: F. T. Hutchinson, Toronto, president; Capt. Charles Molter, additional director; W. E. Davis, Toronto, secretary; H. W. Crawford, Toronto, treasurer; and J. M. Campbell, Rochester, the additional director.

George, being an Assyrian, does not see anything unusual in the performance of his duties. He is a young man who is quite the thing for young ladies to enter matrimonial bondage at the age of even less discretion than that reached by Vera.

PERSONAL. Rob.—'Certainly! I'm enough for anyone to pay for their dinner, especially when you take me to the restaurant at Albert Williams' Restaurants—Harry.

THE WEATHER

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Toronto, Feb. 22, 8 p.m.—Light snow is falling to-night in the lower lake region and in the maritime provinces. Elsewhere the weather has been generally fair and cold.

THE BAROMETER. Time. Ther. Bar. Wind. 8 a.m. 29.66 10 N.E. 12 p.m. 29.67 10 N. 4 p.m. 29.68 12 S.W. 8 p.m. 29.69 12 S.W. Mean of day, 28.93 difference from average, 5 below; highest, 29.69; lowest, 28.93.

TO-DAY IN TORONTO. North Toronto Conservatives, Cumberland Hall, 8. Whitney Club, 864 College, C. R. McKeown, 11. Royal Alexandra, Frank Daniels, in "The Belle of Brittany," 8. Pantomime, Katie Bell, in "The Builder of Bridges," 2 and 8. Grand, "Checkers," 2 and 8. Siney, "Top of the World" Dancers, 2 and 8. Majestic, Fred Karno's Comedians, 2 and 8. Star, burlesque, 2 and 8. Gayety, burlesque, 2 and 8.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS. Feb. 22. At From Kaiser Auguste, New York, Hamilton, Nipigon, and Toronto. Liverpool, Toronto, and London. New York, Toronto, and London. New York, Toronto, and London. New York, Toronto, and London.

DEATHS. SCOTT—At his late residence, 54 Gladstone-avenue, on Feb. 21, Thomas George Scott, beloved husband of Emma Scott, in his 38th year.

NO SEPARATION POSSIBLE. Dr. Schaffner, M.P., Contributes to Naval Defence Debate.

OTTAWA, Feb. 22.—(Special.)—A word from the premier was the feature of to-day's debate upon the naval bill. Dr. Schaffner, Conservative member for Souris, Man., who of German extraction, warned Canada that the menace from the land of his constituents was serious.

ELOPERS CAUGHT. Oshawa Maid of Fifteen Runs Away With Assyrian Blacksmith.

George, who is 25 years old, went to Oshawa on a blacksmith, boarding at the home of Vera's parents. The couple declare that they have been married since coming to the city, which the detectives deny.

PRES. DIAZ TO VISIT EUROPE. MONTREAL, Feb. 22.—(Special.)—H. R. Payne, who is in Mexico in the interests of the Elder-Dempster line, says that when President Diaz is elected it is his intention to take a trip to Europe.

South African Veterans. At the annual meeting of the South African Veterans' Association last night the following officers were elected: H. K. Jones, Col. Ryerson, president; Capt. Kennedy, 1st vice-president; Capt. Tom Wallace, M.P., 2nd vice-pres.; A. Britton, treasurer; H. B. Hall, secretary; W. A. Edmondson; standard-bearer, J. H. Perrin; auditors, H. R. Jackson and T. Moon. The annual smoker will be held on Friday March 18.

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Musical enthusiasm has never risen to a higher pitch than last night in Massey Music Hall, when the Schubert Choir gave the second concert of the season, assisted by Madam Jomelli and the Pittsburg Orchestra under Emil Paur.

It was Madam Jomelli who excited the greatest ardour, and indeed such a greeting as she received at the close of the aria from "Tristan and Isolde" falls to the lot of only the most favored and the greatest of artists.

Mr. Fletcher was more liberal than on the previous evening and his chorus showed that every one of the 100 were under perfect control. The high standard to which Toronto has become accustomed does not permit any slipshod work, and last night's singing in rehearsal could do was absent. Perhaps the enunciation might be a shade sharper, or the phrasing a thought brisker at times, but these are matters that come with years of work, and the fine tone, the precision, the volume and balance were all that a conductor could achieve.

PARDON FOR GEORGE B. REID

Irresponsible at Time of Breaking into House. S. W. Burns has received from the secretary of state at Ottawa an unconditional pardon for George B. Reid, plumber and gasfitter, of 185 River-street, Toronto.

Reid was convicted by the magistrate at Barrie a few months ago for house-breaking without violence, committed while he was absolutely irresponsible mentally for his conduct, and was sentenced to Kingston Penitentiary to serve a two-year term. Reid, at the time of his conviction, was unrepresented by counsel, and the magistrate was unaware of his mental condition.

MOTOR THRU NIAGARA RAPIDS

Couple of Detroiters Will Make Perilous Voyage Next June. NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., Feb. 22.—(Special.)—In a motor boat filled with 150 watertight compartments so that it can be punctured 125 times and still float, W. E. Rose and C. I. Watford of Detroit will attempt to navigate the perilous rapids of Niagara next June.

PORCUPINE TOWNSITE

Government Will Call for Tenders for Purchase of Lots Immediately. Tenders will be called for immediately by the Ontario Government for the sale of the Porcupine townsite, the plans having been received by the department yesterday. The sale will be by tender, and as the site is on a veteran claim, only 25 per cent of the money received will go to the province.

NOTED FINANCIER VISITING TORONTO

Sir Edgar Speyer Touring Canada—Will Inspect Dominion Iron and Steel Properties.

The Right Hon. Sir Edgar Speyer, Bart., of Speyer Bros. bankers, London, New York and Frankfurt, Germany, is at the King Edward Hotel.

Sir Edgar, who was made a privy councillor last year, is a Liberal in politics. He expects to go to Ottawa on Thursday night, remaining there Friday and Saturday, and will be in Toronto again on Monday in time to address the Canadian Club.

