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THE ADDRESS PASSED.

Now There Will be a Lull in the Oratory

AND BUSINESS WILL GO ON.

Mr. Fraser of Guysboro Chaffed the Opposition.

Mr. McNeill Followed Messrs. Maclean, Clarke and Osler in Support of the School Settlement—Hon. John Costigan Condemned the Settlement and Made an Eloquent Reference to the Queen's Jubilee—Mr. McMullen Also Had His Say Before the Address Passed.

Ottawa, April 2.—(Special.)—The election for Winnipeg may be expected very shortly, the Speaker having today issued his warrant for a writ for a new election.

Debate on the Address.

The debate on the address was continued by Mr. Fraser of Guysboro.

After routine in the House yesterday, Mr. Speaker announced that he had issued his warrant for the writ for Winnipeg, the seat having been vacated by judgment of the courts, unseating Mr. Macdonald.

Mr. Fraser (Guysboro) accused the Opposition of having cooled in their ardor for the Manitoba minority, and of being divided in their allegiance to former principles. The Conservative party having put themselves on the shoulders of the bishops, who failed to bring them to power, are now on the other tack, howling because a delegate has been brought from Rome, said he. For himself he believed it made little difference who brought the message so long as it was a correct message. It might be as well charged against the Speaker as a fault that he should appeal to the Presbyterian Assembly, supposing that church court sat outside of Canada. The talk of Papal aggression was unworthy and unmanly. He ridiculed the suggestion of a Federal law to punish clerical terrorism in political matters. Then he turned his attention to the Conservative benches and chaffed different members for the discordant position which in his judgment they occupied. He said that nine or ten years ago when the Grand Old Man of Ontario returned from England, flushed with triumph, and there was a great demonstration in his honor, Major Hughes rode a white horse and carried a banner. "What was inscribed on that banner?"

Bennett: Business is business. [Loud laughter.]

No, it was Mowat and Victory. Continuing, he said it was unseemly to discuss the tariff before it was brought down. [Cheers.]

Mr. McNeill Backs the Settlement.

Mr. McNeill said he was heartily glad to know that the school question was settled. Some details he did not agree with, but, taken on the whole, it was a most admirable one. From first to last he held the proper course was: "Hands off Manitoba." Dealing with the position of the Solicitor-General, he said that it might appear as if Mr. Fitzpatrick had broken faith with his bishop. But in justice to the Solicitor-General, he desired to say that if he had given a pledge to a bishop in return for political support, and that support was not forthcoming, he would certainly not feel himself bound by the pledge he had given.

Proceeding, Mr. McNeill demanded an explicit statement of the reasons for substituting Mr. Charles Russell as Canadian Solicitor in London for Bompar, Bischoff, & Co. Had the trip to Rome anything to do with it? Continuing, Mr. McNeill read from the appeal to Rome, to show that the relief desired was not spiritual but political. It pointed out that the existing state of affairs constituted a grave danger to the constitution of the country. "Was that not political?"

Mr. Sutherland: "They asked for civil liberty."

Mr. McNeill: And must we appeal to Rome for civil liberty? So far as civil liberty went, he believed the Liberal party in Quebec did at the outset of the campaign enter upon a fight for civil and religious liberty against ecclesiastical domination. They were very brave to begin with, those Liberals, but at the very first shot from the enemy, the suppression of a Liberal paper, the whole Liberal party turned tail and ran for shelter. And where did they run to? To the very chief of their ecclesiastical forces, and before him they grovelled, praying him for God's sake to intervene between the land and the captains of his hosts. In this they betrayed the liberties of the people, by calling in to their assistance the very power they professed to defy. In conclusion, Mr. McNeill said that when this action of the Liberals came to be understood by the people of Canada, it would be held worthy of their complete condemnation.

McMullen and Wallace.

Mr. McMullen defended the appeal to the Pope, because it was a protest against the imposition of spiritual pains and penalties upon Liberals. He would like to see Mr. Wallace introduce a bill to provide that no Roman Catholic elector should, by reason of having voted for Mr. Laurier, be denied the sacraments of the Roman Catholic Church; and that such deprivation on the part of bishop or priest should be a misdemeanor. Would he bring in such a bill?

Mr. Wallace: "My bill would have but one clause. It would declare it to be a criminal offence for anyone in Canada to intimidate or threaten in any way an elector in the exercise of the franchise."

Mr. McMullen said that we had such a law already, but would the honorable gentleman enforce it, that law to oblige a priest to accord to the body of a Roman Catholic burial in consecrated ground?

Mr. Wallace: "That has already been decided in the Guibord case."

Mr. McMullen, continuing, said it was absurd to characterize the petition as a political appeal.

Mr Costigan Finds Fault.

Hon. John Costigan, resuming the debate after recess, held that on every question upon which the people had been appealed to last election, the country had endorsed the Conservative policy. While he would be glad to see the Manitoba School question settled, with the record he had made for himself for consistency, at all events, he could not stand in his place in the House and declare that settlement a satisfactory one. The question was not dead and buried, nor would it be while the constitutional guarantees to minorities remained part of our charter of national existence, and yet rights under them were withheld. From the day that Parliament was seized with jurisdiction for redress, this power and obligation remained with Parliament. It was not as an old Conservative, or as a Roman Catholic, that he opposed this settlement, for he would solemnly assert that, were he a Protestant, he would take exactly the same ground. [Applause.] It was with reluctance he touched upon the mission from Rome, and because the House was not surprised of the object of that mission he thought too much had been said about it already. In signing the memorial to His Holiness, Mr. Tarte and his friends were quite within their rights, but with the discussion of this matter in advance of the report upon the investigation of Mgr. Mery del Val he did find fault. This talk, therefore, about a delegate coming here to run this country was a tempest in a teapot, a cry that was too silly for Canadians to indulge in in this advanced age. He took a fling at Mr. McMullen, whose sympathy, rather than his sneers, he fully expected. "I'm out," said Mr. Costigan, "after having been in. He's out, never having been able to get in at all." [Laughter.]

Going back to his early career in Parliament, Mr. Costigan said he first became a Conservative because of the policy of toleration, patriotism and equal rights to all as upheld by Sir John Macdonald and Sir G. E. Cartier. That was the policy of the Conservative party to-day, else he would not be Conservative. If the policy of the Conservative party was to make a dead letter of the constitution he would forsake such a party.

Then, addressing himself to Mr. Clarke, for whose open avowal of opinion he expressed admiration, Mr. Costigan asked how much more noble it would be in that honorable gentleman, although disbelieving in separate schools, to say, as one of the Protestant majority: I shall see to it that faith shall be kept with the Roman Catholic minority. As to clerical interference he could tell the House that in his province the English-speaking clergy of the Roman Catholic Church were mostly Liberal. Now, all the circumstances of the mandement taken into consideration, could it be said that the return of Mr. Laurier was a triumph over the clergy of Quebec? The mandement left all free to vote for whomsoever they would, provided the candidate was one who would promise justice to the Manitoba minority, and nearly all the candidates on both sides

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THE QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY

Proposal to Make It a Permanent Holiday.

SENATOR McDONALD OF B.C.

Thinks the 24th of May Should Always be Observed.

Petition from British Columbia to Restrict Japanese Immigration—Also to Put Up the Chinese Poll Tax from $50 to $500—The Wonderful Richness in Gold of the Yukon Country—Names of Those Who Signed the Petition to the Pope—P.O. Money Order Clerks on the Rack—General News from Ottawa.

Ottawa, April 2.—(Special.)—Senator W. J. McDonald of British Columbia has struck a popular note in his bill to make the 24th of May a permanent annual holiday in commemoration of the glorious reign of Her Majesty. Canadians would miss their great spring holiday, and when a successor is on the throne of Great Britain, which one may fairly hope may not be for many years hence, the 9th of November will not be a very suitable day for a public holiday.

The preamble recites that, whereas the reign of Her Most Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria is the longest and most distinguished in peace, civilization, art, commerce and the perfecting and adaptation of scientific discoveries to the interests of mankind in the history of the Empire, it is befitting that the same should be marked in every way that may do donor to Her Majesty and perpetuate her reign. Therefore it proposes to enact that the interpretation act be amended so as to constitute the 24th of May a holiday for all time in the Dominion.

Will Report for the Government.

The Papal delegate, it is said in Ottawa, will side with the Liberals and report to the Holy Father in favor of restraining the bishops of Quebec. Mr. Shaughnessy of the C.P.R. will do all he can to persuade Mgr. Mery Del Val in that direction. Mr. Shaughnessy and Sir William Van Horne are anxious to help the Government out of their troubles.

Against Chinese and Japs.

A numerously-signed petition from British Columbia on the subject of Japanese immigration was presented to Parliament to-day. It starts out with the statement that a large influx of Japanese is a serious menace to the prosperity and material development of this country, that the Japanese are accustomed to a low standard of living, and are therefore willing to accept a lower scale of wages; that they are seriously competing with white labor, and indeed in many cases leading to the exclusion of white laborers. The petition goes on to say that there is danger of the province becoming orientalized. It is urged that the term of residence in Canada for Japanese before they can become naturalized should be increased from three to five years; that the evidence of residence shall be given in open court and that it shall be verified by production of the passport which is issued by the Japanese Government to all its subjects on leaving for foreign countries. Consul-General Nosse's visit to Ottawa has anticipated this petition. Mr. Nosse says the statements of the influx of Japanese are grossly exaggerated, there being only 800 Japanese in the whole of Canada.

Another petition from British Columbia asks for an increase in the capitation tax on Chinese immigrants from $50 to $500.

There are many rumors in circulation with reference to the fast Atlantic steamship service, and it is said that immediately after Mr. Dobell's arrival in England, which will be to-morrow, an announcement will be forthcoming of a provisional arrangement for the establishment of the service.

The Penitentiary Commission

The commissioners appointed to investigate the management of the Kingston Penitentiary have completed their labors. St. Vincent De Paul Penitentiary is next to be tackled. The Canada Gazette to-morrow will announce the appointment of J. B. Noxon, Toronto; O. K. Fraser of Brockville, and D. A. Lafontaine of Montreal as commissioners.

The commission was appointed as the outcome of protests of Mr. Fortin, M.P. for Laval. Mr. Fortin is anxious to work Warden Ouimet out of his job, and has a successor designated in the person of Capt. Chartrand, who is to be secretary of the commission.

The Yukon's Richness in Gold.

The Canadian Yukon is a veritable eldorado. The Minister of the Interior has just received reports from William Ogilvie, the Dominion Land Surveyor, who wintered at Fort Cudahy. Mr. Ogilvie says that at Cloudy Ke, which is some 60 miles southeast of Fort Cudahy and further into British territory, some men are making from $1000 to $2000 per day. This is done by placer mining. The report is altogether a most remarkable one, showing gold to be found in abundance.

Col. Burland's Fine Offer.

Col. Burland of the 6th Fusiliers has generously offered to contribute the sum of $10,000 towards the expenses of the proposed provisional regiment to represent Canada at the Queen's Jubilee celebration in London.

The Signers of the Petition.

One can understand now how it is that Charley Devlin has got a Government berth. Before his appointment he made formal recantation of his kick against the school settlement by signing the famous petition to Rome. Here is a list of signatures: Hon. Wilfrid Laurier, Hon. J. I. Tarte, Hon. Charles Fitzpatrick, Hon. R. W. Scott, Hon. C. A. Geoffrion, Hon. C. A. Pelletier, Hon. J. Thibaudeau, and the following M. P's: R. Prefontaine, O. E. Talbot, C. R. Devlin, L. P. Brodeur, L. C. A. An-

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A MISTAKE.



Instead of seeking protection in Parliament, the Liberal boys run to Rome for shelter.

STORY OF GOL. VASSOS

Says He Has Established Good Order in Crete.

LIFE AND PROPERTY SAFE.

The People Recognize Him and His Troops as Their Kin.

European Marines Said To Have Wrecked Houses by Hitching Chains About Them and Pulling Them from Their Foundations—Wanton Waste of Provisions in Order to Keep Them from the Insurgents—General News from the Disturbed Island.

London, April 2.—The Canea correspondent of The Chronicle sends a despatch to that paper in which he says that the following incidents have occurred during the current week.

A force of British marines with guns went to Tripeti in Sphakia and searched the houses there for provisions, which, whenever they were found, were destroyed, lest they should be used by the insurgents. A similar expedition went to a village near Sellino searching for flour and grain. Two warships, one of which was British, sent armed boats to Kolumbari to seize small mercantile craft that were lying at that place. The peasants refused to surrender the vessels, whereupon the marines threatened to destroy the village. Eventually the boats were yielded.

The most astounding incident reported, however, is the following: A British detachment which was sent to Kisramo Kastelli passed chains around the houses of certain Christians. Cables were then attached to the chains and these were passed to war ships, which pulled upon them until the houses fell.

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Big Rush of Passengers to the Old Country This Coming Summer.

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Cook's Turkish Baths, 204 King W. Ladies 75c.

Another shipment of two cases of Welch-Margetson's Scarfs for 50 cents opened to-day. Treble's, 53 King-street west.

University of Toronto Law Examinations

At the meeting of the senate on Friday evening next a recommendation will be submitted for approval to the effect that the annual examinations in law be postponed until the 17th of May.

Pember's Turkish baths, 129 Yonge.

BUTLER WANTED TO DIE.

The Alleged Murderer Tried to Kill Himself With His Finger Nails.

San Francisco, April 2.—Frank Butler, who is accused of having committed a dozen or more murders in New South Wales and elsewhere, made a clumsy and unsuccessful attempt to take his own life this morning. With a sharp finger nail he tried to sever an artery in his temple, but only managed to cut a shallow gash, from which he lost considerable blood, before the guards became aware of his condition. The prisoner claims that he accidentally scratched himself, but his nails have been trimmed and his guard doubled to prevent any further accidents until Butler is safe on board the steamer Mariposa, which sails for Sydney to-morrow.

Alluring Fragrance.

There is a wonderful charm about the tempting display of spring flowers and plants at Dunlop's just now. Why not enjoy some of this pleasing beauty? 5 King-street west and 445 Yonge-street.

Serious Loss by Fire.

Wilmington, N.C., April 2.—A special from Lumberton says: About 11 o'clock last night fire was discovered in the large brick store occupied by Frank Gough, which was quickly consumed. A strong breeze carried the flames across Elm-street, and by 2 o'clock a.m. the stores of L. H. Caldwell, Redmond & Co., P. C. Black, Millsap, H. B. Pittman & Co. and the entire range of buildings on the north side of Third-street, in all, fifteen buildings, with most of the stock, were destroyed. Loss $100,000. The fire was probaly of incendiary origin.

The Provident Savings Life Assurance Society of New York, established 1375, Edward W. Scott President. General agents wanted in the following districts: Ottawa, Brockville, Kingston, Belleville, Peterboro, Barrie, Owen Sound, Arthur, Guelph, Stratford, Berlin, London and Hamilton. Successful agents and gentlemen seeking remunerative business connections may apply to R. H. Matson, General Manager for Canada, 37 Yonge-street, Toronto. 126

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OUR ROSSLAND SPECIAL.

Freight Train Wrecked on the Red Mountain Railway—The Option on Commander—Strikes Reported.

Rossland, B.C., April 2.—(Special to The World, via Spokane, Wash.—A freight train was wrecked on Red Mountain Railway opposite the O.K. mine this morning. No trains are running to-day.

There has been given 20 days extension of the option on Commander for a quarter million, granted to the Gunnis-Neame syndicate.

The extension of the Jumbo option at a half million has been asked, but it has not yet been decided whether it will be granted. It is expected that the Commander deal will go through.

Justice McColl decided yesterday that the Grand Prize Company is entitled to the Grand Prize ground, although the stakes were on adjoining claims, as the company was in possession of the claim when Buffalo was located. The action brought by the latter has been dismissed.

Strikes are reported on the Iron Horse, Fairview, Great Western, Flossie L., and Evening Star.

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DEATHS

BELL—AT her residence, 36 Garden-avenue, on April 1, Lizzie, beloved wife of Nelson Bell, in her forty-second year.

Funeral from the residence of her father, William Padget, sr., on Monday at 10 o'clock.

KELLY—On Thursday evening, April 1, 1897, Catharine Christina (Katie), second daughter of John and Ellen Kelly, aged 13 years and 10 months.

Funeral on Sunday afternoon, April 4, at 2 o'clock, from her father's residence, 304 Farley-avenue, to St. Mary's Church, Bathurst-street, thence to St. Michael's Cemetery.

ROSEBRUGH—Suddenly, on April 1, at 405 Shaw-street, Harry, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Rosebrugh, aged 9 months and 16 days.

Funeral to Mount Pleasant Cemetery on Saturday, April 3, at 2 o'clock.

HASSARD—At 26 Cottingham-street, on the 2nd inst., Lillian Gladys, infant daughter of Elizabeth and Thomas G. Hassard, aged 3 months 20 days.

Funeral private.

NICKOLS—On Friday, April 2, 1897, at his residence, 61 Alexander-street, William Nickols, aged 87 years.

Funeral Monday, April 5, at 2.30 to the Necropolis.

Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

IT'S WAR TO THE KNIFE

Grand Trunk and C. P. R. At Daggers Drawn.

RATES TO THE KOOTENAY

Will Probably be Low as a Result of the Squabble.

The Grand Trunk's Passenger Tariff to the Gold Country Caused the Rival Line to Make a Kick, and Therefore a Rate War is Probable, Which Will Be to the Interest of Those Who Wish to Go to the Coast—Messrs. McNicoll and Reeve State the Case from the Different Standpoints—Montreal News Notes.

Montreal, April 2.—(Special.)—The rush of Easterners to the British Columbia gold fields seems likely to be considerably accelerated very soon by low rates, via both the Canadian Pacific and Grand Trunk Railway. It is practically a case of war to the knife between the two roads—at least that was the impression created by the remarks made this morning by Messrs. McNicoll and Reeve, the heads of the passenger departments of the two railways.

As announced yesterday the Grand Trunk issued a new tariff of passenger rates to the Kootenay district, which places their rates at exactly the same figure as the C. P. R. The C. P. R. claim the right to a differential on this business, on account of their part-water route. The Grand Trunk claim that they have no such right—that is that they should not be allowed to quote a lower rate than the Grand Trunk do via their United States connections. That is where the difficulty hinges.

Mr. D. McNicoll, passenger traffic manager of the C. P. R., was seen this morning and asked what action they would take regarding the latest move of the Grand Trunk. In reply he said: "The Grand Trunk has done a very improper thing in issuing their new tariff. They want to take all our Canadian business and hand it over to their American connections. Their action is a violation of the rules of the Joint Traffic Association, of which both roads are members, and I understand the chairman of the Association has requested the Grand Trunk to withdraw their new tariff. We are entitled to differentials on account of our long water route on the great lakes. In cases where the Grand Trunk have a water route they claim the same thing. Now, in this case they do not admit the principle. However, the C. P. R., will very soon meet the Grand Trunk's action. I cannot say just at present what that action will be, but whatever decision is arrived at will be known very soon."

What Mr. Reeve Says.

Mr. George B. Reeve, general traffic manager of the G. T. R., was next seen in reference to the question.

"So the Canadian Pacific people are annoyed at the Grand Trunk, are they?" he remarked, when informed that the C. P. R. was taking steps to meet their new tariff. He expressed himself as quite unworried as to the outcome, and said that the Grand Trunk was prepared to meet any action the C. P. R. might take. "To make matters clear," he said, "we might as well go to the bottom of the difficulty. The position of affairs is this: Eighty per cent. of the traffic for the Kootenay country originates on the line of the Grand Trunk. Our road runs through the most thickly populated parts of Eastern Canada, as you can see by the map. The blue lines are C. P. R. lines, and the red lines represent the Grand Trunk. Now, for the sake of peace and quietness, the Grand Trunk offered to divide business, giving each road 50 per cent. But the C. P. R. would not accept that offer, which I consider a very liberal one on the part of the Grand Trunk. They claimed 60 per cent. in addition to the differential, on account of their part water route. Now, when 80 per cent. of the traffic originates on our road, we do not consider that the C. P. R. should get the business, for that is practically what they want. The Grand Trunk is entitled to a share of it, and, what is more, we are going to get it."

Mr. Hannaford Wants $6000.

Mr. E. P. Hannaford, late chief engineer of the Grand Trunk Railway Company, whose dismissal from the company's service on the advent of Mr. C. M. Hay's, as general manager, was the first of a series, has taken an action against the company, through Messrs. Carter and Goldstein, for $6000 damages. He complains that he was wrongfully dismissed; that, as a permanent official of the company, his commission could not be revoked in the summary manner adopted by Mr. Hays, and that he has suffered damages by reason of loss of salary, etc., to the amount claimed by him in his present action.

Montreal Notes.

Mgr. Mery del Val has, it is said, given permission to the Bishop of Three Rivers to issue a letter to the faithful in Champlain on Sunday next.

The McGill medical faculty held convocation to-day.

The World as a Newspaper.

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HAPPENINGS OF A DAY.

Items of Passing Interest Gathered in and Around this Busy City.

A number of ladies had their pockets picked in St. Mary's Church Thursday.

Don't be deceived—"L. & S." brand of hams, bacon and lard is delicious, healthful and appetizing.

John Dixon, 31 Garden-avenue, was thrown from his horse yesterday on Macdonell-avenue and had his leg broken.

Surrogate Court proceedings took place yesterday in these estates: George O'Reilly, York Township, $2440; Mrs. Mary Morriarity, $1600.

The annual at home of the choir of Broadway Methodist Tabernacle was highly successful last evening. Music, sociality and refreshments constituted the fare.

Albert Coghlin of the Working Boys' Home, Frederick-street, was presented with a shaving outfit by his friends and mates, on his leaving for Chicago to go into the barber business with his brother.

Many friends attended the funeral of Mrs. C. M. Morrison, which took place yesterday morning from her late residence, Gwynne-avenue, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Rev. A. B. Chambers officiated.

Many of the employes of the Gutta Percha and Rubber Company attended the funeral of the two brothers, Percy and George Holman. Service was held at their late home, 278 Brock-avenue, and at Prospect Cemetery.

About 7 o'clock last night a row of sheds in the rear of 167 Clinton-street was burned to the extent of $100 damage. They were owned by Mr. P. Palmerston, and occupied by Mr. Chord. The cause of the fire is unknown.

The graduates of Church's Auto-Voce School expressed marked appreciation of and high regard for the principal, Mr. S. T. Church, on the eve of his departure for England by presenting that gentleman with a very fine club bag and address. The Auto-Voce School is now closed, re-opening in London, Eng., Sept. 1. Its removal is widely regretted.

Major and Mrs. Read of the Salvation Army will conduct interesting services at the Albert-street Temple all day to-morrow (Sunday). They will be assisted by other members of the Headquarters' staff. Plenty of lively music and singing. Time of meetings as follows: 7 a.m., 11 a.m., 3 p.m. and 7.30 p.m.

Personal.

Jas. L. Burton, Barrie, is at the Queen's.

John McCosh, Orillia, is at the Walker.

L. Irvine, Pembroke, is at the Rossin.

F. Mackelcan, Hamilton, is at the Rossin.

B. E. Hawke, Rat Portage, is at the Rossin.

E. M. Taylor of Brockville is at the Grand Union.

S. M. Baker of Buffalo is at the Grand Union.

W. H. Bates of Quebec is at the Grand Union.

J. Morgan Shaw, Kingston, is at the Queen's.

George H. Pope, Belleville, is at the Queen's.

J. L. Foote, Owen Sound, is at the Walker.

J. B. McWilliams, Peterboro', is at the Walker.

J. Livingstone, M.P., Baden, is at the Walker.

D. M. McBride, Winnipeg, is at the Walker.

George Foster, Brantford, is at the Walker.

G. H. Playter, Collingwood, is at the Walker.

E. A. Moreton, Fort William, is at the Queen's.

A. R. Mackenzie, Helena, Mont., is at the Queen's.

William Murdock, Jack Fish Bay, is at the Queen's.

C. H. Hatch of Kingston is a guest at the Rossin.

Mr. E. B. Osler, M.P., came up from Ottawa last night.

M. D. Carder of St. Thomas is registered at the Rossin House.

Hon. Col. Tisdale of Simcoe is a guest at the Rossin House.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Monk of London, Eng., are at the Rossin.

Mr. George Tate Blackstock will leave England for Canada per steamer Etruria to-day.

George S. Cantlie, Fred J. Walker, R. B. Morrice and William H. Browne, Montreal, are at the Queen's.

Mr. George Gooderham and Mr. T. G. Blackstock sail to-morrow for home, and are expected here by the 10th or 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Nairn of Kelvinside left yesterday via New York for the South, where they will remain several weeks.

Dr. J. W. McIntosh, B.A., Gore Bay, has been appointed physician to the Indians at Manitowaning in place of Dr. Stephens, deceased.

Rev. Dr. Griffin goes to Ottawa to-day and will preach anniversary sermons in the Dominion Methodist Church to-morrow in aid of the Superannuation Fund.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Van Newbraun, Berlin; D. A. Galloway, Listowel; W. E. Long, Brantford; James H. Rooney, New York; J. A. Tracey, Georgetown; John Tennant, Palmerston; W. Hayer, Palmerston; H. Lamont, Collingwood; J. M. Whiteside, Walkerville; W. E. Lennox and wife, Hamilton; T. H. Danister, Cannington, are at the Tremont House.

HON. ARTHUR J. BALFOUR.

It is Now Rumored That the Leader of the Imperial House Will Marry "Birdie" Stewart.

The Marquise de Fontenoy writes: There is no man of any prominence in England whose marriage to this or that lady has been announced more repeatedly than Mr. Arthur Balfour, the First Lord of the British Treasury and leader of the Government in the House of Commons. For years it was insisted that he would lead to the altar Miss Tennant, the "Dodo" of Mr. Benson's well-known novel of that name, who is now the wife of Mr. Asquith, Secretary of State for the Home Department in the last Liberal Cabinet. Then it was insisted that he was about to marry the widowed Countess of Dudley, who, in spite of the fact that she is a grandmother, remains to this day an infinitely more beautiful and attractive woman than her son's handsome wife.

The lady whose name is now mentioned in conjunction with that of Mr. Balfour is Lady Helen Stewart, who goes by the nickname of "Birdie" among her friends and acquaintances, and who is the daughter and favorite child of the Marquis of Londonderry. She is an extremely pretty girl, a very clever amateur actress, accomplished in every way and the great friend and constant companion of her lovely mother, whose place she constantly takes as hostess, owing to the impaired health of the Marchioness. Lady "Birdie" is perhaps the most intimate friend of the two younger daughters of the Prince of Wales, especially of Princess Charles of Denmark, their other great friend being Lady Sophie Scott, daughter of the present Viceroy of Ireland.

Lady "Birdie" Stewart eventually will inherit a very large fortune, for her father is enormously rich, the greater part of his wealth being derived from his coal mines, the product of which he sells at retail as well as wholesale. Mr. Balfour is, however, very well off himself, has a beautiful house in Carlton terrace and an ancient country seat with large estates at Wittingham, up in the north. He can have a peerage at any moment he likes, and should anything happen to his uncle, Lord Salisbury, he inevitably would be the next Prime Minister, since it is extremely unlikely that the Tory party would accept the leadership of his only rival for that post, Mr. Chamberlain.

It is doubtful whether the marriage of Mr. Balfour and Lady "Birdie" Stewart would enhance the popularity of the former in Ireland, for the name which her father bore until his own father's death, that of Lord Castlereagh, is execrated throughout the Emerald Isle as having been that of a man who is responsible to a greater degree than anyone else in the world for the wrongs that Ireland has suffered since the beginning of the century.

WEYLER AFTER GAMBLERS.

And it is Not the Small Fry He is Pursuing—Consternation Caused.

Havana, April 2.—Consternation has been caused among many members of political, military and civil circles here by an order that has just been issued by Capt.-Gen. Weyler. Gambling has been indulged in by all classes of officials and the evil had grown to such proportions and has caused such a scandal that Gen. Weyler determined to make an attempt to stop it. Contrary to usual custom he did not molest the smaller offenders, but issued an order calling for the arrest of 39 prominent men in Cienfuegos, whose gambling proclivities were well known to everybody. Among those taken into custody are the Chief of Police of Santa Clara, who has been spending much of his time gambling in Cienfuegos, and the police delegates of the latter city. The chief officers of the military administration are quailing in their boots lest an order for their arrest be issued. It is considered probable that the Civil Governor of the Province of Santa Clara will be removed from his office.

DANDELION THE FAVORITE.

Hamilton, April 2.—Dandelion is still the favorite for the Plate in Davis & Haskins' book, notwithstanding that he is reported to have a bad leg. The Hendrie candidate has gone back from 5—1 to 6—1. The quotations are:

Dandelion	3—1	Delmoor	15—1
Bon Ino	4—1	The Tar	15—1
Wicker	4—1	Garter King	15—1
Ferdinand	5—1	Belmont	15—1
Leading Lady	6—1	Armada	20—1
Abbotsford	10—1	Others	.25 to 50 to 1

LIBS ARE PEDRO CHAMPIONS.

The final game of pedro was played last night in the Toronto Rowing Club's rooms, between the Liberals and Ramblers, which was won by the Liberals. Score, 20—15.

The Ramblers protested a previous game, which was won by the Liberals from the Toronto Rowing Club, and which was decided against the Liberals. It was played off, the Liberals again winning, although the Ramblers were looked upon as sure winners.

The Rowing Club and Ramblers will now play off for second place.

VARSITY A. A. DIRECTORATE.

A meeting of the new directorate of the University of Toronto Athletic Association was held in the Students' Union building, yesterday afternoon, for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year. The following were chosen: President, J. W. Hobbs; vice-president, F. R. Rutherford; secretary-treasurer, W. M. Martin. It is intended to erect a permanent grand stand on the campus, and a very successful year is assured.

SPORTING NOTES.

Subscriber, West End: No. 999 covered a mile in 32 sec.

There will be an open bluerock shoot at the Woodbine this afternoon, commencing at 2.30 o'clock.

John Sutton, Simcoe: After 61 rounds, lasting 4 hours 3 min., the referee declared the Corbett-Jackson fight "no contest."

The Stanley Gun Club have arranged to hold an open shoot at targets and sparrows on Good Friday afternoon, April 16, on the Woodbine grounds. There are two guaranteed purses, one open and the other for novice members of the club. The purses and moneys will be divided on the Rose system. The programs will be mailed early next week.

Casper Leon bested Jack Ward of Newark Thursday night in New York. They went the 20 rounds, but, as Leon was the cleverer and best ring general, he got the decision. In the preliminary bouts, Oscar Gardner, the "Omaha Kid," knocked out Jack Grant in the ninth round with a stiff right-hander on the jaw. The police interfered in the second bout, between Sam Tonkins and McMahon, when the latter was "going."

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FIVE PERSONS FOUND DEAD.

The Floods in Missouri Responsible for Their Death—A Terrible State of Affairs.

St. Louis, April 2.—A special from Cairo, Ill., states that a report reached there last night that five persons were found dead yesterday at a point about 30 miles below New Madrid, Mo. The information was brought to Roby, a commercial traveler, who states that a relief boat yesterday found the bodies of a young girl, an aged woman, and a child, in a flooded house on the Missouri side of the river, at a point about 30 miles south of New Madrid. The people had either starved to death or died of fright. The water was at the eaves of the house and the victims were in the attic.

A negro and a white man are also reported as having been found starved to death on the platform of a temporary refuge in the same locality.

OXFORD PREDICTED TO WIN.

Cambridge Supporters Have Little Hope for Victory—Odds are 5 to 1.

London, April 2.—The Cambridge and Oxford University eights were out on the Thames at Putney this morning for final practise in preparation for the university race, which will be rowed to-morrow. Both crews practised starts and sprints, but neither tried any long pulls.

Enquiries at Putney this afternoon show that the racing experts there are convinced that, barring accidents, Oxford will surely be the winner of to-morrow's race.

Ex-Amateur Champion East, who is coaching the Cambridge men, says he has very small hopes of Cambridge winning, and the professional oarsman, Driver, the Oxford coach, says that his crew cannot lose.

The betting this afternoon is 5 to 1 on Oxford, with no takers. The Oxford men have shown themselves, in their practise work, to be quicker at starting, and their stroke is not so slow as that of Cambridge. Oxford's oars have blades three-quarters of an inch smaller than those of Cambridge, which crew row a freer and looser stroke with their larger oars. The recent windy weather and lumpy water has favored Cambridge, and if it should be rough to-morrow it is likely that there will be a close race for the first two miles.

ATHLETICS OF ST. KITTS.

They Decide to Again Place a Team in the Senior Series—To Support Jackson.

St. Catharines, April 2.—The fact of the Athletics having an unsuccessful season financially last year was the means of bringing out all the old-time supporters at its annual meeting to-night. As a result, it was one of the most successful meetings in the history of the Athletics.

The club transacted considerable business, amongst which it was decided to place a team in the senior C.L.A. series and a team in the district intermediate series. Messrs. C. Beard, J. C. Notman, D. C. Hetherington, T. Morton, J. S. Carlisle, R. Newman, A. H. Fairfield and H. O'Loughlin were appointed as directors to transact the business of the club during the season.

The directors will meet on Monday to elect officers. The directors were instructed to appoint delegates to attend the annual meeting of the C.L.A. at Toronto on Good Friday, and were instructed to support Mr. Robert E. Jackson of Seaforth for the presidency.

THE CHAMPION AETNAS.

Georgetown, April 2.—The Aetna Lacrosse Club met to-night in the Town Hall to reorganize. The secretary and treasurer's report showed the club to be in a flourishing condition and the prospects for the incoming season are very bright. The election of officers resulted as follows: Patron and patroness, Mr and Mrs J R Barber; hon president, Dr. Nixon; hon vice-president, E Finlay; president, J Gane; first vice-president, J Langam; second vice-president, E McCann; third vice-president, John Sutton; treasurer, J Gane; secretary, H B Henderson; captain, R Scott; field captain and manager, J H McKenzie; executive, J D McGibbon, J H McKenzie, Dr Nixon, S Nevans; delegates to C.L.A. convention, J H McKenzie and H B Henderson.

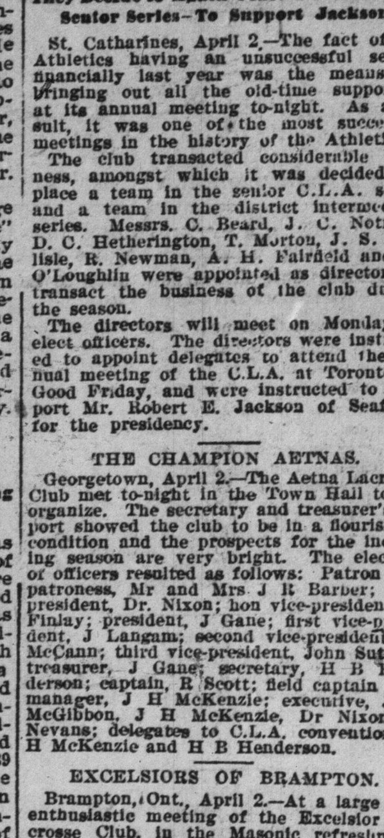
EXCELSIORS OF BRAMPTON.

Brampton, Ont., April 2.—At a large and enthusiastic meeting of the Excelsior Lacrosse Club, in the Masonic refreshment rooms, it was decided to reorganize for the season of 1897. The following officers were elected: Hon. president, Mr. J. Anthony; first hon. vice-president, Mr. W. Peaker; second hon. vice-president, Mr. A. Morton; president, W. J. Peaker; vice-president, Mr. F. Dawson; secretary, W. F. Shaw; captain, F. C. Milner; Managing Committee, S. McClure, O. Peaker, F. Hobbs; Finance Committee, Dr. Roberts, J. J. Manning, S. Charters. W. F. Shaw and W. Dawson were appointed delegates to the C.L.A. convention, to be held in Toronto on Good Friday.

BIG CHESS GAME PROPOSED.

London, April 2.—The chess playing members of the House of Commons held a meeting this evening to discuss a proposal made by John Henniker Heaton, M.P. for Canterbury, that an attempt be made to arrange a match with players who are members of the American House of Representatives. It was suggested that a tournament of seven tables be held. Subsequent to the meeting, Mr. Heaton sent a cable despatch to Richmond Pearson, a Congressman from North Carolina, asking him to see if a match on lines indicated in the despatch could be arranged. The proposal has excited considerable interest, not only among the chess players of the House, but also among those members who take no interest in the game. If the match is arranged, it will be the first time in history that a game has been played by representatives of the two Parliamentary bodies.

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They Knew Their Business.

There were some very nervous clerks in the money order branches of the Postoffice Department a few days ago. Each clerk who opens the accounts had to undergo a private examination as to his knowledge of commissions on money orders. The examination was conducted by Mr. Fred Everitt and it is understood the clerks examined all passed with flying colors.

Must Attend to Their Work.

An order has been issued to public departments prohibiting the reading of newspapers during office hours. The order has been a difficult one to enforce, as during the past years a majority of the clerks devoured the daily news before beginning the duties of the day. A few mornings ago the Postmaster-General walked into one of the offices under his department and noticed a clerk sitting reading a paper. The clerk did not see Mr. Mulock and read on. "I thought that newspapers were not allowed to be read in here," remarked the Postmaster-General. The clerk looked up, dropped his paper and went to work in double quick time.

The Victoria Bridge Improvement.

Mr. Foster will question the Government further respecting the proposed grant to the Grand Trunk Railway for the enlargement of Victoria Bridge. The promoters of the Montreal bridge scheme are not discouraged by the Government's contribution to the G.T.R. bridge.

Prefontaine, one of the chief promoters of the bridge to Longue Island, asserts that if the Government can bonus the G.T.R. undertaking, they can do as much for the other. It is understood that one of the stipulations of the Government in agreeing to aid the Victoria bridge widening, was to obtain the consent to other roads having running powers over the structure, which wish to enter Montreal.

Modus Vivendi Renewed.

An Order-in-Council has been passed renewing the modus vivendi license for this year. It contains the significant statement that negotiations on trade relations and other matters between Canada and the States are still pending, and therefore it is advisable to continue this arrangement for another year.

Personal and General Notes.

Lady Aberdeen leaves Chicago for Ottawa by to-night's train immediately after the holding of a large party, invited by the president and governing body of the University to meet Her Excellency.

Col. Prior, late Controller of Inland Revenue, arrived from British Columbia to-day.

Mr. Robert Birmingham is in town.

A report is in circulation that the bar in connection with the House of Commons' restaurant is to be re-opened this session. This is not true. The Internal Economy Committee of the House has come to an understanding with Mr. Barnett, the restaurateur, by which he will be indemnified for the loss to his business.

The Senate to-day had another crack at the address, Senators Power and Primrose doing the talking. Mr. Bernier, the Catholic champion of Manitoba, speaks on Monday.

Ald. W. T. R. Preston of Toronto, is in town. So is Mr. G. B. Smith.

Mr. Quinn gives notice of a bill to amend the Interest Act providing that no greater rate than 6 per cent can be recovered.

Mr. Harry P. Macdonell of the House of Commons staff has been promoted to a second-class clerkship.

The Papal ablegate will be here to-morrow at 1.40 p.m.

The Legislative Committee of the Trades and Labor Council is to interview the Government next Friday.

Deputy Collector Harty of the Inland Revenue service at Arnprior has been dismissed for political partisanship. W. E. Rowan is his successor.

A deputation from the Montreal Chambre de Commerce will be here on Monday to ask that the subsidy to the French Line be continued and granted to a new company, the Columba-Franco-Belge having ceased operations.

THE CINDER PATH.

The subscriptions to the Cinder Path Fund continue to come in very slowly, but a big rush is anticipated to-day and to-morrow (both being pay days). Don't forget that all contributions will be accepted, no matter how small. The cinder path has got to be built for the cyclists and the cyclists should send in their subscriptions now, so that the work may be commenced right away.

Mr. A. E. Walker, ex-president of the Royal Canadian Bicycle Club, at present an active member of the organization, said yesterday, regarding the Kingston-road cinder path: "The club of which I am a member are thoroughly in accord with the plan of constructing a cinder path on the Kingston-road. Our club belongs to the Cycling Association of Toronto, and we have strongly urged the construction of this path on several occasions, and have been promised the active co-operation of the association this season, for the reason that the western roads will demand but a small outlay for repairs, which allow them to pay more attention to the east. The Royal Canadians placed $60 to the credit of the association last winter—the returns from a concert—for a cinder path at the eastern suburbs, which, no doubt, will be applied this season. The association take a liberal view of the matter, and will do all in its power to bring this matter to a happy fruition."

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LACROSSE POINTS.

A practice match will be played to-day at old Rosedale between the Rosedale twelve and a picked team from several junior clubs.

A meeting of the Toronto Lacrosse Club Committee was called for yesterday, but nothing definite was done. Captain McCullough said last night that there was a possibility of the Torontos staying in the league, and if the Tecumsehs are admitted this city will have two twelves in the big contest.

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gave that pledge. He did not cavil at the exercise of citizenship by the clergy of all denominations, for they were surely better fitted to advise the people than many who at election times were sent to persuade the electorate.

