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RAILROADS MUST LIVE UP TO THEIR CHARTERS AND SERVE THE PEOPLE

Member of South York Speaking on Reciprocal Demurrage Amendment Brings up Broad Question and is Supported by Several Members.

NEW MINISTER PROMISES BOARD LARGER POWERS

OTTAWA, Feb. 18.—(Special).—Nearly the whole of to-day's session was taken up with the discussion of the "reciprocal demurrage" amendment of W. F. Maclean (South York). At 11 o'clock the debate was adjourned after the minister of railways and canals (Mr. Graham) concurred in the opinion freely expressed that substantial grievances against the railways existed, but he inclined to the belief that the bill would not cure the evil.

MAYOR SAYS TIME'S COME

Writes Sir Henry Pellatt Inviting an Early Conference With City.

Mayor Oliver has written Sir Henry Pellatt, president of the Toronto Electric Light Company, advising the company that the terms offered by the board of control are not acceptable, and inviting its representatives to confer with the board of control on Friday afternoon next if they have any other proposition to offer.

CITY CAN'T PROMISE MUCH RELIEF WORK

Employing About 400 Men Now and Best Engineer Can Do is to Take on 150 More.
The conference between the board of control and civic officials in the mayor's office yesterday afternoon to consider means of giving employment to applicants at the civic labor bureau was not, in its results, particularly encouraging to the workers.

NOTED BOXER LEADER DEAD

SHANGHAI, Feb. 18.—Gen. Tung Puh Siang, the leader of the Boxers in the uprising in 1900, is dead. He had been banished to Kanbu.

HOSTILE DEMONSTRATION FOR LABOR MEMBER AT JOHANNESBURG

LONDON, Feb. 18.—(C.A.P. Cable).—Ketr Harille met with a hostile reception yesterday at Johannesburg. He was howled down and pelted. A crowd assembled in front of the hotel and sang "We'll hang Ketr Harille on a sour apple tree."

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GRAFTERS WERE TOLD ROUTE OF G.T.P.

Favorites Informed in Time to Buy Up Tracts of Fertile Valley Lands of Great Value.
OTTAWA, Feb. 18.—(Special).—People here lately arrived from British Columbia complain bitterly that for some reason or another a good deal of favoritism exists in the manner in which the lands have been taken up along the route of the Grand Trunk Pacific in certain rich valleys of that province.

BROKERS RISK NOTHING CLEANED UP \$126,000

"Straw" Bid for New York City Bonds Realized a Handsome Amount.
NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—It is stated here that Charles A. Baldwin and W. A. Baldwin, brothers of Boston, have made just \$126,000, according to all indications, by their bid on over \$4,000,000 of the recent issue of New York City bonds at 104 when they did not have a dollar to buy them.

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OLD LIBERAL LADY: Maybe I'm old-fashioned, but when I was a girl, we didn't get rid of the dirt by sweeping it under the bed.

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OAK HALL Clothiers Right opp. the Church King St. East. I. COOMBS, Manager.

MINITONAS FIRESWEEP. West Side of Main Street Completely Wiped Out.

MINITONAS, Man., Feb. 18.—This morning a disastrous fire broke out in the pool room adjoining the hotel here, and before it could be got under control the following buildings were completely destroyed: E. D. Widmeyer, municipal office, loss \$1000; no insurance; Hotel De Mintonas, loss \$900, insurance \$7000; J. H. Cannon, general store, \$8000; insurance \$7000; W. L. Coultart, barber shop and pool room, \$1500; insurance \$1100; Weir & Swallowell, hardware merchants, loss \$2000; insurance \$2000; W. H. Weir, implements, loss \$1500; insurance \$1000. The west side of Main-street was completely wiped out, and the windows on the opposite side of the street were broken, and the buildings badly scorched and damaged by water. The fire is supposed to have been caused by an overheated stove in the pool-room adjoining the hotel. Mintonas is a prosperous town on the C.N.R.

"TELL HIM TO BE HONEST." Hon. C. S. Hyman Releases Man Charged With Theft.