PATENT MEDICINE MEN

David Watson, Montreal, Elected President. At the annual meeting of the Proprietary Articles Trade Association of Canada at the King Edward last evening, the secretary, L. S. Levee, was presented with a diamond ring, suitably engraved.

NEW OTTAWA POLICE CHIEF

Sergt. Alex. Ross Appointed to Succeed Mayor de la Rende. OTTAWA, Feb. 22.—(Special.)—Sergeant Alexander Ross, who for some years has acted in a clerical capacity at the police court, was to-day appointed chief of police at Ottawa in succession to Major De la Rende, who has been police chief for five years.

HER DEATH WAS HOURLY EXPECTED

ENTERPRISE, Ont., Oct. 1, 1908.—For seven years I suffered with what physicians called a "water tumor." I could neither sit, stand, nor lie down. Hypodermics of morphia had to be given me to ease the pain.



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My cure seemed hopeless, and my friends hourly expected my death. I was so bad that I wanted to die, and was during one of these very bad spells that a family friend brought a box of "Fruit-a-tives" to the house. After much persuasion I commenced to take them, but I was so bad that I take them, but I was so bad that I take them, but I was so bad that I take them.

DENTISTS AND BOWLERS AFTER CIVIC GRANTS

Four Hundred Knights of Forces and One Thousand Alley Experts Coming This Year.

Toronto is proud of her reputation as a convention city, but it costs something to be known, as was demonstrated yesterday when a deputation of dentists neatly, tho not entirely painlessly, extracted \$300 from the civic legislation and reception committee, as a body of influential bowlers induced the committee to "set 'em up" for a like amount.

Dr. Thornton, who had most to say for the dentists, explained that such kindred organizations, the Dominion and Canadian Dental Associations, are to convene here for four days, starting May 31, and that about 400 brethren of the forces from Canada and border cities of the United States are expected. They had hoped to get \$500 towards entertainment expenses, but the smaller sum was voted.

That there will be 1000 bowlers on the alleys here during the tournament conducted by the Canadian Bowling Association, March 7-19, was the statement of the local committee, which asserted that there are about 3000 bowlers in Toronto, that \$3000 is to be given in prizes, and that the association is spending several hundred dollars on booklets, which will advertise the city. The city's contribution of \$300 will go towards the printed matter.

Roadway Repairs Fund. The city engineer, in a letter, unfolded a new idea, that of setting aside any surplus between the estimated cost and the actual cost of pavements laid down by the city, and putting it into a general fund for roadway repairs. At present the ratepayers only pay the actual cost of all local improvements, and, save the case of busy thoroughfares, are charged for roadway repairs as a local improvement.

Objected to Firehall. Vigorous objection to the locating of a firehall at the southeast corner of Avenue-road and St. Clair-avenue, on the ground that the residential character of the neighborhood would be damaged, was expressed yesterday by a deputation from the College Heights' Association, while Bartle E. Bull, representing the Methodist Deacons, Home, on the southeast corner, also protested.

John Macdonald, chief spokesman for the association, suggested that the firehall be placed on the corner of St. Clair-avenue and Yonge-street, and Chief Thompson will report on the proposal.

A contingent of the Northern Railway Association also waited on the committee to request that Wyckwood and Bracendale north of the sharp rise of land above Davenport-road be favored with a fire hall. They pointed out that the fire halls recommended for their districts are below the hill, and claimed that, owing to the difficulty in getting horses up the incline, their homes would have practically no protection. It was promised that the chief would investigate, and that Secretary McCowan would report on this subject at the next meeting of the committee.

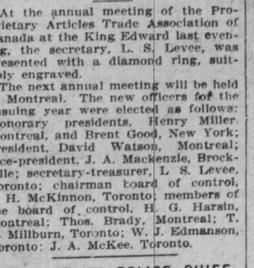
Robert MacGillchrist's hopes of getting a permit for his foundry at the corner of Mulock-avenue and the junction of the railway were given a setback once again. Ald. Weston's motion in favor was defeated on a tie vote, namely: For—Ald. Weston, MacGillchrist, Hambley, McCausland and Controller Church.

Sand Around Intake. That a reef of sand has formed around the intake pipe of the lake was the information given the board of control yesterday by Mayor Geary, after consultation with the city engineer. It is thought that this condition may be responsible for the typhoid outbreak. The intake pipe, under normal conditions, should stand up 25 feet from the bottom of the lake with clear water surrounding it. But, instead, there is a mass of adhering sand. Mr. Rust will engage a diver to cement a 25-foot tube over the intake, thus excluding the sand.

Civic Elevated Railway. At Controller Spence's suggestion, the city's application to the legislature for power to build underground railways will be enlarged so as to include elevated railways as well. The city has had intention of going in for overhead railways, but wishes to be protected against all points, so far as possible, from the danger of invasion by private transportation interests.

Sheard on Milk Report. Toronto's milk supply suffers not so much from dirt as from dilution, in the opinion of Dr. Sheard, who is well known to the public as a member of the milk commission with regard to giving municipalities more power to combat the evils of adulteration.

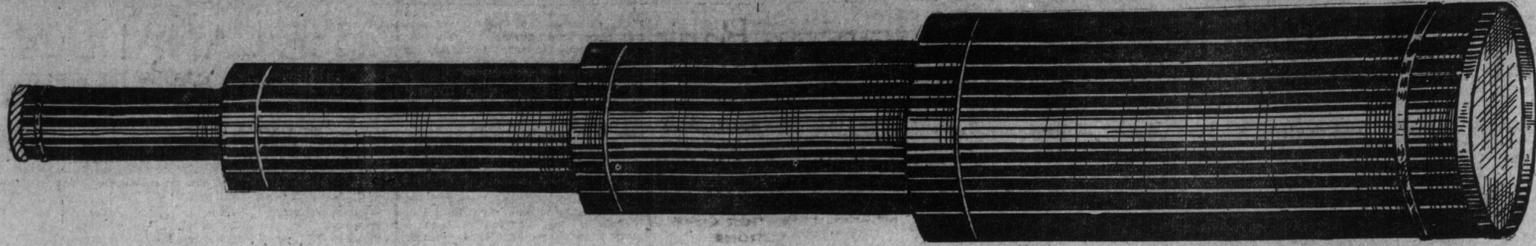
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20,000 Sugar Cane Cutters Strike. POINT-A-PITRE, Gaudaloupe, Feb. 22.—Following the strike of 20,000 sugar cane cutters, several grinding plants have ceased operation.