On the subject of the Queen's Jubilee reference in the speech, Mr. Costigan grew truly eloquent. He endorsed all that had been said in recognition of the beneficence of Her Majesty's reign and the splendid growth of the Empire, and when the great monument to her Jubilee is to be erected, how it would add to the enthusiasm with which it would be hailed were it to be rounded off with a tablet subscribed to Home Rule for Ireland! Yet, were it not to be, none the less would Irishmen join heartily in the acclaim which would arise throughout the Empire in congratulation upon the event, still hoping that before her glorious reign was ended Her Majesty would sign a bill, and he knew it would be a pleasure to her to do so, giving to Ireland a measure of home rule enjoyed in this Dominion of Canada.

After giving contradiction to the numerous reports as to his early retirement, Mr. Costigan closed amidst applause from both sides of the House by trusting that he would continue to enjoy the courteous regard of members on both sides.

Mr. Britton's Speech.

Mr. Britton disagreed with the idea of sending Canadian military representatives to London, fearing that they would be eclipsed in the parade beside the trained troops of England, and perchance of the warlike nations of the earth. He thought the attendance of Mr. Laurier would be sufficiently representative of this Dominion. He spoke at some length on the school question, holding that Manitoba was well within its right in passing the School Act. He trusted the question was now dead forever, so far as Parliament was concerned.

On the franchise question he believed that anything would be better than the present act, although he had his doubts about a varied franchise for the Dominion.

The Address Passed.

The address then passed without a division.

A committee was appointed to strike the usual committees.

On motion of Mr. Laurier the Debates Committee was appointed as follows: Messrs. Beausoleil, Bergeron, Charlton, Choquette, Craig, Davin, Earle, Ellis, Haley, LaRiviere, Monet, Richardson, Scriver, Somerville and Taylor.

The House adjourned at 10.40 o'clock.

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Three Long Shots Win Over a Heavy Track at New Orleans—All the Results and Entries.

New Orleans, April 2.—Cloudy, threatening weather and a heavy track marked to-day's meeting. Summaries:

First race, 7 furlongs—Hailstone, 111 (Overton), 1 to 2, 1; Olly Gaznin, 101 (Clay), 5 to 1, 2; Waterman, 91 (Dorsey), 10 to 1, 3. Time 1.33½. Judge Bullock, Sir Fred, Little Billy, Gluck also ran.

Second race, 6 furlongs—Styx, 104 (Campbell), 12 to 1, 1; Gomez, 104 (Gilman), 40 to 1, 2; J.M.B., 101 (Barrett), 20 to 1, 3. Time 1.19¾. Stella B., Mitt Boykin, Old Ham, Nairette, Harry S., Pop Dixon, Harry Lee, Pat Morrissey also ran.

Third race, 1 mile and 20 yards—Jim Hogg, 106 (Burns), 6 to 5, 1; Linnette, 104 (Barrett), 8 to 1, 2; Jack the Jew, 109 (Overton), 2 to 1, 3. Time 1.51¼. Little Tom, Learman, Limber Jim Paskola also ran.

Fourth race, 7 furlongs—Ben Waddell, 109 (Campbell), 7 to 10, 1; Hannobelle, 96 (Hirsch), 5 to 1, 2; Percy, 110 (Overton), 5 to 2, 3. Time 1.33¾. Sobriquet, Tagliona, Laura Cotta also ran.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs—Twelve Fifty, 102 (Clay), 12 to 1, 1; Wild Tartar, 102 (Gilman), 100 to 1, 2; Cavalry, 94 (Hirsch), 6 to 1, 3. Time 1.20. Favonita, Victoress, Ivey, Flora Colville, Overright, Graefin, Bird Catcher, Sammy Young also ran.

Sixth race, 1 mile—Sky Blue, 100 (Clay), 10 to 1, 1; Jamboree, 107 (Jones), 5 to 1, 2; Mrs. Bradshaw, 102 (Caywood), 7 to 1, 3. Time 1.50½. Trixie, Lizzie Mack, Hurmonia, Montell, Pert also ran.

CARD FOR TO-DAY.

New Orleans, April 2.—First race, 1 mile—Parry Floyd 90, Lord Fairfax 95, Prudent 96, Issie 100, 98, Sharon, Birsather, 100; Irish Lady 101, Nannie Lord 103, Olly Gamin 105, R. Q. Ban, Domingo, Jake Zimmerman, 108.

Second race, ¾ mile—Rachael 85, Harry S. 90, Morolist, Tunic, Styx, 93; Ilia, Aim, 95; Tagliona, Laura Cotta, 96; Proverb, Montell, Parson, Little Billy, 101.

Third race, 1¼ miles—Bizarre 98, Limber Jim 91, Little Tom 92, Otho 104, Linnette 105, Ixion 108.

Fourth race, 1 mile—Stockholme, Bud, Senator Penrose, Alamo, 94; Annie L.'s Sister 96, Judge Steadman 97, Marquise 100, Fred Barret 102, Ben Waddell 103, Plaudin 109, Domingo 111.

Fifth race, ¾ mile—Graefin, Augtina, 98; Gomez, Pop Dixon, 92; Tim Irwine, Jim Maddox, Sammy Young, 95; Pat Morrissey, Basigal, 98; Rob Roy II, 100, Gluck, A. B. C., 101; Gilfordham, Mr. Dunlap, 103.

Sixth race, ¾ mile, gentlemen riders—Jim Hogg, John B. Ewing, Twelve Fifty, Denver, Pleutes, Mr. Bradshaw, Broadhead, 145.

Seventh race, 1 mile—Mauritius 106, Surveyor, Jim Conway, Harry He Heuy, Kenstone, Rowlandise, Nobils, Wood King, 101.

EVEN GAME WITH THE BOOKS.

Newport, April 2.—Despite the threatening weather, a large crowd attended the races to-day. Seven bookmakers were kept busy, and they and the public broke about even.

First race, ½ mile—Claret Cup, 110 (Perkins), 2 to 1, 1; Flora Louise, 110 (Gatewood), 7 to 1, 2; Margarie Castin, 110 (Milburn), 30 to 1, 3. Time .49¾. Josephine K., Patty Whack, One Ante, Brama, Rosalina, Maria Alvira, Virginia also ran.

Second race, 5 furlongs—Killitan, 105 (Reiff), 3 to 1, 1; Sidkel, 112 (Knapp), 6 to 5, 2; Three Bars, 105 (Perkins), 30 to 1, 3. Time 1.28¾. John Conroy, Fretful, Elyria, All Bok also ran.

Third race, 4½ furlongs—Dr. Ed., 104 (Perkins), 20 to 1, 1; Nekaris, 104 (Reiff), 2 to 1, 2; Bon Jour, 111 (Tuberville), 5 to 1, 3. Time .57¼. Charlie Price, Board Marker, Hansted, Camperdown also ran.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs—Minnie Murphy, 115 (Reiff), 1 to 2, 1; Angelus, 115 (Perkins), 4 to 1, 2; Sis Tan, 100 (Beauchamp), 20 to 1, 3. Time 1.16. Videarno, Cotton Queen, Sirra Gordo also ran.

Fifth race, 1 mile—The Sculptor, 112 (Ham), 15 to 1, 1; Cecil, 101 (Scherer), 3 to 1, 2; Hilda, 106 (Perkins), 30 to 1, 3. Time 1.43. Onaretto, Toots, Chicot, Onondague also ran.

EVENTS AT SINGERLY.

Singerly, Md., April 2.—The Iron Hill people made their first move in opposition to the Elkton meeting to-day. They applied for an injunction restraining the Elkton Fair Association from leasing property, claiming that they had a prior agreement for the use of the track. Arguments will be heard on Wednesday next. Favorites won four out of the six races to-day. Summaries:

First race, ¾ mile—Aunt Sally, 7 to 10, 1; Numerot, 2 to 1, place, 2; Pocket Piece 3. Time 1.23.

Second race, 4½ furlongs—Medica, 7 to 10, 1; Heck, jr., even, place, 2; Con Lucy 3. Time .58.

Third race, ¾ mile—Leigh, 5 to 2, 1; Sam Farmer, 5 to 1, place, 2; Forendo 3. Time 1.21½.

Fourth race, ⅝ mile—Irivanna, 2 to 1, 1; Franciscan, 8 to 5, place, 2; Wistful 3. Time 1.03¾.

Fifth race, ¾ mile—Joe Mack, 4 to 1, 1; Belisarius, 4 to 1, place, 2; Palmyra, 3. Time 1.20½.

Sixth race, 4½ furlongs—Jack Lovell, 10 to 1, 1; Helen H., 2 to 1, place, 2; War Song 3. Time .59.

FRISCO FINISHES.

San Francisco, April 2.—First race, 4 furlongs—Salmers 1, La Marini, 2, Torside 3. Time .50.

Second race, 1 1-16 miles—Fort Augustus 1, Dot Clarencio 2, Sonlro 3. Time 1.51½.

Third race, 6 furlongs—California 1, Etta H. 2, David 3. Time 1.15¼.

Fourth race, 1 mile—San Marco 1, Hazard 2, Morte Fouso 3. Time 1.44½.

Fifth race, 7 furlongs—Wyoming 1, Caliente 2, Doyle 3. Time 1.39¾.

Sixth race, 1 mile—Vincetor 1, Tulare 2, Horatio 3. Time 1.44¼.

THE HOUNDS TO-DAY.

The opening meet of the hounds will take place at Slattery's Hotel, corner of Bloor and Dundas-streets, to-day at 3 o'clock p.m.

TURF GOSSIP.

Things at the Woodbine were rather quiet yesterday, as only some of the horses were given a canter. The track is beginning to harden up a little, but the harrows will soon make it all right.

Joe Duggan has wagered $100 with Abe Orpen that Armada or Minorca will win the Queen's Plate. The odds are 25 to 1, and if the Deacon wins he will pocket $2600.

The Wisconsin Senate has passed the Wylie anti-racing bill by a viva voce vote, without discussion and without opposition, there being not a dissenting vote. The bill is now in the hands of Governor Scofield, whose signature will make it a law. It makes the selling of pools on races and other sporting events a penal offence, and is a death-knell to racing wheresoever the law is enforced. It will be strictly enforced against Ideal Park.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.

Four Toronto League Clubs Getting Ready for Championship Contests.

The four clubs that comprise the Toronto Football League are actively engaged these days getting their men together and their teams into shape for the coming struggle for the city championship. This league last fall adopted a new plan of playing all matches on the one ground, and the success that the scheme met with marks Association football, with the prospect of it soon regaining its old-time popularity.

The Riversides, champions for the past three seasons, will place about the same team in the field as usual, under Captain Dave Murray.

The Gore Vales, who held the championship for three seasons before the Riversides wrested it from them, will make a desperate effort to regain past laurels.

The Scots, who held the championship of Canada five years ago, intend to be strictly in the game, with Captain Billy Macpherson and Secretary William Grant. They will have the best team hustling will produce.

The Parkdales are the baby team of the league, last season being their first in the senior series, and the way they held their own for a young team was remarkable, they only being beaten out by a small margin. They will be strengthened this season. Mr. S. Armstrong will manage them.

FOOTBALL KICKS.

The Scots will practice this afternoon on the old cricket grounds, Bloor-street west, at 2.30 o'clock. All players are requested to turn out.

The Riversides will practice on the baseball grounds this afternoon. It is requested that all members of the senior and intermediate teams turn out.

The Gore Vale Football Club will play a practice game with the Parkdales this afternoon, starting at 3 o'clock, on the latter's grounds, corner Sorauren-avenue and Dundas-street.

The annual meeting of the Gore Vale Football Club will be held on Monday evening at H. Proctor's, 602 Queen-street west, at 8 o'clock. Members and those wishing to join are requested to be there on time.

The Kensington Football Club would like to arrange a match with some team outside the city for Good Friday, April 16, average weight 130 pounds, Hamilton, Newmarket, Hespeler or Guelph preferred. Address C. P. Sargent, 289 Markham-street, secretary.

The Riversides hold a meeting on Monday evening at 77 Hamilton-street. Among the business to be transacted will be to elect a secretary and reporter for the intermediate team, the office being left vacant by Thomas Heys, who has accepted a position at Rat Portage.

The Crawford F.B.C. will hold a meeting Wednesday night, April 7, in the West Y. M.C.A. for the election of officers and to organize for the season. All members and those wishing to join are requested to attend. They will practice this afternoon at the corner of Crawford and Defoe-streets.

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To-day will start the season for the cyclists, as most of the clubs will have their first official runs over all the good roads in the neighborhood.

The Y.M.C.A. Bicycle Club have called their first for to-day to Hog's Hollow, leaving the rooms at 3 o'clock.

The Wanderers go to the Half-way House, leaving King-street at 3 o'clock.

The Toronto B.C. go out for their first run to Steele's or Cooksville.

The Calumets will have their first run this afternoon to Cooksville, starting at 2.30 o'clock.

TO INFLUENCE DELEGATES.

London, Ont., April 2.—Last night the annual meeting of the London Bicycle Club was held. The C.W.A. meet was the most interesting topic of discussion, and by the steps taken the club showed that it was eager to have the championship raced for in London on July 1. The necessity of sending a large delegation to Toronto on the day preceding Good Friday was also urged, and a committee struck to arrange an excursion. The wheelmen will also ask the Council for a grant, which, if made, will greatly influence the delegates in their votes at the annual meeting. A guarantee committee will also start at once, and call on every business man and prominent citizen to help on the good thing. The officers of the club chosen for the year are as follows: Hon president, Mayor Little; hon first vice-president, Col Leys; hon second vice-president, W J Reid; president, Arthur Kingsmill; vice-president, C Bowman; secretary, W R Waugh; treasurer, Duncan Ross; captain Fred Beltz.

ASSOCIATION WHEELMEN AT HOME.

The Y.M.C.A. Bicycle Club held their second annual at-home last night in the Central parlors, which was largely attended. Mr. F. Yeigh was in the chair, and a splendid program was presented. Among those that took part were: A. E. Jackson, soloist; the Ozburn Guitar, Mandolin and Banjo Club; L. J. Lugsdin, elocutionist; J. A. Newman, soloist, and F. C. Husband, accompanist. After the program had been gone through, light refreshments were served in the reading room.

QUEBEC BICYCLE CLUB.

Quebec, April 2.—The annual meeting of the Quebec Bicycle Club was held last night, there being a good attendance and much enthusiasm. The various reports were read and adopted, and the treasurer's statement showed the club to have a satisfactory balance for the year's operations, as well as from the C.W.A. meet, the C.W.A.'s share thereof amounting to $73. Resolutions were adopted favoring the Railway Baggage Bill to be pressed in the Dominion Parliament, and the club's full influence will be used in its behalf. The election of officers resulted as follows: Patron, His Worship Mayor Parent (re-elected); Hon. president, Cyr. Duquet (re-elected); hon. vice-presidents, Hon. R. R. Dobell, Victor Chateauvert, M.L.A. (re-elected); president, George Van Felson (re-elected); first vice-president, J. D. Roy (re-elected); second vice-president, F. M. McNaughton (re-elected); secretary-treasurer, R. Hunter (re-elected); captain, F. S. Stocking; first lieutenant, L. J. A. Demers; second lieutenant, D. Scott; committee, E. Laliberte, A. R. Henry, A. Miller, L. Bruneau, H. E. Scott; press correspondents, E. J. Chambers and A. Remillard; auditors, A. B. Van Felson and W. Henderson.

BICYCLE BRIEFS.

Prospect Park Bicycle Club will have a special run Saturday afternoon, April 3, leaving club rooms at 2.30.

The Old Orchard Bicycle Club met last night and elected their C.W.A. delegates. Other club business was transacted.

The Old Orchard Bicycle Club have called their first official run for to-morrow (Sunday) to the Humber, starting at 2 o'clock.

The Washington score at 11.40 a.m. in the six-day bicycle race: Schock 1318, Albert 1300, Golden 1270, Cassidy 1222, Lawson 1177, Riverre 877, Ford 561, Muller 128.

Meet Secretary J. F. Cairns yesterday wired for 100 more tickets for the Wanderers' smoker for the Chatham Club, making 250 in all, and equalling Brantford's demand.

The Wanderers' seven delegates to the C.W.A. meeting were appointed last night: H. T. Wilson, A. S. Knowlton, Jos. Meek, G. P. Sharkey, P. L. Bailey, Harry May, Vic Lee.

Chatham will have a strong delegation here for the Good Friday meeting. They yesterday telegraphed the Wanderers for 100 more seats for the smoker. This gives Chatham the entire western section of the first gallery at Massey Hall.

Spokes, Toronto Junction: Galbraith's century of yesterday will not be recognized by the Canadian Road Club, his time from start to finish being 11 hours 24 min., although he says he only spent 9 hours 27 min. in actual riding. The time limit is 10 hours.

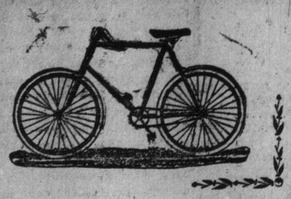
A well-posted club member gave it as his opinion last night that Chatham would capture the meet. Brantford has made the best fight on paper only, and London was too late in the field. "Hotel accommodation doesn't count," he said. "Why, no one except the racers expect to sleep during the outing."

At the San Francisco indoor cycle tournament Thursday night, J. Ewing of the Olympic Club, riding against time, lowered the former world's amateur five-mile record 21 3-5 sec., his time being 10.29, within four seconds of the phenomenal record made a few months ago by Michael. Jay Eaton reduced the world's unpaced quarter-mile exhibition record from 28 2-5 sec. to 27 3-5.

The Athenæums' three-night nation show should prove to be a success. There will be 150 performers, and the club have secured W. J. Hurst, the trick cyclist, who will give a performance of fancy riding in the billiard room. Gilonna's well-known orchestra will supply the music. Li Hung Chang will be there in burlesque. A voting contest, two prizes to be given—a song to the most popular bicycle club, and a bicycle to the most popular wheelman. Winnipeg has wired for 273 seats.

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OXFORD WON ON THE TURF.

Cambridge Beaten in the Annual Inter-Varsity Athletic Contest.

London, April 2.—The Oxford-Cambridge games were contested to-day at Queen's Club, Oxford winning the odd event.

Howard of Cambridge won the mile open. Time 4.27 2-5; Hildyard of Oxford was second and Graham of Cambridge third.

The putting of the 16-pound shot was won by J. H. Bulloch of Cambridge, 37 feet 10½ inches. A. O. Dawson of Oxford was second, and J. H. McGaw of Cambridge third.

In the running high jump E. H. Cholmeley of Cambridge and E. O. Kinlew of Oxford scored a dead heat, 5 feet 7⅝ inches. H. S. Adair of Oxford was third.

The quarter mile run was won by G. Jordan of Oxford, in 49 4-5 seconds. W. Fitzherbert of Cambridge was second, and F. L. Carter of Cambridge third.

The 16-pound hammer throwing event was won by J. A. Halliday of Cambridge, 97 feet 9 inches. T. P. Crossley of Oxford was second, and A. O. Dawson third.

The long jump was won by G. O. Vassal of Oxford, 22 feet 7 inches. Bevan of Oxford was second, and Launce de Laine of Cambridge third.

The 100-yard hurdle race was won by E. S. Garner of Oxford in 16 3-5 seconds. W. H. Maundrell of Cambridge was second, and W. G. Paget-Tomlinson was third.

The one-mile race was won by H. F. Howard of Cambridge.

In the 100-yards dash, F. Lanter of Cambridge and C. F. Thomas of Oxford ran a dead heat in 10 1-5 seconds. G. Jordan of Oxford was second, and W. N. Pilkington of Cambridge third.

The three-mile run was won by J. F. Freemantle of Oxford, giving the victory to Oxford on the series of events. These games were contested in the presence of a large and fashionable gathering, the Duke of York being among the most enthusiastic of the spectators. The weather was cool, but the sun shone brightly throughout. The time was 14.7 1-5. W. W. Wood of Cambridge was second, W. V. Hibberd, also of Cambridge, third, and A. R. Wilberforce of Oxford fourth.

THIS MUST BE THE TORONTO LEAGUE

The Toronto Baseball League held their regular meeting last night, a large attendance of delegates being present. After some discussion the Queen City Club was dropped from the league and the Parkdale Beavers elected to fill their place. The league is now composed of four of the strongest clubs in the city—Red Stockings, Wellingtons, St. Lawrence and Parkdale Beavers. Any other organization claiming any of the above-named clubs is doing so without authority. The season will open on the first Saturday in May. A committee was appointed to make out the schedule. The election of officers resulted as follows: J J Ward (president), J Kane (vice-president), G Carley (treasurer), J Patton (secretary.)

DIAMOND DUST.

Secretary Hanrahan of the Capitals is anxious to hear from city intermediate teams with a view to reorganizing a league.

A meeting of the Argyles is called for Monday at 8 p.m. A full attendance is desired, as business of importance is to be transacted.

The Wellingtons will hold their second annual smoking concert in Occident Hall Tuesday, April 6. They have secured some of the best talent in the city.

The Bowmanville Baseball Club, champions of the Midland District, have organized with the following officers: Hon, president, F H Mason; president, R R Hoskin; secretary-treasurer, C B Kent; manager, A Bennett; captain, O McClung. Out of 22 games last season only three were lost. The club want a good catcher.

Varsity played their first practice game of the year yesterday between sides selected by Capt. Barron and Manager Counsell. Most of the men showed up well, especially Short Stop Greer. Robertson should prove a valuable man. Stratton knocked out a home run.

Not much has even been said in laudation of Padden, the Pittsburg club's new second baseman. Padden just slipped into the league without any press agent accompaniment. At that he threatens to go on and hold his job while some of the "wonders" heralded with column articles give signs of stepping back "whence they came."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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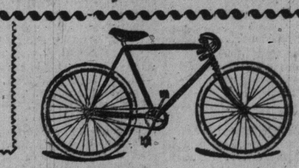
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LITTLE ROCK RESULTS.

Little Rock, April 2.—Attendance fair; betting brisk and sport fair.

First race, 6 furlongs—Simmons, 109 (Corner), 4 to 1, 1; Ferris Hartman, 108 (Wilhite), 3 to 5, 2; King Elm, 112 (Weaver), 6 to 1, 3. Time 1.16¼.

Second race, mile—Harry Shannon, 108 (Weaver), 2 to 1, 1; Rhett Goode, 109 (Wilhite), 3 to 1, 2; Queen Sofia, 89 (Corner), 7 to 1, 3. Time 1.45. Sea Robber also ran.

Third race, 6 furlongs—Time Maker, 112 (Garner), 7 to 10, 1; Nina Louise, 82 (Hinkey), 4 to 1, 2; Jagray, 104 (Wilhite), 8 to 1, 3. Time 1.15¾. Moncrieth, Revenue also ran.

Fourth race, ¼ mile—Bimetallist, 100 (Wilhite), 7 to 20, 1; Eva Rice, 102 (Garner), 8 to 1, 2; Mordecai, 99 (Vendeson), 4 to 1, 3. Time .51. La Champagne also ran.

Fifth race, 5 furlongs—Goodwin, 106 (Corner), 4 to 1, 1; Lexington Pirate, 97 (Wilhite), 7 to 5, 2; Lady Doleful, 101 (Sherry), 2 to 1, 3. Time 1.21¼. Rena, Mercury, Locosol, Cremona Briggs also ran.

A SLOW GAME OF BILLIARDS.

Chicago, April 2.—John A. Matthews won his first game in the short-stop billiard tournament this afternoon, beating Tom Gallagher in the closest contest of the series. The score was 400 to 389. Matthews was strong in the last innings, the 27th, going out on a run of 65. His highest run was 74 and average 14 22-27. Gallagher's highest run was 87. It was a slow game, devoid of any steady, brilliant play.

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Ladies' Rocking Chairs, solid oak, fancy carved backs, close cane seats, brace arms, bolted legs, usually sold at $2.00 each; special at 1.25

Wardrobes, ash, antique finish, 46 inches wide, 85 inches high, with double doors and large drawer, fitted with clothes hooks, regular price $11.00; special at 8.50

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Ladies' 7-Hook Lacing French Kid Gloves, with colored welts and stitchings, in tan, mode, fawn and black, regular price $1, special, at ..... .73

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of April 4th will contain, besides all the news of the day, two special cable letters, and the customary departments: The Sovereign of Character, by Ian Maclaren; an interview with President Kruger at Pretoria; The Priesthood of Art, by Stinson Jarvis; Nansen in Search of the Pole; Mr. Gladstone on the Crotan Question; Odd Duels in History, by ex-Attache; The World's Greatest Railway, by Beckles Wilson; The Bicycle and Its Rights; Housemaids on Wheels; Jubilee Decorations in London City; The Week's Religion, by Ebor; Lights to Laughter, A Survivor of Balaclava, The Woman who Walks, the Primate of Greece to the Primate of England, Foreign Men of Note, A Mesmeric Mystery, by Robert Halifax; Bryan Oliver's Fate, by J. T. F., and numerous illustrations.

STEEL RAIL INDUSTRY FOR CANADA.

The efforts that the Provincial Government proposes to make for the encouragement of the manufacture of iron and steel in Canada are commendable, but they are being put forward at a most inauspicious moment. The disparity in the cost of producing iron and steel in the United States and Canada has always been very marked, but it is especially so at the present time. The recent collapse of the Lake Superior Ore Pool has resulted in a drop in the price of Bessemer iron ore to about one-half the price that has prevailed for several years back. The standard price of ore from the Gogebic range last year was $4 a ton, and Mesaba ore was somewhat less. Last week when the pool broke, the price fell to $3.65 and $3.40 respectively; but it is altogether probable that prices will go still lower, until some of the less favorably located mines shall be closed, when a compromise average price of perhaps $2.50 a ton may prevail.

The average cost of digging ore from the Oliver mine and putting it on cars does not exceed 20 cents per ton. Some experts have estimated the cost at less than half that amount. Notwithstanding the long haul of more than 700 miles to the Carnegie furnaces, near Pittsburg, the actual cost of the ore delivered at the furnace is far less than anyone believed to be possible, and the cost of reducing the ore to the form of Bessemer pig iron is also brought down to a phenomenally low figure by means of modern methods, both mechanical and metallurgical. If we had decided on a vigorous iron and steel policy some years ago when steel rails were $30 a ton, there would have been much better chances of success than there are to-day, when steel rails are quoted at $18. Besides, the Province of Ontario alone can do very little to encourage such a big and important industry. It is the Dominion Government that should take hold of this problem. It should insist on the manufacture in this country of all rails that are to be used on railways subsidized by the Government. The tonnage required for British Columbia alone during the next few years will be very large. A proper policy for this country is one that would insist on the manufacture of all their rails from Canadian ore and in Canadian mills.

LET US HAVE THE TARIFF.

President McKinley was elected in November last. Four months later, on March 4, he delivered his inaugural message. In that message the President referred to the Government's pledges with regard to the tariff, which the victorious party had made during the last campaign. He stated his opinion that the people had reason to expect those pledges would be promptly carried out and that they should reap as soon as possible the benefit of the new policy they had decided to adopt. In response to the Presidential message Congress was called together in extraordinary session on March 15, and on the same day the new tariff was laid before the House of Representatives. On March 31, just 16 days after the assembling of Congress, the tariff bill passed the House of Representatives. The Republican party was elected to give the people a new tariff. Steps were taken on the very first day Mr. McKinley assumed office to fulfil the pledges that had been given the people.

The prompt action of President McKinley is in striking contrast with the indecision of Premier Laurier. The Liberal party was returned to power last June, more than nine months ago. Since that time we have had one extra session of Parliament and we are now more than a week into the second session. The people can very reasonably ask Mr. Laurier to relieve the uncertainty that prevails all over the country by immediately introducing his new tariff. The franchise bill may or may not be a good measure, but it certainly is not a thing that the people are clamoring for. It will easily keep for a year or two. Anxiety in regard to the new tariff is become more acute every day. Every business in the country is directly interested in the tariff changes. No new enterprise will be undertaken until these changes are announced. It is to be hoped the first business after the debate on the address is finished will be the introduction of the new tariff bill. For nearly 20 years back the Liberal party have been demonstrating how badly the country needed such a bill. Let the country have it then and let the dawn of prosperity appear.

THE SUNDAY CAR VOTE.

In arranging for the Sunday car vote two things should be observed: First, the polling should take place at the earliest possible day; and secondly, the vote should be taken on an up-to-date list. There is probably no time in the year when so few citizens are absent from home as during the present and next month. If the voting is left till June quite a number of people will be out of town, and the exodus will be greater from that on till October. The nearer we can get the polling day to the first of May the better. The idea of taking the vote under a list three years old cannot of course be entertained. The shorter the campaign the better. It would be a relief if the vote could be taken on a week's notice. The public mind is already made up. There seems to be little doubt as to the verdict the citizens will return on the polling day. But it will not be safe for the advocates of liberty to trust to mere public opinion. There was too much of this on the occasion of the last vote. Over-confidence lost the victory. Perfect organization should characterize the present campaign, and the work of organization should begin at once. There are scores of different societies and assemblies, the members of which are almost unanimously in favor of the proposed Sunday car service. All such societies should use their organization to swell the majority that will be recorded in favor of the bylaw. We should not be satisfied with a bare majority. The difference in the yeas and nays should not be less than five thousand. We believe it will be very little, if any, short of that number.

THE BICYCLE'S TRIUMPH.

The bicycle season of 1897 has opened in a blaze of glory. The wheel to-day is king in Toronto. The present season promises to eclipse even the most extravagant anticipations of those who study the wheel from a commercial point of view. Thousands will be added to the ranks of the cycling fraternity during the next few weeks, and the accretion will be going on more or less steadily all season. Enthusiasm for the wheel has pervaded all classes of the community. The middle-aged and the elderly have the fever almost as badly as the young people. The wheel is the one topic of interest in Toronto at the present time. There is a large increase in the number of bicycle stores over last year, and the demand for machines is away ahead of what it was during the corresponding period last season. The feature of the present season is the popularity of the wheel with the fair sex. The desire to possess a wheel is as strongly implanted in the female mind as the desire to have a new hat or bonnet for Easter. The young lady of the day considers herself out of the fashion entirely if she is not able to take part in the great daily wheel parade. The manufacturers have been on the lookout for a boom in ladies' wheels this season, and true enough the boom is here. It is said nearly as many ladies' wheels have already been sold in Toronto this year as were sold during the whole of 1896. Our reporter made a tour of the bicycle stores yesterday and he found a rushing trade being done at all of them. The wheel of 1897 is a beautiful and perfect piece of work. It has been simplified, both in appearance and in the mechanism, and at the same time there is a tendency towards lower prices. There seems to be a general demand for a first-class wheel for about $75, and many of the leading makers are offering a high grade machine at that price, although all of them have a more artistic looking wheel at $100. Good serviceable wheels can be had at even $50 and less. Prices have been fixed to accommodate all classes of society. The season of 1897 promises to be phenomenal.

THE BRITISH COLUMBIA SOUTHERN.

On Thursday Mr. Maclean asked in the House at Ottawa if it was the intention of the Government to disallow an act passed by the Legislature of British Columbia, in the 59th year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, entitled "British Columbia Southern Railway Aid Amendment Act, 1896."

Mr. Laurier said: So far as the Government is concerned this is purely a local act, and it is not their intention to disallow it. I may say that the Government has received no complaint against the act.

On the order paper of the House the following notice was placed there on Thursday, the day Parliament opened:

Mr. McInnes (B.C.)—On Monday next—That an humble address be presented to His Excellency the Governor-General, setting forth:

1. That an act passed by the Legislature of British Columbia in the 59th year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, entitled, "British Columbia Southern Railway Aid Amendment Act, 1896," extends the grant formerly made to the British Columbia Southern Railway Company of an enormous amount of public wealth and extraordinary privileges.

2. That in the opinion of this House, (a) The grants and privileges so extended are unwarranted and grossly extravagant, they are made without the interests of the public being properly safeguarded, and include rights the alienation of which from the control of the people will retard the development of its advantages; (b) The said act, if continued in force, would create such a monopoly in land, coal and transportation as would prove dangerous to the development and prosperity of the said province and to the interest of Canada generally.

And praying therefore that His Excellency will be pleased to disallow the said act.

In an editorial in The Globe yesterday there appeared this paragraph:

A representative meeting held by the Liberal Association of Kamloops has passed a resolution calling on the Dominion Government to veto the provincial legislation incorporating and subsidizing the British Columbia Southern Railway, and to construct and operate a railway through the Crow's Nest Pass and on to the coast.

Mr. Laurier may be officially ignorant of the desire there is to veto the bill in question, but as a matter of fact he must know all about it. If Mr. McInnes and the other British Columbia members are in earnest they ought to lose no time in acquainting the Premier with the views of the people of British Columbia.

THE MISSION TO ROME.

The Liberals tried at first to escape responsibility for the mission to Rome of Mr. Fitzpatrick, the Solicitor-General. That gentleman told the House that he went privately as a Roman Catholic. But that will not hold, especially in the light of what has since developed. It has now come out that all the Quebec members of the Government signed the petition to the Pope. The petition itself begins as follows:

We, the undersigned, members of the Senate and members of the House of Commons of Canada and representing therein the Liberal party, present ourselves before Your Holiness, etc.

Furthermore, the Solicitor-General was accompanied in his mission by Mr. Russell, who had just been appointed legal agent of the Dominion in London.

In other words the Solicitor-General of Canada, accompanied by the legal agent of the Dominion in London, went to Rome to present a petition to the Pope on behalf of all the members from Quebec of the Government of which he was a member and all the Liberal M. P.'s from Quebec, and styling themselves "representing therein [the Parliament of Canada] the Liberal party." And yet at first the Liberals denied responsibility. They cannot escape responsibility for that petition and that mission. When the question was first raised they professed they went as private members! Responsible Government is not run on such lines.

And what does the mission confess? That the Liberal party and the Liberal Government now in power are not able to protect the people of Quebec in the exercise of their civil liberties but that they must ask the Pope to do it for them! That is a nice position they have put Canada in before all the civilized world!

THE WARDEN AND THE GUARD.

A Little Bit of the Management of the Central Prison Before the Public Accounts Committee.

The matter of the row between Warden Gilmour and the guard, Michael Gaughan, was ventilated in the Public Accounts Committee yesterday morning. Gaughan swore that the prime reason for his dismissal had been Dr. Gilmour's charge that the guard had credited him with using sulphurous language. Gaughan claimed he was blamed for having circulated a report that the warden had expressed himself as having had "a hell of a time" getting to the prison in a storm. The story had originated with another guard, said Michael.

"It wouldn't have been a crime if he did say it," said Col. Matheson.

Mr. Harcourt retorted, amid laughter, that it was a military expression, and not fit for a prison warden to use.

It transpired, however, that even though innocent in that case, Gaughan had laid himself open to the charge of offensive parlsanship. He had been given $5 to buy car tickets and drinks on the day of the last Provincial elections, and had obtained leave of absence to work for Mr. G. G. S. Lindsey.

Warden Gilmour explained that Gaughan had become disobedient, untruthful and mutinous, and that was what had caused his discharge.

Seven Things Which are Hard to Explain.

1. Why some men who are willing to toil and strive and save, that their families may be comfortable while they are alive, are not willing to pay a few dollars a year that their families may be kept from want after they are dead.

2. Why some men who are so prudent that they will not trust the welfare of their loved-ones to the strongest life insurance company in the land, are, nevertheless, willing to trust it to the most uncertain of human chances—the contingency of their living long enough and being fortunate enough to earn and save a competency.

3. Why, on the other hand, some men who are so unsuspicious that they will trust an acquaintance who has not a dollar in the world to almost any extent, will nevertheless hesitate to trust a life insurance company that guarantees its promises with millions of assets.

4. Why some men who could not rest a moment if their houses and stores and factories were not insured, never think of the importance of insuring their lives, by whose productive power those houses and stores and factories were acquired.

5. Why the man who refuses to insure his life because he can take better care of his money than the insurance company can, generally proves to be the man who is not able to take of it at all.

6. Why some men, who say that their whole lives are devoted to laying up a competency for their families when they are gone, never seem to think of the simplest and quickest method of accomplishing that object, taking out a policy on their lives.—"The Metropolitan."

7. Why all intending insurers do not investigate the attractive plans of insurance issued by that strong financial institution, the North American Life Assurance Company, before insuring elsewhere.

If you have not yet seen a copy of the last annual report of the North American Life Assurance Company you had better secure one from the Head Office, 22 to 28 King street west, Toronto, or from any of the company's agents who will be pleased to give you all the information you may require respecting the excellent investment plans of insurance offered by that company.

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Y. M. C. A. Wheelmen.

The second annual at home of the Y.M.C.A. Bicycle Club was held last night in Forum Hall and a fine program was given by the Toronto Mandolin and Guitar Club. Messrs A E Jackson, L J Lugsdin, J A Newsom, B Plant, G W Weese, F E Blatchford and F C Husband. Mr. Frank Yeigh presided. The Y.M.C.A. Bicycle Club will have a run to Hog's Hollow this afternoon.

Railway Notes.

Mechanical Superintendent Robb of the G.T.R. arrived in town yesterday, to take his new post.

Superintendent Leonard of the C.P.R. is back from his trip to Florida with his sick wife.

G. S. Cantlie, car superintendent of the C.P.R. at Montreal, is in the city.

Assistant Superintendent J. F. Brady of the C.P.R. at Smith's Falls, is in town.

BIG SLEEVES WON'T GO.

Oh, girls, won't it give you great pleasure to know,
Big sleeves from the blouses next summer won't go?

Just think of the maidens near forty and thin,
And about five feet eight their stocking feet in.

They will not look stylish—oh, no, not a bit!—
In their new summer gowns with sleeves that tight fit.

That big sleeves are pretty no one can deny,
So why must they go out of fashion—oh, why?

Could we write to Dame Fashion and make her believe
That nothing can equal big puffs on the sleeve?

If anyone knows her, do write soon and say,
"Please, Dame, dear, don't let the tight sleeves come to stay."

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A COMEDY IN REAL LIFE.

A few days ago a comedy in real life commenced at the Flower City of New York State and ended up at the Queen City of Canada. The passengers at the N.Y.C. Depot had taken their seats, the train was about to start, when a belated female of the fair, fat and forty type, panting under the burden of a pile of bundles, hustled into a car. She looked round for a seat, and the only available one resulted in crowding two rather small specimens of humanity bearing the unmistakable air of newly-married about them. The bridegroom glared, the bride coughed, diddled with her neat gloves, and looked generally uncomfortable. When the conductor came along with his punch, the unprotected female put some questions to him in an unmistakable Scotch accent. Why did the bride's confusion disappear, as if by magic? And why did the bridegroom's eyes look confidence into the orbs of his beloved? The bride whispered a word in the Teutonic tongue; the groom replied in the same lingo; and the Scotchwoman's eyes twinkled merrily. And the train sped on. In sublime indifference to their fellow-traveler, the happy pair indulged to their hearts' content in saying sweet nothings, that are only understandable by those who have been through the mill of newly-married bliss. So much, indeed, was the intruding female forgiven, that on arriving at Buffalo, her destination at the time, the young Teuton politely helped the Celt to pick up her bundles. But, oh, the self-confidence of poor humanity! The fair, fat and forty, plainly-dressed Scotchwoman thanked the polite young groom in excellent German, and, turning to the dumfounded bride, wished her a happy honeymoon!

[Collapse of groom and bride.]

But the end was not yet. A day or two ago a well-known florist on King-street, Toronto, had for customers two little people who looked as if the world was made for them. They spoke in English, with a foreign accent. They were selecting cut flowers. A stout woman, with a pleasant face and a humorous gleam in her eye, entered. While the young folks were discussing what flowers they should choose, she made a modest purchase of a bunch of violets. In another moment the young people turned, and were confronted by that horrid woman who had traveled with and mortified them at the Buffalo stage of their journey. The bride blushed and trembled; the groom tried in vain to speak naturally to the florist. The horrid woman smiled, and the florist stared at the sudden change of manner in his young customers. "We have met before," said the Scotchwoman in German to the bride. "Will you accept my apology, and also these flowers?" They were accepted with as good a grace as the poor, discomfited bride could command. Good-byes and good wishes were exchanged, and the Scotchwoman bent her steps to the Union Station on her way to Kamloops to write up a descriptive article for the paper on which she was engaged.

Rochester's New Yachts.

Rochester, April 1.—During the coming season there will be racing at the regattas of the Rochester Yacht Club in a class that heretofore has been practically without representatives. Where there have been only one or two crafts to sail in the 22-foot class in the past there will be four or five by the time the coming season is fairly open.

At least three new yachts eligible to this class are now in progress of construction and will be in the water before June 1. William W. Miller is building one for L. J. Perry of Charlotte, the St. Lawrence Skiff Company is building one for James G. Averill and N. C. Compton is putting together one for himself. If Mr. Henderson comes back into the club, as is expected, he can put the Curtis in this class, too, which will make competition lively at the club regattas.

The boat that Mr. Miller is building for Mr. Perry was originally intended for the 19-foot class, but will be equipped with two rigs so that she can be sailed as well in the 22-foot class. The outer work on her hull is now practically completed and as she stands in the shed in which she has been built up she gives promise of being a thing of beauty. She will be called the Pedro and Mr. Perry's private signal, it is said, will be an enlarged reproduction of the five of diamonds.