LONDON, Feb. 18.—A young Englishman named J. H. Curtis, who had been employed as clerk in the office of C. S. Hyman & Co. for a considerable time, took upwards of \$800 from the safe, and was about to take a train for St. Louis when he was detained and searched by Mr. Minnick of the office staff, and the money found on him. Upon Mr. Hyman being asked what was to be done with him, he said: "Give him \$20 and tell him to go to St. Louis and try to be honest." Curtis was allowed to go.

Edgar Allan Poe's Mantel Missing. NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Edgar Allan Poe's mantel, which was given to Columbia University by William Hemstreet, has disappeared. The mantel, before which Poe is said to have written "The Raven," arrived on Morningside Heights several weeks ago, and was placed in a room in the library building.

Lincoln's Birthplace Memorial. WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—Mr. Maden of Illinois has introduced a bill appropriating \$100,000 to be paid to the Lincoln Farm Association to build on the Lincoln birthplace farm in Kentucky a national patriotic shrine, which shall consist of a memorial hall costing not more than \$250,000, of which \$150,000 shall be paid by the association.

Bad Storm at Chicago. CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—(Special).—Chicago is to-night in the grip of one of the worst snow storms in years. All transportation is tied up.

Col. Soule Dying. BOSTON, Feb. 18.—(Special).—Col. Soule, a former United States consul in Ontario, is dying.

Cure That Cough! YOU CAN DO IT BY USING Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

The Most Perfect Throat and Lung Healer in the World. . . . .

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup gives prompt relief from that choked up, stuffed up feeling which is so distressing, it loosens the phlegm, checks the rasping and useless cough, and soothes the irritated breathing organs. It is a pleasant preparation to take and is therefore specially adapted to the coughs and colds of children and those who dislike nauseous mixtures.

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Mr. Frank E. Purdie, Brandon, Man., writes: "I have used your Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup for some years and have always found it a sure remedy for all colds, coughs, sore throats, hoarseness, etc. I cannot too highly recommend it to anyone suffering from any effect of cold."

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It is expected that when the police commissioners meet Thursday they will declare the office of sergeant-major vacant. There are three candidates for the position, Inspector McWhorter, Sergeant Pinch and Detective Pleakley, and it is said that the detective stands the best show to be appointed.

First Aid to Injured. After the good work of Constable Yaxley in bringing around victims of asphyxiation, Chief Smith yesterday had the commissioners to make provisions to have all his men taught the principles of first aid to the injured.

A meeting to consider the proposal to build an auditorium will be held in the mayor's office Wednesday at noon. Mrs. Neilligan, wife of John B. Neilligan of the assessment department, died suddenly this morning. She is survived by family of eight sons and four daughters.

The funeral of Mrs. Martin and her young son who were asphyxiated took place this morning.

John Kendrick, 359 West Charlton-avenue, was accused in police court this morning of going to roller rinks while his wife was starving. The magistrate instructed the police to keep an eye on him.

Hotel Cecil. Most home-like hotel in Hamilton; excellent cuisine, A1 service, popular prices. For the next 15 days we will sell all our leading 10c cigars at 4 for 25c or \$2.50 per box of 50 cigars. C. A. Herman, proprietor.

The New Arlington. Now open for visitors. Complete new building, home comforts, very central. Excellent cuisine. Terms \$150. Geo. Middleton, Phone 3423.

See Billy Carroll's Pipes to-day at the Grand Opera House Cigar Store. Shedd & Son, Painters, Decorators, Paperhangers, 125 King-street W. Pong's High Class Cafe.

Four doors north of Royal Hotel, opposite Grand Opera House, there is a reservation for after-theatre lunch, No. 250. Open all night. Special attention to business men.

Jury Views Boy's Body. DUNNVILLE, Feb. 18.—(Special).—The body of Richard McBay, the nine-year-old boy who was shot on a farm in South Cayuga Township on Monday, was viewed to-day by Coroner Kerr and the jury.

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It is expected that when the police commissioners meet Thursday they will declare the office of sergeant-major vacant. There are three candidates for the position, Inspector McWhorter, Sergeant Pinch and Detective Pleakley, and it is said that the detective stands the best show to be appointed.