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#### MAKES A CONFESSION

Says Girl Fell to Her Death in Avoiding Him.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Feb. 22.—William Zylar, in his confession to the police last night, declared that Jane Adams fell over the railing of the million-dollar pier by accident and that he fled the city only because he feared being held responsible for her death. Zylar admits that the girl ran to the rail during a quarrel with him, but refused to admit that she met her death while trying to prevent him from assaulting her.

#### B. & O. MEN MAY STRIKE

Company Refuse to Accede to Demands and Trouble is Expected.

BALTIMORE, Md., Feb. 22.—The wage negotiation between the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad conductors and trainmen and the company ended today in a disagreement. The whole matter now goes back to the rank and file, who will vote on the question of a strike, which the Brotherhood officials regard as a strong possibility.

Held Up Crowded Cafe. ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 22.—Early this morning two men entered a cafe where several theatre parties were still seated. Firing several shots to

# Canadian Stocks Are Firm --- New York Stock Market Closed

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## London Prices For Americans Lower Than Monday's Close

Canadian Markets Quiet, But Price Support is Good, and Further Improvement is Naturally Expected.

World Office, Tuesday Evening, Feb. 22. While trading was quiet at the Toronto Exchange to-day, the market as a whole was firm, and some securities were advanced with practically no sales. Wall-street having ceased to be a factor here, London quotations for Am-

erican securities, which were lower than Monday's New York close, had no special influence. In the active speculative issues, such as Twin City, Sao Paulo, Dominion Steel and Rio, there were no changes of note. Stocks such as Toronto Electric and Burt, which are amenable to almost an

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Investment demand, were the strong features of the day.

Burt sold at 75, a new high level, and was bid 1-2 a point above that figure at the close. Toronto Electric was bid up by half points from 120 and only 27 shares were encountered between that and 122 1/2. The market for Toronto Electric is accepted in the market as an inspired one, and one which might easily be carried further, unless actual holders show their desire to get out of a somewhat dead issue.

Quotations from London for the Latin Americans were about steady to-day and prices for securities here followed the dictation of the leading market.

Steel stocks were firm, with another slight advance in N. S. Steel. Dominion Coal was weak in relation to the general list.

From an investment and speculative standpoint to-day's market was a representative one, and the inference gained from transactions was that good buying is still extant.

## Winnipeg Electric.

Net earnings of the Winnipeg Electric Railway Co. on operation for the year, exclusive of fixed charges, amounted to \$1,303,066.22, comparing with \$1,117,222.38 the preceding year. After providing for dividends and fixed charges a final surplus of \$28,405.82 for the year was left. Profit and loss credit is now \$881,402, with \$6,000,000 capitalization.

## STOCK HELD OFF MARKET

Toronto Electric Stock Bid Up on That Account.

Toronto Electric Light was bid up yesterday to 122 1/2, which means a rise in the price of the stock of about four points since the annual meeting. The upward movement is understood to mean that a block of the stock which was held by a financial institution as collateral is being held off the market for the time being, by arrangement pending the bidding up of the security which will make a demand for the shares at a higher figure. Notwithstanding the advance in the stock, the dealings and the demand for the shares were extremely small.

## WHY THE REPETITION?

Is Someone, or a Syndicate, Interested in Boosting N. S. Steel?

HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 21.—Considerable interest is being taken in the Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Company's developments, and the many rumors affecting its position in relation to that of other companies of the same character. The recent activity in Scotia stock

on the Montreal and Toronto exchanges has been accompanied by the report that a group of rich capitalists have been accumulating shares with a view of trying to force the company to join the merger of Dominion Iron and Dominion Coal. Not only this, but if they are required to purchase still more stock in order to carry out their purpose, they certainly intend to do so.

The above is another fulfilment, evidently from someone or a syndicate interested in boosting N. S. Steel. The idea of the N. S. Steel Company being merged with the other two Nova Scotia companies has received repeated denials from those who have control of the merger, and there must be some ulterior reason for the repetition of a story which is utterly unfounded.

## UNFILLED ORDERS

To Amount of \$4,200,000 With Amalgamated Asbestos Company.

The amount of unfilled orders of the Amalgamated Asbestos Corporation now total approximately \$4,200,000, and such an order, it is stated, will take some 18 months to complete. Several other large orders are expected to be closed by the general manager, who at present is in London, so that the company is assured of sufficient business to keep the plant running for well on to two years. The following cable was received from London this morning in reference to the offering of bonds on that market:

"Outlook very favorable for large subscriptions for the Amalgamated Asbestos bonds, which are now being offered here."

## British Consols.

Feb. 21, Feb. 22  
Consols, money 81 15-16 81 1/2  
Consols, account 81 15-16 81 1/2

## Money Markets.

Bank of England discount rate, 3 per cent. London call rate, 1 to 1/4 per cent. Short bills, 2 1/2 to 3 per cent. New York call money, highest 3 per cent, lowest 2 1/2 per cent, last loan 2 1/2 per cent. Call money at Toronto, 5 to 5 1/2 per cent.