The Pedro may be called a semi-fin keel craft. She is being built both for racing and cruising and has been given speed-producing qualities without too great a sacrifice of comfort. She will have extreme beams as well as extreme draught. Her dimensions are as follows: Over all 27 feet, load water line 16 feet, draught 4 feet 6 inches, ballast about 1200 pounds. Her sail area will be 450 square feet for the 19-foot class and 635 feet for the 22-foot class. The cutter will have a cabin eight feet long, with four feet four inches head room. She was designed as well as built by Mr. Miller, whose success in both designing and construction has been demonstrated by several craft now in the fleet of the Rochester Yacht Club.

The craft being built for Mr. Averill by the St. Lawrence Skiff Company, at Ogdensburg, was designed by W. P. Stevens, the well-known yachting expert. She is a 22-foot racing cutter of the following dimensions: Over all 30 feet, water line 19 feet, beam 8 feet 3 inches, draught 5 feet, ballast about 2 tons. She will carry 625 feet of sail in her main sail and jib.

Mr. Compton's boat will have a yawl rig. Her dimensions are as follows: Over all 29 feet, water line 18 feet, beam 8 feet, draught 5 feet, ballast 2 tons. She will carry 600 square feet of sail.

The Nox, which is owned by the Miller brothers and has been the winning racing yacht of the club for several seasons, is being extensively altered by W. W. Miller, mainly with the object of increasing her speed. Her keel has been lowered and lightened about 1500 pounds. This will give her about four inches more freeboard and shorten her water line from 25 to 23 feet. Her sail area will be increased from 800 to 900 square feet and this change, with the others mentioned, will make her a better boat all around.

Mr. Miller is altering Dr. Smith's Nixie along the same lines that he is following in changing the Nox. She will have a lower keel, more sail area and a new rig.

"CRETE."

High hopes, brave Cretans, are abroad of ye,
Where through the cloven clouds calm Freedom's smile

Kindles like lightning round thy sea-girt isle,
Now bright, though darkened long by Tyranny,

Stand armed patriots, waiting to be free.
Nor wait they long, for hark! you tall pine swinging

Its giant boughs, and with loud music singing
A lofty song of joy and liberty.

So, too, Helvetia, on thy mountain tops,
While Freedom waved her torch till night rebounded,

Sung all the pines, and blew their organ stops,
Till Europe heard the shout that far resounded,

As from thy hands the chain of slavery drops,
And nations laughed and tyrants stood astounded.

—J. F. Dumble.

Cobourg.

W. H. Perry, a former resident of Toronto and Oakville, has passed his final examinations at the Chicago Medical College.

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RELIGIOUS SERVICES.

PAVILION—SUNDAY, 3 p.m.

Canadian Temperance League.

Speakers—Rev Jesse Gibson of the Dovercourt-road Baptist Church and Rev A B Chambers of the McCaul-street Methodist Church.

Soloist—Miss Augusta Beverley Robinson.

Chairman—Dr. Thomas Henderson.

Doors open at 2. Silver collection at entrance.

Auer Light.

A local company with a paid-up capital of $200,000 has been incorporated under the name of the Toronto Auer Light Company, Limited, and has recently completed the purchase of the Welsbach or Auer Light Patents for the whole of Ontario, outside of the London and Ottawa districts.

The new company takes over the business of the Auer Light Company, established at Toronto, Hamilton, Kingston, Belleville, Peterboro, Owen Sound, Guelph and all sub-agencies.

The directors of the new company are: F. A. Hilton (of Messrs. Clarke, Bowes, Hilton & Swabey), president; J. G. Bowes (of Messrs. Bowes, Jamieson & Co., Hamilton), vice-president; William Dineen; E. B. Freeland (of Messrs. Stark & Co.); E. G. E. Folkes (manager of the Wilkinson Plow Company); C. A. Duclos of Montreal (the president of the Canadian Welsbach Light Company), and C. J. R. Stiling, who is also managing director of the company. The secretary-treasurer is J. H. Thompson of Toronto.

It is interesting to know that there are over 10,000 Auer lights at present in use in the City of Toronto, and that the demand for the light is daily increasing.

The candle power of an Auer light consuming three feet of gas per hour is three times greater than that of an ordinary gas jet consuming six feet of gas per hour. This saving in consumption has been verified by thousands of users of the light by comparison of their gas bill before and after the use of the light.

The head office of the company will remain for the present at 28 Toronto-street, where the management will be glad to show the interesting process of manufacturing the mantle to intending customers.

Germania Mining Co.

The World calls attention to the Germania Gold Mining Company, whose advertisement appears in another column. The company has a capitalization of $1,000,000, and its directors are William Ross of Berlin, Ont., president; Hon. S. Merner, New Hamburg; Hartman King, Berlin; Fred C. Stone, Preston; Ang. Long, Dr. H. G. Lockner, Dr. C. L. Pearson, John H. Eden and H. M. Andrews of Berlin; J. B. Hughes, Waterloo; J. A. Smith and Robert Scott, Rossland. The company's holdings consist of two claims, the Electric and the Chief Seattle, on Green Mountain, four miles north of Rossland. Under the direction of F. C. Johnson, an expert, two shifts of men have been at work on the Electric all winter, and the bottom of the shaft is said to be all in gold ore. Mr. Johnston recently wired east that he could now assure the company that their claim was not only a mine, but one of the best mines in British Columbia. As will be seen by reference to the advertisement, the company is guaranteeing 10 per cent. dividends on a special line of stock now offered.

To Clean Out the Western Gap.

To-day Contractor McNamee will start work dredging out the Western Gap for the Harbor Commissioners. The filling in of the John-street slip will also be commenced to-day by Contractor Coghill.

THE DUKE OF LEEDS.

There is something singularly appropriate in the appointment of the Duke of Leeds to succeed the Earl of Aberdeen as Viceroy of Canada, if such is true. He is married to a granddaughter of that Earl of Durham who, perhaps, was the most famous of all the British Governors-General of the Dominion. The Duke himself, besides being a man of considerable wealth, of much geniality and spirit of repartee, brings to the vice-royalty a flavor of liquor which is sure to contribute to the joviality of his reign. In England he goes by the name of the "gin duke," being the senior



THE DUKE OF LEEDS.

partner and managing director of the great firm of Holland & Co., which probably has the largest gin business in the United Kingdom, and which bears a name that is known to the consumers of spirits in every part of the world, civilized and uncivilized. He derives large profits from this source, and whenever he has been able to spare a moment from his Parliamentary duties he has been in the habit of rushing off to Deptford, where the distilleries are, to see how things are getting on.

It is needless to say that the young Duke is as popular with the liquor dealers, great and small, as he is the reverse with the temperance folk. In fact, to the latter he appears as a sort of evil spirit, not only because he takes an active part in the manufacture and sales of spirits, but likewise because he is the champion of a very liberal compensation for those liquor dealers who find their business ruined by the extension of the temperance propaganda.

The Duke of Leeds, whose family name is Osborne, is one of the many great English nobles whose families acquired their first honors in connection with trade in the city. Its founder was that merchant's apprentice who won his master's favor by diving into the Thames to rescue his daughter from a watery grave. The girl was an only child, and in course of time she married the apprentice, who succeeded to the business of his father-in-law and became Lord Mayor of London.



DUCHESS OF LEEDS.

The Duke of Leeds sat for a time in the House of Commons as member of Parliament for Brixton, and many are the stories related of his wordy contests with political adversaries at public meetings, especially about election time. At one of these meetings, which took place during a general election, a Radical, wishing to be jocose, asked him from the body of the hall if his mother knew he was out—a remark that had its excuse in his exceedingly youthful appearance. He got the laugh on his side by replying promptly: "Yes, and she will soon know that I am in." The Queen is very fond of him, and for several years he acted as treasurer of the royal household.

The Duchess is a very clever woman, has written several books, has taken an active part in the counsels of the Primrose League, and is the mother of four pretty little girls. She has no boy, and for the present the heir to the dukedom is the Duke's sailor brother, who married last year. The Duchess is a much more brilliant woman in every respect than the excellent Countess of Aberdeen, and it may be relied upon that she is free from all the oddities and eccentricities of the latter. She is sure to prove a far more popular and successful vicereine than the Countess. It may be added in conclusion that the Countess is tall and stately, being surpassed in stature, however, by her husband, who shares with the Duke of Somerset the distinction of being taller than any other member of either House of Parliament.

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Capes, Caperines, Costumes, etc., in all the latest styles.
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All is Elegance and Beauty.

The leadership of the store—a store that has grown by solid worth and worthy methods—was never more pronounced than now. Our good-will goes out to everyone, especially to the great body of consumers, whose cost of living has been reduced easily 25 per cent. by the methods and plans of this store—the outcome of successful modern storekeeping.

An Inspiration in Our April Prices.

To wise buying in high quality, this comes. To economical buying in prices, this comes. You are the gainers with ourselves.

Early April Specials in Black Silks.

You have been surprised at some of the values we have offered in Silks this season. This surprise will be increased in the specials that here follow in some of the most desirable Black Silks:

20 pieces Black India Silk, Lyons dye, fast black, special sale 25c
25-in. Heavy Black Satin Duchesse, guaranteed all silk, reg. price $1.25, special here at 85c
21-in. Black French Gros Grains, reg. retail price 65c, here at 45c
22-in. Black French Taffeta, all pure silk, reg. 50c, special here at... 35c
22-in. Lyons All-Silk Brocades, new and choicest designs, prevailing price $1.25 to $1.50, special sale... 75c
The Victoria Jubilee Black Dress Silk, guaranteed for wear, worth $1.50, special offering 1.00
Extra Special, 500 yards of Changeable French Glacies, extra heavy grade silk, made to sell for 85c, all new and latest tints, at 50c

Specials in Quilts and Cotton Blankets.

American Crochet Quilts, 11-4, new designs, reg. $1.35, special 1.00
American Cotton Blankets, grey and white, reg. 90c, for 65c
English Honeycomb Quilts, 11-4, without fringe, reg. $1.25, special 1.00
White Wool Blankets, 6 lbs., 60 x 80, reg. $2.75, for 1.95
Extra Heavy American Crochet Quilts, 11-4, handsome designs, reg. $1.85, for 1.35
5-lb. White Wool Blankets, 64 x 74, self colored border, reg. $2.15, for 1.65

Clothing Bargains for Monday.

Men's Fine All-wool Scotch and Irish Worsted Serges, Nord twist, in dark navy blue or black, 4 button sacque style, single silk-stitched edges, best all-wool Italian lining, trimmings to match, cut and made in the latest style, perfect fit, reg. $11 to $12.50, for 10.00
Men's Blue Denim Overalls, with bib and braces, sizes 32 to 44, reg. 50c, for 35c
Men's Fine All-wool Tweed Pants, in several neat patterns, sizes 32 to 38, waist measure, well made and trimmed, reg. $1.15 to $1.50, for 1.00

Special Sale of Navy and Black Serges—Finest Goods.
Dye Guaranteed.

We have bought from a manufacturer 450 pieces of Navy and Black Serges, Canvas Cloths, etc., at very much less than regular prices. These goods are made of the purest wool and dyed by Fulton of Paisley, Scotland, the world's best dyer—a guarantee in itself for both wear and color. For bicycle or street costumes these goods have no equal. We put them on our counters for immediate sale at from 20 to 30 per cent. less than the same goods can be bought for elsewhere. Here are the prices:

40-in. All-wool Estamine, very special 25c
42-in. All-wool English Estamine, very special 35c
43-in. All-wool English Estamine, very special 40c
44 and 45-in. All-wool English Estamine, very special, 45c and 50c
43-in. All-wool English Coating Twill, very special 40c
44-in. All-wool English Coating Twill, extra special 45c and 50c
45-in. All-wool English Coating Twill, extra special 60c and 65c
44-in. All-Wool Canvas Weave, extra special 50c
44-in. All-Wool English Canvas Weave, extra special 60c and 65c
45-in. All-wool English Canvas weave, extra heavy, special 75c and 85c
43-in. Cheviot Serge, extra special 35c and 40c
44-in. All-wool English Cheviot Serge, extra special 45c and 50c
45-in. All-wool English Canvas Serge, extra special 60c, 65c and... 75c

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With the completest confidence we can ask shoppers to visit our Mantle Showrooms and examine the beautiful display of new season coats, capes and costumes for ladies, children and misses. Our buyers have surpassed themselves this season. True, they have loaded us up with heavy stocks, but you like variety, while the fact has had its influence in causing us to fix prices right at the start, of the season—most unusual for spring goods.

Ladies' Fawn or Black Fine Box Cloth Tailor-made Jacket, straps down front, six pearl buttons, special 7.50
Ladies' Green or Black Box Cloth, Bolero Cape, military braid, satin lined special 8.50
Ladies' Black Fine Box Cloth Jacket, reefer style, 6 fancy pearl buttons, special 10.50
Ladies' Fawn Box Cloth Jackets, stitched front and cuffs, white oval pearl buttons, velvet collar, Dresden silk lined, special 12.50
Ladies' Velvet Jetted Cape, chiffon collar, lined with black or colored lining, special 8.00
Ladies' Velvet Capes, fancy jetted, lined, slashed collar, special 5.00
Ladies' Fawn or Grey Suits, tweed mixtures, velvet collar, full sweep skirt, lined, special 6.75
Ladies' Fawn and Blue Tailor-made Costumes, covert cloth, velvet collar, lined, full skirt, special 12.50
Ladies' Blue or Black Serge Costumes; 4 buttoned reefer Jacket, lined with twill satin and satin-faced lapel, special 8.50

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On Monday we will put on sale part contents of our special purchase of 120 cases, the two following remarkable specials in Ladies' Kid Gloves.

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135 dozen French Chamois Kid Gloves, white and natural, 4 large pearl buttons, embroidered backs, reg. 75c, for 50c
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The wants of the family on the opening of spring are many, and through this store's methods the opportunity comes to out-of-town shoppers to order anything the store sells by mail. It means a big saving to every family in every section of the country. Send by postcard name and address, and secure free Jubilee edition of Canadian Shoppers' Handbook, 192 pages, illustrated

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CHAS. MITCHELL WANTS TO FIGHT.

No one on this side of the water took Charles Mitchell's recent challenge at all seriously, but rather in the nature of a jolly. However, London Sporting Life has Pony Moore's letter to the editor, which shows the gentlemen to be in earnest, as their money is up:

"Sir,—Noticing a challenge from John L. Sullivan to the winner of the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight, permit me to point out that my son-in-law, Charley Mitchell, ever since his last contest with Corbett, has been willing and ready to fight him again, or his conqueror, and as there is one thing that speaks all languages—according to the ideas of most sportsmen—viz., money, I herewith enclose you a draft for £500 as forfeit to bind a match for Mitchell to fight the winner of the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight at any reasonable time, in England or America, for £1000 a side, either with gloves or old style. Should Sullivan think he has a better claim than Mitchell to fight for the championship, that could be definitely settled by Mitchell and Sullivan trying conclusions; the winner to meet the champion. In that case, Sullivan, by covering my deposit of £500, can have the match for £1000 a side, and I will wager an additional £1,000 Mitchell wins. This is proof positive of my confidence in Mitchell's ability to do battle for the championship. I would like my son-in-law to have one more fight, for I know he was not in condition to do himself justice when he met Corbett and suffered his first and only defeat. Mitchell at the time he fought Sullivan at Chantilly was in perfect condition and weighed 12st. 2lb., but he only scaled 10st 7lb when he met Corbett, and was a sick man. Notwithstanding, he "faced the music," and showed, though out of condition, he was not lacking in pluck. I am not issuing this challenge as an advertisement for myself or son-in-law, as, thanks to kind Providence, we are both well provided for. I may add that but for the delays in the completion of the purchase of the Washington Music Hall, we should both of us have been in America at the present time, and the challenge to Corbett, or his conqueror would have been made at the ringside, backed up by a substantial deposit. Hoping a match will be made, I am, yours, etc., George Washington Moore. [We hold draft for £500 on behalf of Mitchell.—Ed. S. L.]

CANADIAN BASEBALL LEAGUE.

Schedule Adopted at the Annual Meeting—Season Opens May 15—Cal Davis is President.

Guelph, April 2.—The Canadian Baseball Association held its annual meeting at the Royal Hotel here to-day. Delegates each from Toronto, London, Hamilton and Guelph, and the secretary-treasurer, Cal Davis of Hamilton, were present. Charley Maddock from Toronto, A. Holman and Doc Sippi of London, Cal Davis and W. Stroud of Hamilton, Club Colling of Dundas, while Messrs. Downey and Tyson represented the Leafs. The records of 1896 were submitted and adopted, and the financial statement showed a balance.

The first business was to consolidate the offices of president, secretary and treasurer, and make the one officer the executive head of the league. Mr. Davis was unanimously elected to the office. It was decided that each club should deposit a guarantee with the president on or before June 1, to ensure the playing out of the whole season's schedule. Any club making a protest of a game must deposit $10, which shall be forfeited by the side losing. The matter of appointing and controlling umpires was left entirely in the hands of the president. Any club forfeiting a game shall forfeit $50 to the opposing team.

The season will open on May 15 and close on Sept. 19, giving every club nine Saturdays and three holidays at home. The regular meeting lasted until 7 o'clock, and at 8 the Schedule Committee got to work and arranged a 72-game schedule, each club playing two games at home and two away each week.

FOR ONTARIO BREEDERS.

Big List of Entries for the Stake Races to be Competed for at Hamilton in September.

Hamilton, April 2.—The following is the list of entries to the stakes of the Ontario Breeders' Association, to be competed for at Hamilton on Sept. 7, 8 and 9. Horsemen will be pleased to see such splendid response:

Yearling trotters; stake $500, divided: W L Morris, (Hamilton), Bella Wilkes, ch. f., by Almont Wilkes. Rand Kennedy (Drumbo), Cope Stinson, by Prosperity. L. MacLachlan (Chatham), College Boy, by Wildbrino; Bullet, by Wildbrino. Hugh Scott (Caledonia), ——, by Bryson. D F McCrae (Wallaceburg), Sybilla, by Simond. Dr. Carr (Stony Creek), Glory, b.f, by Sir John. Robert Stewart (Aylmer, Que.), Ansonia Temple, by Ansonia. A Sinclair (Chatham), Deer Foot, by Wildbrino. R Mathers (Rawson River), bay filly, by Rigzouette.

Two-year-old trotters; $500, divided: Ralph Mather (Ruscom River), Althea, b.f., by Wildbrino. Dr. Carr (Stony Creek), Kernacliff, ch.g., by Sir John. A Levack (Toronto), Star L., by Altoneer. Robert T Barnes (London), Chattie, by Five Points. L MacLachlan (Chatham), College Girl, by Wildbrino. H Scott (Caledonia), ——, by Bryson. Cornwall & Cooke (Norwich), Olex, by Lexington Boy. N. Cargill & Son (Cargill), To Let, br.g., by Toletto. R Stewart (Aylmer, Que.), Prince Ansonia, by Ansonia. Thomas Butler (Ottawa), Butler Home Boy, by Ansonia. A Sinclair (Chatham), Mo. S, by Wildbrino. Dr. Penfold (Grimsby), Ella B., ch.f., by Sir John.

Three-year-old trotters; $500, divided: L F Hager (Grimsby), Charles W., by Almont Wilkes. Moses Hunter (Toronto), Robert H., by Ansonia. I McKinstry (Ottawa), Queen, by Hermit. W J Reed (Beamsville), Vivi, br.f., by Superior. Robert Stewart (Aylmer, Que.), Abbot, by Ambert Stewart (Aylmer, Que.), Abbot, by Ansonia. R Mather (Ruscom River), black colt, by Wildbrino. H H James (Hamilton), Sprightly, by Almont Wilkes. W L Jifkins (Toronto), Wilfred J. Harry Webb (Toronto), Sister Geneva, by Geneva. A Sinclair (Chatham), Luminary, by Wildbrino. J C Dietrich (Galt), Melbourne, by Axland.

Two-year-old pacers; $500 divided: S A Mackay (Shawville, Que.), Lord Velvo, by Geneva. Dr. Hawell (Carvin), Dora, by Candidate. D J Lynch (Hagersville), Thundering Dan, by Diplomat. W R Gadsby (Toronto), Elsie G., by Altoneer. J W Hurton (Shedden), Brown Chief, br.c., by Big Indian. J H Allen (Picton), Barealton, by Ocan's Harry Wilkes. L MacLachlan (Chatham), College Lad, by Wildbrino. H Scott (Caledonia), ——, by Diplomat. P H Dardis (Cambridge, Mass.), Walter C, by Stanton W. Carson, Thomas & Tolby Stanton W. Carson, Thomas & Tolmie (West Lorne), May Allen, by Max Allen, Beattie Bros. (Wingham), Plaintiff, by Allen, Beattie Bros. (Wingham), Plaintiff, by Flander. D A Stewart, V.S., Jennie Case, by J J Case. William Rudd (Toronto), Marion R. Kidd Bros. (Listowel), Earl Ferguson, by Lord Ferguson.

Three-year-old pacers; $500, divided—Dr Howel, Jarvis—Paddy, by Shadeland Daval; Robert T Barnes, London—Esther Bee, by Dunton Wilkes; Dr Carr, Stoney Creek—Magic, ch.f., by Sir John; William Lee, Hagersville—Clara L, by Jim Corbett; H. Scott, Caledonia—Filby, by Son of Stanton; J M Morgan, Ottawa—Railway Queen, by Ambrosial; Marwood, Ashton, Port Bruce—Elgin Girl, by Grandee; H. Webb, Toronto—Alicia Belle, by Liberty Bell; M McKellar, Strathroy—Alina, by Prohibition; R Mather, Ruscom River——, b.c., by Wildbrino; A Sinclair, Chatham—Black Joe, by Wildbrino; A Sinclair, Chatham—Nitche, by High Noon; Kidd Bros., Listowel—Dureador, by Oliver Wilkes; Dr Ten Eyck, Hamilton—Kootenay Cure, by Sir John; S Davis, Hamilton—Bigaroon, by Octoroon; James Burgess, Burlington—Oley B, by Superior; F Westbrook, Brantford—Blue Rock, by Payrock.

Three-minute class, trotters; $500, divided—A E Brown, Homer—Silvia, b.m., by Belmont Star; Jos A Tovell, Guelph—Lenora Wright, by Lorrain; George H Evans, Hamilton—Opera Bouffe, by Guardsman; Robt Bradley, Thorold—Freddie C, by Minnie Mac; John G Harvey, Todmorden—Nancy Lee, by Superior; James McCarron, Toronto—Emma Carver, by Dr Carver; J J Burns, Toronto—Blue Bels, by Jay Bird; C H Strong, Oakville—Little Marie, by Edmond; D P McCrae, Wallaceburg—Aluminum, by Almedium; F H Lunn, Toronto—Orphean C, by Orpheus; S J Stephens, Allandale—Sunrise, ch.m., by Big Ben; Geo B Holmes, Markdale—Antillo, by Anteo; W A McLeod, Markdale—Edna Edgewood, by Edgewood; J W Dunn, Toronto, Golden Monarch, by Superior; Scott & Warwick, Brussels—Costumer, br.s.; Joseph S Schneckenburger, West Lorne—Buro B, by Red Chief; R Mathers, Ruscom River—Wireno, b.g., by Wildbrino; James O'Leary, Brussels—O'Donnell, by King Red; A Sinclair, Chatham—Surena, by Wildbrino; J C Deitrich, Galt—Mayflower, by Axland; F Helmar, Aylmer, Ont.—Wilkes, by Jersey Wilkes; J J Joliffe, Parry Sound—Jardine, ch.g., by Superior; P Filman, Hamilton—Aberdeen Clay, by Clay; James W Bradd, Colborne—Frank Allen, ch.g.

2.50 class, pacers; $500, divided—Burgess & Weaver, Hamilton, Cartoon, blk.g., by Octoroon; M O'Halloran, Fair Park—Altonia, by Sphinx; M H Williams, Oakville—Spunk, by Captain Hunter; Thomas Lee, Toronto—Montenegro, blk.g., by Simmons; Robert T Barnes, London—Master Pashby, by Adrian Wilkes; William Stroud, Hamilton—Lavermer, b.g., by Superior; T Small, Hamilton—Nellie S, g.m., by Belmont; S S Ryckman, Hamilton—Sister Ethel, gr.m., by Mambrino Sotham; James A Livingston, Hamilton—Jerry Chimes, blk. s., by Chimes; J O Reed, Owen Sound—Lily Chimes, by Chimes; P H Dardis, Cambridge, Mass.—Uncle Martin, by Son of Onward; J W Horton, Shedden—Ante J., b.g., by Ajax; L MacLachan, Chatham—Jean C, by Wildbrino; J D Miller, Bath—Statateur, by Dictatum; D F McRae, Wallaceburg—Capitana, by Young Wilkes; J M Morgan, Ottawa—John W B, by Ambrosial; Frank Helmar, Aylmer, Ont.—Belle Thorn, by Bart Thorn; A Sinclair, Chatham—Alicia Belle, by Liberty Belle; Dr Willoughby, Colborne—Hebrew, br.s., by Guy Johnson; H Cayill & Son, Cayill—Olive C, by Olive Wilkes; W J Thompson, London—Wheeling Boy, by Wheeling Wilkes; William Collins, London—Minnie L; O Hughes, Tottenham—Pansy, by Little Hamilton; H H James, Hamilton—Roy B, by General Stanton; McLaren Bros., Winnipeg, Man.—Oliver Banker, by Sharper; A Sinclair, Chatham—Westland, by Wildbrino; J H Robinson, Hamilton—Grit, by Allnedum.

2.27 trot; $500, divided—John Townsend, Toronto—Forrester; F G Green, Stoney Creek—Wilkie Ross, g.h., by Almont Wilkes; Dr Carr, Stoney Creek—Lotus, b.f., by Sir John; L Sebert, Port Perry—Harry Wilkes, by Guelph Boy; Arthur Tyson, Guelph—Stanton H, by Hambletonian King; H Cargill & Son, Cargill—Toletto, br.g., by Damo; Wm Shields, Toronto—Marion ——; J W Bradd, Colborne—Wheel of Fortune; A Sinclair, Chatham—Sweet Violet, b.m., by Wildbrino; A Sinclair, Chatham—Dorothea, blk.m., by Wildbrino; J C Deitrich, Galt—Dolly's Baby, by Axland.

Pittsburg, April 2.—John J. Quinn, manager of Peter Maher, yesterday received from the Greater New York Athletic Club, articles of agreement, offering a $10,000 purse for the Maher-Sharkey match on May 31. Quinn did not sign, as M. J. Connolly, his partner, will go to New York to-morrow to confer with all the clubs. If no better inducements are received, Maher, who is in New York, will sign the articles. This date will give Maher almost two months for training to a Fitz finish. Sharkey will arrive in the East next week, and the match will be definitely consummated. Connolly will try in New York to make a match for "Denver" Ed. Smith with Dan Creedon or others. Quinn and Connolly have accepted Jack Bennett's challenge to George Plante for a 10-round fight. They will confer to-night.

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STORY OF COL. VASSOS.

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The correspondent of The Standard makes mention of this affair, but adds that under cover of these houses the insurgents were attempting to undermine the fort.

Interview With Col. Vassos.

The Daily Telegraph will to-morrow print an interview had by the correspondent in Crete with Col. Vassos. The Greek commander declared that the protest recently sent by him to the foreign admirals would be the last document of the sort that would be sent. Col. Vassos does not regard the admirals as the true representatives of the European attitude. He claims that he has quieted the entire Christian population and repressed every form of crime, rendering life and property as secure as in England or France. He has established hospitals and prisons, built bridges and appointed judges and sanitary officers. Such a satisfactory state of things was never before known in Crete. Everything has been effected in seven weeks. Col. Vassos explains his success as being due to his knowledge of the people, who he declares recognize him and his troops as kin.

"If," said Col. Vassos, "the European forces had done in the towns what I have done in the country, perfect peace might reign until Greece completed the negotiations with Europe for a recognition of her claims to Crete and not a drop of blood need have been shed."

Proceeding, Col. Vassos indignantly related the incidents of the proceedings of the international forces here during the week. He added that the Bashi Bazouks, who were formally forbidden to carry arms, issued from Canea Wednesday evening and marched towards Vigla. Their advance was covered by the guns of the Turkish warships, but the progress of the Bashi Bazouks was slow. The international fleet came to their assistance, firing 52 rounds from their heavy guns.

The Christians retreated and the Turks entered the village and set fire to the houses, a church and a monastery. "This," Col. Vassos exclaimed, "is the work of Cristian Europe. The condition of affairs is now infinitely worse than ever before. The Admirals have made it so. I say deliberately and reluctantly that unless the European peoples listen to the voice of humanity before it is too late, this unhappy island will be deluged through out with torrents of blood."

In conclusion Col. Vassos emphatically repudiated the absurd statement made in the British House of Commons that he made war on the powers.

Mountain Batteries for Crete.

London, April 2.—In the House of Commons to-day Right Hon. George N. Curzon, Under Foreign Secretary, replying to a question by Mr. J. G. S. MacNeil, anti-Parnellite member for South Donegal, stated that the admirals commanding the foreign squadrons in Cretan waters had asked their respective governments to send three mountain guns each to Crete. Mr. Curzon added that he was not aware of the character of the replies of the powers to the request, if indeed any answer had been made, except in the case of Russia, which Government, he said, was sending a mountain battery to Crete in accordance with the recommendation of the Russian admiral.

The Blockade of Greece.

London, April 2.—The Star in its issue of this afternoon asserts that it has authority for the statement that the blockade of the ports of Greece by the powers will begin on Sunday, April 4.

Turkey Tired of Delay.

Constantinople, April 2.—The reports of fighting in Crete which are being received here daily are having a very bad impression upon the Government and the people alike, and in consequence the Porte has informed the representatives of the Turkish Government abroad that the present position is no longer tenable. This information is accompanied by the declaration on the part of the Porte that, unless a settlement of the Cretan dimculty shall be speedily reached, the Porte will propose to the powers that Turkey take matters in their own hands. It is also feared here that a blockade of Greece by the warships of the powers will hasten a conflict between the Turks and the Greeks on the frontier of Thessaly.

A Big Fight Brewing.

New York, April 2.—A special to The Herald from St. Petersburg says: Troops are ready to start from Odessa in the same numbers as the arrangements with the other powers, and if these are not sufficient there will be more ready to go if the admirals think it necessary.

It is looked upon here as almost certain that Greece will make a show of fighting; otherwise the dynasty must fall. The only way out of the troubles is deemed here to be disciplinary measures towards the Cretans and their Greek instigators. Turbulence can only be replied to by firmness. Greece's protests are ignored, as she has defied and broken all international laws.

Greece Will Declare War.

London, April 2.—The Vienna correspondent of The Times telegraphs that it is no secret that King George of Greece has declared that a blockade of the Greek coast will be immediately followed by a declaration of war against Turkey.

Between Minneapolis and St. Paul 1000 families have been driven from home by the floods.

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MONTREAL BRICKLAYERS STRIKE.

A Difference Over Wages and Hours of Work is at the Bottom of the Trouble.

Montreal, April 2.—There is trouble between the union bricklayers of this city and their employers, and the result is a strike on the part of the men, which began this morning and threatens to become general. The cause of the difficulty is a difference on the subject of wages and hours of work. The men are at present receiving 30 cents an hour and working 10 hours a day, and they ask for a change to 35 cents an hour and nine hours a day, which they claim is the union rate in both respects. The concession has been refused by the builders and the threatened war has already begun. The strikers have been compelled to appeal to their brotherhood to assist them. Telegrams have been sent to Ottawa, Toronto and other points, requesting the branches there to issue no traveling cards to Montreal.

GROWING WORSE.

Plantations Never Before Submerged Are Now Under Water, and Boats Have To Be Used.

Jackson, Miss., April 2.—The only change in the situation in the Delta is for the worse. The water is still pouring through the breaks and is increasing upon places heretofore thought to be above the danger line. Plantations never before under water are now submerged. The streets of Greenville are now passable only by boat, the flood from above having met and joined forces with that from below. Nearly 1000 families in Greenville are surrounded by water. The levees still hold, however. The citizens of Huntington telegraphed the Governor this morning to send 50 tents at once. They were forwarded on the first train, but will have to make several miles of journey by skiff. The State is doing all in its power to assist its Delta people, but from the depleted condition of the Treasury can offer little else than the labor of the 800 able-bodied convicts. Thousands of Delta negroes are now homeless and will remain so until the floods subside, but planters are feeding and caring for their hands so far as possible.

Death of Prof. Miller.

San Diego, Cal., April 2.—Prof. N. B. Miller, general assistant naturalist of the U.S. Fish Commission Service, died this morning aboard the U.S. steamship Albatross in this harbor. Deceased had been in the service 15 years.

Threat Cut on a Picket.

Washington, April 2.—Robert L. Baines, Chief of the Returning Division Dead Letter Office, was this afternoon thrown from his bike, and his throat struck on a sharp picket of the postoffice fence, making a terrible gash and knocking out a number of teeth. He was taken to the Emergency Hospital. The accident may result fatally.

OH, THE POOR BOARDER!

These pleasant, balmy, springlike days, we all rejoice to greet,
We're glad to see the watering carts again upon the street;
We're glad to hear the birdies sing their sweet songs, as of yore,
We're glad to hear the "toot-toots" of the ferry boats once more.
We're glad to see green onions among the butchers' stock,
We're glad to know the bike fiend has his knickers out of hock;
We're glad we'll need no rubbers now, except in heavy rain,
We're glad to put cold water in our whiskey once again.
We're glad to hear the tramp of city regiments marching by,
We're glad of almost everything that tells us summer's nigh.
But throughout the coming week we'll wish we'd ne'er been born,
For the "missus" starts spring cleaning in the house on Monday morn. —B.

Germania Mining Co.

World calls attention to the Germania Mining Company, whose advertisement appears in another column. The company has a capitalization of $1,000,000, and directors are William Ross of Toronto, president; Hon. S. Merner, Lunenburg; Hartman Kling, Berlin; Stone, Preston; Aug. Long, Dr. Lockner, Dr. C. L. Pearson, John H. and H. M. Andrews of Berlin; B. Waterloo; J. A. Smith and Robert Rossland. The company's holdings consist of two claims, the Electric and the Seattle, on Green Mountain, south of Rossland. Under the direction of C. Johnson, an expert, two shifts have been at work on the Electric claim, and the bottom of the shaft is to be all in gold ore. Mr. Johnston has wired east that he could now assure the company that their claim was not a mine, but one of the best mines in British Columbia. As will be seen by reference to the advertisement, the company is offering 10 per cent. dividends on a limited line of stock now offered.

Clean Out the Western Gap.

Contractor McNamee will start dredging out the Western Gap for the Harbor Commissioners. The filling in of the Yonge-street slip will also be commenced to-day by Contractor Coghill.

HAMILTON NEWS

THE PARKS COMMITTEE MET

And Transacted Business Which Was Necessary.

AN AVALANCHE OF FLOUR

Buried Mr. Thomas Morris, But He Was Rescued Alive.

The Great Wave of Religious Feeling Which Has Its Origin in St. Mary's Cathedral—Father O'Sullivan on "The Debt Woman Owes to Jesus Christ"—Young Liberals Elect Officers—Parade of the Gallant Thirteenth.

Hamilton, April 2.—(Special from Our Staff Correspondent.)—Ald. Donald and the other members of the Parks Committee disposed of a number of matters to-night which the public were calling for. Engineer Barrow laid before the committee the plans of the Burlington Canal reserve, a fenced-in park of 650 feet on each side of the canal, of which the city desire re-possession from the Government. The Public Works Department at Ottwa will be approached on the subject.

J. Hughes got the contract at 17c to run a four-foot sidewalk from the end of the city property at the Beach 470 feet to the Halton line.

City Solicitor Mackelcan was instructed to get after some 43 lessees of city Beach property, who are in arrears of rent amounting to $700.

BURIED UNDER FLOUR BAGS.

Thomas Morris, 70 years of age, and a prosperous flour and feed merchant, doing business at the corner of King William and Wellington-streets, proved to the satisfaction of himself and friends to-day that his constitution is as sound as it ever was. The old gentleman was passing through the big store room, which is full of piled-up flour bags, when 20 of them suddenly toppled over upon him, sending him like a ninepin to the floor. A young fellow passing on the street, hearing someone groaning in pain, ran in, but could see nothing but a heap of bags. A number of the employees now came in and began the rescue work, which lasted a quarter of an hour, before the merchant was released. When got at, he was in a kneeling position. The bags weighed 100 pounds each.

WAVE OF RELIGION.

A remarkable feature of this week has been the wave of religious feeling which has been set in motion by the mission services held for women at St. Mary's Cathedral. To-night some 1600 women passed within the doors, presenting to the view of the visitor in the gallery a sea of feathers, right up to the sanctuary. After the usual evening service, Rev. Father O'Sullivan, S.J., preached a powerful sermon on "The debt woman owes to Jesus Christ." Her status in pagan days, when she was regarded by the Greeks and Romans as having no soul, or was burnt with her husband among the Hindoos, was contrasted with the Christian view. The eloquent preacher then made a point in favor of women by remarking that while Jesus was betrayed, denied and spat upon by men, he received sympathy and burial from woman. In conclusion, Father O'Sullivan pointed out that the highest ideal of woman was not the old-time amazon, or the nineteenth century speaker on the rostrum, but the woman who was queen in her own home.

A BEVY OF CYCLISTS.

The secret of the good looks of the ladies of the company playing this week at the Star Theatre leaked out this afternoon, when the performers, accompanied by Manager Davey and Prof. Lee, the one-man orchestra, swept down on James-street north on their bicycles for a spin to the Beach.

A LIVELY TIME.

There was a warm time at the Young Men's Liberal Club meeting this evening, when the annual election of officers took place. James Jones, vice-president, occupied the chair. There were two tickets in the field. E. A. Fearnside was at the head of one and M. J. O'Rielly the other. One secretary read from an evening paper to the effect that Fearnside tendered his resignation as a candidate for the presidency on account of O'Rielly breaking a pledge given, and moved that the Fearnside ticket resign in a body. This was done and the O'Rielly ticket was declared carried. The officers that will be installed at the next meeting are: M J O'Rielly, president; W J Reid, first vice-president; E Russell, second vice-president; R P Kerr, secretary; W A Macdonald, assistant secretary; Fred Taylor, treasurer; William Gatenby, librarian; W M McLement, J Johnston, J Peebles, S R Milne, William Brunston, executive committee.

THE GALLANT THIRTEENTH.

The 13th Infantry paraded 300 strong to-night in command of Lieut.-Col. Moore. After the orders had been read the battalion, headed by the band, marched from the drill hall to King-street and thence to Wellington-street, returning by the route. During the march the men went with credit through several difficult manoeuvres. Capt. Gordon J. Henderson of the 6th Fusiliers will be attched to H Co. till further orders. The examination for N.C.O. will be held on Tuesday and Thursday, the 13th and 15th of April. The next parade will be on April 14.

BENCH WARMERS AND COLTS.

Billy Carroll's Bench Warmers and Jimmie Wells' Colts will play a game of ball on Saturday, April 24. The Bench Warmers have several promising players, particularly Jack Welch, who looks after the left garden. It is said that he can cover 100 yards easily. Tommy Gould is the mascot of the Bench Warmers and Red Twinim superintends the refreshment committee.

HAMILTON MINOR TOPICS.

Nearly 8000 People Assisted Since Jan. 1 by Charitable Organizations.

Hamilton, April 2.—(Special from Our Staff Correspondent.)—Rev. J. G. Shearer of the Lord's Day Alliance says that all the association is asking is that the Legislature should interpret its own act.

The Main-street shelter for the carters is running the gauntlet of criticism on the ground that it had not received the sanction of the joint county and city committee.

Since the 1st of January 7885 persons have been aided by the city at a cost of $2287, an increase against the same period last year of 4058 persons, and $1315 in cash. The discrepancy is put down to the work afforded last year by the T., H. & B., the Hamilton & Grimsby and the Radial road.

Hotelkeeper W. Lowry of York-street is suing R. Hawthorne, a former guest of his house, for $1000 for accusing him of stealing from him a $25 bill.

The Finance Committee of the Board of Education passed a monthly pay sheet of $7500 this afternoon. In the monthly accounts paid was $1000 to Contractor McKee, for plastering work at the Normal College.

Five pianos hired for the kindergarten classes were reported to be past tuning, and the committee will recommend new ones.

The County Court opens on Tuesday next at 10 a.m., with Judge Snider presiding.

Hon. G. W. Ross will be unable to open the Pure Food Show on Monday, and Mayor Colquhoun will likely perform the ceremony. On Tuesday evening Dr. Ryerson will give an address, and Hon. Mr. Dryden will speak on Thursday evening.

Mr. J. A. Thomas, formerly organist of the James-street Baptist Church, who has just finished a brilliant course at Leipsic, was in the city to-day.

Miss Lizzie Williams was removed in the ambulance to-night from the Rescue Home to the City Hospital.

The Tuckett tobacco factories began to close down to-day for the usual rest during the month of April. The wet weather this month forbids the storage of tobacco.

GOAT EATS THE TOWN FUNDS.

Discovers $500 Hidden Under a House at Jamestown, Mich.