First Aid to Injured. After the good work of Constable Yaxley in bringing around victims of asphyxiation, Chief Smith yesterday had the commissioners to make provisions to have all his men taught the principles of first aid to the injured.

A meeting to consider the proposal to build an auditorium will be held in the mayor's office Wednesday at noon. Mrs. Neilligan, wife of John B. Neilligan of the assessment department, died suddenly this morning. She is survived by family of eight sons and four daughters.

The funeral of Mrs. Martin and her young son who were asphyxiated took place this morning.

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Lady Gzowski Dead.

Lady Marie Beebe Gzowski, widow of Colonel Sir Casimir Stanislaus Gzowski, K.C.M.G., A.D.C., died yesterday morning at her residence, 69 Glen-road, aged 55. Death was expected. Her son, C. S. Gzowski, in Vancouver, B.C., has been summoned home by telegraph. Lady Gzowski was the daughter of an eminent United States physician, and she married Sir Casimir in 1891, a few years after a young Russian engineer arrived on this continent—an exile from Poland. When Sir Casimir became prominent in engineering work and public life, the kindly hospitality of his wife was notable in the social life of the community. For years Lady Gzowski was mistress of "The Hall," the old family residence, with its spacious grounds, on Bathurst-street. She took particular interest in Y.M.C.A. work, and was prominent in the Women's Art Association. She leaves several daughters, among them being Mrs. Sandon, wife of General Sandon, of England, a frequent visitor here. The funeral will take place to-morrow.

Personal.

Mrs. Emerson Costworth will receive for the first time guests in her new home, 51 May-square, Rosedale, on Monday, Feb. 24, and afterwards on the second and fourth Mondays of each month. Mrs. George Thompson, 16 Tyndall-avenue, will receive on Thursday, Feb. 20. A musical will be given at the residence of Mrs. Arthur Bolland, 331 Berkeley-street, on Thursday evening, in aid of Shacktown. The engagement is announced of Miss Amy Pearce Howland, daughter of the late P. A. Howland and of Mrs. Howland, of Los Angeles, California, and Mr. Hugh Wallace of Los Angeles. The wedding will take place on Saturday, Feb. 22. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Patterson of "Fernwood," Todmorden, with their daughter, Mrs. Thomas Moore, of Belleville, and Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Ritchie, of Toronto, have left for Nassau for two months. Mrs. Timothy Eaton left this city in her private car for Atlantic City. Mrs. L. S. Levee, 101 Brunswick-avenue, is recovering satisfactorily from her recent illness. Mr. and Mrs. George Kennedy, West Bloor-street, have sent out cards for an at home on Saturday, Feb. 29, from 4 to 7 o'clock. The committee of the Week-End Party request those intending to go to send in their applications at once, as the list is being filled up and may be closed in a day or two. The Cozy Corner Club have sent out invitations for their dance to be held at the Metropolitan assembly rooms on Thursday at 8.30 o'clock. Mrs. J. C. Eaton, 121 Walmer-road,

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Movements of Kassado Maru Arouse Suspicion.

VALPARAISO, Feb. 18.—The cruise along the coast of Chile of the Japanese steamer Kassado Maru has, in view of the proximity of the American battleship fleet, attracted considerable attention here. The Kassado Maru left Iquique on Jan. 23 and steamed out to sea. Nothing was heard from her until two days ago, when she arrived at Tocopilla, a small town, 140 miles from Iquique.

The fact that the vessel spent 24 days between these two ports leads to the suspicion in some quarters that she has been observing the progress of the American fleet or studying the Chilean coast. She is of 5100 tons, has twin screws and was built at Newcastle in 1900.

AT THE PROGRESSIVE CLUB.

R. R. Gamey Tells of the Mineral Resources of New Ontario.

R. R. Gamey addressed the Progressive Club in Williams' Cafe last evening on the mineral resources of New Ontario. He laid stress on the fact that the people of older Ontario were over-reliant in investing their money in developing these resources, which were undoubtedly stupendous. Had it not been for this spirit of "I'm from Missouri," the controlling interest in these mines would not have fallen into the hands of Americans.