## Foreign Exchange.

Glazebrook & Cronyn, James Building (Tel. Main 7517), to-day report exchange rates as follows:

Between Banks—  
Buyers. Sellers. Counter.  
N. Y. funds... 3-64 dis. 1-32 dis. 3/4 to 1/2  
Mex. L. & F. ... 2 1/2 per. 2 1/4 to 1/4  
Ster., 60 days... 8 15-16 8 31-32 9 1/2  
Ster. demand... 9 13-32 9 7-16 9 13-16  
Cable trans. ... 9 13-32 9 7-16 9 13-16  
Rates in New York—  
Actual. Posted.  
Sterling, 60 days sight... 48 1/2 48 1/2  
Sterling, demand... 48 1/2 48 1/2

## Toronto Stock Market.

Feb. 21	Feb. 22
Amal. Asbestos	28 1/2 28 1/2
Black Lake	28 1/2 28 1/2
do. preferred	28 1/2 28 1/2
do. B	28 1/2 28 1/2
Bell Telephone	147 1/2 148 1/2
Burt	75 75 1/2
do. preferred	75 75 1/2
Can. Gen. Elec.	117 118
Canadian Salt	117 118
C. F. Ry.	117 118
City Dairy	90 90 2/3
do. preferred	90 90 2/3
Consumers' Gas	90 90 2/3
Dominion Tel.	90 90 2/3
Duluth-Superior	68 68 1/2
Elec. Dev. pref.	68 68 1/2
International Coal	97 1/2 97 1/2
Illinois preferred	97 1/2 97 1/2
Laurentian com.	146 1/2 146 1/2
Lake Superior	120 120
Lake of the Woods	120 120
Laurentian com.	120 120
do. preferred	120 120

## PRICES HELD BACK FOR ACCUMULATION.

World Office, Tuesday Evening, Feb. 22.

With New York closed, local traders gave more attention to the ticker from the Toronto exchange to-day. The market was not active, but it was admitted that the securities dealt in showed great strength. Bidders were more plentiful than sellers to-day, and stocks were evidently more wanted than was the desire to sell them. No market changes occurred in any of the speculative issues, but the action of the market would indicate that prices were being held back for the purpose of accumulation. Interest is becoming keener in regard to domestic securities, and improvement in prices is now definitely recognized.

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Mackay common	90	89	90	89 1/2
do. preferred	77	76	76 1/2	76 1/2
Mex. L. & F. com.	24	23 1/2	24	23 1/2
Mexico N.W. Ry.	54	53 1/2	54	53 1/2
Northern Power	127	126	127	126 1/2
Niagara Nav.	187 1/2	186	187	186 1/2
Northern Ry.	108	107	108	107 1/2
N. S. Steel com.	81	80 1/2	81	80 1/2
Ogilvie common	141	140	141	140 1/2
do. preferred	85	84 1/2	85	84 1/2
Pennam common	88	87 1/2	88	87 1/2
do. preferred	88	87 1/2	88	87 1/2
Porto Rico	29	28 1/2	29	28 1/2
Rio Jas. Tram.	94 1/2	94	94 1/2	94 1/2
R. & O. Nav.	86	85	86	85 1/2
Rogers common	210	209	210	209 1/2
Sao Paulo Tram.	149 1/2	148 1/2	149 1/2	148 1/2
S. Wheat com.	50	49 1/2	50	49 1/2
St. L. & C. Nav.	119	118 1/2	119	118 1/2
St. Elec. Light	122	121 1/2	122	121 1/2
Toronto Railway	149 1/2	148 1/2	149 1/2	148 1/2
Tri-City pref.	92	91 1/2	92	91 1/2
Twiss City	113 1/2	113	113 1/2	113
Winnipeg Ry.	80	79 1/2	80	79 1/2
Crown Reserve	190 1/2	189 1/2	190 1/2	189 1/2

## MEETINGS.

## Porto Rico Railways Company LIMITED

The annual general meeting of the shareholders of the Porto Rico Railways Company, Limited, will be held at the Head Office of the Company, 179 St. James Street, Montreal, Que., on Monday, the 22nd day of February, next, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, for the reception of the annual report, election of Directors, and the transaction of such other business as may legally come before the said meeting. The transfer books of the Company will be closed from the 21st to the 25th inst., both inclusive. By order, FRED. C. CLARKE, Secretary.

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Both Principal and Interest payable either in New York, Montreal or Toronto, and in Sterling at par of exch. in London.

ALL, but no part, of the Bonds may be redeemed at the option of the Company, at any interest period at 105% and accrued interest.

Sinking fund payments begin Jan. 1913—annually 2% on outstanding bonds

## THE ROYAL TRUST CO., Montreal, Trustee

A large portion having already been sold, the remaining Bonds, carrying coupon, due June 1, 1910, are offered for subscription at 91 1/2 FLAT, equivalent to about 90 PER CENT. AND ACCRUED INTEREST payable as follows:

For Each \$1,000 Bond:	For Each \$500 Bond:
\$ 50.00 on application	\$ 25.00 on application
350.00 " allotment	175.00 " allotment
515.00 " April 1, 1910	257.50 " April 1, 1910
\$915.00 Total Payment	\$457.50 Total Payment

Temporary Installment Certificates will be delivered exchangeable for engraved Bonds on or about May 1, 1910. Payments must be made in cash or drafts, collectable in cities where payments are due.

The subscription books will be opened at 10 o'clock a. m. on February 21, 1910, and will be closed at 3 o'clock p. m. or earlier, on February 23, 1910; the right being reserved to reject any applications and to award a smaller amount than applied for.

Applications will be made to list the Bonds on the London, Montreal and New York Stock Exchanges. The shares of the Company, both Preferred and Common, are listed on the Stock Exchanges of Montreal, Toronto and Philadelphia, and application has been made for listing on the London Stock Exchange.

The Mortgage Deed of Trust securing the Bonds was prepared by Messrs. Cook & Magee, and reviewed and passed upon by Messrs. Atwater, Ducloux, Bond & Meagher, both firms of Montreal; also reviewed and passed upon by Messrs. Linklater & Company of London, England, and the Honorable James M. Beck, of New York, formerly Assistant United States Attorney-General.

The Corporation has issued and outstanding \$1,875,000 7% Preferred Stock cumulative from January 1, 1910, and convertible at any time into Common Stock, and \$8,125,000 Common Stock. The Board of Directors has announced the first quarterly dividend of 1 1/2% on the Preferred Stock payable April 1, 1910.

The accounts of the Amalgamated Asbestos Corporation, Limited, were audited by Messrs. Deloitte, Plender, Griffiths & Company, of New York and London, and Messrs. Macintosh & Hyde of Montreal.