Grand Rapids, Mich, April 2.—Some time ago John Combs, treasurer of Jamestown, Ottawa County, decided the safest way to keep the township cash was to place it in an iron pot and put it under his house. He thus stowed away $400 in bills and $100 in silver. The house, however, had no walls surrounding the wooden supports, and the family goat crawled under and ate the township's entire stock of greenbacks. One of the children saw him in the back yard nibbling at a silver dollar, and gave the alarm. Acting upon the advice of his bondsmen, Combs killed the goat. The entire $400 was found, sadly mutilated. The bills were sent to Washington for redemption, and the Treasury Department has succeeded in identifying about $130. The bondsmen will have to pay the rest.

The Japanese and Opium.

The Japanese, unlike their Chinese neighbors, have a horror of opium smoking. In Japan it is a crime, punishable by a heavy fine and a long imprisonment. It is a crime to sell opium or smoking apparatus, and the only places where the drug can be purchased, or where a person may smoke, are on the foreign reservations under the protection of a foreign flag. The opium dens in Yokohama, Kobe, Nagasaki and other cities are all found in the German, French and English concessions, where the Japanese have no jurisdiction. When the Japanese took possession of Formosa, which was ceded by China to Japan as a part of the price of peace, they found a serious problem in the prevalence of opium smoking among the natives and Chinese residents, who are numerous. After the trial of various methods, the Government has finally adopted a rather novel policy to repress and regulate the vice. It requires every opium smoker to purchase a license from the Government by the payment of a fee, and permits indulgence in the vice within certain limits of the city, which will result in the colonization of opium smokers. Physicians and druggists alone are permitted to buy and sell the drug, and they are required to take out licenses and pay heavy fees for the privilege. Any violation of this law is punished by imprisonment with hard labor for a term not exceeding fifteen years, or a fine not exceeding 5000 yen. In the districts set apart for indulgence in the vice opium smoking houses may be opened for the accommodation of strangers or persons who do not care to smoke on their own premises. These houses are subject to strict regulations, and every time they harbor a customer who does not have a permit to smoke opium the proprietor is liable to a fine of 2000 yen and imprisonment for eleven years.

Highlanders on Parade.

The 48th Highlanders paraded last night, under command of Lieut.-Col. Davidson, 385 strong. The regimental orders contain the following:

The following extract from Militia General Orders is published for the information of all concerned: 48th Highlanders, Capt. John I. Ramsay is permitted to resign his commission Feb. 27, 1897. To be captain, Lieut. James Henry Mitchell, vice Ramsay, retired, Feb. 27, 1897. To be lieutenant, Second Lieut. John T. M. Burnside, vice Mitchell, promoted, March 6, 1897.

Captain Mitchell, on promotion, will take over the command of G Co.

The officer commanding has been pleased to make the following promotions: B Co., to be sergeant, Corp. J W Evans, vice Baxter, discharged; to be lance-corporal, Pte. Falkner, vice Evans, promoted. C Co., to be sergeant, Lance-Sergt. Bruce, vice Cameron, discharged. F Co., to be colorsergeant, Sergt. Sutherland, vice Ritchie, promoted; to be lance-sergeant, Lance-Corp. Stephens, vice Sutherland, promoted. H Co., to be sergeant, Corp. Williams, vice McEvoy, promoted; to be corporal, Pte. Wasson, to complete.

The Arena on the Catholic Question.

Mr. F. Clement Brown, M.A., of this city, has an interesting article in the April number of The Arena on "The Catholic Question in Canada." Mr. Brown comes to the conclusion that the people of Quebec are ranging themselves on two sides, one for progress and individual freedom, and the other for retrogression and intellectual slavery. A struggle sooner or later is bound to come, and Mr. Brown predicts for Canada "a long period of strife and religious animosity," unless the Roman Catholic authorities abandon their contention of the supremacy of the church over the State. Mr. George Stewart also contributes an article on the same subject.

A Noble Missionary.

Sir David Hunter Blair, who has just reached England from Brazil, where he has been engaged in missionary work for a number of years past, is the only British Baronet who prefers the existence of a shaven, sandal-footed monk, laboring in the swamp districts of the Amazon River to the life of a territorial magnate and nobleman. He has inherited large entailed estates in Scotland, and is the head of an ancient family. He formerly served as an officer in the British army, but left it when he lost his wife, and became a friar.

Died From Natural Causes.

A warrant was issued yesterday by Dr. Lynd for an inquest as to the cause of the death of an infant of Mr. Gallagher, Beaconsfield-avenue, but after enquiries, and a certificate being given by the physician who had attended the child previously that death resulted from natural causes, the warrant was withdrawn.

Want to Unload It.

Ald. Crane, Rutter, Scott, Leslie, Preston and Lamb waited upon the Attorney-General yesterday afternoon to ask that the Mimico Industrial School be made a Government institution.



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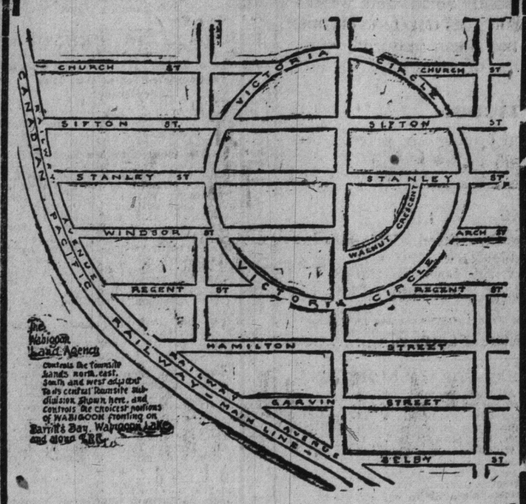
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The lots we've been selling in the Lakeside addition along the C.P.R. and Wabigoon Lake, for $20 and $25, will double and treble in value before summer. We've refused offers for whole blocks at our prices, preferring more buyers of a smaller number of lots. Many have bought single lots; many more have bought two, three and four. Others have bought up to the limit—ten lots to one purchaser. Send for map of lots left for $20 and $25 before prices are advanced. Terms $5 with order for each lot.

WABIGOON.

The cut above shows the central lot sub-division of the Wabigoon Land Agency in Wabigoon, in which lots are now offered at $50 and up, which will be worth $100 this summer—which may be worth $1,000 and more within a year. Lots that were sold in Rossland, B.C., for $50 and $100 two years ago have been selling readily at $5,000 to $10,000 since last fall. And Wabigoon is better than Rossland. It's the centre of the richest gold mining fields in Canada It's the centre of the finest agricultural district in Canada, and everything within a radius of 75 miles all around is tributary to Wabigoon. Get posted—and your own judgment will convince you that $50 or $100 invested in Wabigoon realty now should win you a profit of one or two thousand dollars within a year.

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TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Items Culled From the Despatches and Boiled Down to Paragraphs to Save Space.

At Muskegon, Mich., navigation is fairly open for the season.

A destructive forest fire is raging at Rocky Point, Long Island. A number of houses and barns have been burned.

Prince Bismarck was 82 years old Thursday, having been born on All Fools' Day, 1815.

The stables of the Dunham House at Cobourg were burned on Friday. Loss $700, insurance $300.

Miss Ella Walker, daughter of Mr. Frank H. Walker, of Hiram Walker & Sons, Walkerville, is to marry early in June Count Manfred Von Matuschka, Baron de Toppolczen and Spatten, of Germany.

John Combs, Treasurer of Ottawa County, Michigan, stowed away $400 of the township's money in an iron pot under his house and the family goat got in and ate up the greenbacks. The goat was killed and dissected, and the money was found in a badly mutilated condition. About $130 was saved, and the bondsmen will have to put up the balance.

Queen Victoria School will re-open on Monday. Park School will not re-open until further notice.

Politics at Halifax.

Halifax, N.S., April 2.—The Liberals of Queen's County to-day nominated two tickets for the Provincial Assembly. The convention proper named Richard Hunt and E. M. Farrell as the party candidates, but a dissenting majority met afterwards and nominated Rev. T. S. Siddall of the Baptist denomination and B. B. McLeod.

Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper was one of the speakers at a Conservative rally in the city to-night.

Another Old Citizen Gone.

By the death of Mr. William Nickols yesterday Toronto loses a very worthy citizen at the advanced age of 87 years. A Devonshire man by birth, he had lived in this city upwards of 57 years. He worked in the building of Zion Congregational Church and St. James' Cathedral. His remains will be interred in the Necropolis on Monday afternoon, at 2.30 o'clock, the funeral taking place from his late residence, 61 Alexander-street.

Dyspepsia or Indigestion is occasioned by the want of action in the biliary ducts, loss of vitality in the stomach to secrete the gastric juices, without which digestion cannot go on; also, being the principal cause of headache, Parmalee's Vegetable Pills, taken before going to bed, for a while, never fail to give relief, and effect a cure. Mr. F. W. Ashdown, Ashdown, Ont. writes: "Parmalee's Pills are taking the lead against ten other makes which I have in stock." ed

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Moresque Axminster Carpets (six patterns only), worth $1.25. Monday . . .90
Extra Special Bargains in Victoria Axminster Stair Carpets, worth $1. Monday .60
Axminster and Brussels Squares—Half price
Axminster Door Mats, fringed all round, worth 60c, will clear at 35

Furniture Department.

Three (3) Solid Quarter-cut Oak Sideboards, shaped British bevel plate glass, 18 x 36, three small drawers (one lined) and one linen drawer; piano polish, nicely carved; solid quarter-cut oak extra table to match; five oak diners, leather spring seats and one arm chair to match, regular $75. Monday . 57.50
Morris Chairs, solid oak, upholstered in corduroy, regular $5.75. Monday 4.45
Bedroom Suites, antique and dark finish, 18 x 36 bevel glass, nicely finished, woven wire spring and mixed mattress to fit, regular $19.75. Monday 15.50
Parlor Table, solid oak, fancy-shaped top, 18 x 18, with shelf, regular $1.75. Monday 1.25
Hall Racks, quarter-cut oak, circular bevel British plate glass, box seat, regular $15.00. Monday . . . 10.75

Tailoring Department.

This department is being carried on as heretofore, the services of R. Walker & Sons' cutter, Mr. Martin, having been retained. We have also transferred the order tailoring from our old premises to the Walker establishment, and are consequently in a position to do even better than ever before for the patrons of both concerns. We certainly carry the largest range of materials to make selections from anywhere in Canada, and every effort will be made to retain the confidence and approval of our customers.

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BACK FROM ROSSLAND.

W. A. Campbell, the Former Assignee, Will Spend a Day or Two Here.

W. A. Campbell, until a year ago a well-known assignee in Toronto, but since then a citizen of Rossland, arrived in the city yesterday and will remain over for three or four days. As Mr. Campbell got into the Trail Creek Camp at an early date, he has become one of its leading men, having just been nominated there as an aldermanic candidate.

Talking to The World last evening, Mr. Campbell said that Rossland is in better shape to-day than at any former time in its history, and it is bound to be a greater centre yet. And its greatness will come, not only from the development of the Trail Creek, but from the mining operations all over British Columbia's 300 miles of mineralized territory.

Mr. Campbell thinks that the successful tests of the silicious ores from the Le Roi will be of great importance to the camp. There are thousands of tons of such ores in the camp, hitherto considered "waste," that may now be treated at a profit.

The Concert Didn't Pay.

The special services in Queen-street Methodist Church would appear to have been, financially speaking, a losing venture. An April Fool's concert was held in the church lecture room. It was gotten up by the Young Men's Bible Class and an admission fee of 10 cents was charged. To the chagrin of the members of the congregation, and the surprise of the strangers who attended, the chairman arose and called for a special collection to help defray the expenses of the aforesaid services. The matter has occasioned no little comment.

Gems in The Sunday World.

Mr. Gladstone on the Cretan Question.
Nansen in Search of the Pole.
Stinson Jarvis on the Priesthood of Art.
Ex-Attache on Odd Duels in History.
Ian Maclaren on The Sovereign of Character.
Beckles Wilson on Sir William Van Horne.
President Kruger at Home.

The Crib Work on Fire.

The firemen from Bolton-avenue were called at 4.45 yesterday morning to the crib work on the Don, near Winchester-street bridge, which was on fire. After a great deal of labor on the part of the men, entirely by hand, with buckets of water, the fire was extinguished.

Elm-Street Methodist Church.

Rev. W. Herald Stacey will close his labors in connection with the evangelistic services in the above church to-morrow, preaching at both services. Mr. Stacey has shown himself to be a clear and forceful preacher and has been very acceptable to the congregations that have heard him. A cordial invitation is given to the readers of The World to be present.

CABINET CRISIS IN AUSTRIA.

The Prime Minister Tenders the Resignation of Himself and Cabinet.

Vienna, April 2.—Count Badeni, Prime Minister of Austria, tendered to the Emperor this morning the resignations of himself and his entire Cabinet. The retiring Ministers are: President and Minister of the Interior, Count Casimir Badeni; Minister of Public Instruction and Ecclesiastical Affairs, Dr Baron D Gautsch Von Frankenthurn; Minister of Finance, Dr L Chevelier de Pilinski; Minister of Agriculture, Count T Ledebur-Withein; Minister of Commerce and National Economy, Baron Hugo Glanz Von Eichs; Minister of National Defence, Field Marshal Count Zeno Von Welsersheimb; Minister of Justice, Count Johann Gleispach; Minister of Railways, Evon Guttenberg; without portfolio, Hiltenev.

The reason for the resignation of the Cabinet was the fact that Count Vadeni found it impossible to maintain a liberal majority in the recently-elected Reichsrath. The Emperor has requested Count Badeni to form a new Ministry.

Hamilton Steamers.

Local Manager Jolly of the Hamilton Steamboat Company opened up his office at Yonge-street Wharf yesterday. The Macassa will begin making her regular trips on Monday, April 12, until further notice, leaving Toronto at 4.30 p.m. and Hamilton 9 a.m.

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Ladies' Fine Dongola Button Boots, new coin toe, patent tip, reg. $2, Monday, special 1.00
Ladies' Chrome Kid Button and Lace Boots, neat round toe, sizes 2½ to 4, sewn soles, reg. $1.50, Monday, special 85c
A lot of Misses' Fine Vici Kid Button and Lace Boots, coin and needle toes, Goodyear welt, sewn soles, sizes 2, 2½, 3 and 3½, reg. $4 and $5, must go Monday at . 1.25
Ladies' Dongola Kid Low Shoes, patent leather tip, new coin toe, turn sole, sold regularly at $1.50, Monday, special 75c
Ladies' Vici Kid Oxford Lace Shoe, Boston tip, pointed toe, flexible sole, all sizes, reg. $2, Monday price 1.00
Ladies' Dongola Kid Two-Button Low Shoes, very stylish, foxed patent tip, coin toe, light sole, sells regularly at $2, Monday, special 1.25
Ladies' Rep Slippers, worth 40c Monday, special 15c
Ladies' Bicycle Leggings, different shades, three-quarter and knee lengths, prices ranging from 50c to 3.00
Ladies' Tan Dongola Low Lace Shoes, pointed toe, new spring style, turn sole, reg. $2, Monday, special 1.00
Men's Tan Calf Goodyear Welt Lace Boots, heavy extension soles, worth $3, Monday 1.99
Men's Hand Nailed Lace Boots, solid leather, all sizes, worth $1.25, Monday 89c
98 Pairs of Bicycle Boots, Elk soles, Goodyear sewn soles, C.W. A special, in black, ox-blood and tan, all sizes, worth $3, Monday . 1.99
Boys' Solid Leather Lace Boots, hand made, sizes 3, 4, 5, reg. $1, Monday 50c
Boys' Split Leather Lace Boots, reg. 75c, Monday, special 39c
Boys' Hand Made Casco Calf, Boots, whole foxed, guaranteed, reg. $1.50, Monday, special 99c
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Infants' Enamel Ankle Strap Slipper, turn sole, sizes 3 to 7, reg. 50c, Monday, special 25c
Child's Oxford Lace Shoe, assorted styles, and sizes from 8 to 10, reg. 75c, Monday, special 49c
Misses' Oil Goat Lace Boots, double sole, self tip, solid and substantial, sizes 11 to 2, reg. $1.25, special Monday 69c
Child's Glove Kid Button Boots, self tip, good wearing, sizes 8 to 10, reg. $1. Monday, special 65c

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COUNTY AND SUBURBAN NEWS.

Interesting Budget of News Gathered Yesterday by World Correspondents Over a Wide District.

Toronto Junction, April 2.—(Special.)—The Imperial Quartet will hold Gospel temperance meetings under the auspices of the W.C.T.U., in Kilburn Hall, on Sunday.

James Barnes of Frankfort, Ky., appeared before Police Magistrate Ellis this morning charged with vagrancy, which included begging, trying to steal a knife from Mr. Jessop, and attempting to kiss Miss Abbott. He pleaded guilty, and attributed his acts to drink. The magistrate imposed a fine of $10 and costs or 30 days. He went to jail.

The remains of Eva Liscum, who was burned to death yesterday, will be conveyed from the family residence, Murray-street, York Township, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The funeral will be very largely attended by the C.P.R. workmen, among whom Mr. Liscum is very popular.

The closing entertainment of the High School Literary Society was held in the auditorium of the High School to-night. It might be termed "An Evening With Longfellow," for most of the glees, recitations and songs were in evidence of this poet. Miss Luttrell gave a capital violin solo, Miss Williamson a reading and Mr. Chrysler, B.A., science master, added greatly to the enjoyment of the evening by a zoological talk on "The Star Fish," which was illustrated by stereopticon figures.

BONDHOLDERS' INTERESTS.

The Town of Toronto Junction may feel very thankful that the bill introduced by Mr. Middleton of Hamilton, entitled "An act to amend the Municipal Act," did not pass through the Private Bills Committee of the Local Legislature this morning. A very insidious request is contained in the following: Sub-section 2 of section 357 of the act is amended by striking out the words, "On the 29th day of March, 1873." To leave out these words would emasculate that section of the Municipal Act which protects municipalities from running into a debt burdensome to the ratepayers, limiting, as it does, the rate of taxation in any one year to 20 mills on the dollar. Bondholders, in taking debentures of a town, take them on the risk that the value of property and future values will be such that on a 20-mill rate of the assessment their interest will be forthcoming. Land values in Toronto Junction have so declined that a 20-mill rate on the assessment gives little or no interest to the debenture-holders; but if the Municipal Act governs, they, with other speculators, must wait until such times as land values rise again, and an assessment at the 20-mill rate gives them their interest. It is, perhaps, a strange coincidence that Mr. Bruce of Hamilton, who was engaged by the bondholders of Toronto Junction, and by the Town Council to prepare the Consolidation Act of 1893, should be the chief speaker this afternoon to try and get this clause altered. The Government stated that they could not amend the act to give excessive powers to bondholders over municipalities that had been unfortunate.

The World thankfully acknowledges the receipt of $2 from "C.J." for the Sparks family.

York County News.

Kleinberg Spring Show will be held on the 13th.

Maple bicyclists meet to-night.

There are 40 applicants for tavern licenses in North York, and one for a shop license.

At Bethel Corners, the Free Methodists raised $76 in aid of China missionaries.

The County Commissioners yesterday inspected the damage done to bridges by the recent flood of the Humber.

Councillor Watson of Vaughan is spending time in identifying timber brought down in the recent floods and thrown up on the Humber banks.

The Markham Junior Lacrosse Club has organized, with R. C. Teft hon. president, George Wilson president, R. A. Mason manager and J. D. Reesor secretary.

The Young Liberal Club of Woodbridge and Vaughan will meet on Wednesday, April 7, to complete organization and elect officers.

Rev. J. W. Stewart of Sunderland has accepted an invitation to Maple circuit to take the place of Rev. A. Bedford, who has accepted a call from Stouffville.

When Joseph Blanchard of Richmond Hill awoke on Tuesday morning he found his 6-month-old baby smothered to death. Mrs. Blanchard had fed him two hours previously.

Miss Driffil of Bradford, who obtained the highest marks ever attained in the County of Simcoe, has been appointed teacher at Schomberg School over 62 applicants.

The vital statistics of the Township of York for the month of March are: Births 27, deaths 10, marriages 0.

York Township Council will meet at Eglinton on Monday. At this meeting it will be decided whether the Township Clerk's office shall remain at Eglinton or be removed to the city, in conjunction with the office of the Treasurer.

At Woodbridge last night, a kindergarten concert was given in the Grange Hall, at which Mr. T. F. Wallace took the chair. The contributers to the program were: Miss Long, Toronto; Miss Bertha Sutherland, Bradford, and J. A. Barker, baritone soloist of Broadway Tabernacle.

Rev. Canon Sweeney, D.D., rural dean of Toronto, took charge of the annual missionary service at St. John's Episcopal Church, Weston, last night.

Mr. Salem Eckardt, county auctioneer, conducted a successful credit sale of farm stock and implements belonging to Breakey Bros., Yonge-street, on Thursday last. The sale amounted to over $4000, and horses fetched $125, cows $52, beef cattle $50.

Mr. Henry Hoover of Almira is doing an extensive business manufacturing maple syrup, having purchased a new evaporator this season.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Summerfeldt of Sutton celebrated their golden wedding Thursday evening last.

Richmond Hill.

Citizens interested in the welfare of the village are seeking to connect with a dentist who will reside in the town and give them the benefit of increased companionship. Promises of good returns are assured to one taking advantage of the opportunity.

According to Assessor Nicholls only six vacant houses exist, and expectations are that these will soon be filled.

A singing class will be inaugurated on Monday evening next at the Temperance Hall by Mr. Stouffer.

Rev. J. W. Stewart of Sunderland has received and accepted a call from the Maple Methodist circuit. Rev. A. Bedford, the present pastor, will take up his station at Stouffville.

North Toronto.

Efforts are being made to locate a branch bank in the town. One city bank has already signified its intention of opening up if satisfactory arrangements can be made.

The entertainment provided by the Avon Lee Club last evening at the Y.M.C.A. Hall was of a high class order and was thoroughly appreciated by a large gathering. The whole affair reflects great credit upon the club, and especially Mr. George Atkinson, who has spared no efforts to bring the concert to a successful finale.

MILK PRODUCERS AT YORK MILLS.

The enthusiasm displayed by the milk producers has in no wise abated, and might be said to have received increased impetus by their recent success. The gathering last evening at York Mills was thoroughly representative and harmoniously enthusiastic. Mr. George Woods presided and gave a resume of what had been accomplished by the central body up to date.

The first business was the appointment of four members to canvas the township to make all interested in the movement members of the association. Messrs. John and W. Perry, T. Levick and Webster were the committee named to perform the work.

Messrs. Lawrence, Webster and Dunnett were appointed delegates to attend the city conference to-day.

The price of milk for the summer season was talked over and the rate of 10c per gallon will be submitted by this branch as a fair price at the meeting to-day.

East of the City Limits.

There will be an interesting meeting of the Young Conservative Club in Carnahan's Hall on Monday night. It is expected that Mr. W. Cornell, president of the Scarboro' Club, and several members of that association will be present. Mr. Harry Jordan, who has distinguished talent as a musician, will give some instrumental selections. Mr. John White has consented to give an exhibition of clubs. Provision has also been made for several boxing bouts. The program will be varied by short speeches.

Mr. Harris has purchased a quantity of new machinery for his glue factory. This will enable him to carry on business on a more extensive scale than heretofore.

The Excelsior Bicycle Club is making arrangements for a concert in the Y.M.C.A. at an early date. A portion of the proceeds will be devoted to the cinder path.

A number of new lots have been marked out and sold on Balmy Beach. It is expected the number of residents this season will be largely increased.

There was a full attendance and great expedition of business at the meeting of the East Toronto Public School Board. The matter of provision for accommodation was discussed. The board decided to secure the opinion of Mr. John Richardson, contractor, as to the advisability of enlarging the present school or building a new one. The principal will be asked to bring down a report setting forth the number of pupils in the senior classes and the number of those who have tried and passed the entrance examination.

Accounts were passed to the amount of $70.

The chairman reported the receipt of $520 from York Township. This is an old outstanding account.

The board issued an order that corporal punishment, when required, must in all cases be administered by the principal, and not by the assistants.

The teachers were directed that in future, in case of illness on the staff, a medical certificate must be given of the same, else the salary will not be paid during the time of absence.

John Dart, sr., Todmorden, while passing the Don Mills Methodist Church, Todmorden, yesterday afternoon, fell from his seat, and the front wheel of his wagon ran over his abdomen, while the rear wheel ran over his right thigh. Dr. Martin is of opinion that the old gentleman will recover.

A smash-up was narrowly averted early yesterday morning on the C.P.R. main line, at the Don-road crossing. A west-bound freight, coming down grade from Wexford, at a lively speed, almost ran into an east-bound freight train, just east of the Don-road crossing, East York. The engineer of the freight going west observed the smoke of the other train as it was coming up the grade just east of the steel viaduct over the west bank of the Don, and whistled, meantime reversing the engine. The trains came to a standstill within 10 feet of each other.

IN THE FIELD OF LABOR.

What Became of the British Columbia Petition in Favor of the Exclusion of the Chinese?

A startling story from far off British Columbia has reached Toronto, and, as a matter of course, the ears of The World, it will be remembered that previous to the Dominion elections of June last a monster petition praying for the exclusion of the Chinese was circulated in British Columbia, receiving the signatures of the great majority of the more prominent citizens of that Province. Some time ago it was sent from Victoria to Vancouver, preliminary to its being sent to Ottawa. At the latter place the paper disappeared as suddenly as if it had been swallowed by an earthquake. No trace of it can be found, and whether justly or not it is charged that a handsome sum was given by the pro-Chinese people to obtain possession of it.

The labor organizations of the city have combined to do honor to their now rewarded co-worker, Mr. Alf Jury. Upon his return from the Northwest and before he departs for England they will present the Immigration Agent with an illuminated address.

The Executive Committee of the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress will wait upon the Federal Government at Ottawa on April 9 to represent on behalf of the Congress the views of labor upon some of the questions of the day. They will touch upon the matter of enacting a retaliatory Alien Labor Law, the restriction of Chinese immigration and other topics of interest. The deputation will include Messrs D A Carey (Toronto, president of the Congress), George W Dower (Toronto, secretary of the Congress), P J Jobin (Quebec, P.Q., the ex-president), John Scott (president of the Quebec City Trades and Labor Council), and others.

On the same date Mr. G. W. Dower, organizer of district 16 of the International Typographical Union, will head a deputation representative of the Canadian "typos" from Halifax to Vancouver. The latter delegation will make suggestions in reference to the Copyright Act and other legislation of interest to their trade.

A RICH TRAMP.

He Had Over $10,000 in Money and Owned a Farm, Yet He Begged as a Profession and Made it Pay.

Rutland, Vt., April 2.—John Fallon, a tramp, died in the Heaton Hospital here Monday. In the pockets of his clothing the officials found a considerable sum of money in bills, and evidence that he had deposited nearly $10,000 in two savings banks in Barre, Vt. He showed a key to his nurse, and said it unlocked a strong box which contained $2000. It has been found that Fallon also owned real estate in this State and a farm in Ireland.

The Toronto Sunday World.

To-night's Toronto Sunday World will overflow with good things, including The Sovereign of Character, by Ian Maclaren; the Priesthood of Art, by Stinson Jarvis, and Odd Duels in History, by Ex-Attache. In fiction, besides the ninth instalment of the thrilling novel, The Heart of a Mystery, which is now nearing its close, will be Bryan Oliver's Fate, by an English writer of renown, and A Mesmeric Mystery, by Robert Halifax. Katherine Leslie will have her usual charming gossip anent the fashions, and the movements of notabilities. Sans Gene will chat on social topics, the Captious One on current events and the latest matters in sporting circles, Ebor will present his customary survey of the churches. An especially interesting feature, besides those already named, will be an illustrated interview with President Kruger in his home at Pretoria. The usual columns will be devoted to cyclists and to lumbermen, while among the miscellaneous articles and papers will be found: How London City Will Be Decorated in Honor of the Diamond Jubilee, Mr. Gladstone on the Cretan Question, Nansen in Search of the Pole, the Bicycle and its Rights, Housemaids on Wheels, A survivor of Balaclava interviewed, the Primate of Greece to the Primate of England; An Interview With Sir William Van Horne, by Beckles Wilson; Foreign News of Note, Out of the Way Stories; Things Theatrical, by Jack Blunt; Lights to Laughter; In Music's Realm, by E.L.D., and In the Realm of Art, by W. A.S. There will be some startling news from a city in Canada, and two special cable letters, besides special reports of every event of the day, all plentifully illustrated.

Coming Soon to Wabigoon?

A miniature map of the central town site sub-division of the Wabigoon Land Agency is shown in the Wabigoon advertisemen: in to-day's World. People are arriving in Wabigoon in such great numbers and so much earlier in the season than expected that carpenters and builders will be taxed to their utmost to meet the demand for new houses and stores. Another hotel at Wabigoon, which will be erected near the site of the Wabigoon Postoffice, will be started within a few days, to be ready for business early in May. Prospectors bound for the nearby Manitou gold fields and for the country to the north, on Lake Seul, are arriving every day, and reports of remarkably rich discoveries are coming in from Thunder Lake, a few miles west of Wabigoon. A branch of one of the leading banks of the Dominion will be established in Wabigoon this month. The resident superintendent of the Wabigoon Land Agency at Wabigoon will meet newcomers in person on the arrival of every train. Maps and printed particulars about Wabigoon can be had free by writing to the Wabigoon Land Agency, 17 Jordan-street, Toronto.

At the Laurier Club

There was an audience of just 16 persons at the Reform Club meeting in Broadway Hall last night, who listened to the reading of an instructive paper on "Law Procedure Reform," by Mr. Thomas Mulvey. At the next meeting of the club Mr. Allen will read a paper on "Municipal Methods in Europe." This paper will deal principally with the municipal government of Glasgow.

Concession to Canadian Roads.

New York, April 2.—The managers of the Joint Traffic Association has given permission to the Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacific to make the same rates on import traffic, all rail, west from Montreal, as are in force by the American roads, subject to 30 days' notice and expiring at the close of navigation on the St. Lawrence. Both roads must make monthly reports to the association of all tonnage carried at these rates.

The managers have allowed free transportation of all unsold and re-shipped horses at the Philadelphia Horse Show next month and they have amended rates on ex-lake flaxseed at and east of Buffalo and Fairport, so as to make the same as the rate at and east of Buffalo, Erie, Fairport. Rates on wheat, carriers to assume no liability for leakage.

Action Against Carnegie Steel Co.

Pittsburg, April 2.—A bill in equity was filed in the office of the clerk of the United States Circuit Court to-day by the Harvey Steel Company against the Carnegie Steel Company, Limited. The Harvey Steel Company has its headquarters at Newark, N.J. The action is brought for alleged infringement of a patent on the manufacture of decrementally hardened armor plate. The Carnegie Steel Company is accused of wrongfully using and selling to the Government of Russia armor plates embodying the product and process described and claimed in the letters patent.

Mr. Grant is Not in It.

New York, April 2.—Police Commissioner Grant to-day sent the following despatch to President McKinley: William McKinley, President of the United States, Washington, D.C.: Although you were pleased to urge me to think over the matter, it is impossible for me to consider the position of Assistant Secretary of War, which you were good enough to offer me. I therefore, decline with thanks the appointment, at the same time regretting that I am not to serve your administration for which I worked earnestly. (Signed) Fred D. Grant.

Theatrical Mechanical Association.

The annual benefit of the Theatrical Mechanical Association will take place in the Grand Opera House on Friday afternoon, April 23, and will eclipse all their former efforts. The lithographer has been at work on the show for the past three weeks, and the committee say it will surprise their friends. All holders of 50c, 75c and $1 tickets will be entitled to one. The list of attractions is very large, and includes all branches of the profession.

Firemen and Marine Engineers.

Mr. A. P. Cockburn, manager and secretary of the Muskoka Navigation Company, has written to Hon. L. H. Davies, Minister of Marine, respecting the disadvantage of firemen on the inland waters in qualifying as engineers. The present regulation amounts to prohibition, for it requires service upon a steamer not less than 30 nominal horse-power, frequently meaning over 300 indicated or actual horse-power, under the modern highly-tested boiler system.

It Was Labor Night.

The speakers at last night's meeting of the North Toronto Liberal Club were Chas March, Robert Glockling and D J O'Donoghue, the well-known labor advocates. The chair was occupied by Mr. Bruce. Mr. March read a paper dealing with "An Emigration System for Canada from a Workingman's Standpoint." Mr. Glockling read a paper on the "Eight-Hour Question," and Mr. O'Donoghue spoke on general labor matters.

Wages Increased at Ironwood.

Ironwood, Mich., April 2.—The Metropolitan Iron and Land Company has announced an increase in the wage scale in its mines in this city of 10 per cent. This increase will affect every miner working in the Norrie and East Norrie mines, about 1,000 men in all, and means an increase of 15 to 20 cents a day. The company has also announced that the forces at the East Norrie and Pabst mines will be increased next week by the addition of 300 men.

A Row on Nelson-Street.

A row occurred in a house on Nelson-street last night and Maggie Pennington got hurt. In connection with the case William Turner and Margaret Walker of 28 Fullen-place were arrested and charged with felonious wounding.

JUBILEE DECORATIONS.

How the Line of Route of Her Majesty's Progress will be Ornamented.

London, April 3.—The project for specially decorating the streets of London in honor of the Diamond Jubilee has assumed a definite shape, and the plans for a general scheme have been approved, both by Royal Academicians and by public authorities. As to details, the first attempt to decorate the line of route will be made at Hyde Park corner. There an effective display will be made around the Duke of Wellington's monument. A like decoration will be carried out in connection with the other trophies of Britain's military and naval heroes. Four large columns, each 20 feet high, are to be erected, surmounted by figures of Victory, and decorated with wreaths of laurel. Along Piccadilly the trees that line the way will be beautified, more especially at night, by means of the tiny electric lamps. At the corner of St. James-street the first triumphal arch is to be erected, representing an Indian durbar. Down St. James-street the conventional masts will give place to huge columns of bamboo, each surmounted by a pennon of one of the Indian and other regiments. In Pall Mall, the eye will rest on an arch typical of the Royal Army and the lines of defence, with the arms of Her Majesty, the Princes, and other members of the royal family standing out boldly from a white background. By the north side of Trafalgar-square there will be a succession of columns, each 30 feet high, and each decorated with figures of Victory and of the British lion. Each column will, further, bear the names of our great admirals, generals, and men of action.

CANADA'S ARCH.

An arch in the Strand will be representative of Canada. At Temple Bar, where the Lord Mayor will render homage to Her Majesty, what may be described as twin canopies, will be erected, the Griffin dividing them. The canopies, which will be draped in fine cloth bearing heraldic designs, will be borne on halberds, clothed with velvet and gold lace and surmounted by the Imperial crown. The masts by the Law Courts will bear the arms and names of famous lawyers, and the masts in Fleet-street will similarly illustrate our world-renowned authors and litterateurs. At Ludgate-circus columns are to be erected to represent the fauna of the British Colonies, one surmounted by a lion, another by an elephant, and so on. At St. Paul's, where short services will take place, a canopy will be erected to stretch right across the flight of steps. In the centre the canopy will be raised in pinnacle fashion, and under this the service will take place. Gold will form the background, and heraldic designs will be marked in red. Surmounting the canopy will be a figure of St. Paul. A canopy of red, with gold decorative effects, will stretch from the doors of the cathedral down to the spot where the services will be celebrated.

ILLUMINATION OF ST. PAUL'S.

The cathedral itself will be allowed to stand out in its grandeur, and will not be decorated in any way, while at night it will be illuminated by means of powerful lights projected from a distance, and constantly changing color. At the south side of St. Paul's, what promises to prove the most ambitious arch of all will be erected. It will consist of two ivory columns erected over the pavements and connected with large blue embroidered velaria. One arch will bear in oils a drawing of an oak of 60 years' growth, enclosing a portrait of the Queen. The tree will bear on one side a figure of Truth, and on the other one of Love, and the tree with its spreading branches will bear golden fruits, 60 in number, each containing a portrait of some notability of the past 60 years. The roots of the tree will be shown as typical of the far-reaching character of the Empire. Cheapside will be flanked with white masts, and the illuminations at night will be red, so as to heighten the effect.

IN THE CITY'S HEART.

The Mansion House will be a conspicuous feature. Its massive columns will be brave with flags and floral designs, and myriads of electric lights will run along the edges, while across the roof will be huge flambeaux. The Bank of England will be similarly decked out. King William-street is to be flanked by pillars decorated with the Royal Arms and the British lion. The decorative effects of London Bridge still remain to be settled, but it is probable that they will illustrate the maritime supremacy of the Empire. The masts along the Borough-road will represent the trade of the district, and will bear designs representative of Ceres, Flora and Pomona. At St. George's-square another Imperial arch is to be erected, and the railway arch in the neighborhood will be treated in the style chosen for that at Ludgate-circus. Along the front of the Houses of Parliament will be shields and masts representative of the Royal family and their alliances, and past the Horse Guards will be shields bering the arms of Britain's great statesmen.

St. George's Society.

St. George's Society met last night, President George Stanway in the chair, and a good attendance. W. C. Eddis and Ed. A. Lawson were elected ordinary members and Charles Tuck, Eddie Bond, G. W. Cutter and J. F. Ellis life members. The resignation of Steward Barlow Cumberland was accepted. James Hewlett was elected to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation.

In asking who was going to preach the annual sermon to the society this year, Rev. Dr. Barrass said that of late he had been attending the noon-day sermons by Bishop Sullivan in the Cathedral and that, although 50 years in the Methodist ministry he had never listened to such a continuation of eloquent discourses as those of the past few days.

The annual sermon will be preached by Provost Welch at St. James' Cathedral on April 25 and on the evening of the 26th the annual dinner will take place.

Letters of condolence will be sent to Mrs. Harbottle, mother of the late Capt. J. K. Harbottle, and to Past President W. T. Boyd, brother of the late Judge Boyd.

St. John's Ward Liberals.

St. John's Ward Liberals discussed the following resolution at their club rooms last night, President Maguire in the chair: "Resolved, that departmental stores are an evil and an injury to the smaller merchant and mechanic and that it would be wise for the Government to enact legislation giving the municipalities power to levy a special tax on any store carrying on three or more callings."

The resolution was moved by T. Vance, seconded by A. E. Hacker, both of whom spoke to it. Messrs. Waghorn, Harris, Purvis and Perry also spoke, and the debate will be continued next Thursday night.

Bad Fire at Teeswater.

Teeswater, Ont., April 2.—Fire broke out in the lower storey of Brink's elevator this evening at 8.30, and the building is badly wrecked with fire and water. The fire is apparently under control, but the smoke is so dense that it is almost impossible to say what the loss will be. There is a large quantity of wheat and oats in store, but the damage cannot be estimated until daylight reveals its extent. The cause is supposed to be a heated journal. The building and contents are owned by Mr. L. A. Brink.

Funeral of Mrs. Morrison.

The remains of Mrs. C. R. Morrison were interred yesterday afternoon in Mount Pleasant Cemetery. The funeral took place from 5 Gwynne-avenue, where Rev. A. B. Chambers conducted services. At the grave the services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Rankin.

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The program for the Plunket Greene concert in Massey Music Hall next Wednesday evening is one of unusual excellence and rare beauty. The first part is composed of some of the most delightful ballads by great composers of the present day, while the second part is devoted to the beautiful and tender old songs of England, Scotland and Ireland. By the special request of her many Scotch friends in Toronto, Mme. Vanderveer Green will sing "Leezie Lindsay" and "Loch Lomond."

— Part I. —

Pianoforte—Two movements from suite, opus 19 ..... Raff
Rudolph Von Scarpa.

Songs—
(a) "Laggin" ..... Tosti
(b) "The Merry Lark" ..... Nevin
(c) "Thou Art Like a Flower" .. Meyer
(d) "Sunshine and Rain" ... Blumenthal
Marie Vanderveer Green.

Series of Songs—
"Une Fievre Brulante" ... Gretry (1785)
From "Richard Coeur de Lion."
arranged by Fuller Maitland.
"Ecoute de Jannette .. Dalayrac (1789)
From "Les Deux Savoyards."
"Litanei" ..... Schubert
"Erlking" ..... Schubert
The Clown's Songs from "Twelfth Night"
(a) "O, Mistress, Mine" .. C. V. Stanford
(b) "Come Away, Death" .. C. V. Stanford
(c) "When That I Was as a Tiny Little Boy."
Mr. Plunket Greene.

— Part II. —

Pianoforte—
Rhapsodie No. 14 ..... Liszt
Rudolph Von Scarpa.

Songs—
(a) "Three Fishers" ..... Hullah
(b) "Leezie Lindsay" ..... Scotch
(c) "Bersee" ..... Rubinstein
(d) "Loch Lomond" ..... Traditional
Marie Vanderveer Green.
— Old Melodies. —

Series of Songs—
"O, Yarmouth is a Pretty Town" .. English
"The Rambling Comber" .....
..... arranged by J. Bridgewood
"The Two Sisters o' Binnorie" ... Scotch
Arranged by P. Somerville.
"The Kerry Cow" ..... Irish
"Heigho, the Morning Dew" .....
..... arranged by A. Needham
"The Donovans" .....
Mr. Plunket Greene.

DIGBY BELL NEXT WEEK.