EXPLOSION KILLS THREE.

Passengers in Passing Train Seriously Injured.

WHARTON, N.J., Feb. 18.—An explosion in the mining department of the General Explosive Company in this State, killed three men, broke nearly every window in stores and residences in Wharton, and some windows in Dover.

HINTS AT A HARBOR SCANDAL.

Belleville Intelligencer Intimates Govt. Dredge Helped Private Contracts.

BELLEVILLE, Feb. 18.—(Special.)—The Intelligencer to-night publishes a letter from a correspondent who makes some insinuations against the harbor commissioners of this city, and the Intelligencer asks if an investigation should not be asked for by the city council.

DEATHS IN THE CITY.

Deaths registered at the city hall today: Agnes Johnson, 53 years, otitis media. Peter O'Brien, 23 years, leucocytæmia. John Wesley Deitar, 63 years, diabetes. H. Fuller, 55 years, cirrhosis of liver. Edward Foulger, 53 years, pneumonia. Agnes Jones, 7 months, consumption. Cochrane, still born. Della Lublisky, 11-2 years, tubercularia. Albert Evans, 18 years, tubercular meningitis. Richard Wells, 69 years, cancer. Dr. John Henry Fisher, 59 years, septicaemia. Charles Berthson, 77 years, shock from fractured leg. Elizabeth Johnson, 57 years, chronic nephritis. Michael Rebecca Hill, 27 years, endocarditis. Lorne W. Elliott, 16 months, diphtheria. Margaret McKibrick, 32 years, consumption. Morris Dennis, 18 years, pleuro-pneumonia. Elizabeth May Fowler, 7 months, kidney disease. John Brown, 2 days, premature birth. Fred Brown, four days, premature birth.

Dickens Fellowship Players.

The Dickens Fellowship Players will present "The Cricket on the Hearth" at the Conservatory Music Hall on Saturday and Monday evenings. The plan is open to-day at Nordheimer's, to subscribers and will be open to non-subscribers to the public. The players will leave for Ottawa on Thursday of next week to take part in the competition for the Earl Grey Trophy. A single fare rate has been secured, and any person desiring to accompany the players should communicate with the secretary, Miss M. Fennell, 214 East Gerrard-street.

Suit for Malicious Arrest.

An action to recover \$1000 damages from Jones and Moore Electric Co. was commenced in the Jury sittings yesterday by Edward Plant, on behalf of his son, Albert Plant. The claim is that, without reason, George Moore of the above firm, had on Aug. 12 last landed the plaintiff in the cells for a malicious arrest. The defendants deny instituting the proceedings.

Illinois for Cannon.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 18.—The Republican central committee met today and adopted resolutions endorsing Joseph G. Cannon for the presidency.

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NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—New York is to have the largest morgue in the world. The contracts for its equipment are let, and when the new pathological building at Bellevue Hospital is completed, a year from now, the mortuary division will prevent anything of the kind from occurring.

SNOW AND GALES TO-DAY.

Coming From the West Where It Developed Chicago Yesterday.

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Division Court Cases.

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Affairs of the Stage.

Miss Maxine Elliott has a surprise in store for her admirers when she appears here in her new play, "Myself, Bettina."

There is no one who knows so much about the play, dealing with New England life among people of the better class, and it is Miss Elliott as Bettina Dean who turns a modest New England home into a modern inclination to do things in up-to-date fashion. There is much comedy running through the play, which causes frequent laughs. Miss Elliott will present "Myself, Bettina," at the Princess Theatre all on Wednesday and Saturday, and there will be no advance in prices.

The Awakening of Mr. Pipp, in which Charley Gapewin is still exploited as a star, comes to the Grand next week, and there is no one who knows so much about it as the famous Pipp, who has spent practically all his time in the search for the elusive gold, and who believes that success is now in sight. The sale of seats begins on Thursday morning.