## IMPORTANT FEATURES OF THIS ISSUE:

Net Earnings June 1 to December 1, 1909	\$348,161.67
Bond Interest for above period	187,500.00
Surplus	\$160,661.67
12 Months' Net Earnings of Properties preceding merger,	550,961.83
Unfilled Orders January 1, 1910, of value of	\$3,344,547.36

The Corporation owns and controls about 8,019 acres of land almost entirely situated in the vicinity of Black Lake and Thetford, from which districts the greater portion of the world's supply of Asbestos is now obtained. About 80 per cent. of the output of these districts is controlled by this Corporation.

There is no known substitute for Asbestos and the demand is constantly increasing.

Present Stock Exchange prices for the shares of the Corporation and the equity in the bonds indicate a market value following the bonds of more than \$4,600,000, which only in a small measure indicates the intrinsic equity behind this issue.

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Forms of application and printed copies of the President's letter giving full details, as well as condensed report of Mr. Earle C. Bacon, M. E., may be had at any of the below mentioned addresses. Printed copies of the Mortgage Deed of Trust are on file for inspection if desired.

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# COBALT --- New Gold Field Promised for Fort Matachewan --- COBALT

## Cobalt Securities Hold Well On the Local Mining Market

### New York Exchange Takes Holiday—Lower Priced Issues Hold Decidedly Firm With Previous Day.

World Office, Tuesday Evening, Feb. 22. With the New York curb taking a holiday, there was a natural falling off in business on the local market to-day. Despite this fact, however, the listed Cobalt securities demonstrated a fairly good undertone, and quotations remained generally firm to the close, while there was a better public representation in the dealings for the past few days.

Thinking was subjected to some further pressure, but despite this fact managed to hold its own throughout. Price fluctuations in this issue were very small, the shares maintaining between 54 and 54 1/4, and closing at 54 1/2. It is thought that much of the liquidation which has been in progress since the annual meeting last Saturday is coming from the Buffalo contingent, but it is apparent that all offerings are being well taken care of by supporting interests.

Cobalt Lake had another flurry today, the stock firming up a point to 18. Little Nipissing was another favorite, selling up to 39 1/4, and closing at 39. The announcement made at the annual meeting last Saturday, that the company did not do so well, losing a point at 38. The other cheaper securities were generally firm with yesterday's prices. Little Rose, Crown Reserve and Nipissing were dealt in to a small extent, but there were no changes of any importance in the quotations, which were decidedly firm with those of the previous day.

The market was a firm one throughout, and, considering the fact that the New York Exchange was closed and speculative interest curbed to a certain extent in consequence, it was held that trading had proved satisfactory as a rule.

## COBALT MERGER

### What Amalgamation of Mining Properties Would Mean.

The talk of a possible Cobalt merger has created some interest in New York. The Wall-street Standard says: "The announcement made at the close of last week that officials of some of the leading Cobalt silver mining companies had been approached with a view of bringing about a consolidation of the principal shipping companies in that camp was received with considerable interest in this city. It was agreed that a combination could be brought about, on terms that would be equitable and fair to the stockholders of the various companies. It would be of great benefit to the Cobalt district, and ultimately would result in a general betterment of the silver mining industry. It will be recalled that last autumn certain interests endeavored to bring about a consolidation of the Nipissing and Little Rose properties, but the proposition was rejected by important interests in the Nipissing company because such a consolidation was not propitious.

"It is understood that the matter of bringing together the large shipping companies in that camp at the present time was broached by a party standing high in financial circles in this city, but so far the question of merging the said companies has not been officially discussed. According to some of those having extensive interests in the camp, the idea is to bring together under one management Crown Reserve, Nipissing, the La Rose, the Crown Reserve, and the Kerr Lake companies, as these are looked upon as the four most profitable properties in the camp.

## Toronto Stock Exchange Unlisted Securities.

Company	Sell.	Buy.
Beaver Consolidated Mines	55	52 1/2
Buffalo Mines	55	52 1/2
Cobalt Lake	54 1/2	54 1/4
Chambers-Perland	40	38
City of Cobalt	21	20 1/2
Cobalt Lake Mining Co.	18 1/2	18
Cobalt Silver Queen	5 1/2	5
Consolidated M. & S.	80 1/2	78 1/2
Foster	11	10 1/2
Green-Meehan	9 1/2	9
Kerr Lake	18 1/2	18
Little Nipissing	39 1/2	39
McKinley Dar. Savage	8 1/2	8
Nancy Helen	30 1/2	30
Nova Scotia	27 1/2	27
Ophir	66	64
Peterston Lake	19 1/2	19
Silver Bar	100	98
Timiskaming	13 1/2	13
Watts Mines	16 1/2	16

## LONDON MARKET.

Following are the closing quotations for American securities in the London market yesterday:

Company	Price
Anacanda	49 1/2
Athol	17 1/2
Canadian Pacific	17 1/2
St. Paul	14 1/2
Esle	29 1/2
Illinois	12 1/2
Louisville & Nashville	13 1/2
New York Central	12 1/2
Pennsylvania	12 1/2
Southern Pacific	12 1/2
United States Steel	89 1/2
Do. preferred	120

## WILL REOPEN CHEESE FACTORIES.

BROCKVILLE, Feb. 22.—In the immediate section several cheese factories that have been idle for the past few years are to be reopened, and the indications are that some new ones will be constructed. The loss of the once much despised whey has been felt since the milk stations have become so numerous, as it has caused almost the complete abandonment of hog-raising.

## SILVER MARKET.

Samuel Montagu & Sons, dealers in silver bullion, write under date Feb. 10: "The China exchange has presented a weak appearance owing to the Chinese New Year, which commences to-day, and business for that quarter is quite at a standstill."