Digby Bell's engagement at the Grand next week begins on Wednesday night, when he will be seen in Hoyt's great comedy, "A Midnight Bell," which will be repeated on Thursday and Friday evenings. The sale of seats opens on Monday, the prices ranging from 25 cents to $1 for the evening performances, and 25, 50 and 75 cents for the matinee. "The Hoosier Doctor," Augustus Thomas' latest comedy, which will be presented at the Saturday matinee and night performances, is said to be notable for its lights and shades and quick transitions form laughter to tears. One of the prettiest scenes is said to be in the finale of the second act, when the doctor (Digby Bell), who is so poor that he is scarcely able to provide for his own large family, is called hurriedly away to attend the death-bed of a poor widow who has a helpless little girl child, and after administering to her last wants and closing her eyes upon this life forever, the doctor returns to his own family and relates the midst of a discussion of their privations and necessities, carrying in his arms the little orphaned girl, and in answer to the interrogations of his pesky family as to "what he is going to do with her," announces that he has adopted her. The responsive chord of heartfelt sympathy, so markedly spontaneous in families who are most needy, is amply demonstrated by each and every member of the poverty-stricken household vieing with each other to be of assistance to the little stranger, and the curtain descends upon a pretty and affecting scene. The little girl is seated on a hastily improvised high chair at the fruit table with each member of the household trying to administer to her greature wants. The scene is said to be particularly effective and touching.

"THE GEISHA."

The two last performances of "The Geisha" will be given at the Grand this afternoon and evening. It is a charming musical comedy, full of pretty music, and is presented in a most elaborate manner. Those who have not witnessed Augustin Daly's production should do so.

THE BIJOU THEATRE.

If reputation should count for anything, Imogene Comer, the contralto, who appears at the Bijou Theatre next week, should be greeted by crowded houses at every performance. She is spoken of as an exceedingly clever artiste, doing the strongest act ever presented at this theatre. She will be supported by a big company of vaudeville stars.

PHILHARMONIC CONCERT.

The Toronto Philharmonic are going to present an entire new program at their next concert, giving Gade's cantata, the "Erl King's Daughter," written in a light operatic style. It will be most pleasing and a grand change from oratorio work. Another new feature will be the Toronto professional orchestra. Miss Zeigler will sing the soprano role and Mr. Watkin Mills the baritone. Subscribers' lists are now placed at the following stores: Nordheimer, Mason & Risch, Whaley, Royce and Ashdown's, subscribers having first choice, with popular prices in line.

HENSHAW AND TEN BROECK.

The popularity of farce comedy has been heightened greatly in the past few seasons by strong variety attractions that have taken hold upon the public and caused a decline in prosy drama. When Henshaw and Ten Broeck came before the public in farce comedy some seven years ago they gave a bright, breezy, lively performance that proved a success, and in doing so immediately made friends with theatre-goers. This season will be their last as farceurs; they will make the attempt of their lives to duplicate, and excel, if possible, any of their previous efforts as fun-makers, and to accomplish this end have produced a new comedy. It is called "Dodge at the French Ball." With a score of merry-makers, it will amuse the tired business man, the overworked artisan, the weary clerk and the thrifty housewife, and it will succeed in making them forget life's troubles in its whirl of satisfying fun. They will be seen at the Toronto Opera House next Monday night, and all the week. The usual bargain matinees will be given.

AUDITORIUM.

The good audiences at the Auditorium every evening shows that the Kenno and Welsh Vaudevilles are a drawing card. This afternoon and evening will be the last opportunity of seeing this excellent and amusing entertainment. Those desiring good seats should go early, as the house will be crowded.

Orane Bros'. Star Specialty Company opens a week's engagement on Monday, April 5. The first part of the program will be a minstrel entertainment, the second part the regular vaudeville specialties. This is, without doubt, the strongest program given at the Auditorium this season.

CHAMBER MUSIC CONCERT.

The concert on Monday evening, April 5, at Association Hall, under the auspices of the Toronto Chamber Music Association will be a musical treat. The Detroit Philharmonic Club are well known here as artists of the first rank. The vocalist engaged for this concert, Miss Elsie Lincoln of Boston, is an attraction in herself. Of her singing, The American Musician, New York, says: "Miss Lincoln has a peculiarly fresh and vigorous quality of voice, which, coupled with an intelligent conception of the author's meaning, stamps her a genuine artist." Mr. Field, whose ability as a pianist makes him a welcome addition, will play in one of the numbers. The plan is at Nordheimers', and a limited number of tickets at 25 cents will be sold at the door.

GREENWAY FACTION ON TOP.

"Fighting Joe" is No Longer a Name to Conjure With in Winnipeg Politics —Other Winnipeg Items.

Winnipeg, April 2.—(Special.)—Last night's Liberal convention to choose a candidate for Winnipeg served to show that the Local Government faction of the party has obtained complete mastery over that faction of which Joseph Martin was leader. The latter crowd put up W. D. Bole as their candidate, and worked hard for him, but he only got 100 votes, to over 300 cast for ex-Mayor Jameson, who represented the Greenway element. Mr. Jameson was a Conservative who went over to Mr. Greenway at the time of the disallowance agitation. The city organizations have invited Alf Jury of Toronto to address them on his return from the Pacific Coast.

Mrs. Peebles, wife of the veteran Police Magistrate of Winnipeg, broke her leg yesterday, by a fall, and it is said will not recover from the shock.

The Canadian Pacific officers and employes of the Western Division have contributed $1600 to the Indian famine fund.

Toronto's Departmental Stores.

Editor World: In yesterday morning's edition I notice you call attention to the benefit Toronto is deriving from business that is drawn from districts surrounding other large centres of business life, such as Montreal, Ottawa, etc. Now, while fully acknowledging the fact that the departmental concerns in this city are doing a very large volume of business with the consumers of this Province, aye, of this Dominion, I wish to point out this fact as not, in my opinion, being one to jubilate over, but rather to deplore. Surely, anyone who thinks at all upon this matter will realize at once that the destruction of the stores in the country towns cannot be of any lasting benefit to us in Toronto, or anyone else. Think you that the farmer, townsman or villager who orders his goods at our city these departmental stores and sends his cash away from the midst of his own commercial activities and interests, reserving only his credit business for the storekeeper who forms part of the business interest of his home, realizes that every P.O. order he forwards to Toronto is driving a nail into the most sacred and valued interests he possesses? If he did, he would think twice before preaching such an act of commercial suicide, an act which as surely as there is a Providence above will react upon the doer, to his discomfiture.

I ask you, Mr. Editor, whether you or anyone else can honestly say they are satisfied with the condition of business matters in this unfortunate city. Why is it that to-day we have six women and girls employed to one man? Why is it that all our best young men have been forced, first in small companies, and then in hordes, to leave Toronto? Where is the prosperity that you talk about as a result of tremendous attraction of business to Toronto? I tell you candidly, sir, that the principle of undue concentration of business is wrong, decidedly wrong, equally as wrong as if the whole of the newspapers of this city were to combine, throw all their capital into one gigantic concern, and tyrannize over the people at their own sweet pleasure, print and publish whatsoever they pleased, and generally run the country. Sir, I am satisfied that departmental stores are not founded on a rock, and that some time in the near future the people will take the matter into their own hands, and then let the monopolist, aye, and the innocent rich man, beware. There is a limit to human forbearance, as history has repeatedly proved, and the condition of the great majority of mankind in Canada and on the other side of the line is not one to warrant the rich monopolist hugging to himself the idea that all his bounden duty in this world is to squeeze wealth, at whatever cost, out of the poor wretch whose unfortunate fate in the world has made him the under dog.

Citizen.

Bannockburn Stock.

E. L. Sawyer & Co., Ltd., report that sales of Bannockburn stock have been very heavy during the past few days and that the directors now seem inclined to withdraw the stock from the market altogether. The second lot of ore received from the mine is very rich, in fact as rich as that struck on Saturday last, and the vein is widening.

The Crowd Cheered His Death.

Houston, Texas, April 2.—Alex. Terrall, a negro convicted of criminal assault on a white woman named Jackson, committed in December last, was hanged here to-day. The prisoner displayed great nerve and bravely met his fate. When the black flag was displayed from the flagstaff of the jail, signifying that Terrall had been hanged, a large crowd that had gathered outside the jail gave vent to their feelings by several rounds of cheers.

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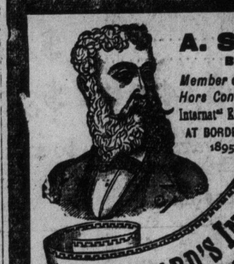
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IMPORTANT TO CYCLISTS

Full Text of Mr. Stratton's Bill Now Before the Legislature—Rights on the Road.

Mr. Stratton's amended Bicycle Bill, as passed by the Municipal Committee yesterday, is of sufficient importance to be given in full. The following laws of the road must henceforth be observed, on pain of penalty:

(a) In case a person traveling or being upon a highway in charge of a vehicle meets a person traveling upon a bicycle or tricycle, he shall, where practicable, allow the person traveling on a bicycle or tricycle sufficient room on the traveled portion of the highway to pass to the right.

(b) In case a person traveling upon a highway on a bicycle or tricycle overtakes any vehicle or horseman traveling at less speed, or a person traveling on a bicycle or tricycle shall give to the other person audible warning of his approach before attempting to pass.

(c) In case a person traveling or being upon a street or highway on a bicycle or tricycle is overtaken by any vehicle or horseman traveling at greater speed, the person so overtaken shall quietly turn out to the right, and allow the said vehicle or horseman to pass, and the person so overtaking the bicycle or tricycle shall turn out to the left so far as may be necessary to avoid a collision.

(d) In case a person traveling upon a bicycle or tricycle in cities of over 100,000 inhabitants in a northerly or westerly direction upon the central strip between the double tracks of a surface railway meets another person on a bicycle or tricycle traveling in an opposite direction, he shall turn out to the right, allowing to the bicycle or tricycle so met traveling south or east the whole of such central strip.

The remaining clauses of the City Bill were also disposed of. The city has now power to trim, but not to remove, trees. The new year's voting clause will be reconsidered on Tuesday next.

Mr. M. H. F. Faucher de St. Maurice, a late member of Parliament and the well-known writer and journalist, died at Quebec yesterday after a lingering illness.

WALL-STREET REVIEW.

Alarm Over the Maintenance of Railway Rates Has Subsided—Wildness Caused by Speculators' Vagaries.

New York, April 1.—The Evening Post's financial article says: London bought small amounts of American securities this morning, and when the local market opened a belated short interest came into the market, as moderately active bidders. There were no signs of further liquidation by real holders; in fact, even the declines in Western Union and Manhattan were occasioned chiefly by new ventures on the short side of the market. Elsewhere than in these two securities the upward tendency was decided, and it developed into a really strong market during the early afternoon. A very noticeable feature of the market was the disappearance of excited conjecture and prediction over the Supreme Court decision. To-day discussion of this problem hardly found listeners; it was relegated to one side as plainly as the question of the New Jersey Central debtor, the sugar tariff. Of course, this means that alarm over the maintenance of railway rates has, for the present, quite subsided. Until noon the general market was quiet and steady; in the early afternoon it made a sharp advance; towards the close it reacted in some quarters rather rapidly, but closed, nevertheless, at a substantial net recovery. The wilder fluctuations of the day were, of course, attributable to the vagaries of the puzzled speculators; all that is worth observing in the market's general tendency. There was little news of consequence; the denial of the anthracite canards was, perhaps, the most important development of the day. The table of last month's Government revenue and expenditure shows receipts on account of customs quite as remarkable as the month's events gave reason to expect. Not only did the rush to take out imported merchandise from bond result in larger payments than the average of the period of depression, but with two exceptions the Government's customs revenue for March, 1897, is the largest of any single month during the last ten years. These two exceptions were October, 1890, when customs receipts rose to $24,984,000, and January, 1891, when they touched $23,077,000; both of these periods following close upon the enactment of the McKinley tariff law. Last month's receipts were $22,833,856. Yesterday's returns from Washington gave $2,372,211 for the delivery; to-day's gave only $838,226. As a matter of fact, the mercantile community is beginning to penetrate the foolish April hoax imposed on them by the Ways and Means Committee.

TEN DOLLARS—TEN DAYS.

New York Central & Hudson River Railroad Spring Excursion to Washington and Side Trip to Virginia Beach, Friday, April 9th, 1897.

On above date the New York Central will run their spring excursion to Washington. Fare for the round trip $10. Tickets from Washington to Virginia Beach, located 18 miles east of Norfolk, Va., six miles from Cape Henry and about thirty miles from Old Point Comfort. It is the most beautiful seaside resort in America. The Princess Anne Hotel, at Virginia Beach, stands less than 300 feet from the shore of the Atlantic Ocean. The view from the front of the hotel reaches to the broad horizon of the ocean, and for miles the level beach of the ever restless surf is seen. A chain of beautiful salt water lakes, upon which rowing, sailing and fishing may be enjoyed, are located near the hotel, amid forest surroundings. Lynn Haven Bay, from which the finest of all oysters are secured, adjoins the hotel property. The beach at low tide is as hard as a boulevard, affording excellent opportunities for either driving or bicycling, throughout the very edge of the surf. Great forests of noble pines fringe the shore for miles in each direction. The rare combination of ocean, lake and forest make Virginia Beach an ideal spot for either recreation or rest. How to get to Virginia Beach from Washington. Leave Washington on one of the Norfolk & Washington Steamboat Company's boats at 7 p. m. Boat stops at Fortress Munroe, Old Point Comfort, 6.20 a. m., leaves Fortress Munroe at 6.30 a. m., arrives at Norfolk at 7 a. m., two hours and twenty minutes from Norfolk. Leaves Norfolk via Norfolk, Virginia, Beach & Southern Railroad at 9.20 a. m., arrive at Princess Anne Hotel, Virginia Beach, at 9.55 a. m. The fare for this side trip from Washington to Virginia Beach and return to Washington, including a day and a quarter's board at the Princess Anne Hotel, only $6. This does not include staterooms or berth on steamboat. Remember the extra session in Congress is now being held in Washington, and no better time could be selected to visit the Capital of the United States than at this time. A tourist agent will accompany the excursion and furnish all information and look after the comforts of the excursionists. For time of train, space in sleepers and all information, call on nearest New York Central ticket agent, or address H. Parry, General Agent, Buffalo. ed

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15 pieces Black Figured Satin Cloths, 44 inches, 20c instead of 40c—just halved, you see. No reason given.

Women's Capes A mere handful of Capes came in late last night. The man who makes them will be dumbfounded when he hears of their selling for $4. But the best possible things we can do are for your sharing, and as we reaped a bargain in getting these capes to sell at four dollars, so shall you.

More Dress Stuffs A half dozen tables filled to overflowing with the new comers of dress stuffs dependably good, that women are looking for. The shot covert twills head the list. A close follower is ombre mohairs. Next, broadcloths, always in demand.

Shepherds' checks and plaids, too — cheaper than you've ever known them. But come and spend a while looking—that's the rightest way.

At 45c a yard—32 pieces Shot Covert Twill, in all the wanted shades, 44 in. wide.

At 25c a yard—30 pieces Fancy Ombre Mohair, 44 in., style and service combined.

At 50c a yard—Shepherd's Plaids and Checks, five styles, in checks, same in plaids, always stylish and fresh looking.

At 85c a yard—French Broadcloths, plain and twilled face, in blues, greys, greens, browns and fawns, 54 in. wide, value for $1 easily.

25c English Dress Stuff 10c 104 pieces in checks, mixtures, figures and stripes—twenty-five shades to pick from; 44 inches in width. While it lasts 10c yard.

Carpets If there's a new house to be carpeted, or a room that would give cheer to the home if the old were changed for the new, John Eaton's stand ready. Yes, more than ever ready with carpets at prices such as you ought to pay, and no more.

Here's a sort of summing up what we're doing for your neighbor, perhaps. Why not you?

Brussels Carpet—

5-Frame English Brussels, latest American designs, with borders to match, 75c yard.
5-Frame English Brussels, Hall and Stair to match, 75c yard.
4-Frame English Brussels, latest designs, with borders to match, 62½c yard.
Good English Brussels Carpet, 54c yard.

Tapestry Carpet—

Best English Tapestry Carpet, elegant school patterns, 50c yard.
9-Wire Tapestry Carpet, suitable for parlors, 45c yard.
Tapestry Carpets, 9 patterns, 34c yard.
Good English Tapestry Carpet, 25c yard.

Tapestry Stair Carpet—

3-4 Stair Tapestry Carpet, new designs, 44c yard.
5-8 Tapestry Stair Carpet, 35c yard.
18-inch Tapestry Stair Carpet, 27c and 33c yard.

Union Carpet—

Extra Heavy Union Carpet, 36 in. wide, 35c yard.
Union Carpets, 36 in. wide, good quality, 25c yard.

Five Unowned Bargains It was tough on the traveller to lose several trunkfuls of goods, because he was wont to settle his bill at a down-town hotel—for the goods would bring four times as much as the price of the board bill. But for reasons that are better unexplained, the traveller was satisfied to pay his debt with the trunkfuls of goods-money. We paid the board bill and the goods are ours—until to-morrow—then yours.

A little corps of salespeople will be mustered to help you in the hurried picking, as there'll be a crowd of comers.

PILLOW SHAMS—
36 x 36 inch size, Stamped Pillow Shams, made of finest linen, finished, English bleached cotton, in a choice of patterns and wardings; the shams are worth to any woman 50c pair; you pay us 15c.

RUGS—
Of Linen, already stamped, lots of pretty patterns, sizes range from 18 x 18 to 32 x 58; these rugs are stamped and ready for being worked, worth 20c to 60c each; you pay us 10c.

D'OYLIES—
Pure Linen Stamped D'Oylies, assorted patterns, ought to fetch 5c to 8c in any store; you pay us 2c.

APRONS—
Stamped Aprons, of fine linen, finished English bleached cottons, 25c would be cheap for them; you pay us 12c each.

SPLASHERS—
24 x 36 Stamped Linen and Cotton Splashers, large variety of patterns, each one has got the word "splash" stamped on it, with circle of flowers and leaves round about, 20c is what they're worth; you pay us 7c.

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50 Pieces Imperial 2-ply Wool Carpets.

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Shirting Flannelettes, Linens, Tablings.

Towelling, Lace Curtains, Curtain nets, Lawn Handkerchiefs, etc.

THURSDAY—AT 2 O'CLOCK.

Boots and Shoes.

Men's Ox-Blood Bals., Spt. Bals, Buff Bals. Ladies' Oxfords, Ladies' Buttons and Bals. Misses' and Children's do. do.

Goods on view on Tuesday.

Sale commences at 10 o'clock Wednesday.

LIBERAL TERMS.

Seven Canucks Sent Back.

Port Huron, April 2.—Since the transfer of Customs Officer Fred Buzzle from the city to the Tunnel Depot office, the aliens coming to this country to work have had a hard time. Buzzle yesterday sent back to Canada seven men who had made contracts to go to work in the States. He is especially busy, now that the marine season is opening up.

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22 KING ST. WEST.

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Under and by virtue of the powers contained in a certain mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction, by C. J. Townsend & Co., at their auction rooms, No. 22 King-street west, in the City of Toronto, on Saturday, April 17, 1897, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, the property known as street number 155 Victoria-street, in the City of Toronto, having a frontage of 20 feet on the east side of Victoria-street, commencing about 250 feet from the northerly limit of Queen-street, with a depth of 80 feet, more or less, to a lane, over which there is a right of way. This is a most eligible site for a shop. The property will be sold free from all encumbrances, but subject to a reserve bid.

Terms—One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid down at the time of sale, two other tenths to be paid within 30 days thereafter, and the balance to be paid in cash, or secured by mortgage payable in three years with interest at the rate of 5% per cent. per annum.

For other terms and conditions of sale apply to

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BRITAIN NOW PREPARING

In Case of a General War on the Continent

TO FIGHT OFF INVADERS.

Military Operations Now in Progress on the West Coast of Ireland.

The War Office in London Making Arrangements for the Billeting of Troops and the Supply of Provisions and Food for Horses—The Bicycle Now Playing a Part—War is Inevitable, Says Athens Correspondent of The Freeman's Journal.

The Irish papers, by the latest mail, publish telegrams from the towns on the west coast reporting the investigations of military agents there with regard to the accommodation of troops in an emergency. A telegram from Ballinasloe (Galway) says the military men in uniform arrived there on bicycles and proceeded one or two each to the different restaurants and lodging houses to find out how many men each would be able to accommodate. Others were enquiring for and inspecting the stabling accommodation for horses. As officers and men were very reticent everyone was surprised at the large amount of food for men and horses which the military seemed to want at such short notice in a town where it is a rare sight to see a company of soldiers or a few dragoons passing through. Many thought that war had broken out. It is understood the enquiries were part of a scheme to ascertain the capacity of the towns and villages to supply provisions and forage for horses in case, for instance, there was an invasion of the west coast. It appears that they are going to make similar enquiries in all the towns and villages in that part of the country at least, for the officers in question enquired about Lawrencetown, a village of only a few houses some five miles from here. The bicycle seems to play a prominent part in this foraging enquiry expedition, for the bicyclists were flying round the town for half an hour conveying information to their officers.

War Inevitable.

An Athens special correspondent of The Freeman's Journal takes the view that war in Macedonia is now inevitable. He says: The Greeks have shrewdly manoeuvred to get as much time as possible, and every day gained, so far, has strengthened their position. Their mobilization has been hurried on without rest or ceasing. At every hour of day and night an almost unbroken throng of Reservists and volunteers has streamed into Athens, amid such scenes of enthusiasm as I never thought to witness. The Reservists are of two very distinct types—tall and broad-shouldered men, grand-looking men, who can do terrible work with the bayonet; and little, bright-eyed men, lithe and agile as cats, who stroll up and down the footboard of a train going at full speed, live on next to nothing a day, and march with a lightness and a swing that I have never seen surpassed by light infantry. Fighting in wild and mountainous regions I would certainly lay odds on 200 of these little fellows against any 500 of any troops I ever saw in Germany or England.

Flocking to Their Colors.

And all these thousands of Reservists are flocking to their colors, not merely as a duty, but as a joy. They long to have a shot at the hated Turk, and will be bitterly disappointed if there is no war. There are several legal exemptions from service, such as being an only son, etc., but it is a point of honor to refuse to take advantage of them. At every station between Patras and Athens they rushed into the compartments pell-mell. When every compartment was crowded to double its number of seats they swarmed like bees on to the outside, so that by the time we got to Athens there were as many of them on the roofs and footboards of the carriage as in the compartments. The behavior of the girls and women, too, was grand. They sobbed, as amid wild cheering and firing of salutes the train moved away with all they loved; but there was a noble pride in their sorrow, and the light of battle seemed to shine through their tears. I saw a brave people who could not only sing of freedom but die for it.

Work of Diplomatists.

The diplomatists of Europe have laid their plans in cold-blooded disregard of two important factors—human nature and national sentiment; and in this unfortunate line of conduct they have been encouraged by the overwhelming majority of the foreign newspaper correspondents in Athens. I impute no bad faith to these gentlemen. Some of them, to my personal knowledge, have not had a free hand, and have actually been admonished from headquarters to say nothing against Turkey; not to write too gravely of the situation, not to exaggerate the intensity of public excitement, and so forth. But the result is the same; the foreign public is only just beginning to understand that the Hellenic uprising is something far beyond the control of the Greek King or Government, even if the King and Government dared to make any attempt at its suppression. It is not the outcrop of spasmodic agitation. It is a formidable growth fostered by years of bitterness. Ever since Greece was declared a sovereign and independent kingdom by the Second Protocol of London, in the year 1830, Turkish misrule in Crete has been an eyesore to her people, and Cretan troubles have been a cruel drain on her resources. Even the Mussulmans of Crete are largely the descendants of lapsed Christians, who embraced Islam for wordly objects; but the Cretan Christians are bound to the Greeks by every possible kinship of race, language and religion.

A Terrible Record.

For the seventh time, within about 30 years, thousands upon thousands of Cretan Christians have flown for dear life and honor to the shores of Greece—and it has been once too often. A leading banker in Athens has assured me that the Greek money subscribed during those 30 years for the relief and protection of the Cretan Christians cannot possibly amount to less than one and three-quarters million sterling: a sufficiently formidable tax upon a poor country. But there is much more than finance in question. The repeated spectacle of the awful sufferings of these refugees, and the tales of horror that they tell, have wrought up the Greeks to a frenzied anger. At this moment there are no less than 16,000 or 17,000 refugees dependent on charity for their daily bread, and I cannot too strongly commend their sad case to all Christian hearts. At the invitation of Mme. Schliemann, one of the foremost among the members of the ladies' committees that are doing such noble work in this direction, I inspected ten of the refuge houses at the Piraeus. When you have seen one you have seen all. Each refuge consists of a large school, barrack or other public building, cleared for the reception of the victims. At the time I saw them their condition was sad enough, and many of the women still wept bitterly as they spoke of their ruined homesteads. Diplomatists are too deeply engaged in their finesse and in their mutual jealousies and intrigues to take stock of such commonplace facts. Humanity is not high statecraft. Among other shameless devices adopted against the Greeks was the deliberate lie, circulated all over Berlin a couple of days ago, that Germans had been ill-used in Athens. The truth is that the self-restraint of the Athenians is wonderful and the courteous dignity of their bearing towards foreigners beyond all praise. In no other capital in Europe that I know of would such calm have been preserved under such maddening provocation.

Italy Will Send a Ship.

Rome, April 2.—The Italian Government has arranged to send the steel cruiser Liguria to New York upon the occasion of the dedication of the Grant mausoleum on April 27 in response to the invitation of President McKinley.

It is understood in Vatican circles that four new Cardinals will be created at the coming papal consistory, of whom three will be French and the other Spanish. The names of the French prelates to be elevated are given as Bishops Coullie of Lyons, Seurrien of Rouen and Laboure of Rennes. The Spanish candidate is Bishop Martin Herrera of Santiago de Compostela.

TRINITY MEDICAL COLLEGE.

List of the Successful Candidates at the Final and the First Year Examinations.

Following are the results of the first year and final examinations for fellowships in connection with Trinity Medical College:

FINAL EXAMINATIONS.

Gold Medal—J S McEachern.
First Silver Medal—F O Scott.
Second Silver Medal—H Maw.
E S Worthington, J A Campbell, M McGregor, R W Large, S Moore, F M Pearson, J A Butler, C J Copp, C N Callender, T H Morgan, R B J Stanbury, F A McCormack, W Hackney, J Shultis, A I Brown, J T Clark, S H Wade, N E Farwell, A G Ludwig, T M Hart, A T Lewis, H O Boyd, W E Graham, R McKenzie, C M Stewart, W L Post, W R Perry, George Cairns, R B Chisholm, W H Field, W M Pert, R T Rutherford, T Bradley, J A Jackson, John B Wilson, A A Ross, J A Deyell, S R Clemmes, J M McDonald, E P Kelly, T A Young, W T Rush, H D Weaver, H Lebarre, H T McKnought, Messrs. Livingston, Membry and Dean starred on one subject.

FIRST YEAR EXAMINATIONS.

Scholarships—F C Trebilcock, F A Addy and J W Fitzgerald, the two last being equal.

Honor Certificates (75 per cent, and over)—F C Trebilcock, F A Addy, J W Fitzgerald, F A McClintock, F W Marlow, C I Taylor, W H Rennie, J W Caldwell, E J Rawlinson, T H Crawford, E S Ryerson, J A Chappell, T A Prust, E O Macdonald, E W Lafontaine and J Grosgian.

First Class (70 per cent.)—H P Ross, J A Newsome, G Jamieson, W A Graham, J W Adams, J McWilliam, F A E Boyd, F A Gilbert, L B Ashton, and H G Barry.

Second Class (60 per cent.)—W J Boynton, R H Carscadden, J McWillie, H Softly, W H Kyle, J J Wilson, R A Perry, S M Palmer, D McFee, A McGolgan, J J Walker, J Moore, W C Brand, C H Couen.

Third Class (50 per cent.)—A W McIntosh, J G Malcolm, T N Davis, T A Wellwood, H H Hutchinson, A R Farwell, J T Elliott, D R Livingstone, J T Wright, E R Langrill, W G Irwin, G Burleigh, R C Thompson, D L Marks, and J A Kennedy.

HE LIVED A DOUBLE LIFE.

Hiram Young's Second Wife Has Him Arrested for Theft of Her Money on Marriage.

Hiram Young, a boarder at 7 Drummond-place, was arrested yesterday morning by Detective Porter. He is accused of stealing $1500 from Mrs. Rebecca Kleehammer. In the Police Court Young pleaded not guilty, through his counsel, Mr. Murdoch, and was remanded until Monday.

Back of the charge of theft is a story. It is claimed that Young is a bigamist, wife number two being the complainant. Young was at one time a farmer near Napanee. He and his family came to Toronto several years ago, residing at 103 Spadina-avenue. Young allowed drink to get the best of him, and he and his wife No. 1 agreed to separate. He went to Lewiston, N. Y., where he met Mrs. Kleehammer, a widow, whom he married. The widow had $1500 in cash. This she transferred along with her affections to Young.

Young never lost his nerve, though he was the possessor of two wives. After getting possession of the coin of No. 2, he came to Toronto, where No. 1 was living still with his grown-up family. He started a grocery and butcher business at Niagara-street and Wellington-avenue. This was neglected, and in a few months the money was gone.

About this time No. 2 learned of the existence of No. 1. She went to Lewiston, consulted her friends, returned to Toronto and commenced proceedings against the man who had deceived her so badly.

Mrs. Kleehammer is at present stopping at 149 Niagara-street. She is about 45 years of age, and a daughter of John Keys of Lewiston, N.Y.

Young's family by his legal wife are all grown-up and doing well.

In Presbyterian Circles.

Rev. L. H. Jordan has returned from New York, and will occupy his own pulpit on Sunday morning.

Rev. Dr. Jackson of Galt preached his farewell sermon on Sunday last, and will enter on his work in Cleveland, O., immediately.

Rev. E. D. Maclaren of Vancouver, who spent the week in this city, returned home yesterday afternoon. Mr. Maclaren was formerly minister in Brampton.

Rev. R. McNair of Carleton Place, a graduate of Knox College, has resigned his charge, and it is reported will go to Britain to take charge of the I.O.F. work there.

Rev. Dr. Parsons and Mrs. Parsons entertained the city Presbyterian ministers and their wives at an afternoon tea, given at their home on Jarvis-street, yesterday afternoon, from 5 to 7 o'clock.

Rev. Prof. Robinson of Knox College will occupy the pulpit in Cooke's Church next Sunday evening, in the absence of Rev. William Patterson, who left this week for Chicago, where he will remain for a month.

British Vessels in Collision.

London, April 2.—A despatch from Buenos Ayres says that the British barques Kirkhill, Capt. Howell, at that port from Boston, and Glenariff, Capt. Owen, reported arrived there January 19, for Santos, have been in collision and both were damaged. The British barque Villalta, which went ashore March 1, 60 miles from Fremantle, while on her way to that port from Tacoma, has been sold together with her cargo for £1450.

Belleville Briefs.

Belleville, April 2.—The number of applications for liquor licenses in this city is the same as last year, although eight fewer licenses will be issued.

Mrs. (Col.) Ponton has returned from a long visit to Florida with her mother, Mrs. Sankey, of Toronto.

Mr. T. S. Clark, accountant of the Bank of Montreal, has been transferred to Kingston. Mr. R. Tannahill of the Sarnia branch will succeed him.

For England.

The Royal Mail steamship Parisian of the Allan Line leaves Portland April 8 and Halifax April 10, followed by the Mongolian, from Portland April 22, and Halifax April 24. The Laurentian will leave Portland Jan. 1, will not call at Halifax and will carry first cabin passengers only. The next Allan Line steamer will be the Numidian, from Montreal, May 8, followed by the Parisian May 15. The steerage fares to England have been reduced.

A Cycling Academy.

Owing to the very many urgent demands made on them, H. A. Lozier & Co. have decided to open their cycling academy earlier than usual this year. It will be in operation this morning, with a full corps of assistants and sufficient Clevelands to meet all demands.

Penalty of Swearing.

It cost Frank Travers $5 and costs for swearing on Adelaide-street yesterday. Magistrate Miller fixed the price.

A GREAT DEMAND FOR BIKES

The Many Factories Cannot Meet the Demand.

BUYERS ARE PAYING CASH

Many More Women's Wheels Are Being Sold This Year Than Last.

Manufacturing Establishments Working Into the Night Hours to Keep Up the Pace—The Classes of Wheels That Toronto People are Buying This Year—What the Cost of the Different Grades is—Interviews With the Retailing Firms

The general public have no idea of the immensity of the bicycle trade in Toronto this season. When The World's bicycle man made a trip to the warehouses of a few of Toronto's bicycle people yesterday he was truly surprised at the statements made by some of the agents, which they averred were quite true, and were willing to show their books to prove. In nearly all of the establishments where the leading wheels are handled the clerks in a laughing way complain of having to work to all hours of the night in order to keep up with the business, and some of the establishments claim that, no matter how long they work, or how many extra hands they employ, their factories cannot turn out enough wheels to fill the demand.

A STEADY DEMAND.

It seems that there is a steady demand for the high-grade wheel. As one dealer states, there are two classes of people, one wants the best at any price, and the other wants the cheapest, and will take chances. The medium-grade wheel is not nearly so much in demand as the first and third grades. Ladies' wheels this year are much more in demand, and it is safe to say that already this season nearly as many ladies' wheels have been sold as during the whole of last season. The ladies seem to prefer the medium and high grades, and it is a noticeable feature that they are making cash purchases to a large extent. The different dealers report that purchasers show an inclination to pay cash and save the discounts, and it is only those who have not the ready money who are buying their wheels on the instalment plan. The really high-grade wheel costs $100. There are other high-grade wheels, of course, anywhere from $80 to $100. The medium-grade wheels still run from $65 to $75, and the cheapest wheels from $50 to $60.

Toronto people are showing a liking for the colored frames, although black enamels are considerably in demand. Most of the wheels offered here have all of the '97 improvements, and if every other city on the continent is doing a bicycle trade in proportion to that now being done in Toronto, it is not hard to say what the future of the bicycle will be.

WHAT THE CYCLE MEN SAY.

This is what some of the bicycle men have to say about it:

The "Welland Vale" Company are very satisfied with this season's business, and state that the medium grade of wheel seems to be the most popular with their patrons. More ladies than gentlemen are buying the Welland Vale, and cash purchases are the order of the day, although there are some wheels being sold on the instalment plan. The trade started up a month earlier than last year, and orders are coming in in a most satisfactory manner.

THEY SELL FOR CASH.

At the show rooms of the "Dayton," Mr. Cross said there was a great demand for the high-grade wheel, but that all grades were "moving quickly." Most of the wheels sell for cash, the purchaser preferring to take the inducements offered for that way of purchasing.

LADIES' WHEELS GOING.

The Hyslop wheel seems to be retaining its popularity, according to the statements made by Mr. W. Hyslop. He reports a large trade in high-grade wheels to cash customers. The increased sale of ladies' wheels is very noticeable, and business is booming to such an extent that it has been necessary to employ four extra clerks.

SUPPLY IS SHORT.

The "Brantford" people have a complaint to the effect that they cannot get enough wheels from the factory to supply their customers. They claim to have the plum of the racing men's trade for this season, and are paying particular attention to that line. There is a great run on cheap-grade wheels, and two-thirds of the purchasers pay spot cash. Orders now are about three weeks ahead, and the firm are working day and night pushing along the Red Bird.

WORKING NIGHT AND DAY.

The Massey-Harris show room receives many visitors. Mr. Glasco said that the men are almost too busy to get meals, and are working night and day. The high-grade wheels are being pushed along, and enough of them cannot be had from the factory. Ladies' wheels are selling rapidly, and all deals are being made for cash.

AN EARLY RUSH.

The R. A. McCready Company are taking orders for all the "Pink Flyers" they can get from the factory, and are doing a large trade in the medium and cheap grades. The rush started several weeks earlier this year than last, and they have no doubt it will continue to increase as the season advances. Ladies' wheels are on the jump, and sales are being made principally for cash, although some instalment plan deals are being made to desirable customers.

INCREASED TRADE.

At the Cleveland's warehouse the same story of increased trade in high-grade wheels is told, and the factory is going night and day to try and keep up with orders. People want to pay cash for their wheels, as a rule. The trade, so far this season, is away ahead of what it was up to this time last year. The Cleveland's Riding School re-opens to-day at the Granite Rink.

THE YELLOW FELLOWS.

At the Stearns' show rooms prospects are reported very bright, as far as sales are concerned, and it is as much as the factory can do to keep up with the demand. The "Model A" is the Stearns' highest grade, and they say there is an immense sale for that wheel this season. One recent sale was at the Fort, where 15 officers purchased a wheel each at $100. The cheaper grades are being steadily sold, people, as a rule, either wanting the highest grade wheel or else the cheapest. Cash sales are the order of the day, though an instalment business is done. In ladies' wheels the trade is more than double that of last year, and is still increasing.

HIGH GRADES IN DEMAND.

McDonald & Wilson, who handle the Columbia and other wheels, stated that there is a decided demand for the highest grades, and a large proportion of the purchasers pay cash. The trade, so far, is more than equal to last year's, and ladies' wheels are in good demand. Over McDonald & Wilson's store is a fine show room, and the old Albert Hall is much patronized as a riding school.

BUYERS TAKE GOOD WHEELS.

The Griffiths' Cycle Corporation are very busy in their new premises on Yonge-street, and stated that purchasers want high-grade wheels, and enquirers the cheaper lines. Their sales of good machines are double those of the cheaper grades, and purchasers as a rule prefer to pay cash and save the discounts. It is the cheaper grade of wheel that sells on the instalment plan. There is a great demand for ladies' wheels, and the staff are working night and day to get away orders.

Such is the story told by mostly all of the bicycle salesmen in Toronto, and they tell that story in good faith. The bicycle is on the boom, and thousands who denounced the silent steed last year will be seen on a bike dodging trolleys, milk carts and banana wagons on Toronto's busy streets this summer. Get in line and have your bike.

YOUNG BUT CLEVER.

Mr. J. G. McDiarmid of Aldborough is the Conservative Candidate for West Elgin.

Dutton, Ont., April 2.—The meeting of the Conservatives of West Elgin, held here to-day for the purpose of selecting a candidate to contest the riding at the next local election, was large and very representative and the greatest enthusiasm prevailed during the addresses of the various nominees of the convention.

A large number of candidates were nominated, but all withdrew excepting Ald. McCully of St. Thomas and J. G. McDiarmid of Aldborough. On a ballot being taken it was found that Mr. McDiarmid was the choice of the convention, and his candidature was made unanimous on motion of Ald. McCully and Mr. Luton of St. Thomas.

Mr. McDiarmid was received with the utmost enthusiasm on rising to accept the nomination, and, in a brief speech, tendered his thanks for the hearty cordiality with which his name had been received.

T. W. Crothers and A. B. Ingram, M.P., addressed the gathering, dealing with the political questions of the day and speaking in highest terms of the candidate chosen and predicting his success.

Finlay G. McDiarmid, the candidate, is a native of the Township of Aldborough and son of Finlay McDiarmid, formerly clerk of the Fourth Division Court. He is a young man, being about 26 years of age, and has already received the sobriquet of the "boy candidate." He is a member of the Municipal Council of Aldborough and is a ready and pleasing speaker.

NOTES FROM KINGSTON.

Rev. George Bell Coming to Toronto to Live—"A" Battery Men Deserted.

Kingston, Ont., April 2.—Reuben Henderson, Picton, in the late United States rebellion, has been awarded a pension of $6 per month and $405 back pay.

Rev. George Bell, D.D., registrar of Queen's University, who retires at the close of this session, will remove to Toronto to reside.

Gunner Boone and Gunner Burgess deserted from A Battery this week and are on their way to the Old Country.

It is expected that the 13th Battalion, Hamilton, will visit Kingston on Queen's Birthday.

On April 17 the Frontenac Liberals will select a candidate for the Provincial Legislature. This is in Leader Haycock's constituency.

In March, 1895, a barn belonging to Harvey Austin, near Gananoque, was burned, and suspicion attached to a laborer who had worked for Austin shortly before. A warrant was issued for his arrest, but he could not be found. Monday he appeared in Gananoque, was arrested, and committed to stand trial.

DINEENS MOVE.

Change Quarters for Awhile and Business Starts in at a Rattling Pace.

As has been announced for some weeks past the firm of W. & D. Dineen have moved from the old corner to 81 Yonge-street, temporarily. The old house where the firm have done successful business for 20 odd years has outlived its usefulness and is to be replaced by a substantial new structure—an ornament to the city. In the meantime this fact cuts no figure with the hat-buying portion of the community. The firm's aim will be to get all the old patrons of the store headed across the street to the new premises. The new store is ample commodious, convenient and well-appointed, Mr. Dineen having gone to considerable expense in fitting it up neatly and attractively. The stocks carried by the firm will continue to be of the highest grade, with price tendency through closer buying and spot cash selling a little downward. Quality for quality the house is bound to give its patrons the best for the least money, while just now the demand for new spring styles in gents' hats is paramount and over 100 cases of the newest English and American styles have already been opened up. The fur show rooms are stocked with choicest lots of rich and costly fur garments, and prices are a great factor in keeping the salespeople in this department busy. The firm always offers special inducement prices before packing-away time. The people are invited to visit the new store to-day or any day.

THE ROYAL GRENS.