Thursday night at the Gayety Theatre will be presented for the first time on any stage a chorus girls' contest. The average chorus girl some day expects to become a great prima-donna, and after the regular performance the girls will present what they consider vaudeville acts, and the usual amateur show-off given on Friday night.

Seats for the engagement of Miss Blanche Bates in "The Girl of the Golden West," at the Royal Alexandra Theatre next week, will be placed on sale to-morrow morning. The fame of this David Belasco drama of California, and the beauty of Miss Bates' portrayal of its leading role are known in Toronto. The coming of the actress to this city has been a long-awaited event, and Miss Bates' local appearance will be a theatrical event of much more than ordinary importance.

At New York on Monday evening, Otis Skinner was seen in a fine characterization of a D'Arctian-Petruchio French colonel, in a drama, "The Honor of the Family," said to be quite the best thing he's done, and excellent even. Manifestly in historic perfection. Another notable event was the appearance of the English actress, Edith Wynne Matheson, well-known to Toronto theatre-goers, as Ruth Jordan, in "The Great Divide," the role originated and played until recently by Margaret Anglin. Henry Miller is still playing Stephen Grant. Olga Netherland provided the third meeting of the play, "The Great Divide," a drama of intrigue. "Adrienne Lecouvreur." Her success was not remarkable.

Ida Conquest has been engaged by Lieber & Co. as leading woman in "The Beloved Vagabond," which opens in Cincinnati next week.

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MRS. WIGGS OF THE CABBAGE PATCH. "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" will be given in cantata under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society at St. Giles' Church, Oak-street, to-morrow night at 8 o'clock by Lyla Gladden Cole. A musical program will also be given.

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NOTE AND COMMENT

The list of sires that have earned \$3000 or more since Oakland Nov. 9, 1927, is shown below...

In connection with the recent purchase for \$15,000 of the Standardbred stallion Cyrene, it has been ascertained that the new owner of the horse is Mrs. Chevalier...

Every member of the Kentucky Legislature has signed a petition to be sent to the lawmakers at Albany asking that the Percy-Ray law be allowed to remain intact...

It is now announced as improbable that the members of the Shamrock lacrosse team, champions of the world, will make their promised trip to the old country this spring...

Tommy Burns expects to bring home about \$2000 in his new career as a heavy weight boxer...

There are only a few people in the billiard world who are regarded as being as witty and humorous as the lot of Jake Schaefer...

George Sutton, the champion at 132, had almost a similar experience in St. Louis...

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Butchers' Horses Racing on Speedway

McMillan High Man for the Night, Well Filled Trotting and Pacing Races Decided by Members.

The Butchers' Association held a successful meeting on the speedway yesterday, when two races were decided...

Table with columns: Name, Points, etc. Includes names like McMillan, Adams, Slesan, etc.

Maple Leafs won two out of three from the Toronto last night in the first game of the season...

Table with columns: Name, Points, etc. Includes names like H. Williams, Shore, etc.

In the City League Series, the Kings won two from the Royals, while Big Five took the same number from Orr Bros...

Table with columns: Name, Points, etc. Includes names like Taylor, Smith, Seager, etc.

Integrity Wins Two, the Kings won two from the Royals last night in Class A of the Ogdellville League...

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### THE CITY AND CHEAP POWER.

On the strength of certain paragraphs in the news columns of The World, efforts are being made to represent that this paper has changed, or is in process of changing, its attitude toward the hydro-electric policy of the provincial government and its bearing towards the situation as it presents itself in Toronto. Deduction of this nature, founded on statements intended to convey information to the public regarding matters of great importance, are unwarranted.

The World remains firmly convinced that the hydro-electric policy, particularly associated with the name of the Hon. Adam Beck, was conceived and carried out in the public interest, and deserves more than ever before the whole-hearted support of the citizens of Toronto. What is happening today in connection with the reorganization of the Electrical Development Company cannot lessen the desirability of possessing a publicly owned and controlled supply of Niagara electricity—it may on the contrary make a supply of that kind more imperative.