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## LONDON PRICES FOR AMERICANS

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Commodity	Price
Toronto Mortgage	101 1/2
Tor. Gen. Trust	106 1/2
Bonds	118 1/2
Black Lake	54 1/2
Electric Develop.	87 1/2
Dominion Steel	96 1/2
Mexican Electric	87 1/2
Mexican L. & P.	87 1/2
Rio 1st mortgage	87 1/2
Porto Rico	87 1/2
Sao Paulo	101 1/2

## MATCHEWAN, IN THE ELK LAKE DISTRICT, HAS SOME EXCELLENT GOLD SHOWINGS.

ELK LAKE, Ont., Feb. 21.—A new country, which lies to the north of Port Matachewan and west of the Township of Holmes, is being opened up by prospectors of Elk Lake. The first party to commence staking in this district did so towards the end of December, 1909, starting originally with the intention of working their way from the Porcupine, they heard of the fort certain rumors of gold having been found by Indians in the vicinity. This decided them to do a little prospecting before going further north. They examined two claims staked by the Indians and were favorably impressed. From an old fire ranger they heard of the formation and large quartz veins around Blackburn, Canoe, and Separation Lakes, so went into camp on Canoe Lake. After prospecting the hills around these lakes as they staked several claims and located veins varying from a few inches to sixteen feet in width. On two of the properties they discovered free gold in large quantities. It is true, but in sufficient quantities to assure them that they had struck a good thing.

Shortly afterwards other parties found their way in, the gold find having been reported in Elk Lake. A few days' inspection satisfied each new arrival and all were soon busy staking. Of the six parties, only one time on Canoe Lake, four had discovered free gold within five days of commencing to stake. Since then several prospectors have returned to the camp bringing samples with them, showing the precious metal. Many more have gone in and are now staking and the camp is spreading in all directions.

Not is the gold to be found in this district alone. One party broke trail north to Trout Lake, where some prospecting was done. The party returned from Trout Lake next moved west to White Plah Lake, and some large quartz veins were located, then worked southwest to the vicinity of the 90-mile line, where they struck a rich vein. All this with four feet of snow on the ground and the difficulties entailed by the abominable weather, making traveling in the bush almost impossible. There is not the slightest doubt that there will be some really good discoveries made when the snow is off the ground.

One has a choice of formation, keowatin schist predominating, ridges of diabase running in a northerly direction appearing here and there, as well as a wide variety of schist. Granite ranges to the north and west (extent unknown). Going west from Canoe Lake, one finds porphyry dykes, mica schist, and a variety of other rocks. There is a little granite and a little of the lower ground schist again.

Round the group of lakes above-mentioned, there are two camps, one of which is being worked very actively. Every fifty or a hundred feet traveling east and west are to be found bluffs, bare here and there, or easily broken up by the action of water. The mica and quartz everywhere. Twenty miles is long enough to make a discovery and cut a post, sufficient at least to hold the territory, one has more time for prospecting it.

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In the interests of our clients we follow closely the financial statements and doings of the various Cobalt companies. Months ago we publicly advised the sale of the KAMIKING stock, and when the price was three times the present and paying dividends.

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the end of July in which to do their work, on the ground that: The discoveries made warrant the thro development of claims, which is not possible during the next three months. The difficulties entailed by the amount of snow now on the ground make it almost impossible to do work which is in a couple of months' time will stop a stop traveling either in or out of that country. The distance from Elk Lake—the base camp—under these conditions is a serious matter. The prospectors are anxious to do their work, not only to fulfill the letter of the law, but because M.E. prospects warrant it.

## THE STREET CAR SYSTEM.

Editor World: On the morning of Friday, the 18th inst., at about 9:40 o'clock, I stepped on board a Belt Line car going west, at the corner of Jarvis and Bloor-streets, and when we arrived at the corner of Yonge and Bloor-streets, the passengers were told to get off and wait for the next car, as that one was going into the barn. We did so, and after shivering in the cold for six minutes, a car, No. 988, came along, and at 8:56 we stepped on board that car. Now, my reason for writing the letter is to draw your attention to the fact that this is not what is usually called a rush hour. Yet I found passengers waiting at many streets, and when we arrived at Spadina-avenue the car was full and stragglers numerous. Now I maintain that if the first car had been allowed to continue, the next two cars would not have been sufficient to have carried all the passengers with comfort. But the management is not only starving the system by taking off cars, but also in the manner their cars are heated, with the \$2.99 bargain stoves stuck away in a corner, and then compare our sister city, Buffalo, with their cars, heated by electricity. I comfortably will agree with me that the citizens of Toronto are a patient people. Is there no remedy for this state of things? Why wait to see what the court will say as to what the streets new rails will be laid on? Our civic officials not lay these minor grievances before the railway commission, and see what can be done with them? Surely all the clauses in the agreement cannot be in favor of the street railway company managers. I believe that the system in order to pay large dividends on their watered stock, is simply disgraceful, and think their manager, Mr. Fleming, has not the honor of being called a proper man's friend, as he used to be when mayor of the city.

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## MORE SALARY INCREASES BY BOARD OF EDUCATION

Finance Committee Recommends New Schedule Which Means \$52,000 More.

At a meeting of the finance committee of the board of education yesterday, salary increases amounting to \$52,000 were passed.

This includes the natural increases, 5 per cent, for school caretakers, and the extra allowance for experience on the staff. The salary bill, which was recommended by the special committee, was passed with but a few changes, although it is probable that some changes will be made when they reach the board.

The domestic science department of the technical school was recommended. Previously it was recommended that the head of the department be given a salary of \$1600, and the two assistants from \$850 to \$900. This plan was altered and a schedule arranged placing the department head from \$1500 to \$2000, while the assistants were given a schedule from \$900 to \$1200, a yearly increase of \$50.

The other technical school teachers, who were granted increases were: G.

Hahn from \$350 to \$1000; J. L. Banks, \$400 to \$450; W. C. Collett, \$600 to \$650; A. Horwood, clerk, \$1200 to \$1300, while Principal Eldon was allowed \$200 a year extra for night work.