First March of the Season—The New Lee-Enfield Rifle.

The Royal Grenadiers opened the spring drill season Friday night with a parade of 464 of all ranks, Lieut.-Col. Mason in command.

The night's work consisted chiefly in practicing the new rifle drill, the battalion having received the Lee-Enfield rifle yesterday. The men were, of course, a little clumsy in handling the strange gun at first, as it is lighter and much shorter than the old one.

There was a route march via Simcoe, King, Yonge and Queen-streets.

The regimental orders contain the following:

The commanding officer has been pleased to make the following promotions and appointments, to take effect from this date: To be color-sergeant, Sergt. J. Weston, F Co., vice Nolan, transferred to supernumerary list; to be sergeants, Lance-Sergt. L. A. Kirkland, A Co., vice Stemman, discharged; Lance-Sergt. B. T. Comber, F Co., vice Weston, promoted. To be lance-sergeants, Corp. W. White, A Co., and Corp. A J Smith, F Co. To be corporals, Lance-Corp. J. Mcuaig, A Co., vice Kirkland, promoted, Lance-Corp. E H Ball, F Co., vice Comber, promoted.

The decision of the Regimental Board, which assembled on March 25 and 29, is published for information:

Passed for the rank of sergeant: Corp F Forgie and Lance-Corp. J McCuaig, A Co.; Lance-Corp. J Forster and Pte R J Surphlis, B C.; Lance-Sergt. H Hill, Corp. J. Bayliss and Lance-Corp. J Menzies, G Co; Sergt. F F McLim, Lance-Corp. Armstrong and Pte. C Howard, H Co.

Passed for the rank of corporal: Lance-Corp W Cuthbert, A o.; Pte. W Graham, B Co.; Lance-Corp. W Cruickshank, C Co.; Pte. G Mortimer, D Co.; Lance-Corp. W Colcock, E Co.; Ptes. J Bennett, F Currie and C Jackson, F Co.; Ptes. A J ook, J Lang and V W Reaston, G Co.; Ptes. R J Kirk, H Co; Lance-Corp. F Playter and Pte. J Cradock, I Co; Pte. R McCleary, K Co.

Provisionally appointed Sergt. F. F. McLim, H Co., having passed the necessary examination, is confirmed in his rank as sergeant, from March 29, 1897.

Lieut.-Co. Mason announced that there would be a divine service parade to St. Philip's Church on Sunday, April 11.

The Horse Show.

Secretary Wade is already in receipt of a number of entries for the Canadian Horse Show, although they do not close until Wednesday, April 14. As there seems to be still some misunderstanding on the point, owing to a typographical error in the prize list, the committee desire to state that an exhibitor can enter and show his horse in as many of the harness, saddle, hunting and special classes as the horse is eligible for. The restriction as regards a horse being exhibited in only one class refers merely to the stallion classes. There is every indication that there will be a splendid array of horses this year, and all the breeders and owners in the Provinces of Quebec and Ontario will be represented. By a special arrangement with the railways this year both horses and exhibitors will be carried at single rates for the return journey, while special rates are being made for the general public on the days of the show.

Philippine Rebels Again Defeated.

Madrid, April 2.—The insurgents in the Philippine Islands have met with another serious defeat at the hands of the Spaniard, according to official advices received to-day. Nearly 200 rebels were killed in the battle.

PREMIER'S MINING POLICY

Forecast Seen in the Grant of $65,700 For Mining.

ROADS AND DEVELOPMENT

A Toronto Company's Bill Passed For a Railway in the North.

'Mid Graceful Tributes $5000 is Granted as a Gratuity to the Widow of the Late Speaker Balfour—Bill for Appointment of Queen's Counsel Passed—Also in Reference to Surveys of Lands—How Marriages Affect Wills in the New Bill Before the House—Several Appropriations Passed.

The Legislature yesterday voted the sum of $5000 as a gratuity to the widow of late Hon. W. D. Balfour. The Attorney-General proposed the grant and Messrs. Whitney and Haycock cordially assented to it.

The business opened with the consideration in Committee of the Whole of Hon. Mr. Gibson's bill respecting land surveyors and the survey of lands. The various sections were carried with slight amendment.

The Attorney-General's bill with reference to the registration of instruments in respect of unpatented lands, and the valuation of mining lands for the purpose of assurance under the Land Titles Act passed in a similar manner.

MARRIAGES AND WILLS.

Considerable criticism was offered by Messrs. Matheson and Meacham to the Attorney-General's bill to amend the Wills Act. The bill provided that every will should be revoked by the testator's marriage, except in two cases: 1. Where the will declared that it was made in contemplation of marriage; 2. Where the wife or husband of the testator elected to take under the will.

CREATING QUEEN'S COUNSEL.

In moving the second reading of his bill respecting the appointment of Queen's Counsel, the Attorney-General recalled that the Court of Appeal had decided that the Provincial Government had power to appoint Queen's Counsel. It was then thought advisable to limit the number of the appointments of that nature which might be made. The bill would permit of the appointment by the Government of only 20 in four years. Mr. Whitney considered it proper to limit the number of Government appointments, but objected to the clause which allowed exceptional appointments to be made by the Court of Appeal. The Attorney-General explained that this was intended to prevent the honor being made a political reward by any Government. Mr. Howland regretted the appointment of a large number of lesser lights of the bar as a political reward, while more capable men were not accorded the privilege. The second reading carrried.

A TORONTO COMPANY.

Attention was then diverted to the private bills and Mr. Farwell's bill, to incorporate the Fort Frances and Pacific Railway Company, was considered. The proposed company is composed of Horace Thorne, James Pearson, William Parsons, Robert Home, Joseph Delamere, Abner Nelson, Edward Anderson, Craig Pew and John Williamson Tait, all of the City of Toronto, and is empowered to construct a railway from Fort Frances to a point on the C. P. R., between Raleigh and Vermillion. The bill passed.

COLONIZATION ROADS.

The House passed in supply, Mr. Stratton in the chair, the estimate of $87,340 for colonization purposes. Even the irreconcilable Col. Matheson allowed that the money was to be expended in most cases where it would do most good.

In moving for an appropriation of $125,275 for Crown lands, the Commissioner remarked upon the urgency of adequate expenditure for fire ranging. The usual amounts were asked for surveys of new lands. The item passed.

MONEY FOR MINING.

On motion the sum of $29,100 will be spent upon mining development, the vote of last year being but $16,030. There will be spent $36,600 on mining roads, distributed as follows: English River and Saw Bill Lake-road, to construct 33 miles as a waggon road, $12,000; Jackfish Bay and Long Lake Mining-road, to grade and extend northward, $600; mining trail from Shuniah Township via Shuniah mines camp to Empress mine at Jackfish with branch to Schreiber, about 2140 miles, $1000; Moss Township Mining Trail, about 40 miles, $600; Rat Portage and Rainy Lake Mining-road, through a swamp about seven miles from Rat Portage, $300; Rossland Mining-road, to change location and open about three miles, $600; Shoal Lake and Bad Vermillion Lake Mining-road, to improve and extend, $500; Turtle Lake Mining-road, to open from Bad Vermillion-road to mines at Turtle Lake, $2000; Wabigoon, Manitou and Rainy Lake Mining roads, to open about 14 miles and construct dam, etc., $8000; and other mining roads, to construct where upon examination they are deemed necessary, $10,000.

All of which looks like a forecast of the Premier's mining policy.

GRACEFUL TRIBUTES.

The principal items of interest in the miscellaneous appropriations were the gratuities proposed to be given to the windows of deceased public servants. When the item "special grant to widow of Hon. W. D. Balfour, late Speaker and Provincial Secretary, $6000," was reached, every voice in the Chamber was hushed and all eyes were directed upon the seats occupied by the Ministers.

Slowly the Attorney General arose, and, with a noticeable tremor in his voice, proceeded to move that the item should pass. He confidently asked the House to sanction the grant. At an ordinary rate of interest it would mean an annuity of $400 to the late Speaker's widow, in whose present circumstances the money would prove a boon. The circumstances surrounding the case made the grant particularly appropriate and he had no doubt that the House would display its usual generosity in such cases and accede to the appropriation.

GENERAL CONCURRENCE.

Mr. Whitney believed there should be less objection if there was objection at all, to this item than to any other. The facts as he had learned them were as the Attorney-General had stated them. It did seem that the circumstances were such as would but very infrequently arise. Public opinion, however, had to be taken into account in such grants, and the House, he, therefore believed, would be justified in going to the extent of a grant of $5000. Any person acquainted with the facts would approve of the grant.

Mr. Haycock also concurred in the grant, although he opposed gratuities as a principle. The argued that $5000 would be a very adequate appropriation, but the circumstances were such that rendered the item above criticism.

To this the members of both sides added a fervent "hear, hear," and the item was changed to $5000 and passed.

THEIR SECOND READING.

These bill were also read a second time:

To amend the act respecting joint stock companies for the construction of piers, wharves, dry docks and harbors.—The Attorney-General.

To amend the act respecting joint stock companies for the erection of exhibition buildings.—The Attorney-General.

To confirm and legalize a bylaw of the corporation of the town of Collingwood.—Mr. Paton.

The following passed the committee stage:

Respecting the town of Thorold.—Mr. German.

To confirm bylaw No. 241 of the village of New Hamburg.—Mr. Moore.

Respecting the village of Kemptville.—Mr. Bush.

Respecting the village of Drayton.—Mr. Tucker.

To amend the act respecting the highway and bridges over the Desjardins Canal.—Mr. Middleton.

To amend the act incorporating the South Essex Electric Railway Company.—Mr. Auld.

Respecting the Fort Erie Ferry Railway Company.—Mr. German.

Respecting the marriage settlement of Robert George Dickson and Mary Catherine Dickson.—Mr. St. John.

To incorporate the Fort Frances and Pacific Railway Company.—Mr. Farwell.

CECIL RHODES' BROTHER

Testified That the Reform Committee Never Intended to Help Jameson—Sir John Willoughby Talked Differently.

London, April 2.—The examination of Col. Francis Rhodes, brother of Cecil Rhodes, was resumed by the Parliamentary South African Committee sitting in Westminster Hall to-day. Col. Rhodes testified that Dr. Jameson had forced the hands of the Reform Committee at Johannesburg, who had never intended to send an armed force to meet Jameson's party of raiders. As a matter of fact there were not enough arms in Johannesburg available for such a purpose.

Major Sir John Willoughby, who was released from Holloway Jail on Wednesday at the expiration of his sentence of 10 months' imprisonment, for participating in Jameson's raid into the Transvaal, was the next witness. Major Willoughby testified that the raid was undertaken in consequence of the receipt of a letter from Johannesburg by which Jameson and his followers (he himself commanding the military department of the expedition) were led to expect that a friendly force from Johannesburg would meet him at Krugersdorp.

Special Excursion to Washington—Reduced Rates.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company announces that on April 9, in connection with the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad, it will run a special excursion from points on the line of the latter railroad, Suspension Bridge to Syracuse, inclusive, to Washington, for the benefit of those taking their annual vacation at that time, and all who may wish to visit the United States Capital in the delightful early spring. Round-trip tickets, good going only on specified trains, on April 9, and good returning on any regular train leaving Washington not later than April 19, will be sold at greatly reduced rates. Special sleeping cars will be run through on night train.

Tickets for side trips from Washington will be sold at the following rates: Virginia Beach and return, via Norfolk & Washington Steamboat Line, including state room berth and one and one-quarter day's board at Princess Anne Hotel, $6. Old Richmond and return (all rail) $4. Old Point Comfort and return (all rail), $6. Mount Vernon and return (via electric railway) 50 cents.

For full information consult small handbills, apply to ticket agents, or address B. P. Fraser, Passenger Agent Buffalo District, 19 Exchange-street, Buffalo, N.Y.

'Canadian Men and Women of the Time.'

Mr. Henry J. Morgan of Ottawa is making headway steadily with his valuable work, "Canadian Men and Women of the Time," and it is expected that in about six weeks it will be ready for the press. Mr. Morgan's long experience as an author and editor of books, an dthe inexhaustible stores of information he possesses relative to our public men of the past, and his wide acquaintance with Canadians now living, constitute the best kind of equipment for producing a satisfactory biographical encyclopaedia.—Canada Bookseller and Stationer.

Wood Preservative.

The attention of our readers is directed to the advertisement of the Finch Wood Preservation Co. in another column. Experts know the value of the preservative, and have watched tests of it for the past 20 years, and know that it is all the proprietors claim for it. It should be used on all timber, no matter for what purpose, used.

More Zeal in the Work.

Under the auspices of the Toronto Methodist S.S. Union a conference of officers of the various schools was held last evening in Dunn-avenue Methodist Church. The object was to stimulate greater interest in the work, and the admirable addresses from experienced teachers were calculated to achieve this end.

The Tribute of Christian Art.

Chancellor Wallace of McMaster University will lecture before the Woman's Art Club at 4 p.m. on Wednesday next, the 7th day of April, at the rooms of the club, 89 Canada Life Building, King-street west. The subject of the lecture will be "The Tribute of Christian Art to Our Lord." It will be noticed that the lecture will be on Wednesday instead of Tuesday, the usual day.

The Saturday Lectures.

At 3 o'clock this afternoon, in Holy Trinity School house, Rev. T. L. Aborn, B.D., B.Sc., will deliver the fourth of a course of lectures on "The Art of Teaching," and at 3.30 Rev. Prof. Cody will continue his lectures on "The Four Gospels," the subject to-day being "The Gospel According to St. Mark." Teachers are requested to bring their own hymn books (A. & M.)

Bowers Killed Himself.

Chicago, April 2.—After an unsuccessful attempt to murder his wife last evening, John W. Bowers turned a revolver upon himself and sent a bullet through his brain, dying instantly.

S. Ackerman, Commercial Traveler, Belleville, writes: "Some years ago I used Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil for inflammatory Rheumatism, and three bottles effected a complete cure. I was the whole of one summer unable to move without crutches, and every movement caused excruciating pains. I am now out on the road and exposed to all kinds of weather, but have never been troubled with rehuematism since. I, however, keep a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Oil on hand, and I always recommend it to others as it did so much for me." ed

Will be Honest for a Year.

George Hepburn was convicted in Police Court of stealing household goods from William Robinson, 4 Turner-avenue. He went to the Central for a year.

A BLOODY CHAPTER CLOSED

Four Desperadoes Hanged at Santa Fe, N. M.

BUTTON GANG WIPED OUT

All the Trouble Arose Because of Political Differences.

The Desperadoes Wanted to Run the Legislature and Took Sanguinary Means to "Remove" Obstacles, One of Which Was Ex-Sheriff Frank Chavez, Who Was Led Into an Ambuscade by a Pretended Friend and Shot to Death—Horrible Story of the Wild West.

Santa Fe, N.M., April 2.—Frank and Antonio Borrego, Laurlano Alarlad and Patricio Valencia, the murderers of ex-Sheriff Frank Chavez, were hanged at 9 o'clock this morning.

A bloody chapter of New Mexico history is closed with the execution of these four murderers. The infamous "Button gang," of which they were the leaders, was organized by T. B. Catron and his associates, to combat the political influence of Frank Chavez, leader of the Democratic natives. In the winter of 1891-92 Catron's right to a seat in the Legislature was contested, and when the Legislature met he called on the members of the Button gang to arm themselves and assemble in the capitol to support him. Catron himself was an oath-bound member of the Button gang, as he subsequently admitted on the witness stand. The gang assembled in response to his request, armed with weapons secretly furnished from the State Penitentiary, whose warden was Catron's tool, and a wholesale killing was averted only by a vote to seat Catron.

Believing they had intimidated the Legislature, and elated by previous victory, the members of the league then and there determined to do their patron the further service of removing Frank Chavez from his political path.

CONSPIRACY TO KILL.

A conspiracy to assassinate Chavez was formed by the "Executive Committee" of the Button gang, consisting of Hippolito Vigil, Frank Gonzalezy, Joriggo, Antonio Borrego, Lauriano Alarlad, Patricio Valencia, Frank Riveria, Juan Gallegos, and a few more who kept in the background.

Juan Gallegos weakened, and after writing a note to Chavez, informing him of the plot, and giving the names of others in the conspiracy, fled from the territory.

On the night of May 29, 1892, Chavez was led into ambush by Atilano Gold, a pretended friend, and shot to death, while on his way home. A reign of terror followed in Santa Fe. Everybody knew that the Button gang murdered Chavez, but the assassins and their backers had control of the machinery of the law; the District Attorney and Sheriff were oath-bound members of the league, and Catron's money and influence were all-powerful. For declaring that he knew who killed Chavez, Juan Pablo Dominguez was shot down by Antonio and Frank Borrego and Chico Alariad. Two days later Frank Borrego gave himself up, pleaded self-defence, produced his brother and Alariad as witnesses, was tried before a jury selected by the Button gang Sheriff, and was acquitted.

When Governor Thornton was appointed, in 1893, he removed Attorney Tweechell and Sheriff Conlin. Early in January, 1894, another of the conspirators confessed, Vigil, Borrego and others went to Riveria, and, with guns at his head, compelled him to go to Catron's office and make affidavit that his confession had been extorted from him under duress.

Sheriff Cunningham and two deputies suddenly appeared on the street with rifles and shooting irons. Frank Borrego was the first wanted man encountered. The sheriff levelled his rifle at him, and Borrego threw up his hands. Hippolito Vigil, Chief of Police, coroner and School Director, resisted, and was killed. Antonio Borrego surrendered. Chico Alariad, Patricio Valencia and Frank Riveria were arrested without resistance.

THE PRELIMINARY TRIAL.

The preliminary examination of the prisoners was held before Judge Seeds, a Republican judge, in February, 1894, and was ful lof startling episodes. Frank Riveria, Louis Gonzales and other minor members of the gang turned State's evidence and confessed to the conspiracy, and Riveria, when confronted by Catron with his affidavit, denying his own confession, told how that affidavit had been forced from him by Catron and the Borregos in Catron's office. Juan Gallegos was brought back from Colorado, and he related in detail the efforts of Vigil and the Borregos to induce him to shoot Chavez. The sensation of the trial came when Gallegos said: Frank Borrego said to me: 'Mr. Catron will give you $700 if you kill Chavez, and will protect and defend you. He is a powerful protector. I killed Sylvestro Gallegos, and nothing has been done to me. Mr. Catron is my patron.' When the case finally came to trial, in April, 1895, the defence attempted to set up an alibi, and the court reeked with the rankest perjury. The four prisoners were found guilty of murder in the first degree and sentenced to be hanged.

Protracted Trial.

Yesterday afternoon the plaintiff's case was closed in the suit of Barrister Rowan against the Street Railway Company for $5000 damages for injuries sustained by being run into by a car on Spadina-avenue, while he was riding a bicycle. A large number of witnesses were examined, the plaintiff's case being closed with the medical evidence of Drs. Milner and Rowan. The defence commenced its case with the examination of Dr. Cameron. The case will likely go to the jury to-day.

Was it Conscience?

A couple of days ago one of the saleswomen in W. A. Murray & Co.'s complained that her gold watch had been stolen from the cloak room. The Detective Department was informed. The officer who was sent to investigate the matter, after making enquiries, announced that if the watch was returned nothing further would be said about, and no questions asked.

Yesterday morning the watch was returned to the owner through the postoffice.

At the Pavilion To-Morrow.

The Rev. A. B. Chambers, pastor of McCaul-street Methodist Church, and the Rev. Jesse Gibson, pastor Dovercourt-road Baptist Church, will be the speakers at the temperance meeting in the Pavilion on Sunday afternoon. Miss Augusta Beverley Robinson will sing during the service "Consider the Lilies." Dr. Thomas Henderson is to preside at the meeting, which is under the auspices of the C.T.L.

Ladies' Good Work.

The Methodist Deaconess' Board met yesterday afternoon in Wesley Building for the transaction of business. The treasurer's and superintendent's reports presented were highly satisfactory. Preparations are being made for the annual meeting to be held the latter part of this month, when distinguished visitors from the States are expected to be present and deliver addresses.

Silver Jubilee.

The silver jubilee of the Parliament-street Baptist Church will be celebrated to-morrow, when Rev. S. A. Dyke and Rev. Dr. Stewart, both of whom preached the opening sermons of the church edifice in 1871, will preach special sermons. The morning sermon by Mr. Dyke will be an historical review of the church's history. Dr. Stewart will preach at 3 o'clock and Prof. Tracy at 7 o'clock.

Don't Heed the Warnings.

Charles Gordon, 262 Carlton-street; Chas. Patterson, 7 Metcalfe-street; James Lowe, 276 Spadina-avenue, and Herbert Newman, 116 Yorkville-avenue, were fined $2 each in Police Court for riding their bikes on sidewalks.

THE OUTLOOK IN ENGLAND

Regarding the Handling of Our Mining Stocks.

AN ASSOCIATION WANTED

Which it is Believed Will Establish Confidence With the Public.

Interview With Mr. W. Hanson Boorne of Vancouver, B. C., Who Has Just Returned From London—The Yukon Mining Craze at a High Pitch on the Pacific Coast—That Proposal to Administer the Yukon Country.

Mr. W. Hanson Boorne of Vancouver, who has just returned from London, Eng., where he has spent the last three months in the interest of Canadian mines and mining, has been interviewed by The World as to the outlook for Canadian mining industries in the British markets. He said that the stock market of England is at present very sensitive, and on account of the Transvaal troubles, and consequent present loss to shareholders and investors, they are looking skeptically upon mining ventures generally. He says, however, that many of the leading brokers and investors are taking a deep interest in British Columbia and Ontario, and familiarizing themselves as far as possible with the transactions made and the work carried on.

There is, Mr. Boorne adds, a movement on foot to establish an association to handle Canadian mining stocks and shares, which promises to be very helpful in the direction of establishing public confidence, and gives promise of being controlled by an exceedingly strong board. The organization is not as yet sufficiently far advanced to enable one to give names and figures.

With reference to property in which Mr. Boorne is specially interested, he said that among other things he had made arrangements for placing on commission a considerable block of the stock of "The Security Gold Mining and Development Company of Ontario, limited," of which he is a director. The principal property, "The Gold Belt" of Lillooet, B.C., secured by this company, promises to be so rich in yield that it is confidently hoped that the demand for further blocks of stock from the English brokers will follow, together with an advance in prices.

When asked as to the fluctuation on the English market, Mr. Boorne said that the tendency is to secure only really good things and then endeavor to maintain the price. The English investors do not purchase so much for speculative purposes as to secure dividends, consequently the companies formed upon a solid basis, economically managed alone can hope to secure a permanent footing in Great Britain. Having once obtained confidence capital will be forthcoming and large blocks of the better Canadian mining stocks will obtain ready and permanent sale.

The feeling in England at present is strongly against the system of enormous over capitalization so fashionable just now, and there is no doubt but that a certain amount of distrust has been occasioned, which will only be entirely removed by some genuine dividend payers coming before the investing public.

OF THE YUKON.

The Country Should Not be Given Over to a Company Like Cecil Rhodes'.

The Yukon mining craze has reached a great pitch on the Pacific coast, and hundreds of men are leaving for the great north country to make their fortunes in placer gold digging. So great is the rush that the ships bound for Juneau are not equal in carrying capacity to the transportation of either the passengers or the freight waiting to go north.

The following letter from a World correspondent now at Kamloops, B.C., is calculated to throw some light on the situation in the Yukon country:

Editor World: I notice in your issue of the 20th inst. a paragraph saying that an English company is asking for a charter to administer the Yukon country on the lines of Cecil Rhodes' company in South Africa. If it is granted I would advise your readers to apply for shares, for it will be a deliberate handing over of a magnificent country to a private corporation to the detriment of the people of Canada. The only obstacle now to its having half a million people is the fact that it is more or less in the hands of a trading and transportation company and that all freight goes through American territory. So much does this latter circumstance militate against Canada that no one in that country can afford to use Canadian goods.

It is perfectly useless for a man with less than $500 in his pocket to try his chances in the Yukon because of the expense of living and the difficulties of getting in and out of the country. For this reason bars that pay only $15 per day per man are passed over as being unprofitable. Freight into the country is 50c per pound, and is carried in American ships, while Juneau, with a population of about two thousand makes about $350,000 every spring from Yukon trade alone. At least $1000 a day or night is spent in dissipation in this town and the stores are as good as anything in Victoria.

Now, sir, a route through American territory, as proposed by the charter-mongers, would help to increase this American trade, for the company would buy, as do the present company, goods from the States, as the facilities through the Custom House and the cheap freights more than compensate for the Canadian duties, and the prices of the interior for want of competition would still keep up. The Government would lose what promises to be a large revenue.

All this can be avoided by opening up a route through our own territory. A light railway from the head of navigation on the Stickeen River to Teslin Lake, 110 miles, would open up the Yukon at its head and place us in direct communication with 2100 miles of navigable Canadian waters, and we should be absolutely independent of the Americans, as the Stickeen River is an open highway (by treaty). Freight would then be reduced to 8 1-2c a pound. The poor prospector with only $100 in his pocket would not be afraid to go up and stake his claims, knowing he could get down again if unsuccessful, or could stay and cultivate potatoes, roots or hay, all of which grow to perfection and for which there is a ready market. The small trader could take in Canadian goods and competition would decrease the cost of living. If the Government built the railway they would take in eight to ten times more revenue than the interest on the capital would amount to, besides increasing the trade and population of the Dominion.

To recapitulate, the disadvantages of handing over the richest gold-producing country known to-day to a private company, are:

(1) The actual loss of revenue from taxes and duties to the Dominion.

(2) The retarding the progress by keeping out the poor prospector by high prices and want of competition.

(3) The loss to the people of a valuable country that only needs a little money spent on communication facilities to support 500,000 people.

(4) Keeping the trade still for American shippers and tracers to the detriment of our own shipping and towns.

The advantages of opening up the country via Stickeen River and Teslin Lake are:

(1) Increase of revenue.

(2) An excellent opportunity for the poor man to make a stake.

(3) Keeping one of the richest parts of the Dominion for the people's benefit.

(4) Being the only possible all-British route, the trade would be in British ships and from British towns.

What has kept British Columbia back in spite of her own resources is that she has been practically owned by a few people and companies, which fact has proved detrimental to her development.

With past experience it would be simply dishonesty or madness to hand over the richest auriferous region of Canada for the benefit of a few English capitalists. Wentworth Sarel.

Kamloops, March 27, 1897.

Jack Bay Townsite.

A Toronto syndicate is now at work laying out a townsite near Jack Fish Bay, on Lake Superior. The situation is on the C.P.R., a mile northwest from the station. The town is projected on the strength of the success attending the operations at the Empress mine, and of the rich strikes made on undeveloped properties in the district.

FOURTEEN VEINS.

A Wabigoon Property That Makes a Very Rich Surface Showing.

According to The Tribune a party of Winnipeg gentlemen, among whom are Hon. Col. McMillan, Hon. Robert Watson, Hon. J. W. Sifton and Mr. W. T. Rutherford, have one of the most remarkable mineral properties, and one that promises to be the richest in Western Ontario. It is situated five and a half miles from Dryden, a station on the main line of the C.P.R. west of Wabigoon, and consists of twenty-four forty acre claims in one parcel. Across this property for a distance of a mile and a half fourteen veins run parallel to each other and about sixty yards apart. The veins cross-cut the rock formation almost at right angles, indicating that they are true fissures. One vein is 160 feet wide on the surface, and another is 30 feet. The company have been quietly prosecuting development work for some time and have a shaft down 60 feet in one vein and are now cross-cutting. The ore at that depth is exceedingly rich, assaying as high as $100 to the ton, independent of free gold samples which run up into the thousands. The ore gradually increased in richness from the surface downwards. On another vein a shaft has been sunk to a depth of thirty feet with equally good results. At the bottom of the sixty feet shaft there is an abundance of free gold. The company will develop every vein, and it is understood that the property is not to be put on the market. There is a fine water fall on the property which will furnish power for running heavy mining machinery.

IN EASTERN ALGOMA.

District Between the "Soo" Branch of the C.P.R. and the Main Line Mineralized.

Talking to The World yesterday a gentleman who has just visited Spanish Station and other points in Eastern Algoma, observed: "Right here, in Algoma within 24 hours of Toronto, there are as good prospects as there are 3000 miles away. The country lying between the "Soo" branch of the C.P.R. and the main line is full of minerals.

The Government cannot open these townships too quickly, and roads are also wanted to develop one of the richest parts of Ontario.

McDonald & Glover are sinking a shaft 50 feet, four miles from Spanish Station. The surface shows $8 per ton. Another mine is being worked about three miles from the same place by Doble & Co.

The Thessalon is a rich mine. I am not in a position to say what the assay is, but it's away up in "G."

Mr. R. J. Whalen of Walford is an old Montana miner. He has struck gold to the tune of $20 a ton.

Smith & Folto sold their gold mine four miles from Spanish Station, last week, for $6000 to outside parties.

This district in Algoma is on the eve of a big boom.

The Wahnapitae Lake mines are doing big work. Machinery has been moving in all winter.

A Good Showing for the Lake of the Woods Gold Fields

A meeting of the shareholders of the Golden Gate Mining and Development Company was held at the head office, 75 Canada Life Building, Toronto, on the 26th day of March last, when Mr. R. H. Ahn, managing director of the company, made the following encouraging report regarding the business of the company in the past and prospects for the future:

Gentlemen,—In submitting the following brief report regarding the business of the Golden Gate Mining & Development Company, Limited, I state facts as they have occurred without any embellishment.

In October, 1896, arrangements were made to obtain a charter under the Joint Stock Companies Letters Patent Act of the Province of Ontario, with a capital of $300,000, asking for all privileges that are usually granted to such companies.

Arrangements were then entered into with the syndicate owning mining location 208 F, which was considered to be a very desirable property, for its transfer to the company, for a block of stock equal to one-half of the company's capitalization. Before, however, the company's incorporation was completed an offer was received for the purchase outright of the location which had been to some extent developed. By the Provisional Board consenting to this offer being accepted they were placed in a position to secure and acquire in fee simple four other very valuable mining locations, known as the Queen and the Sovereign, both situated on Clytie Bay, northeast of the Mikado mine; Spike Point, which is situated a short distance southeast of the Mikado, and Cornucopia mines, also McA. 23, which is immediately south of, and on the same belt as location S. 1-2, 208 F, above mentioned, and recently sold to such good advantage. The latter property, viz., McA 23, contains 202 acres, equal in area to about five ordinary mining locations, and is reported to have several good veins upon it, some of them showing free gold. These several locations are referred to in another report by Mr. Alan Sullivan. His report on the Queen and Sovereign locations shows from the amount of development work that has been done upon them that they are very promising properties. According to the assays there is a very gratifying increase in the value of the quartz; whereas it was only $2 on the surface, it now shows at a depth of only 10 feet, a trifle over $11 in gold. The veins are also increasing in width from about three feet on the surface to seven feet at the bottom of the shaft, just referred to. The surface assays on Spike Point show $14 to $16, while some of the veins on McA 23 show specimens that will run into the thousands. I can, therefore, congratulate the company to-day in having four excellent properties in place of the one disposed of.

After having acquired these several properties the management were still in a position to pay a dividend of 50 per cent. to the subscribers to the syndicate and to the company on the capital invested. The result of this first turn-over of the company will, no doubt, be very gratifying to those shareholders who participate in it, and we contemplate during the coming season making other turn-overs of a similar character, which will, we hope, place us in a position to pay good dividends at regular intervals, and which should raise the stock of our company (considering the small capitalization) in the foremost ranks of Canadian mining and development companies, in demand and value. With the facilities at our command we feel sure that we can more than surpass our past record.

TREASURY STOCK.

After liquidating all liabilities up to date we have still remaining in the treasury 150,000 shares of the capital stock of the company, and I would recommend that a block of this stock should be sold so as to enable the management to proceed as speedily as possible with the further development work on those several locations, as there appears to be an active demand among foreign capitalists at the present time, for developed properties, and with the prospects which we have in view I feel that we can in all reasonableness ask that a premium of 50 per cent. of its face value should be placed upon it. I feel satisfied by this means that the 150,000 shares in the treasury will be more than ample for the requirements of the company's business.

After discussing the report at some considerable length the meeting then proceeded to elect directors for the ensuing year.

The following are the names of the gentlemen who will constitute the Board of Management: Colonel A. H. Macdonald, Q.C., of Guelph, president; R. H. Ahn, Mining Broker, etc., Rat Portage, vice-president; Alan Sullivan, C.E., M.E., Rat Portage; Judge Fitzgerald, Port Arthur; Dr. John S. King, Toronto; H. McMaster, Toronto; Dr. U. M. Stanley, Brantford; R. C. Le Vesconte, Barrister, Toronto; Dr. M. Dunning, Mono Mills; J. W. Cheesewortb, Mining Broker, Toronto was elected secretary-treasurer. Solicitor, Mr. R. C. LeVesconte. Auditors: Dr. A. J. Hunter of Orangeville; Mr. George Clay, Chartered Accountant.

A resolution was passed at the meeting instructing the management to apply to the Minister of Crown Lands for an option on 10,000 acres of mining land upon similar terms and conditions as those obtained on behalf of the South African Development Company. The application to be filed at once.

Arrangements have been made to have the survey and exploration work done on those lands during the coming season.

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Suckling & Co. advertise a large lot of new carpets in jute and hemp, about 53 bale jute, Brussels and Wiltons, printed hemp and stp. hemp; mats, rugs, etc., also 2 cases of new waterproof ladies' and gentlemen's, in the latest styles and shapes, from one of the best-known makers in Britain; these goods were stopped in transit and sent them for immediate sale. There are a number of other specialties—a case of new silk handkerchiefs, white and colored, men's new worsted suits, and a variety of other consignments in dress goods, shirtings, flannelettes, lawn handkerchiefs. Boots and shoes on Thursday at 2 o'clock, some good lines of new goods. The following stocks will be sold en bloc on Wednesday at 2 o'clock: C Lundy, Newmarket, general stores, Main-street, $2915; general stores, Huron-street, $2413; Mackay & Hugeart, men's furnishings, Woodstock, $6300; A. Hewson & Son, drygoods, Cobourg, $1487.

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The Kelley Creek Gold Mining and Milling Company of B.C., Limited.

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Dated this 2nd day of April, 1897.

F. M'PHILLIPS,
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Dated at Toronto, the 31st day of December, A.D. 1896. 6

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Lord Sudleigh Buys a Mine for $60,000—Another Slocan Group Sold to a Rossland Man—Treasury Stock to Come Under the New B. C. Mining Act—This Stock to be Marked—Rossland Markets

Mr. Harry Symons of Toronto, representing an English syndicate, of which Mr. J. H. Rothschild is one of the chief promoters ,recently made an overture to the City Council of Vancouver to erect a smelting and refining plant at that point on condition that free water and exemption from taxation were granted them, and it is now understood that the overture has been accepted.

Under the agreement the work of construction is to be commenced within three months, and the smelter is to be capable of treating at least 500 tons of ore per day, while the refinery is to be equal to treating the output of the smelter. The plant is to cost $600,000.

FAIRVIEW CAMP

Is Coming to the Front—Good Figures Paid for Properties.

Fairview camp in the Kettle River district of Southern British Columbia is rapidly coming to the front. It now has about 40 mines under development, some 200 men being employed on the various properties. As an indication of the wealth of the camp it is said that one mine, the "Joe Dandy," has been sold to Lord Sudleigh for $60,000, a similar figure having been recently paid for the Stemwinder. The Tin Horn is another much talked of group in the camp. Fairview is situated in Osoyoos division of Yale district and is remarkably easy of access. The steamer Aberdeen is taken at Vernon and a run of 60 miles brings one to Penticton, 28 miles from Fairview, the latter part of the journey being made by stage. The district is unlike almost all other portions of the province in that it is not mountainous, the topographical features resembling one huge park of gently rolling hills. The climate is said to be remarkably salubrious, but very little snow falling in winter. The ore of the camp is free milling.

Another Slocan Group Sold.

Negotiations which have been pending for some time past have ended in the sale of the Maxwell group of seven full claims in Cariboo Creek camp (on Snow Creek) by Richard Maxwell, I. Cagan, Sam Ahlgren and William Hayward to Edward C. Finch, of Rossland. It is understood that the four claims of this group, viz: the Black Fox, the Red Fox, the Grey Wolf and the Black Diamond claims, are to pass at once to the ownership of the Silver Queen Mining Company, a corporation recently organized under the laws of British Columbia, with a capital of $1,250,000, and that as soon as this transfer is made the work of developing the property by an extension of the tunnel on the Black Fox lead will be commenced and vigorously prosecuted.

TREASURY STOCK.

Certificates Should be Marked as Such in Red Ink Across Their Face.

Among the suggestions as to the amendment of the mining company laws in British Columbia, is one to the effect that certificates of treasury stock should be plainly distinguished from the promoters' stock by being marked in some way. The Revelstoke Herald proposes that it should be obligatory to have the words "Treasury Stock" printed in red ink across the face of the certificate. There should also be some provision compelling the promoters to allow a certain period to elapse or a certain amount of the treasury stock to be disposed of before they place their own shares on the market. Such provisions would have a considerable effect in establishing confidence, and as a matter of fact, the latter is being voluntarily adopted by the promoters of most of the schemes now being placed before the public.

ROSSLAND MARKETS.

Where Provisions Come From and What Prices are Paid for Them

One of the things that most strongly impress the visitor to Rossland is the reasonably low price of all kinds of goods and the abnormally high figures commanded for rent and real estate. Contractor McCallum is building a small hotel which is already rented for $400 a month. Another wood structure, originally intended for a big hotel, has been transformed into offices and stores. It was leased for two years for $500 a month by a speculator who turned round and sublet it to various tenants for a total rental of $850 a month. A town lot which was offered a year ago for $3000 cannot be bought to-day for less than $9000. A barber shop rents for $75 a month and a broker's office, 15x40, for $125 a month. On the other hand, groceries, clothing, meat and other merchandise are not as dear as might be expected. Keen competition accounts for this. Some goods, such as hay, which now command high figures, are coming down as a result of lower freight rates and competition between merchants. Hay has been selling in Rossland at $22 and $24 per ton. The freight from Calgary to Trail, about 450 miles, is $6 a ton. From Trail to Rossland 12 miles the frieght is $4 a ton, an outrageous figure. R. A. Wallace of High River is shipping irrigated hay to Rossland and is likely to work up a good business, as he can lay it down for $17 or $18, as compared with $24 from the south. Most of the hay used in the camps comes from Washington. It is nearly all timothy, for none but the best will be used. Irrigated Brome grass from Alberta would likely find a ready sale over here once it became known, but at present the dealers fight shy of anything but timothy. In fodder, as in everything else, people here want the best that's going. They make money easily and spend it freely, particularly the miners. There is a big market for Alberta oats. American oats, though imported in large quantities, are inferior, but the reason they have such a run is that American dealers are displaying more enterprise than Canadians. A very large proportion of merchants throughout Kootenay are Americans. There are good openings for Alberta dealers to put in farm produce. The boats coming up daily from Northport stop at little landings every few miles along the river and throw off huge piles of baled hay, quarters of beef, potatoes, oats, groceries, pork and other goods—all from the States. American creamery butter is imported in immense quantities through Spokane. It costs about 28 cents a pound laid down in Nelson, after paying three cents a pound duty. Eggs are 35 cents a dozen in Rossland. There is undoubtedly a good market throughout Kootenay for Alberta produce, but it is worse than useless to send any but the best.

The Industrial.

In our columns to-day appears the advertisement of the Industrial Mining, Development and Investment Company of Toronto (limited). This company is capitalized at $250,000, in 250,000 treasury shares of $1 each. By reference to the advertisement itself, it will be seen that the management of the company is an especially strong one. It will also be noticed that their operations will be carried on in Ontario and British Columbia as a general development company. The company is now in full operation, and stock is now being sold at their head office, No. 90 Yonge-street.

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No. 7—Average sample general surface, gold	0	17	3	17 13
No. 8—Average sample general surface, gold	0	13	1	13 04
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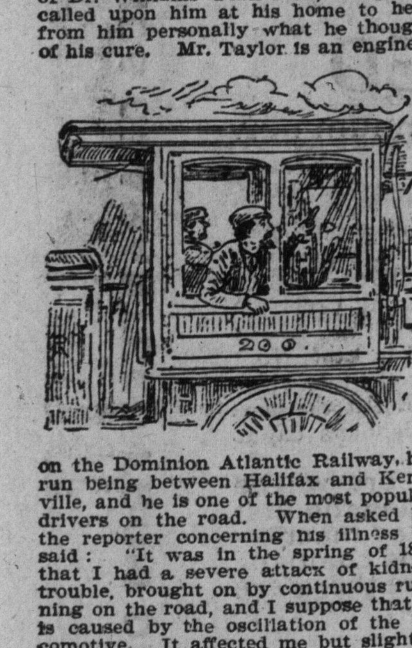
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on the Dominion Atlantic Railway, his run being between Halifax and Kentville, and he is one of the most popular drivers on the road. When asked by the reporter concerning his illness he said: "It was in the spring of 1896 that I had a severe attack of kidney trouble, brought on by continuous running on the road, and I suppose that it is caused by the oscillation of the locomotive. It affected me but slightly at first, but gradually grew worse. I consulted a doctor and then tried two or three varieties of so-called cures. Some helped me for a time, but after stopping the use of them I grew worse than ever. I had noticed numerous testimonials in the paper concerning Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and reading of one cure that was almost identical with my own I decided to give them a trial, and purchased four boxes at a cost of $2. But it was $2 well spent, for I was completely cured by the use of the pills, and have not been troubled with my kidneys since. I can therefore recommend them to others similarly afflicted.