The problem as it offers itself to Toronto is not confined to an immediately available cheap electrical supply for distribution to consumers of light and power—it has a wider aspect. What is to be the situation, if at the expiry of the street railway franchise, the citizens resolve, as is more than probable, to make the street transportation service a publicly owned and controlled enterprise? If at that time the city is wholly dependent for power on a company intimately associated with the interests controlling the urban and radial railways, its freedom will be very considerably curtailed, if not irretrievably lost. And there is no guarantee whatever that the pending deal, whose exact nature and ramifications are only very partially known and understood, will not in the intervening period be followed by larger and more far-reaching mergers. Experience has shown that apparent sharp conflicts of corporate interests become in the end compromises towards mergers rather than deterrents. And the sewing up of the richest province of the Dominion has powerful attractions for Canadian financiers' ambitions to emulate the exploits of their United States counterparts.

Certain press authorities in the city profess to see in the transformation of the Electrical Development Company the possible replacement of its first impracticable directors by others better disposed to meet the demand of the citizens for cheap Niagara energy. But the entrance of Mr. William Mackenzie, while it may bring a more reasonable spirit to bear in the discussion, does not in the slightest vary the question at issue between the city and the Toronto Light Company. It is confidently asserted that the existing contract between that company and the Development Company is to be maintained in its integrity, and as Mr. Mackenzie is not taking over the distributing company it remains the company with which the city must directly deal.

The matter of cheap energy, therefore, continues to be one primarily for the Light Company and the city and the problem to be solved is unaltered. If such be the case, the duty of the city council to act up to the full measure of the penary mandate given it by the citizens is not only unchanged, but intensified by the desperate remedies found necessary to endue the Electrical Development Company with a new lease of life.

### JAPAN'S STATE RAILROADS.

Reports have been current that the nationalization of the Japanese railways has proved one of the most difficult in the preparation of the budget and that it has proved a vital error in the national finance. These reports were recently contradicted by one of the highest of Japanese financial authorities, who further declared that in his opinion the step was far from being a "vital error." To be so, he observed, it must be proved that the expenses connected with these railways exceed the profits to such an extent that it becomes necessary to supplement the revenue by money taken from the taxpayer. But the lines purchased by the state have been yielding a steady profit sufficient to pay the interest on the price and to maintain and improve the lines.

The purchase of the main lines of Japan by the state began in February, 1906, and is now completed—only small local lines remaining in private hands. It has cost something like \$200,000,000, and the price is being paid by bonds issued to the shareholders bearing interest at 5 per cent. These bonds are expected to be redeemed in thirty years, and as the calculations upon which the acquisition was based were taken on the average profits over a period of ten years, they can be taken as well within the mark. Including a short line built by the state in 1874 and now yielding an annual

profit of \$7,500,000, the mileage of the government owned railroads is now 4700 out of a total for all the Japanese roads of 5000 miles. In view of the rapid industrial and commercial expansion of Japan the railroads cannot but increase in value and profit earning capacity.

### NEW ZEALAND'S GAMBLING LEGISLATION.

In the closing days of the New Zealand Parliament, Sir Joseph Ward succeeded in putting thru an amendment bill to the Gaming and Lotteries Act, which really means an important measure of social reform. As elsewhere, more attention has been hitherto paid in the Little Dominion to the liquor question than to the evils of gambling and betting, which, however, many social reformers in New Zealand, concurring in this with their friends in other British states, consider to be an even deadlier menace than intemperance and more productive of the graver crimes. It is stated that even in New Zealand, the theatre of many advanced social experiments, the most drastic provisions of the new act would only two years ago have been regarded as a dangerous innovation. But the special correspondent of The London Morning Post, in explaining the nature of the measure, says that the Dominion Parliament accepted them without a division and almost without debate, on the strength of the success of the Australian clauses, on which they were modelled.