R. A. Gray, principal of Malvern High School, was given the same schedule as principals of the colleges, starting with a minimum of \$2500 a year, while in the secretary's office the accountant was raised from \$1900 to \$2000. All the lady stenographers were given an extra \$50 to the increase the special committee had recommended, while a special clause was inserted in the increases for the lady teachers granting some 14 of those who had served nine years an extra \$25 raise, owing to being overlooked previously.

It was decided to give Mrs. Warburton of Elizabeth-street school, and Miss S. Stoodley of York-street school, the maximum salary of \$900 a year, owing to their exceptionally large classes, which are largely composed of children of foreigners. The occasional teachers were increased from \$1 a day to \$1.25, while the assistant domestic science teachers were given \$2.50 a day.

#### WEST END Y.M.C.A. EXCURSION

Buffalo and Return \$2.10, Saturday, February 26.

The West End Y.M.C.A. are running an excursion to Buffalo, leaving Toronto on the Canadian Pacific 1:15 p.m. train Saturday, for which they have secured a round trip rate of \$2.10. Tickets will be good returning on all trains to and including Feb. 28. Tickets may be obtained from any of the committee or at the C.P.R. ticket office, southeast corner of King and Yonge-streets.

## YORK COUNTY

Day's Doings in York County

### CHRISTOPHER ST. JOHN DIES FROM HEART FAILURE

Prominent Stouffville Man Expires at Son's House—North Toronto News.

NORTH TORONTO, Feb. 22.—(Special.)—That real estate has shown a decided tendency to flatten out since the last municipal elections, is now only too manifest. One large real estate firm who have made a specialty of North Toronto properties stated on Tuesday that they had put thru only one real estate transaction since the opening of the year. This is in marked contrast to the transactions of a year ago, when the demand for northern property was so keen, and its delivery chargeable to the defeat of the sewage scheme on the strength of which dozens purchased lots in the town. Now that the measure is apparently sidetracked for an indefinite period there is little prospect of the town sharing the increasing activity manifest in other outlying points. Had the plan submitted by the engineers and which was at once moderate in price and moderate in its nature, been allowed to proceed, North Toronto would have shortly doubled the population and assessment.

Ex-mayor Davis is circulating a petition around town looking toward the location of a bank in Davisville. This is a move in the right direction, and if successful, supply a long felt want.

Sherwood Lodge S.O.E. spent a delightful evening when the past president initiated a number of new members to luncheon. Speech, song and story served to render the evening a most enjoyable one.

The foundation is being taken out at the corner of Yonge and De Lisle-streets, on which seven stores will be erected.

The town band will meet for regular practice on Thursday night. The excellent music furnished by the band at the skating rinks and other places has already compensated in a large measure for the labor of organization. Bishop Sweeney has issued a circular, giving the dates of the spring confirmations in the suburbs, and among those of local interest are: St. Charles, Deer Park, March 16, and St. Clement's, Eglington, March 30.

At the town hall this morning Joseph Price, Brownlow-avenue, was before Police Magistrate Ramsey, and Walter Munster, J.P., charged with appearing in public while still suffering from scarlet fever. Price was allowed to go on suspended sentence.

Chief Collins will address the Epworth League of Eglington Methodist Church on Monday night on the subject "Temperance from a Police Standpoint."

#### REMOVAL OF SURTAX FAVORABLE TO CANADA

Better Than Dreadnoughts, Says Retiring Chairman of Dry Goods Section.

The annual meeting of the dry goods section of the board of trade was held yesterday afternoon. Chairman John D. Ivey in his annual report referred to the great prosperity of the season which had just closed.

"The French Treaty came into force on the first of February last and carries with it the provision that all goods to be imported into Canada in large quantities shall be subject to a duty of 10 per cent. This is a step in the right direction, and while it may not be just in order, I should like to say that I read with much interest a statement made by a member of this section to the press, that the withdrawal of the German surtax and a closer commercial relationship with Germany at this time, was of more value to the empire than the building of additional Dreadnoughts."

The officers of this section, for the new year were elected as follows: Chairman, W. R. Smallpeice; vice-chairman, Charles Marriott; secretary, F. G. Morley; executive, James D. Allan, C. E. Lowndes, R. A. Nisbet, A. W. Allen, John Macdonald, John Northway, C. S. Meek, J. C. Douglas, J. W. Woods, A. T. Reid, John Muldrew, J. M. Ivey, Henry Brock, J. F. Watson, A. F. Rodger, John D. Ivey.

#### GIVES \$25,000 BAIL

Jacob Corninsky, Caught in Fur Store, Released.

Jacob Corninsky, arrested Monday night in the act of robbing the fur store of Brodey, Dramin & Co. was committed for trial in police court yesterday morning. Bail was refused in that court, but was later granted by Judge Winchester.

Corninsky was released upon three \$5000 bonds of his father, Phillip Rosenbees and Samuel Rosenberg, an own bond of \$10,000. Sergeant of Detectives Mackie, who was concealed in the store at the time, was the only witness heard.

### Attractive Investment In Real Estate

Advertiser has for sale 150 feet of best streets in Rosedale. Handsome, high-class residences are being erected on their properties. The neighborhood is being rapidly built up, and the restrictions imposed will always be strictly residential. For further particulars apply BOX 23, WORLD.

### ESTATE NOTICES

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE

Judicial Notice to the Creditors, Contributors, Shareholders and Members of The Barron Brick Company, Limited.

PURSUANT to the Winding-Up Order in this matter, the undersigned will, on Saturday, the 26th day of February, 1910, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at his Chambers, Osgoode Hall, Toronto, appoint a Receiver and Liquidator of the above Company; and let all parties then attend.

G. O. ALCOCK, Secretary.

Dated this 14th day of February, 1910.

### Executors Sale

The undersigned Executor of the will of John Johnston, late of the Township of Scarborough, in the County of York, farmer, deceased, will offer for sale by Public Auction on SATURDAY, FEB. 26, 1910, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, at the CLYDE HOUSE, 229 Bay Street, East, Toronto, the following property, viz: In the Township of Scarborough, in the County of York, and being a portion of the south half of the east half of lot number twenty-one (21), in the Second Concession of the Township of Scarborough, containing about sixty (60) acres, together with the dwellings, barns and buildings thereon.