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Canadian, American and British Patents

Below will be found the only complete weekly up-to-date record of patents granted to Canadian inventors in the above countries, which is furnished us by Messrs. Fetherstonhaugh & Co., patent barristers, experts, etc., head office Canadian Bank of Commerce Building, Toronto; branches, Montreal and Ottawa, from whom all information may be readily obtained:

Canadian Patents—J J Philip, ballot boxes; J B E Rousseau, leather measuring machines; T A Frechette, wire nail machines; F R Edouard, nut locks; J Lee, safety controlling devices for valves; J G Legrand, ore crushers; D Blondeau, combined inkstand, with envelope and cigar cutter; W Chipman, wheels; G E Green, machines for removing gravel, etc.; B M Gardner, fly traps; W L Marshall, harrows; A Green, road cart; J Ingells, churn; W A Cowan, stove pipe; J Edouard, weather strips; J Braithwaite, curd-cutting mill; J F Ross, self-sealing can; H Morris, guard rail; S J Carpenter, method of stretching and bevelling saws; J Currie, target; J H Hoover, accountant letter files; F Caron, faucet; E H Wartman, fruit grader; C A Barber, machine for land, water and ice; F S Henning, bicycle support.

British Patents—R S Anderson, velocipedes; M Matthews and A Jardine, velocipedes; J Houghton, road vehicles; W Ames and E W Blackhall, toothed gearing; W Bohrer, tobacco pipes; F H Burket and W J Overend, currycombs; J L Spink and T W Horn, lamps; Imperial Writing Machine Company, typewriters.

American Patents—Lyman Melvin-Jones, W F Johnston and W J Clokey, harvest binder; J N Wigle, fly screen for windows.

Price of Milk.

Editor World: Notice has appeared in your paper of a meeting of the farmers to fix the price of milk. Are they all going to guarantee the same article for this fixed and best price? Or, are they going to grade the price according to the quality, as follows: First-class milk, second-class milk, third-class milk, as indicated by the food feed and the per cent. of fat in it. This practice is in vogue in the city of London, Ont.

Observer.

Presbyterian Hall Needed.

The Westminster has been contending for an Assembly Hall and church offices for the Presbyterian Church. In the April number it says that some more creditable place should be found than the fourth flat of a down-town commercial building. Within the past few years the offices have been moved about so often that the agent is hard to find. The proposal is to erect a hall for the General Assembly in the rear of Knox College, to be used as a college hall as well, and to have offices for the various departments of church work in connection.

CANADA FOR CANADIANS.

Contractors Who Belong to Canada are Sore Over the Action of Certain Politicians.

Montreal, April 2.—(Special.)—Canadian contractors at the present time are about the wildest and maddest set of men in the whole Dominion. For years many of them who have been large taxpayers in this country have spent hundreds and thousands of dollars in the expense of tendering upon Government work, but have never been successful in getting any, as late ministers seem to have preferred American contractors to Canadians, and hence a lot of the large contracts let by the late Government went to American firms, such as Mr. Cleveland, A. Onderdonk of Chicago, Charles Raynor of Syracuse and others. Now this made Canadian contractors, as is only natural, very angry, especially as Canadian contractors are prevented from obtaining United States Government contracts, as the U.S. laws prevent the awarding of any Government work to contractors who are not full-fledged American citizens. Major McLennan, M.P. for Glengarry, who is an old contractor, was waited upon by the contractors and asked to bring in a bill preventing Canadian Government work being awarded to any but Canadian citizens; thereby placing Canadian contractors in Canada simply on the same footing as American contractors in the United States. This was considered nothing but what was right and just. Major McLennan went so far as to give notice of the introduction of a bill, but was eventually turned aside from his purpose by an ex-minister promising, from his place in Parliament, that he would see that the American contractors employed nothing but Canadian labor. The matter then dropped, as far as Parliament was concerned, but a large majority of contractors throughout Canada have remained sore at a certain wing of the late Government ever since, especially as they claimed the statement of this ex-minister did not justify his action in allowing them as Canadian contractors to be robbed of their birthright by Americans. The result was that almost every contractor who had been a Conservative heretofore and a supporter of the late Government either remained neutral or worked for the downfall of the Conservative Government last June, not only on account of their American ideas, but because they also claimed they showed favoritism to one or two large firms on account of the wealth they possessed, rather than acting fair to those who had been staunch supporters of the party; hence the downfall last June of the Government was very popular with the contracting fraternity, and Canadian contractors generally looked upon the advent of the Blair Administration to the Department of Railways and Canals with favor, thinking that Canadian contractors at last would get justice. At present it looks as if they were deceived, as now good Liberal contractors are howling with disgust. According to Ottawa notes in Saturday's Globe, sections 4, 5, 6 and 7 of the Soulanges Canal, one of the largest contracts let since Mr. Blair has taken charge, has been awarded to "Mr. A. Onderdonk of Hamilton." Contractors claim Mr. Onderdonk is not from Hamilton, that he is an American citizen from Chicago, who has made a lot of money out of the Canadian people out of C.P.R. contracts, after which he returned to Chicago and is simply remaining in this country while he has contracts on the Trent Valley Canal and winding up the affairs of his contract on the Hamilton tunnel. Following close on the awarding of this large contract by Mr. Blair to Mr. Onderdonk, an American citizen, is the advertisement for deepening the different sections of the St. Lawrence Canals. The new Minister of Railways and Canals has done something unprecedented in asking for deposits in the shape of accepted cheques, ranging from $75,000 to $150,000, with each tender. This, even Liberal contractors contend, is done for the benefit of the favorite few, who received all the contracts under the late Government and have laid plans to gobble everything in sight from the new Government. With a great deal of truth, the complaining contractors say that it is not right for Mr. Blair to ask for such large cash deposits with the tender, rendering it possible only for one or two firms to bid who have made fabulous fortunes already out of the people. It is done, they claim, with the simple intent to close any contractor with moderate means out. They say it is ridiculous to ask a contractor to put up from $75,000 to $150,000, simply for the privilege of tendering on the work. They say that not only many competent contractors are thus prevented from bidding, but the country is made to suffer by having to pay higher prices for the work, by reason of so few being able to compete; in short they claim it is done with a purpose, and say if Mr. Blair is about to run his department for the benefit of one or two firms, the sooner he makes way for another the better. The contractors say the last has not been heard of this matter. As a rule they are influential men in the communities where they reside, and they say they will make their power felt. Many a practical contractor with a capital of $100,000 can successfully execute a contract, but when you take his $100,000, or whatever may be his capital and lock it up in a cheque as a deposit, you deprive him of the means of carrying out a contract. All Canadian contractors have not made millions out of the people, although there are lots of men, probably with only the amount of capital asked in these deposits, who could successfully and satisfactorily carry out any one of these contracts as well as the people's millionaires, if they were only given a chance. While contractors on the whole are pleased to see certain ex-Ministers in the cold shades of Opposition, where they are getting a taste of what they gave Canadian contractors, they are bound that Mr. A. G. Blair will not be allowed to forget all the Liberal party's ante-election promises as to death to monopolists and combinesters. Here is a chance for Major R. R. McLennan, M.P., Mr. M. K. Cowan, M.P., or Mr. Taylor, M.P., who are all anxious to show how patriotic they are in the defence of Canadian citizens. The man who takes these matters up will have the backing of every contractor (saye one or two), Liberal and Conservative, and they are no weak body of men. It is safe to venture the prediction that under the new system of the Government calling for tenders, whereby such large amounts as $75,000 to $150,000 must be deposited with each tender, not more than three or four tenders for each section will be received, as contractors who are not worth over a million dollars will be unable to deposit the $400,000 required to bid on all the sections; high prices will be the result, the people will be robbed, and the ordinary contractor shut out entirely. The whole thing savors of a job, and if the new Government is going to run things for the benefit of the Onderdonks, Coxes and Jaffrays, and ignore the large body of men scattered over the Dominion with probably less money, but more influence, they will ride rapidly on to the same humiliating defeat meted out by the rank and file to the ousted ministers.

Hanotaux and Mun Honored.

Paris, April 2.—M. Albert Auguste Gabriel Hanotaux, French Minister of Foreign Affairs, and Count Albert de Mun, the celebrated French politician and philosopher, and member of the Chamber of Deputies for the Arrondissement of Morlaiz, in the Department of Finistere, have been elected members of the French Acadmy. M. Hanotaux is elected to fill the vacancy caused by the death of M. Challemel Lacour, formerly President of the French Senate, which occurred Oct. 26, 1896, and Count de Mun, who is the leader of the Roman Catholics in the Chamber of Deputies, takes the seat made vacant by the death of M. Jules Simon on June 8, 1896.

Woman Granted a Reprieve.

Liverpool, April 2.—Catharine Kempshall, aged 32 years, who was convicted here on March 19 of the murder of Edgar Swinton Holland in this city on Oct. 29, 1896, and sentenced to death, has been granted a reprieve on the strength of the jury's recommendation to mercy and a reasonable doubt as to her sanity.

Spain Accepts the Invitation.

New York, April 2.—Spain has accepted the invitation of President McKinley and will send a warship to participate in the dedication of the Grant Mausoleum on April 27. A cable despatch was received in this city last night stating that the cruiser Maria Theresa would represent the Queen Regent, the King and the people of Spain.

A Double Banquet.

The Methodist Social Union will hold a banquet on Tuesday evening, April 6, at 7 o'clock, in the parlors of Elm-street Church, at which Miss Scott of the Methodist Deaconess' Home will give an address.

WHAT WILL THE TAX RATE BE?

Subject of Discussion Around the City Hall—Budget of News in Civic Circles.

Already there is considerable speculation as to the tax rate for this year. The reduction in assessments of nearly $13,000,000 would naturally necessitate the increasing of the rate by about a mill and a half, bringing it up to 18. Some of the economists among the Aldermen declare that they are determined to cut and prime until the same rate as last year is possible, namely, 16 1-2. Judging from his utterances at the last meeting of the Board of Control Ald. Leslie is not one of those red hot economists. He said he would not object to putting another mill on if some necessary public work was started that would give employment to the army of unemployed. The addition of a mill would fall most heavily on men like Alexander Manning and George Gooderham, and he thought they were well able to stand it. The Mayor would not express an opinion on the matter, but he admitted that some hard slashing would have to be done if the rate was to be cut down to that of last year. His Worship explained that, even if the rate were advanced in proportion to the decrease in assessment, it would only affect those whose assessment had not been reduced. It is probable that the rate will be over 17.

THE BUSINESS TAX.

Ald. Spence's agitation in favor of the business tax as a substitute for the present personalty tax has commenced to bear fruit. Provision has been made by the Assessment Department to fix the rental value of all places of business when making the assessment this year so that if the Council decides to adopt the business tax it can be put into operation next year.

ON THE SICK LIST.

Ald. Allen is still confined to his house with a severe cold.

City Clerk Blevins is suffering from a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism and has not been at his desk for two days.

Assessment Commissioner Maughan is again confined to his house, but is reported to be gaining in strength.

BUILDING PERMITS.

A building permit was yesterday granted to George McKibbon, 37 Spadina-road, for the erection of three attached brick dwellings to cost $4000.

A permit was also granted to C. Nicol, 70 Empress-crescent, for the erection of a detached brick dwelling on the northeast corner of Empress-crescent, near Dunn-avenue, to cost $2000.

STILL AFTER THAT $12,000.

In 1886 Mathew Hutchinson asked for $12,000 from the city, claiming to be the owner of lot 5 on Queen-street west, part of the property on which the new Municipal Buildings stand. Ever since that time, or for 11 years, Mr. Hutchinson has been pressing his claim, although the city's legal advisers long ago decided that the corporation didn't owe him a cent. The old gentleman comes down from Oakville every few months and haunts the City Hall. It is said that he is willing to accept George Wilson, the Mayor's secretary, as arbitrator, and it is likely that a settlement will be arrived at before another 11 years have rolled by.

FOR THE BICYCLISTS.

Frank A. Anglin has written to the Mayor asking His Worship to enforce the rules regarding the hours for watering the streets so as not to interfere with the safety of bicyclists. Mr. Anglin asks that the devil strip be left dry.

CITY HALL ITEMS.

The Board of Control will meet on Tuesday next to consider the local improvement system and the question of decorating the new City Hall.

Mr. B. E. Walker has forwarded to the Mayor a statement respecting the Civic Art Guild and the proposed mural decorations for the Council Chamber. Mr. Walker urges the Board of Control to sanction the work.

Major Carlaw and Messrs. Fraser and Hutchinson, representing property owners on Spencer-avenue, had a conference with the City Engineer yesterday about the best class of pavement to lay on that street.

The work of sand filling for the approach to the John-street bridge will be commenced on Monday.

UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE OF

Race Horses AND Thoroughbred Mares

AT MR. HENDRIE'S STABLES, Napier Street, Hamilton.

—ON—

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 7, 1897,

At 11 o'clock a.m. prompt.

STALLIONS—Othmar — Strathclyde, beautiful horses—splendid condiition, fit for immediate service.

BROOD MARES — Locust Blossom, Eliza, La Merdeille, Gwendoline, Favor Me—have foals or in foal to Springfield.

Race Horses in training — Looram, Strathroy.

TERMS CASH.

Horses now on view. For further information apply to

NESBITT, GAULD & DICKSON,
462 Solicitors, Hamilton.

ESTATE NOTICES.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE—Estate of Catherine Mayes, late of the City of Toronto, deceased.

Pursuant to Chapter 110, R.S.O., and amending acts, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the above-named Catharine Mayes must send the same in writing (duly verified) to the undersigned, the administrators of the estate of said deceased, or to their solicitor, giving their names and addresses, and full particulars, and the nature of the security held by them (if any), on or before the 1st day of May, 1897, after which date the said administrators will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, and having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and the said administrators will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person or persons whose claim shall not have been received at the time of such distribution.

THE TORONTO GENERAL TRUSTS CO., Administrators, corner of Yonge and Colborne-streets, Toronto.

By Joseph Heighington, 75 Yonge-street, Toronto, their solicitor herein.

Dated at Toronto, this 3rd day of April, 1897. 666

Some Bright Specks.

From The Kincardine Review.

A man may be tight through stinginess as well as through whiskey.

Another earthquake in Quebec! For heaven's sake, Mery, get a move on!

Protection in exchange for revenue tariff is the "preferential trade" advocated by the Liberal leaders just now.

Miss Frances Willard proposes to boycott the newspapers which printed reports of the big fight. A very good idea. Go for them. For ourselves, we didn't print an account of it at all. We deplore prize-fighting. It is brutal and brutalizing. Besides, the fight took place on our regular day for going to press.

ESTATE NOTICES.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE to Creditors—In the Matter of Elizabeth Northcote, late of the City of Toronto, Widow deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to R.S.O. 1887, cap. 110, that all creditors and other persons having claims against the estate of the said Elizabeth Northcote, deceased, who died on or about the 18th day of February, 1897, are required, on or before the 1st day of May, 1897, to send by post, prepaid, to the undersigned, solicitor for the Executors of the deceased, a statement in writing of their names and addresses, and full particulars of their claims and demands, and the nature of the security, if any, held by them.

And notice is further given that after the said date the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been given.

A. McKECHNIE, Brampton,
Solicitor for John McDougall and W. Alfred Jaffray, Executors.
Dated March 20, 1897. 6666

NOTICE TO CREDITORS of Edward Boake, Deceased.

Pursuant to Sec. 36 of Chapter 110 of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1887, and amending acts, notice is hereby given that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of Edward Boake, late of the city of Toronto, in the County of York, gentleman, who died on or about the 27th day of February, A.D. 1897, are, on or before the 17th day of April, A. D. 1897, to send by post, pre-paid, to the undersigned, Solicitor for the Executors of the will of the said deceased, 51 King-street east, in the city of Toronto, their Christian names and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them; and that after the day last aforesaid, the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to such claims of which notice shall have been given as above required, and the said Executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claim or claims notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

Dated at Toronto, this 17th day of March, A.D. 1897.

6666 W. J. TREMEEAR, Solicitor for said Executors.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—In the matter of White & Co. of the Town of Sault Ste. Marie, in the District of Algoma, merchants.

Notice is hereby given that the said White & Co. have made an assignment to me of their estate and effects in trust for the benefit of their creditors and that such assignment is subject to Cap. 124 of R.S.O., 1887, and Amending Acts.

A meeting of their creditors will be held at the office of Clute, Macdonald, McIntosh & McCrimmon, in the McKinnon building, No. 19 Melinda-street, Toronto, on Tuesday the 23rd day of March, 1897, at the hour of 3 o'clock in the afternoon, to appoint inspectors to give directions for the disposal of the estate and otherwise.

All claims of creditors verified by affidavit must be filed with me on or before the first day of May, 1897, after which I shall proceed to distribute the assets of the estate, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall have been then received by me.

Dated at Toronto March 18th, 1897.

JOHN G. HAY.
No. 19 Melinda-street, Toronto.
6666 Assignee.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO Creditors re Estate Alfred Francis Bourgeau, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Chap. 110, R.S.O., that all persons having claims against the estate of Alfred Francis Bourgeau, late of the City of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec, who died on or about the 20th day of July, 1895, are required to deliver their claims and full particulars of such claims to the undersigned administrator, at their office, corner of King and Jordan-streets, Toronto, before the 5th day of April, 1897, and that after the said 5th day of April, 1897, the administrator will distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they have had notice.

THE TRUSTS CORPORATION OF ONTARIO, Administrator.
A. E. PLUMMER, Manager.
By FRED. G. ANDERSON, their Solicitor herein.
Dated at Toronto, the 20th day of March, 1897. 1636

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS—In the matter of John Henry Goulding (generally known as Henry Goulding), late of the City of Toronto, Ontario, Canada, Merchant, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given in pursuance of section 36, chapter 110 of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1887, that all creditors and other persons having claims against the estate of John Henry Goulding, late of the city of Toronto, in the County of York and Province of Ontario, merchant, deceased, who died on or about the 8th day of October, A.D., 1896, are hereby required to send by post prepaid or to deliver to Charles Marriott, 55 Bay-street, in the city of Toronto, aforesaid, the executor of the last will and testament of said John Henry Goulding, deceased, on or before the 5th day of May next, a statement of their names, addresses and descriptions, and the full particulars and proof of their claims and demands upon the said estate and of the securities (if any) held by them, and that after the said 5th day of May next the said executor will proceed to administer the estate and distribute the assets of the said John Henry Goulding amongst the parties entitled there to, having regard only to the claims of which the said executor shall then have notice, and the said executor will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims he shall not have notice at the time of such distribution.

CHARLES MARRIOTT,
55 Bay-street, Toronto, Executor.
60606 JOHN AKERS,
No. 1 Wellington-street east, Toronto, Solicitor for the said Executor.
Dated March 13, A.D. 1897.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PURSUANT to R.S.O., 1887, chapter 110, and amending acts, that all persons having claims against the estate of George Greig, late of the City of Toronto, in the County of York, Esq., who died on or about the 15th day of December, 1896, at the City of Toronto, are, on or before the 30th day of April, 1897, required to send by post, prepaid, to Edward Greig, care of Land Security Company, 34 Victoria-street, Toronto, one of the executors of the last will and testament of the said deceased, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, and a statement of their respective claims, and the particulars and proofs thereof, and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them; and notice is hereby further given that after the said 30th day of April, 1897, the undersigned, the executors of said last will and testament, will proceed to distribute the estate of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to those claims of which they then shall have had notice, and the said executors will not be liable to the said estate, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claim or claims they shall not then have had notice. Lucy Greig, Edward Greig and Robert E. Lord, executors of estate of George Greig. By Edgar & Malone, their solicitors. Dated this 23rd day of March, 1897. a3,17,24.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—In the matter of the Estate of Jane Porter, late of the City of Toronto in the County of York, spinster deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Chapter 110, R.S.O. and amending Acts, that all persons having claims against the estate of Jane Porter, late of the City of Toronto, in the County of York, spinster, deceased, who died on or about the 16th day of July, 1896, are required on or before the 10th day of April, 1897, to send by post prepaid, or to deliver to Messrs. Gordon & Sampson, 157 Bay-street, in the City of Toronto, solicitors for Alexander Sampson, the executor of the last will and testament of the said deceased, their names, addresses and occupations, with full particulars of their claims or demands, statements of account and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them.

And notice is hereby further given that after the said 10th day of April, 1897, the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall have been given, as aforesaid; and the said executor will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received at the time of such distribution.

GORDON & SAMPSON,
Solicitors for Alexander Sampson, Executor.
Dated at Toronto this 25th day of February, 1897. 6

AUCTION SALES.

The WM. DICKSON CO. OF TORONTO (Limited).

EXECUTORS' SALE of Real Estate in the City of Toronto.

There will be offered for sale by public auction, by the William Dickson Company, autioneers, at their auction rooms, No. 73 King-street east, in the City of Toronto, on Saturday, the 24th day of April, 1897, at 12 o'clock noon, the following parcels of house property and vacant lots in the City of Toronto:

Parcel 1. Part of lot 78, on the east side of Macdonell-avenue, Plan 452, commencing 171 feet 8 inches south of Marion-street, and extending southerly 22 feet, with a depth of 137 feet 6 inches. Upon this property is said to be erected a detached solid brick, stone fronted dwelling house, known as No. 47 Macdonell-avenue, containing seven rooms, and having modern improvements.

Parcel 2. Part of lot 78, east side of Macdonell-avenue, Plan 452, commencing 152 feet 4 inches south of Marion-street, and extending southerly 19 feet 4 inches, with a depth of 137 feet 6 inches. Upon this property is said to be erected a detached solid brick, stone fronted dwelling house, known as No. 49 Macdonell-avenue, containing nine rooms, and having modern improvements.

Parcel 3. Lot 54, east side Macdonell-avenue, 50x137 feet 6 inches.

Parcel 4. Lot 55, east side of Macdonell-avenue, 50x137 feet 6 inches.

Parcel 5. Lot 56, east side of Macdonell-avenue, 50x137 feet 6 inches. Upon this lot is said to be erected a detached, rough-cast dwelling house, know as No. 169 Macdonell-avenue, and having six rooms, brick cellar, etc.

Parcel 6. Easterly 16 feet of lot 4, north side of Garden-avenue, Plan 649, having a depth of 130 feet. Upon these premises is said to be erected a semi-detached brick-fronted dwelling house, known as No. 22 Garden-avenue, modern improvements, Pease furnace, hot and cold water, etc.

Parcel 7. Westerly 16 feet of easterly 32 feet of lot 4, north side of Garden-avenue, Plan 649. Upon these premises is said to be erected a semi-detached, brick-fronted dwelling house, known as No. 24 Garden-avenue, Modern improvements, Pease furnace, hot and cold water, etc.

Parcel 8. Southerly 16 feet 8 inches of lot 7, west side of Stafford-street, according to plan of Dennis & Gossage. Upon said premises is said to be erected a semi detached, brick-fronted and partly brick-cased dwelling house, known as No. 82 Stafford-street, seven rooms, bath, hot and cold water, etc. This property will be sold subject to a mortgage for $1100, bearing interest at 6 per cent., and having about two years to run.

Parcel 9. The northerly 16 feet 7½ inches of lot 7, west side of Stafford-street, according to plan of Dennis & Gossage. Upon said premises is said to be erected a brick-fronted dwelling house, known as No. 84 Stafford-street; seven rooms, bath, hot and cold water, etc. This property will be sold subject to a mortgage for $1200, bearing interest at 6 per cent., and having about two years to run.

Parcel 10. Twenty-five feet on Sorauren-avenue, being northerly 19 feet of lot 8 and southerly 6 feet of lot 9, on the east side of Sorauren-avenue. Plan 567.

Terms: Each parcel will be sold separately. Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid at the time of sale, and balance within 30 days thereafter. Each parcel will be sold subject to a reserve bid. Further terms and conditions will be made known at the time of sale, and may be obtained in the meantime on application to

HOLMES & GREGORY,
Canada Life Building, Toronto,
Vendors' Solicitors.
Toronto, April 2, 1897. 6065

The WM. DICKSON CO. OF TORONTO (Limited).

MORTGAGE SALE of That Valuable Freehold Property Known as Long Branch Summer Resort.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction, on Saturday, April 24, 1897, at 12 o'clock noon, at the auction rooms of the William Dickson Company of Toronto (Ltd.), 73 King-street east, Toronto, the following property, namely:

That part of lot number nine, in the broken concession of the Township of Etobicoke, as described in registered instrument number 5518, containing ten acres, more or less, beautifully wooded, and having a frontage on Lake Ontario of about seven hundred feet, all of which front is graded and sodded, sloping towards the lake, and is well protected by stone filled cribbing. The wharf extends out into the lake about six hundred feet, and is substantially built on stone cribs. This attractive summer resort, being about eight miles from Toronto, is easily reached by rail, boat and electric cars. A cinder path connecting it with the city makes it a convenient and pleasant run for cyclists. It is surrounded by about two hundred building lots, enclosed within a five foot special reserve and fences, and upon which are already built about fifty beautifully designed summer cottage homes. The residents are contributing to the resort property for electric light, water, steam boat and other services, while still one hundred residential lots are available for building and future extension. On the premises is erected a modern, elegantly-designed and well-built hotel, with slate roof, containing twenty-three bedrooms, large dining room, office and kitchen, and all conveniences. It has a frontage of about one hundred feet, by a depth of about seventy feet. The hotel furniture and all other chattels used in connection therewith can be had at a valuation. The same is complete in every particular, and in every way suitable to the convenience and comfort of the large number of guests who, from year to year, patronize this very popular summer resort. The dancing pavilion, carousal, boat house, photo gallery, etc., furnish all that could be desired for picnic parties. There are engines for electric light, dynamo, lamps and wire; steam force pipes for water supply, with complete park system of iron water mains, engine and machinery for the carousal; in short, every requisite for a well-managed summer resort.

Terms: Ten per cent. at the time of sale; thirty per cent. within thirty days thereafter, and the balance, sixty per cent., to be secured by a first mortgage on the premises for three years, to bear interest at 6 per cent. per annum, payable half yearly. The purchaser to have the option of paying cash.

A complete list of the chattels, particulars of engines, etc., and all other particulars and conditions of sale may be had on application to Messrs.

MACLAREN, MACDONALD, MERRITT & SHEPLEY,
28 and 30 Toronto-street, Toronto,
Vendor's Solicitors.
Dated at Toronto this 2nd day of April, 1897. 6

The WM. DICKSON CO. OF TORONTO (Limited).

AUCTION SALE of Valuable Freehold Property in the City of Toronto.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale in a certain mortgage from Michael Ryan to the Vendors, which will be produced at time of sale, and on default being made in payment of the moneys thereby secured, there will be offered for sale by public auction, by the William Dickson Company (Ltd.), Auctioneers, at their Auction Rooms, 73 King-street east, in the City of Toronto, on Saturday, the 10th day of April, 1897, at 12 o'clock noon, the following property, namely: Part of lot number 207 on the north side of College-street, in the City of Toronto, according to registered plan No. 93 and further described by metes and bounds in the said mortgage, which is registered as No. 5363K. The said lands have a frontage on the north side of College-street of 50 feet, by a depth on the east side of Bathurst-street of 100 feet. On the premises are said to be erected two solid brick stores, with dwellings over, known as numbers 438 and 440 College-street in said city.

Terms: Ten per cent. at time of sale, and for the balance terms will be liberal, and will be made known at time of sale.

For further particulars apply to

THE TRUSTS CORPORATION OF ONTARIO

Or to

MOSS, BARWICK & FRANKS,
Vendors' Solicitors,
Toronto.
Dated 19th day of March, 1897. 6666

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AUCTION SALES.

C. J. TOWNSEND & CO. 22 KING ST. WEST.

JUDICIAL SALE OF PROPERTY on Teraulay-Street, Toronto.

Pursuant to the judgment in the action of Tove vs. Chambers, and with the approbation of the Master in Ordinary, there will be offered for sale by public auction, by Messrs. C. J. Townsend & Co., at their rooms, 22 King-street west, Toronto, on Saturday, the 24th day of April, 1897, at 12 o'clock noon, the following lands and premises, in two parcels:

Parcel number 1.—The northerly 17 feet, more or less, by a depth of 160 feet of lot number 16, on the west side of Teraulay-street, according to plan number 45, registered in the Registry Office for the city of Toronto, upon which is erected a frame house known as street number 110 Teraulay-street.

Parcel number 2.—The adjoining 16 feet 2 inches, more or less, immediately to the south of parcel one, having thereon a frame house known as number 108 Teraulay-street, Toronto.

The property will be offered for sale subject to a reserve bid upon each parcel, to be fixed by the said Master, and subject also to the present tenancies. The Vendors will only produce such title deeds and documents, or evidences of title as are in their possession, and will not be required to furnish any abstract. If the purchaser shall make any objections or requisitions which the Vendors shall be unable or unwilling to remove or comply with, the Vendors may, within seven days after service of the said objections or requisitions by notice in writing to the purchaser or his Solicitor, at any time annul the contract and return the purchaser the amount of his purchase money, without interest, or costs, or compensation.

Ten per cent. of the purchase money is to be paid to the Vendors or their Solicitors at the time of sale, and the balance is to be paid within 30 days after date of sale, without interest, into Court, to the credit of this action.

The other conditions of sale are the standing conditions of sale.

For further particulars apply to GALLAGHER & BULL, Canada Life Building, 46 King-street west, Solicitors for Vendors, or to JOHN HOSKIN, Esq., Q.C., Official Guardian, Freehold Loan Building, or to Messrs. NEVILLE & HANSFORD, 20 King-street west; or to Messrs. DICKSON & JOHNSTON, 12 Adelaide-street east, Toronto.

NEIL McLEAN,
Chief Clerk, Master in Ordinary.
Dated this 27th day of March, 1897 6663

C. J. TOWNSEND & CO. 22 KING ST. WEST.

AUCTION SALE of City Property

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in two certain indentures of mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction, by Messrs. C. J. Townsend & Co., Auctioneers, at their Auction Rooms, No. 22 King-street west, Toronto, on Saturday, the 17th day of April, 1897, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, the following lands and premises:

All and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the city of Toronto, in the County of York, and Province of Ontario, being composed of parts of lots numbers four and five, in section "M," otherwise lots four and five, south of King-street and north of Stewart-street, in the Military Reserve, in the said city of Toronto, which parts may be more particularly described as follows, that is to say: Commencing in the southern limit of King-street at a point distant easterly from the northwest angle of said lot number five 120 feet, more or less, being the northwest angle of that part of said lot number four deeded by Herman Henry Cook and Lydia Cook to John Larkin Cook by deed, dated the 6th day of June, 1873, registered in the Registry Office for the city of Toronto as No. 9171 B; thence southerly along the west limit of said land deeded to John Larkin Cook 110 feet; thence westerly parallel with the southerly limit of King-street 120 feet, more or less, to the westerly limit of lot number five; thence northerly along the said westerly limit of said lot number five 110 feet to the southerly limit of King-street; thence easterly along the said southerly limit of King-street 120 feet, to the place of beginning.

The following improvements are said to be erected on said premises: A detached brick dwelling, two storeys, attic and cellar and a brick stable, said premises being known as Nos. 643 to 647 King-street west.

Terms of Sale—Ten per cent. at time of sale, and the balance within 30 days thereafter, without interest; or if the purchaser so desire, 10 per cent. at the time of sale, and the balance according to terms and conditions then to be made known.

For further particulars apply to

EDGAR & MALONE,
59 Yonge-street,
6066 Solicitors for the Vendors.
Dated at Toronto, this 17th day of March, 1897.

C. J. TOWNSEND & CO 22 KING ST. WEST.

SALE OF RESIDENTIAL PROperty on Bathurst-street.

The undersigned will sell at 22 King-street west, on Saturday, April 3, at 12 o'clock noon, the brick-fronted semi-detached house, No. 338 Bathurst-street, containing seven rooms, bath room and conservatory, with side entrance and shed in rear, the lot having a frontage of 21 feet and a depth of 135 to a lane.

The house is in good repair and has been rented to the present tenant for five or six years at a rental of $13 per month.

The property will be sold at a bargain subject to a reserve bid.

Further particulars on application to

C. J. TOWNSEND & CO.,
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HIGHLY ATTRACTIVE UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE OF COSTLY HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

Highly-finished (prize) upright pianoforte, by Shoemacher, cost $1000; silk brocatelle drawing room suite, finest quality of Wilton and Brussels carpet throughout house, oak dining-room set, elegant dinner service, marble clock (cost $60), handsome gasaliers, oak and cherry bedroom sets, curtains and draperies, valuable water colors, china and glassware, refrigerator, "Home Comfort" range (cost $70), "Dangler" gas range, with a host of other valuable effects. THIS AFTERNOON at 2.30, at the residence, 96 Evelyn-crescent, Toronto Junction. The property of S. R. Graham, Esq., manager Molsons Bank.

Take Queen and Dundas cars to residence.

CHARLES M. HENDERSON & CO.,
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DIVIDENDS.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

The Dominion Bank.

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of Three Per Cent. upon the Capital Stock of this Institution has this day been declared for the current quarter, and that the same will be payable at the Banking House, in this city, on and after

Saturday, the 1st Day of May Next

The Transfer Books will be closed from the 20th to the 30th of April next, both days inclusive.

The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders for the election of Directors for the ensuing year will be held at the Banking House in this city on

Wednesday, the 26th of May Next,

at the hour of 12 o'clock noon.

By order of the Board. 246

R. D. GAMBLE,
General Manager.
Toronto, 30th March, 1897.

ROOFING.

Does your roof leak; do you want a new roof? Do you want your roof repaired? Call or telephone W. T. Stewart & Co., 60 Adelaide-street west, corner Bay. Tel. 698.

Nearly 800 journeymen carpenters of Mount Vernon and New Rochelle, N.Y., went out on strike yesterday because the boss builders would not accede to their demand for an 8-hour day.

AUCTION SALES.

C. J. TOWNSEND & CO. 22 KING ST. WEST.

TRUSTEES' SALE

OF

Valuable Freehold Property in the City of Toronto.

The undersigned trustees of the estate of the late Thomas Best will offer for sale by public auction at the auction rooms of C. J. Townsend & Co., 22 King-street west, in the City of Toronto, on Saturday, the 3rd day of April, 1897, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, the following property in separate parcels:

Parcel 1. Being composed of part of town lot No. 1 on the north side of Adelaide-street, west of old Toronto-street, Town of York (Toronto), described as follows: Commencing at a point on the northern limit of Adelaide-street where it is intersected by the eastern limit of a lane 12 feet wide, said point being distant 110 feet measured easterly along said limit of street from the eastern limit of Yonge-street; thence north seventy-four degrees east along said limit of Adelaide-street 50 feet to the eastern limit of premises, No. 8 Adelaide-street; thence north 16 degrees west 165 feet and 9 inches to a fence line forming the southern limit of Yonge-street Arcade; thence south 74 degrees west along last limit 50 feet to eastern limit of said lane; thence south 16 degrees east along last limit 166 feet more or less to point of commencement.

On this property are erected two brick buildings known as Nos 6 and 8 Adelaide-street east, No. 6 is leased to Messrs. Aikenhead & Crombie, No. 8 is leased to Edwin James Evans.

Parcel 2. Being composed of part of old Toronto-street and part of town lot No. 1 on the north side of Adelaide-street, west of old Toronto-street, Town of York (Toronto), commencing at a point on the west side of Victoria-street, where it is intersected by the southern face of wall of house No. 68, said point being distant 124 feet and 3 inches measured northerly along said limit of street from the northern limit of Adelaide-street; thence north 16 degrees west along said side of Victoria-street 41 feet and 1 inch to southern face of southern wall of Yonge-street Arcade; thence south 74 degrees west along last-mentioned face and fence line in rear 105 feet and 10 inches; thence south 16 degrees east parallel to Victoria-street 24 feet and 3 inches to the limit forming the rear limit of premises No. 10 Adelaide-street; thence north 74 degrees east along last limit 50 feet to northern limit of said premises and Nos. 12 and 14 to western limit of premises No. 68 Victoria-street; thence south 16 degrees east along last limit 17 feet and 1 inch to the northern limit of the Freehold Loan Company property. Then north 74 degrees east along last limit 55 feet and 10 inches more or less to the point of commencement.

On this property are erected two brick stores or offices, known as Nos. 68, 70 and 72 Victoria-street, the majority of offices are rented to various tenants.

Parcel 3. Commencing at a point on the west side of Francis-street and northerly from the north limit of King-street 128 feet 3 inches; then south 74 degrees west following the northerly limit of land owned by the late John S. Baldwin 56 feet more or less, to the church land; thence north 16 degrees west along the said church land 50 feet; then north 74 degrees east parallel to the northerly limit of the said land of John S. Baldwin 56 feet more or less to Francis-street; thence south 16 degrees east following the west limit of said Francis-street 50 feet to the place of beginning. On this property are erected three brick stores and dwellings, known as Nos. 8, 10, 10½ and 12 Francis-street; all occupied by tenants.

Parcel 4. Being composed of part of lots lettered "D" and "E" on the east side of Murray-street, according to registered plan No. 49, commencing at a point on the easterly limit of Murray-street distant 59 feet 6 inches measured southerly along said eastern limit of Murray-street from its intersection with southern boundary of Orde-street; thence still southerly along the eastern limit of Murray-street 35 feet 8 inches, more or less, to land devised by the said Thomas Best to trustees for Dorothy Ann Fortier; thence easterly parallel to Orde-street 130 feet; thence northerly parallel to Murray-street 35 feet 8 inches; thence westerly parallel to Orde-street 130 feet to place of beginning.

On this property is a detached two-story brick building known as No. 59 Murray-street, occupied by a tenant.

Terms of sale—Ten per cent. of the purchase money at the time of sale, and the balance within thirty days thereafter without interest.

For further particulars of the various parcels of property, together with the terms of the leases and conditions of sale, apply to

THE TORONTO GENERAL TRUSTS CO. 59 Yonge-St., Toronto. Trustees of Estate of Thomas Best, deceased, or to

EDGAR & MALONE, 59 Yonge-St., Solicitors for said Trustees.

Dated at Toronto, this 13th day of March, 1897. 4666

C. J. TOWNSEND & CO. 22 KING ST. WEST.

MORTGAGE SALE of Valuable Mining Locations.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction, at the Auction Rooms of Messrs. C. J. Townsend & Co., No. 22 King-street west, Toronto, on Saturday, the 10th day of April, 1897, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, the undivided one-half interest in the following valuable mining locations, being:

First—Mining Location W 7, situate in Township number 58, in the District of Nipissing, as shown on a plan of survey made by James F. Whitson, Provincial Land Surveyor, dated the 19th day of July, A. D. 1889, of record in the department of Crown Lands, containing by admeasurement 80 acres, be the same more or less;

Second—Milling Location W R 2, situate west of Lake Wahnapitae, in the said District of Nipissing, as shown on a plan of survey made by L. V. Rorke, Provincial Land Surveyor, dated the 5th day of July, A. D. 1890, of record in the Department of Crown Lands (containing 89 acres);

Third—Mining Locations W R 8 (containing 74 acres); W R 9 (containing 114 acres); W R 10 (containing 82 acres); and W R 11 (containing 36 acres), situate on Lake Ella, west of Lake Wahnapitae, in the said District of Nipissing, as shown on a plan of survey made by L. V. Rorke, Provincial Land Surveyor, dated the 18th day of December, 1890, of record in the Department of Crown Lands;

Fourth—Mining Location W R 1, situate on the west side of Lake Wahnapitae, in the said District of Nipissing, as shown on a plan of survey made by L. V. Rorke, dated the 5th day of July, A. D. 1890, of record in the Department of Crown Lands.

The property will be sold subject to a reserve bid.

Terms—Ten per cent. of purchase money will be required to be paid at the time of sale, and the balance within 15 days thereafter.

The said properties are said to be valuable for mining purposes, and rich in mineral deposits.

Further particulars and conditions of sale will be made known at the time of sale, or may be obtained from Messrs. DENTON & DODS, 19½ Adelaide-street east, Toronto, Solicitors for the Vendor. 66

C. J. TOWNSEND & CO. 22 KING ST. WEST.

MORTGAGE SALE of Freehold Property, Known as Street Nos. 87 and 89, on the East side of Avenue-road, St. Paul's Ward, in the City of Toronto.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in Registered Mortgage No. 15752, N.W., for Northwest Toronto, which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction at the Auction Room of C. J. Townsend & Co., 22 King-street west, Toronto, on Saturday, the 3rd day of April, 1897, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, all and singular, the northwest part of Lot No. 2, registered plan 289 (Yorkville), having a frontage on the said east limit of Avenue-road and width throughout of 90 feet, more or less, by a depth of 268 feet, more or less, according to the existing fences.

Upon the said land is erected a pair of semi-detached brick dwellings with rough-cast extensions, having 10 rooms with conveniences and concrete cellar Street Nos. 87 and 89 Avenue-road. The property will be offered subject to a reserve bid.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to

S. WICKSON,
Vendor's Solicitor,
8½ King-street east.

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AUCTION SALES.