Ten per cent, of the purchase money to be paid down at the time of sale, and the balance as set forth in the conditions of sale. Possession will be given on the first day of April, 1910.

For further description, particulars and conditions of sale, apply to

PROUDFOOT, DUNCAN, GRANT & SKRANS, 12 Richmond-st. East, Toronto, Solicitors for W. H. Grant, Executor.

D. BELDAM, Auctioneer.

Dated at Toronto, the 14th day of February, 1910.

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Advertiser has for sale 150 feet of best streets in Rosedale. Handsome, high-class residences are being erected on their properties. The neighborhood is being rapidly built up, and the restrictions imposed will always be strictly residential. For further particulars apply BOX 23, WORLD.

### ESTATE NOTICES

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE

Judicial Notice to the Creditors, Contributors, Shareholders and Members of The Barron Brick Company, Limited.

PURSUANT to the Winding-Up Order in this matter, the undersigned will, on Saturday, the 26th day of February, 1910, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at his Chambers, Osgoode Hall, Toronto, appoint a Receiver and Liquidator of the above Company; and let all parties then attend.

G. O. ALCOCK, Secretary.

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The undersigned Executor of the will of John Johnston, late of the Township of Scarborough, in the County of York, farmer, deceased, will offer for sale by Public Auction on SATURDAY, FEB. 26, 1910, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, at the CLYDE HOUSE, 229 Bay Street, East, Toronto, the following property, viz: In the Township of Scarborough, in the County of York, and being a portion of the south half of the east half of lot number twenty-one (21), in the Second Concession of the Township of Scarborough, containing about sixty (60) acres, together with the dwellings, barns and buildings thereon.

Ten per cent, of the purchase money to be paid down at the time of sale, and the balance as set forth in the conditions of sale. Possession will be given on the first day of April, 1910.

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Some New Stock in and Ready for Advance Demand of Spring

WHEN in doubt, buy blue or black serge. Best all-round proposition of the lot. Good now, good at Easter, good in the Summer, good next Winter.

For indoors or outdoors; for business, for church, for entertainments, social or unsocial, informal or formidable. A blue or black serge carries you further and in better class style than any other one variety of suit you can buy. Ask your wife.

Men's Stylish Suits, made up from navy blue and black English worsteds, single-breasted, with the new long roll lapel, and dip front; also in double-breasted style. The materials are made from the finest worsted yarns, in fine twill, fast color, cut on the newest model, and made up with first-class trimmings. Special value, \$15.00.

Men's Navy Blue and Black Heavy Cloth Twill Worsted Suits. Cut on the new spring model, \$12.50.



## Men's Hats in the New Shapes

ANY time you feel an angry with your old hat, remember that the new spring models can be had now at Simpson's.

Men's New Derby Hats, fine English make, and splendid quality fur felt, with pure silk bindings and calf leather sweatbands; spring and summer 1910 designs. Thursday, \$1.50.

Men's and Boys' Golf and Bulldog Shape Caps, in dressy pattern tweeds and worsteds, silk lined and good finish. Thursday, 45c.

## A Sewing Machine 40 Feet Long

A Popular Attraction Forming Part of Our Exposition of Housefurnishing Processes

NO feature of this Exposition fascinates visitors quite so much as the travelling sewing machine which we have moved down from our own workroom to show our customers how we "make" carpets.

The machine was patented in 1894, and is the one and only machine for this purpose. Previous to its advent carpets were suspended in strips, edges up from the ceiling, and mechanical sewing apparatus worked by a hand crank was pushed along the two edges to be sewn together. But as the supporting hooks from the ceiling interrupted the seam at short intervals, this method was far from satisfactory. It was a vast improvement, however, over the necessity of sewing carpets by hand which preceded it. Many a sore hand has followed a session of that laborious, tedious work.

With the modern machine, however, a carpet is matched "to a wire" as to pattern, and seamed in a few minutes. The travelling car which carries the needle and thread and does the actual sewing can run the full length of the machine (40 feet) in a couple of minutes. It will readily sew a thousand yards a day. Think of that, all ye who ever endeavored to make over a carpet by hand!

This machine sews a "butt" seam, that is to say, when the carpet is opened out the seam comes absolutely flat. The stitches are what are commonly called "buttonhole" stitches, but by means of clever little attachments, shaped according to the thickness or the condition of the carpet edges, stitches of different depth, or as a layman might express it, different "grips" can be obtained. Thus, if on a carpet has a raw rough edge, and the border to be sewed on is hemmed or overcast, the guide attached will allow the needle a little more of the rough-edged carpet than of the firm-edged one. When the difference in thickness a "guide" is chosen to correspond. There are eleven of these little attachments altogether, all marked with their name, and placed in order on their rack.

- 1—Mating.
- 2—Ingrain.
- 3—Moquette thick edge.
- 4—Extra thick serge edge.
- 5—American Axminster.
- 6—Wilton.
- 7—American moquette velvet.
- 8—Brussels turned edge.
- 9—Serge Brussels border (buttonhole edge).
- 10—Brussels.
- 11—Tapestry.

The travelling work car, as one might call the sewing machine proper, is supported by a top and a bottom rail with a cogged track, called a "feed track," upon which a cog wheel in the car fits and rolls like the mountain-climbing engines they have in the Alps.

A "drive" and a "return" belt running over the pulleys give the car its power, and are drawn in their turn by an electric motor. Two numbered carpet strips are stretched tight, the edges are hung in the clamps, which give them a little extra tightness, and the little travelling machine has them neatly joined with linen thread in a jiffy.

No wonder people like to watch it.

## Other Features of This Exposition on the Fourth Floor.

- An Oriental Rug Frame.
- A Scotch Hand Loom.
- A Velvet Carpet Loom.
- A Smyrna Rug Loom.
- A Vacuum Cleaner.
- Willow Chair Weaving.
- Upholstering.
- Power Sewing Machines.
- Electric Floor Polishers.
- Designing and Stenciling.

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