J. TOWNSEND & CO.
KING ST. WEST.

RUSTEES' SALE
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undersigned trustees of the estate late Thomas Best will offer for public auction at the auction rooms J. Townsend & Co., 22 King-street in the City of Toronto, on Saturday, day of April, 1897, at the hour of lock noon, the following property in parcels:
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J. TOWNSEND & CO.
22 KING ST. WEST.
ORTGAGE SALE of Valuable Mining Locations.

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THE AWFUL FLOODS DOWN SOUTH

A Heavy Rainstorm Caused Overflows Which Carried Death and Destruction With Them.

St. Louis, April 2.—Last night's rain storm was one of the heaviest in this vicinity in the past year, and the wind at times reached a velocity of over 40 miles an hour.

The rainfall in the suburbs caused the small streams to rise at an alarming rate, and in some places they overflowed their banks and flooded the adjoining territory to a depth of several feet.

The suburban tracks of the 'Frisco were flooded two feet and trains were temporarily abandoned. Through traffic is being operated over the tracks of other roads.

The River Des Perces, in the western suburbs, ordinarily a small stream, overflowed its banks and submerged several houses in the lowlands. G. W. Tate, aged 70 years, living at Brentwood, was awakened by the floor and found that his house was succumbing to the water. He seized his daughter Nellie, aged 6, in his arms and jumped from a second-storey window. He was carried into the swift current of the river and both were drowned.

The River Des Perces rose to the height of 15 feet in the southwestern portion of the city and overflowed the adjoining property to the depth of from two to six feet. The brickwords at Cheltenham, several miles southwest of St. Louis, are flooded to the depth of three feet and the fires in the furnaces have been drawn.

About 40 men employed in grading suburban property were camped in the low land near the suburb of Brentwood and were awakened by the rushing waters as they flooded their tents. The men made a rush for skiffs and reached the adjoining high ground. About a dozen of them, however, are missing, and it is feared that they were drowned. The locality was occupied by about 50 small houses and the inhabitants were rescued with great difficulty. It is feared that their homes will be swept away, as the flood is still rising and the water is already four feet deep.

The Mississippi River rose over a foot here last night, and is now within three feet of the danger line. From reports received from Upper Mississippi places it is predicted that the danger point at this city will be reached by Saturday.

The occupants of stores along the levees on both sides of the river are moving their property to safe places.

HE WAS SIMPLY A TOOL.

J. B. Robbins, a Decrepit Old Canuck, Has Got Himself Into Trouble in the City of Buffalo.

Buffalo, N. Y., April 2.—It was a clever scheme adopted by George Adams to get around the law prohibiting the sale of pools on races in New York State. But he worked it once too often and he is now locked up in the little jail at Fort Erie, charged with violating the Canadian postal regulations. For some time circulars have passed through the mails, bearing Fort Erie postmarks. The Canadian authorities thought it strange, but, inasmuch as the records of the office were materially increased thereby, no investigation was made.

But one of the circulars reached Secretary Oviatt of the Fort Erie Jockey Club. He was surprised upon reading it to find that it purported to come from the club of which he was an officer. It stated that the senders were prepared to take bets on the Brooklyn Handicap and on the Suburban. Mr. Oviatt, knowing that the club was making no such deals, immediately set about to find who the perpetrators of the scheme were.

He learned from the authorities at Fort Erie that a man went over there frequently and mailed as many as 1500 letters at a time. The fact that the letters were all mailed to the United States when the man crossed the river also aroused their suspicions. The postal laws were examined and the senders were found to be violating them. Consequently a warrant was sworn out, and when George Adams presented some 1200 letters to be mailed at the little Fort Erie postoffice yesterday, he was promptly arrested. Adams declared that he had nothing to do with the deal, other than to mail the circulars for the backers of the scheme, and their headquarters were in this city at the Genesee Hotel. He said he was working for Marshall, Strauss & Johnson, bookmakers of Fort Erie, Buffalo and New York. The scheme of the backers was to have all communications sent to and mailed from Fort Erie, thus getting around the New York State laws, which forbid bookmaking in any form, either by mail or express or postal money orders.

J. B. Robbins, a decrepit old Canadian, is looking for a brother Mason to help him back to his Toronto home. Robbins is 68 years old, and came to this city from Toronto last July. He was unable to obtain work, and consequently suffered from the pangs of hunger many a day. By doing odd chores once in a while he scraped enough money each day to get a night's lodging in one of the cheapest boarding houses in the city. Robbins is an old fellow of good appearance. He says he was once worth in the neighborhood of $50,000. Before misfortune struck him he was a prosperous railroad contractor, and worked on the Southern Pacific in California. He endorsed a note for $24,000, according to his own story, and lost it all. On another occasion he endorsed one for $9000 and lost it.

He called on Immigration Inspector DeBarry this morning. He told his tale of woe to the inspector, but DeBarry told him all he could do was to send him to Fort Erie. Robbins wanted to get back to Toronto, however. He told the inspector he was a member of Harris Masonic Lodge.

"I think some of the Masons of Buffalo might help me to get home," he said. "Well, you had better go before some of the lodges and state your case. They may help you. I can send you only as far as Fort Erie. This is all the law will allow me to do," said the inspector.

Robbins was much crestfallen when he left the inspector's office. He trembled with emotion and muttered, "If my son was alive he would not see me in this plight."

CHARITIES CONFERENCE.

Making Arrangements for the Visitors Expected—Drafting of Committees.

Rev. A. H. Baldwin presided Thursday at a meeting of the General Committee. The following special committees were appointed:

Reception and Entertainment Committee—Ald Scott (chairman), Rev A J Broughall, George B Sweetnam, Ald Graham, ex-Ald Jolliffe, Rev F Ryan, Mrs L J Harvie, Arch MacMurchy, Mrs Edward Leigh, Mrs S G Wood, Rev John Gillespie, Rev Principal Caven, W R Brock, Rev William Frizzell, Miss S Johnston, Mr Price, Mrs R Kilgour, F C Jarvis, P McIntyre, Mrs Williamson, Rev A H Baldwin, Dr Harley Smith, Miss Sanderson, Mrs Savigny, Mrs S Brett, Dr T F Chamberlain, Rev Alexander Gilray, Dr C S Elliott, Mrs Bellamy, Hon G W Ross, Hon J M Gibson, Mayor Fleming, Mrs Forsyth Grant, George Gooderham, Mrs C Morrison, Mrs Lauder, Rev Dr Parker, Mrs Willoughby Cummings, James Bain, jr., W B McMurrich, F Spencer, Rev H C Dixon, A R Boswell.

Finance—Hon S C Biggs (chairman), Dr Gilmour, J K Macdonald, John Aitkin, D Urquhart, Ald Lamb, Ald R H Graham, Ald Leslie.

Hotel and Meeting-place Committee—Dr E Herbert Adams (chairman), J L Hughes, Edward Taylor, J S Robertson, F M Pratt, Ald Crane, Ald Hallam, Ald Sheppard, Thos Davies.

University Reception—Dr Oldright (chairman), Rev Principal Caven, Prof Mavor, Prof Hume.

Transportation—A F Webster (chairman), John Harvie, Dr Harley Smith, James Massie, Edward Taylor, Ald Scott, W B McMurrich, John Foy, A R Boswell, Peter McIntyre, Ald Saunders, James Gunn, F F Wanklyn, Barlow Cumberland, George Bertram.

Publication and Badges—C J Atkinson (chairman), Dr E Herbert Adams, J S Robertson, Dr D Clark, Rev T E Shore, Rev F B Hodgins, Rev J A Macdonald, Ald Preston, Ald Spence.

Hon. S. H. Blake, Mr. J. J. Kelso and Dr. Rosebrugh, with the chairmen of the above committees, will comprise the Executive Committee.

Only those who have had experience can tell the torture corns cause. Pain with your boots on, pain with them off—pain night and day; but relief is sure to those

LADY ABERDEEN IN CHICAGO.

Her Excellency Delivered the Convocation Address for the University of Chicago at the Auditorium.

Chicago, April 1.—Women's higher education was notably exemplified within the walls of the Auditorium to-night on the occasion of the quarterly convocation of the University of Chicago. On the invitations of President William R. Harper, the unprecedented honor of delivering the convocation address was given to a woman, and an English woman, the Countess of Aberdeen, the wife of the Governor-General of Canada, both of whom are well and favorably known here.

Lady Aberdeen, in the critical presence of 5000 men and women, delivered a thoughtful address, taking for her subject "The University and Its Effect on the Home."

President Harper read the following telegram which he had received from the Earl of Aberdeen:

"In again thanking you for your cordial invitation, and in offering my hearty good wishes for this evening, allow me to express my great regret at being absent. The regret, however, must be subordinated and merged in the permanent gratification caused especially by the heartiness of the welcome extended to Lady Aberdeen, which may be regarded as a token and omen that the universities are and will be strongholds for the maintenance of that intelligent friendship which surely must be regarded as the only right and rational conditions to exist between the English-speaking people."

NOTES FROM THE FALLS.

Carborundum Company Will Have to Build a Branch Factory on the Canadian Side of the River.

Niagara Falls, Ont., April 2.—(Special.)—The Niagara Falls Electric Light and Power Company, whose independence is not tied up by the Ontario Government, are entertaining a proposition which ought to cause the Canadian Niagara Falls Power Company and the Park and River Electric to get a move on. The Carborundum Company of Niagara Falls, N. Y., have got to establish a branch on the Canadian side at once to protect their Canadian patents, which otherwise expire in June, and for some time they have been looking for a source of electric power. They expected to be supplied by the electric road, but the Ontario Government is slow granting the road the privilege of disposing of their electric power. Now the Electric Light Company, controlled by entirely local capital, have offered to supply the Carborundum Company with 100 horse-power of electricity. It is probable the American firm will accept the offer. The president of the Carborundum Company is in Boston and the site of the new factory is not yet known, but it will probably be in the vicinity of the metal works. On the starting of the new plant only a few hands will be employed, but in the course of a few months probably 100 men will be at work in the Canadian branch. The company have already booked $2000 worth of orders.

The funeral of the late Hugh D. Webster, M. C. R. despatcher at the Canadian end of the cantilever bridge, was held this afternoon from the residence, Clifton-avenue, to the Methodist church, where services were held. Interment was at Fairview Cemetery and the services at the grave were performed by the I. O. O. F. The funeral was one of the largest ever seen in the town, and a large number of M. C. R. employes from all along the line were present. Court Niagara, I. O. O. F., attended in a body about 100 strong, and the bicycle club also marched in a body. The floral offerings were abundant and grand. The M. C. R. employes of St. Thomas sent a very large and handsome cantilever bridge of white pansies and pinks, and on the top was a telegraph line with one wire broken. The Montrose employes sent a similar bridge of roses and lilies, surmounted by a white dove. The railway men of Niagara Falls, N. Y., sent a pillow and the local bicycle club a wheel.

There is a rumor afloat that the superintendent of the Queen Victoria Niagara Falls Park, Mr. James Wilson, is about to resign his position in favor of a Dominion Government sit. Just what the new office is is not known, but, at any rate it is probable Mr. J. A. Langmuir, late of the Imperial Bank, will succeed to the superintendency.

HE IS A CATHOLIC FIRST.

Dr. Trudel Says He Will be Guided by the Decision of the Papal Ablegate as to His Political Course.

Montreal, April 2.—(Special.)—The chief event at the Champlain nomination proceedings yesterday was the following declaration of faith, made by Dr. Trudel, the Liberal candidate: "I hereby declare most solemnly, under the shadow of the walls of this church, although I approve of the school settlement effected by Mr. Laurier, as being the best arrangement that could be made under the circumstances, yet if the delegate of the Holy Father, now in Canada, condemns the settlement, then I will also condemn it. If the Papal delegate shall declare that it is impossible, under the existing conditions, to be a Liberal and a Catholic at the same time, then shall I cease to be a Liberal, and shall remain a Catholic. But if, as I believe, the delegate will declare that it is possible to be at the same time Catholic and Liberal, I shall remain as I am, a good Catholic and Liberal."

Mrs. Belanger of 176 Ryde-street was struck by an engine on the Grand Trunk tracks at Rose de Lima-street crossing last night, and died from her injuries at Notre Dame Hospital this morning.

The death of Mr. James G. Howden occurred this morning at his residence, 69 Bishop-street. Mr. Howden was well known in commercial circles, and was a partner in the firm of Howden, Starke & Co.

DUTY ON PULP WOOD.

Mr Loughrin of Sault Ste Marie Comes East to Agitate for That and Other Things.

London, Ont., April 2.—Mr. P. J. Loughrin of Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., general labor organizer for the Dominion, is here in the interests of the labor cause, and will endeavor to get the support of the Board of Trade, the City Council and the labor unions to bring pressure to bear on the Ottawa Government to impose a duty on pulp-wood exported to the States. Mr. Loughrin's idea of an export duty is that a sufficiently stiff tax be placed on the pulp wood to induce its being manufactured in Canada, instead of being exported in logs and manufactured into pulp over the border. Mr. Loughrin is also here in the interests of a Canadian alien labor law, which will probably be passed by the Canadian Parliament shortly, and he also wants a tax put on the exportation of nickel in its raw state.

Western University Medical Exams.

London, Ont., April 2.—The result of the Western University Medical College examination announced last night is as follows: Gold medalist, A. J. Bell, Strathroy; third year scholarship, W. Tillman, London; second year scholarship, G. Clarke, London; first year scholarship, C. C. Elliott, London.

Rev. J. W. Pedley of the First Congregational Church has provisionally withdrawn his resignation and will continue as pastor for four months longer.

Public School Notes.

The Toronto Teachers' Association shows by its financial statement a balance of $396.01.

The night school examinations, conducted by Inspector Chapman, were completed last night by the candidates competing for the Noel Marshall medals.

Public school teachers created a lengthy sick list during March, 124 having been laid up through various illnesses.

The teachers' convention will be held this year on the 9th and 10th of April in Wellesley School first day and in Y.W.C. Guild Hall, McGill-street, second day.

The estimates of the Finance Committee of the Public School Board were completed yesterday and will to-day be forwarded to the City Hall. The total amount required is $442,422.06, $416,862.06 of which is for school maintenance and $45,000 for new buildings.

Assaulted the Constable

Yesterday afternoon Constable Chapman went to the famous Britton residence, 96 Salem-avenue, to take possession of an 8-year-old boy. Young Britton, aged 20, objected, and gave Chapman a black eye and other bruises. The child was taken to St. Nicholas' Home. The eldest son will be arrested.

Felled by a Ruffian.

Miss Hume, who is employed in Simmers' seed store, and who resides in Delaware-avenue, was assaulted near her own doorstep. No attempt at robbery was made, although she was knocked senseless by a cowardly blow.

St. Thomas.

Our reporter visited Miss Bertha Bowman of 41 Yarwood-street, St. Thomas.

Miss Bowman spoke about the nervous troubles and debility from which she had suffered until recently, and said: "I have taken Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills for nervous and general debility. My system was run down, and I felt tired almost all the time until I commenced taking these wonderful pills. They have made my nerves strong, thereby banishing the nervousness and weakness. In addition they have given me a healthy circulation of the blood, which has invigorated my entire system, making me feel well and strong. I can truly say that I never felt better in my life than I do now."

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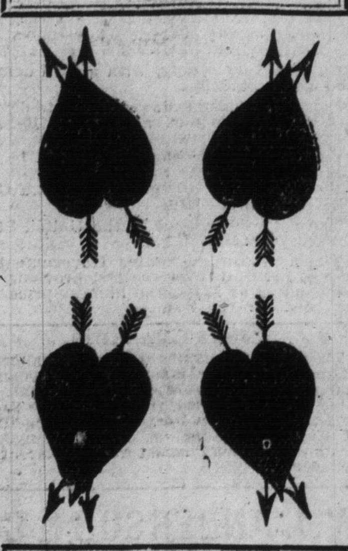
Mrs. J. Dell of Head-street, Chatham, Ont., talked cheerfully about her experience in the use of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. Said she:

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Hamilton.

Mrs. L. Tufford has for years been a great sufferer from palpitation of the heart, shortness of breath, morbid mental condition, etc. Says Mrs. Tufford: "I thought that everything was going wrong, and was so bad that I could hardly sleep. When I would lie down, I would often gasp for breath, and always thought my time had come when in that condition.

"The doctors that I consulted seemed to be unable to do anything for me, and I was very much frightened, when I providentially heard of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. Soon after I started taking them I noticed a great change for the better, and now am glad to state that a complete cure has been made in my case.

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A Suit Over the Proposal of Kingsville's Council to Bore for Gas—No Contract With Mr. Simpson.

The corporation of the Village of Kingsville is quite an honorable one. Unlike the Mayor and Corporation of Hamlin, who refused to pay the pied piper, the corporation of Kingsville is quite willing to carry out its contract with Mr. Simpson to pay him $1700 for boring for natural gas on part of lot 7, in the first concession of the Township of Gosfield South. Mr. Simpson has bored down 300 feet, and if gas in sufficient quantity is struck the Village of Kingsville will be the most brilliantly lighted village on earth. But Mr. Wigle, a ratepayer of the village, objects. In his action for an injunction he alleges that the council passed bylaw No. 141 to raise $18,290 to mine for the gas to supply the village, but, as that is the whole scope of the bylaw, there is no authority to contract with Mr. Simpson. Mr. Justice Ferguson has given judgment upholding his contention. The learned Judge decides that under sections 282 and 288 of the Consolidated Municipal Act, 1892, a councillor can only act by properly executed bylaw, and that the resolution of the council, subsequently passed, to enable the corporation to contract with Mr. Simpson, is not a bylaw, nor does it profess to be one, nor is it properly executed, and, as the contract with Mr. Simpson is not within the scope of bylaw 141, it is invalid, and the injunction asked for should be made perpetual. Order accordingly. Thus, by the stern mandate of the law, the unfortunate townspeople are left in the dark.

MONDAY'S LISTS.

Non-jury Sittings, at 11 a.m.: Bank of Commerce v. Davidson (to be concluded), Hurdman v. Whyte, Barber v. Toronto Railway Co.

Divisional Court, at 10 a.m.: Davis v. Ottawa Electric Railway Co., French v. C.P.R. Co., Kirk v. Barton, Teetzel v. Dominion Construction Co., Jeffrey v. Hamilton R. E. Railway Co., Cantelon v. Thompson, re Hill v. Hicks, Sydenham v. Williams.

Business Embarrassments.

C. A. Martin & Son, tailors, Gananoque, have assigned to J. T. Green.

The Armitage Manufacturing Company of New Toronto have assigned to Francis B. Linden. The creditors will meet on Thursday afternoon next.

Robert Morris, banker, Petrolea, has given a trust deed to William English to wind up the business.

Clark & Thompson, dry goods and carpets, Guelph, have assigned.

W. S. Clemie & Son, grocers, Soo, have assigned to H. T. Telfer.

Miles S. Plumley, agricultural implements, Napanee, has assigned to T. D. Pruyn.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

The Central Young Men's Christian Association inaugurates a week of special meetings for young men this evening. Mr. Thos. A. Rodger, a successful worker amongst young men, will conduct the meetings, giving a special talk to men each evening. There will be special music. The talk to-morrow will be at 3 o'clock.

The association has already begun to use its summer athletic grounds. This afternoon a football practice will be held. The association members pay an extra fee of 50c to secure the use of the grounds for the season.

Examinations in the evening school will be held on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings next.

Mr. William Houston and the class in English literature, that he leads at the Central Young Men's Christian Association, were entertained by one of the members of the class, Mr. George A. Stainton, at his home on Tranby-avenue, on Wednesday evening. A pleasing feature was the presentation to the leader of a slight token of esteem. The announcement was made of a new departure for next season: an interpretation study of three of Walter Scott's great novels, in addition to taking up "In Memoriam" and "Becket."

A New Joke.

Mr. H. Reeve of the money order department at the Postoffice was Thursday made the victim of a new kind of All Fools' Day joke. An infant girl having recently been added to his family, his fellow-employes in the postoffice took advantage of the occasion to express their good feelings towards him by on Thursday sending a handsome baby carriage to his house at 267 Ontario-street.

Independent Forestry.

The Supreme Executive are congratulating themselves upon the fact that March shows the largest number of new courts organized in any one month since the order came into existence, there being no less than 50 instituted during that period. Supreme Organizers C. C. Whale and James H. Gilmour, who have been about six months operating in the Maritime Provinces, have returned after a very successful tour, having added over 1000 new members to the order during their sojourn by the sounding sea.

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Puts on May wheat 70⅝c to 70⅝c; calls 71½c.

Puts on May corn 24¾c to 24⅞c; calls 24¾c.

At Toledo clover seed closed at $4.90 cash.

Car receipts of grain at Chicago to-day: Wheat 9, corn 79, oats 128. Estimated for Saturday: Wheat 10, corn 147, oats 174.

Receipts of wheat at Liverpool the past three days were 54,000 centals, including 46,000 centals of American. Corn, same time, 264,800 centals.

Estimated receipts of hogs at Chicago today 19,000; official Thursday 24,266; left over 3500; estimated for Saturday 12,000. Trade active, with early strength lost. Heavy shippers $3.80 to $4.17.

Cattle receipts at Chicago to-day 3500. Market steady; nothing fancy offering.

Exports at New York to-day: Flour 1870 barrels and 1045 sacks. Wheat 67,656 bushels.

Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Duluth to-day 289 cars, as against 438 cars last Friday.

Reports on foreign crop prospects confirmed previous bullish advices, especially from France, where too much rain has retarded spring seeding and reduced the area below that of last year or 1895. Russian outlook is also said to be satisfactory, notably in the South and Southwest, where much damage is mentioned. The last advices from Argentine cut down the exportable surplus.

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Chicago	70¼c	71c
New York	..	77½c
Milwaukee	70½c	71½c
St. Louis	94c	87½c
Toledo	90c	91¾c
Detroit	87½c	88½c
Duluth, No. 1 hard	72½c	..
Duluth, No. 1 Northern	70⅝c	71⅝c
Toronto, No. 1 hard	86c	.
Toronto, white	76c	..

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LOCAL BREADSTUFFS MARKET.

Flour—Trade remains very dull, and prices are unchanged. Straight rollers nominal at $3.60 to $3.65.

Bran—Trade quiet, with bran quoted at $8.50 in car lots, and shorts $9 to $10.

Wheat—The local wheat market continues quiet and prices are unchanged. Red winter is quoted at 72c to 73c, west, and white at 74c, on the Northern. No. 1 Manitoba hard is quoted at 83c, Midland, and No. 2 hard at 80c to 81c, Midland.

Buckwheat—The demand is limited, with prices unchanged at 26c to 27c, west.

Barley—The market is steady, with a moderate demand. No. 1 quoted at 30c to 31c, No. 2 at 27c, No. 3 extra at 24c, and No. 3 at 21c.

Oats—The demand is quiet, with prices generally unchanged. Sales of white at 19c, west, and of mixed at 17½c to 18c, west.

Peas—The market is quiet with sales at 38½c, north and west.

Corn—Trade quiet, with offerings at 27c, west.

Oatmeal—The market is quiet and prices unchanged. Car lots $2.70 to $2.85.

Rye—The market is dull, car lots being quoted at 32c to 33c, outside.

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ST. LAWRENCE MARKET.

The receipts of grain on the street to-day show an increase, and prices generally were steady. Wheat steady, one load of red selling at 73c, and 150 bushels of goose at 63c. Barley firm, 800 bushels selling at 29c to 30c. Oats also firm, with sales of 400 bushels at 21c to 23½c. Peas sold at 41c to 42½c for 150 bushels. Hay steady, 30 loads selling at $11 to $13 a ton. Straw easy, 6 loads selling at $6 to $7 a ton. Dressed hogs $6 to $6.50 for choice. Eggs 9c to 9½c per dozen, in case lots.

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" red, bushel	0 73	0 74
" goose, bushel	0 62½	0 63
Barley, bushel	0 26	0 30
Oats, bushel	0 22	0 24
Peas, bushel	0 41	0 42
Potatoes, bag	0 25	0 30
" car lots	0 18	0 20
Apples, barrel	1 00	2 00
Turnips, bag	0 15	0 25
Beets, bag	0 25	0 35
Red carrots, per bag	0 25	0 30
Cabbage, per doz	0 25	0 30
" red, per doz	0 40	0 50
Hay, ton	11 75	13 00
" baled, ton	8 00	10 00
Straw, loose, ton	4 00	5 00
" sheaf, ton	6 50	8 00
Beef, hindquarters, cwt	6 00	7 50
Beef, forequarters	4 00	4 50
Veal, carcase, cwt	6 00	8 50
Mutton, carcase, cwt	6 00	7 25
Yearling, lamb, carcase, lb	0 08	0 10½
Dressed hogs, light, cwt	6 25	6 65
" heavy, cwt	5 00	5 50
Spring lambs, each	4 00	6 00
Turkeys, lb	0 11	0 14
Turkeys, lb	0 10	0 13
Geese, lb	0 06	0 07
Ducks, pair	0 50	0 75
Chickens, pair	0 50	0 70
Butter, lb. rolls, per lb	0 18	0 23
Eggs, new-laid, doz	0 10	0 11
" " case lots, doz	0 09	0 10
Onions, bag	1 25	1 75
Alsike, clover seed, bu	4 25	4 35
Red clover, bu	5 25	5 35
Timothy, seed, bu	1 40	1 45

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TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

The receipts at the western markets today were large, with a slight weakness in the general tone. There were 80 car loads, including 1500 hogs and 100 sheep and lambs. The demand for export cattle was fair, with choice grades firm, selling at 4¼c to 4⅝c per lb. Ordinary shippers sold at 3¾c to 4c. Stockers sold at 2¾c to 3⅛c per lb. Bulls for export, 3¼c to 3½c per lb. Butchers' cattle were a trifle easier, owing to good supply; the best qualities sold at 3¼c to 3⅝c; good to medium at 2¾c to 3c, and inferior at 2c to 2¼c per lb. Milch cows sell at $20 to $35 each, and calves at $4 to $7 each.

Spring lambs sold at $4 to $5.50 each.

Sheep and lambs steady, with receipts of 100 head. Choice sheep sold at 3c to 3¼c per lb., and butchers' at 2¾c. Lambs are firm, there being sales at 5c to 5½c per lb.

Hogs are weaker, with receipts of 1500. The best sold at 5⅛c, weighed off cars; thick fats at 4½c to 4⅝c; lightweights at 4⅞c, sows at 3¼c to 3½c, and stags at 2½c per lb.

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The market is quiet. Apples, barrel, $1 to $1.75. Dried apples, 2c to 3c, and evaporated, 3½c to 4c per lb.

Potatoes are dull at 18c to 20c per bag in car lots. Small lots, 28c to 30c. Onions are firm at $1.25 to $1.50 per bag. Sweet potatoes, $2.50 to $2.75 per bbls.

Cranberries, barrel, $4 to $5 for Canadian, and $2.50 per box for Cape Cod. Hops, 9c to 10c.

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CHICAGO MARKETS.

Henry A. King & Co. report the following fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade to-day:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Clos.
Wheat—May	70⅝	71	70⅜	71
" —July	70⅛	70⅜	69¾	70¼
" —Sept.	68½	68⅞	68⅛	68½
Corn—May	25	25⅛	24⅝	24¾
" —July	26¼	26⅜	25⅞	26
" —Sept.	27½	27½	27⅛	27¼
Oats—May	17⅝	17½	17¼	17⅜
" —July	18¼	18⅜	18	18¼
Pork—May	8 55	8 55	8 47	8 47
" —July	8 70	8 72	8 60	8 60
Lard—May	4 25	4 25	4 22	4 25
" —July	4 35	...	...	4 35
Ribs—May	4 67	4 67	4 62	4 65
" —July	4 72	4 72	4 67	4 67

BRITISH MARKETS.

Liverpool, April 2.—Spring wheat, 6s 3s to 6s 5d; red, no stock; No. 1 Cal., 6s 1d to 6s 2½d; corn, 2s 7½d; peas, 4s 2d; pork, 50s 0d; lard, 22s 3d; bacon, l. c., heavy, 27s 0d; do., light, 26s 0d; do., short cut, 25s 0d; tallow, 18s 6d; cheese, white and colored, 57s 6d.

London—Wheat off coast quiet, on passage steadier. English country markets 6d cheaper. Maize on passage firm.

Liverpool—Spot wheat quiet; futures steady at 5s 11d for May and July, and 5s 9½d for Sept. Maize steady at 2s 8½d for May and 2s 10½d for July. Flour 21s 9d.

Paris—Wheat 22f for May. Flour 44f 90c for April and May.

London—Close—Wheat off coast quiet and steady. Maize on passage quiet and steady.

Paris—Close—Wheat 21f 90c for May. Flour 44f 90c for April and May.

Liverpool—Close—Wheat futures steady at 5s 10½d for May and July, and 5s 8¾d for Sept. Maize quiet at 2s 8½d for May, 2s 10½d for July and 3s 0¼d for Sept. Flour 21s 9d.

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FINANCIAL.

The feature to-day was the strength of Toronto Railway shares. They sold at 73½ in Montreal, but final sales were at 73.

Cable is very strong, with a good demand, and sales at 165½.

Consols unchanged, closing to-day at 111 13-16 for money, and at 111 15-16 for account.

Canadian Pacific closed ⅛ firmer in London to-day at 48⅞. St. Paul closed at 75⅛, Erie at 13½, Reading at 10⅞, N.Y.C. at 101¼ and Ill. Central at 94⅞.

The net gold balance in the United States Treasury is $151,786,464.

The new United States Government 4's rose ½ per cent. over the last previous sale, 1000 selling at 124¼, the highest price ever recorded for the issue.

MONEY MARKETS.

The local money market is unchanged at 4½ per cent. for call loans. Prime commercial paper is discounted at 6 per cent. At New York call loans ruled at 1½ to 2, and at London at 2 to 2¼ per cent. The Bank of England discount rate is unchanged at 3, and the open market rate easier at 1¼ per cent.

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	Counter— Buy.	Sell.	—Bet. Banks— Buy.	Sell.
N.Y. Funds.	¼	to ...	1-16 to	1-10 pre.
Stg. 60 days.	9⅝	to ...	9 5-16 to	9⅝
do. demand.	10⅛	to ...	9⅝ to	9 11-16.

RATES IN NEW YORK.

	Posted.	Actual.
Sterling, 60 days...	4.86½	4.85¾ to ...
" demand...	4.88	4.87 to 4.87½

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TORONTO STOCK MARKET.

	1 p.m. Ask.	Bid.	3.30 p.m. Ask.	Bid.
Montreal	233	229	233	229
Ontario	85	82	85	82
Toronto	232	228	231	228
Merchants	173¼	170	173	170
Commerce	127½	127	127¾	127
Imperial	182	181½	182	181
Dominion	232	229	232	229
Standard	168	165	168	166
Hamilton	159	157	159	156⅞
Brit. America	119	117	119	117⅞
West. Assurance	158¼	158	159	158
Consumers' Gas	202	200½	...	200½
Dom. Telegraph	126	124	126	124
Montreal Gas	185	184	185¼	184
C. N. W. L. Co., pr	50	40	50	40
C. P. R. Stock	49	48	49	48
Toronto Electric	133	131½	133	131¼
General Electric	80	...	80	...
Com. Cable	165½	165⅜	165⅝	165⅜
do. do. coup bonds	96½	95½	96¾	96
do. do. reg bonds	96	96¾	...	...
Bell Telephone	161½	160	161½	160
Montreal Rail	232½	231½	232	231⅜
Toronto Rail	73⅛	72¾	73¼	72⅞
Fraser River	183	178¾	182	178
Empress	22	19¾	21	19
B. C. L. & I.	99	...	...	...
B. & L. A.	75	...	...	...
C. L. & N. I Co.	106	104¾	...	...
Canada Perm.	120	...	...	...
do. do. 20 p.c.	110	...	...	...
Cen. Can. Loan	121	118¼	...	...
D. S. & I. S.	79	75	...	...
Farmers' L. & S.	90	...	...	...
do. do. 20 p.c.	70	...	...	...
Freehold L. & S.	...	91	...	...
Hamilton Provident.	111	...	...	...
Huron & Erie L.&S.	...	158	...	...
do. do. 20 p.c.	...	148	...	...
Imperial L. & I.	100	...	...	...
Lon. & Can. L.&A.	90	...	...	...
London Loan	...	100	...	...
London & Ontario	90	...	...	...
Manitoba Loan	90	...	...	...
Ontario L. & D.	...	119	...	...
People's Loan	40	28	...	...
Real Estate L.&D.	65	...	...	...
Toronto S. & L.	115½	114	...	...
Union L & S.	85	...	...	...
Western Can. L.&S.	...	110	...	...
do. do., 25 p.c.	...	97	...	...

Sales 11.30 a.m.: Bank of Commerce, 50 at 127¼, 2 at 127; Telephone, 18 at 160½, xd.; Toronto Railway, 25, 25 at 72½, 10 at 72¾; Freehold Loan, 10 at 93.

Sales at 1 p.m.: Gas, 25 at 201, xd.; Cable, 25 at 165⅝; Toronto Railway, 6 at 73.

Sales at 3.30 p.m.: Western Assurance, 30, 70 at 158¼, 15 at 158½; British America, 20, 12 at 118; Cable, 25, 25 at 165½; Cable reg. bonds, $2500 at 96¼; Montreal Railway, 25 at 231⅜; Toronto Railway, 25 at 73.

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Am. Tobacco	74	74	73¾	73⅞
Am. Spirits	12	12⅞	12	12⅞
Cotton Oil	..	..	..	10½b
C. & O.	16¼	16¾	16¼	16⅝
Atchison	10⅜	10¾	10½	10¾
C. B. & Q.	71¾	72½	71¼	72¼
Chicago Gas	78⅞	79¼	78	78⅝
Can. Southern	47	47½	47	47½
C. C. C. & I.	29½	29⅞	29½	29⅞
Del. & Hudson	102¼	103	101½	101½
D. L. & W.	153	153	153	153
Erie	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜
Lake Shore	165	166	165	166
L. & N.	46	46⅞	45⅜	46½
Kan. Texas, pref.	27⅜	28	27⅜	27⅜
Manhattan	84½	84½	83¼	84⅜
Missouri Pacific	15¼	15⅜	15	15½
Leather	6¾	6⅞	6⅞	6¾
Leather, pref.	56¼	56¼	55¼	55⅝
B. & O.	14	14	14	14
N. Y. C.	98⅞	99⅞	98⅞	99¼
N. P., pref.	35	37	35	36⅝
Northwestern	104⅛	105¼	104⅛	105
General Electric	32	32⅛	31½	31⅜
Rock Island	62¼	63	61⅞	62⅛
Rubber	..	..	..	13⅛b
Omaha	58¾	59⅝	58¼	59
Union Pacific	5¾	6	5⅞	5⅞
N. Y. Gas	155½	156½	155½	156
Pacific Mail	26½	27⅜	26¾	27¼
Phil. & Read.	21⅝	21⅝	20⅞	20⅞
St. Paul	73⅛	73⅞	72¾	73⅜
Western Union	81½	81⅞	79¾	80⅝
Jersey Central	80⅞	80⅞	79	79
National Lead	23½	24	22½	24
Wabash, pref.	12⅞	13⅛	12⅞	13⅛
T. C. & I.	25⅞	26¼	25½	26
South. rail, pref.	26½	26¾	26⅝	26½

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Montreal, April 2.—C. P. R., xd., 48¾ and 48½; Duluth, 4 and 3; do., pref., 10 and 5; Cable, 166 and 165¼; Cable, reg. bonds, ex-int., 97 and 96; Telegraph, xd., 170 and 165; Richelieu, 95 and 91; Street Railway, 231¾ and 231½; Gas, xd., 184¾ and 184⅜; Telephone, xd., 163 and 160; Toronto Street Railway, 73⅝ and 73⅛; Montreal Bank, 232 and 230; Merchants', 175 and 170½; Commerce, 128 and 125; Toronto, 232 and 228; Ontario, 85 and 82.

Morning sales: Street Railway, 25 at 231¾, 12, 13, 50 at 232, 100 at 232¼; Toronto Railway, 50 at 72½, 25 at 72⅝, 100 at 72½, 25 at 72⅝, 50 at 72¾, 25 at 73, 75 at 72⅞, 275 at 73, 25 at 72⅞, 200 at 73, 25 at 72⅞, 75 at 73; Gas, 425, 10 at 184; Royal Electric, 25, 20 at 144; Hochelaga Bank, 2 at 129; Dominion Cotton, 2 at 80.

Afternoon sales: C.P.R., 25 at 48½; Cable, reg. bonds, $5000 at 96½; Street Railway, 50 at 230¼, 100 at 232, 100 at 231½; Toronto Railway, 75 at 73, 75 at 73¼, 25 at 73⅜, 225 at 73½, 150 at 73¼, 25 at 73; Telephone, 20 at 160, xd.; Royal Electric, 5 at 144; Merchants' Bank, 5 at 171.

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TIPS FROM WALL-STREET.

The market was irregular at the close.

The Jersey Central dividend will be settled on Monday.

St. Paul's earnings for the fourth week of March will be out to-night. It is expected that they will show a large decrease of from $100,000 to $200,000.

The most active stocks to-day were: Sugar 11,400 shares, St. Paul 7500, R.I. 5000, W.U. 16,200, P.M. 5300, N.Y.C. 4800, D. & H. 7000, Jersey Central 15,700, N.Q. 11,500, Reading 6600, L. & N. 2600, Burlington 17,900, Omaha 6700, Chicago Gas 13,800, Leather, pr., 5200.

McIntyre & Wardwell (John J. Dixon) received the following despatch to-day from New York:

The stock market this afternoon was dull and steady to firm. At the close there was fresh weakness in Jersey Central. Speculation has been confined to the traders today. In an interview, Mr. Sage states that Western Union will pursue a conservative policy, and if earnings do not warrant the present dividend rate he is not in favor of maintaining it. The strength of Northern Pacific, pref., has been a feature to-day; it advanced about 2 points on very light trade. The road, it is claimed, will be benefited by Mr. Morgan's trip abroad. Moore & Schley were the buyers of the stock. New York Central was higher today, also on Mr. Morgan's act. More Baltimore & Ohio receivers' certificates are to be issued. Foreign exchange closed dull at $4.87⅛ to $4.87¼. The St. Paul earnings for fourth week March, due this evening, are expected to show a large decrease on account of storms.

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CHICAGO GOSSIP.

Henry A. King & Co., 12 King-street east, received the following despatch today from Chicago:

The market opened this morning a fraction higher and remained stagnant during the session at a narrow range of prices. There was no news of any kind, and the traders were at sea. Templeton reported the sale of 6500 wheat to millers. The Signal Service map showed continued rains through the wheat belt, with indications for clearing weather to-morrow. The temperature in the Northwest was 28 to 38. Primary market receipts were 378,000 bu. Shipments 111,000 bu. St. Louis did very little buying or selling in this market today and sent very little news concerning the crop. New York was at a standstill, and up to midday no export sales were reported. Barrett, Brosseau, Roche and Baldwin Farnum were considered buyers, and Schwartz, Dupee, Mitchell and Poole sold Liverpool. Closing cables were ½d lower on both spot and future. Total clearances from all ports 325,000 bu. Near the close, Champlain and O'Brien became fair buyers, which created a little activity, and the market reacted about 3-8c, closing at the highest of the day. We look to see a more active market next week and higher prices.

Corn and Oats—Ruled fairly active and steady. The trade was larger in volume, the range covering about 3-8c. Receipts were small, 79 cars corn and 128 cars oats. Commission houses sold moderately in corn. The close was easy.

Provisions—Opened lower this morning. Receipts were very moderate, 19,000, with 12,000 estimated for to-morrow. Packers and commission houses sold pork and Baldwin and Farnum also sold pork. The trade was slow. The falling off in the cash demand is supposed to be due in part to the Southern floods. The buying was of a scattered description. The different articles closed weak.

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McIntyre & Wardwell (John J. Dixon) received the following despatch from Chicago to-day:

Wheat—There was not so much May wheat for sale to-day, and it ruled firmer and closed at ½c advance. The new crop futures were relatively weaker, and in spite of some bad reports from Indiana closed unchanged from last night's prices. The trading was mainly in May wheat, and the newspaper talk to the effect that the Graeco-Turkish situation was nearing a climax caused considerable buying. Cable advices were steadier, those from the Continent decidedly higher, but English consols showed no change. No export at seaboard, but 100,000 bu. sold here for milling demand. Duluth and Minneapolis stocks, together, will show about 900,000 bu. increase, and estimates from other sources indicate visible supply will show but little change next Monday. We do not expect any radical change in the market at present, at least until publication of Government report.

Provisions—Opened steady and afterwards sold lower on free offerings of May and July pork by commission houses. Cudahy Packing Company sold July ribs. International Packing Company bought July lard at $4.37. Anglo-American Packing Company sold May lard. Market closes steady at about lowest prices of day. Hogs to-morrow 11,000.

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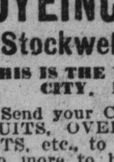
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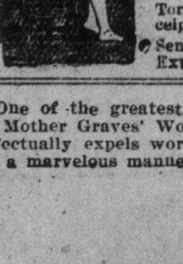
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