These specially noted clauses provide that on the affidavit of a superintendent or inspector of police showing reasonable grounds for suspecting that any house, room or place is being used as a common gaming house, or as a means of access thereto or escape therefrom, the supreme court may declare accordingly. After the declaration has been duly posted and advertised, the owner of the premises affected is entitled to cancel the lease. While the declaration is in force, no business of any kind may be carried on in the premises, and any person entering them is to be deemed to be there for an unlawful purpose unless he can prove the contrary. These remarkably stringent clauses, remarks the Post's correspondent—commonly known as the "quarantine clauses," are copied with but little variation from the acts passed, both in Victoria and New South Wales last year; and the extraordinary success which has attended their operation in those states seems likely to be repeated in New Zealand, as no offender will be strong enough to stand a siege from an inspector of police armed with these peremptory powers.

Another change in the law, slight in appearance, but of great importance, is the primitive character, was bitterly contested in the house of commons. As the law stood, a person convicted of keeping a common gaming house was liable on summary conviction to six months' imprisonment, and this gave him the option of being tried by jury. It proved difficult to get juries to convict in this class of case, and the punishment has now been limited to three months' imprisonment, thus depriving the accused of his right of action. Other sections of the new act confine betting to the race-track, and bookmakers who ply their calling on the streets are subjected to heavy penalties. Here also a radical departure from the time-honored policy of the British law has been made by allowing any deposit made in the street or money paid under any wagering agreement to be recoverable from the recipient as an ordinary civil debt.

Betting or offering to bet on any sports ground, "sports" being defined to include "bicycle races, foot races, swimming races, cricket matches, football matches, boxing matches, billiard matches and any athletic game or exercise," is also made illegal, and subjects the offender to \$100 fine, and if he persists after being warned to desist from the course. The same penalty is also imposed for the offence of betting, or offering to bet, in a factory upon any horse race or any sports, and the delivery at any race-course of any telegram relating to betting or to investments on the totalisator is absolutely barred. As the immediate effect of this act, bookmakers in New Zealand towns closed down and declared themselves as absolutely finished so far as betting of the course is concerned. The act has undoubtedly started well, and if Australian experience is to rule, the good achieved is likely to be permanent.

### THE BOARD OF RAILWAY COMMISSIONERS FOR CANADA.

In a recent address at Ottawa, Dr. Mills, a member of the board of railway commissioners for Canada, made the statement that it was neither necessary nor advisable to have railway experts appointed to positions on that board.

Mr. George W. Perkins, a member of the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co., New York, takes an entirely opposite view of this matter, and as his company are deeply interested in the railways of this continent, his opinions are worthy of serious consideration.

Mr. Perkins strongly advocates the appointment of traffic experts to deal with traffic questions. "In no other way," he declares, "can the public be protected from evils in corporate management."

Speaking to the students of Columbia University, Mr. Perkins said: "We have at Washington a supreme court of membership in that most honorable body is the goal of every aspiring lawyer. It is protected by services and ability we honor lawyers by promoting them to decide our most difficult legal questions, why should we not honor our railroad men by promoting them to decide our most difficult railroad questions? For example: If we had at Washington

a railroad board of control, and that board were composed of practical railroad men, would not membership in such a board come gradually to be the goal of railroad men? And, does any one for a moment think that if such a board were composed of practical railroad men, it would be especially partial to railroad interests? Certainly not. Once on such a board a man could not fail to recognize the great responsibility and honor of the office, and administer it for the better interest of the public and of the railroads at one and the same time. Thus the business man would merge into the public official, no longer controlled by the mere business view, and would act as part of a statesman, to the improvement of the government and administration and not to the lowering of its levels.

In commenting upon Mr. Perkins' remarks The New York Commercial said:

This doctrine is not an altogether novel one. It is the foundation from such a high financial corporate quarter was no doubt unlooked for by that portion of the public not familiar with the ability, business view, and would act as part of a statesman, to the improvement of the government and administration and not to the lowering of its levels.

Mr. Perkins' mental attitude towards our great national problems, as so aptly marked by the title of his book, "The Railroads as a National Problem," is a most important matter, only as theorists or as officials now in the process of gaining the public's confidence, should have possessed at the outset. The same idea was brought out forcefully by Mr. S. H. Hadley, promoter-general of Missouri, in an address last month before the 300 and more members of the St. Louis Railway Club. He has been engaged, it will be recalled, in defending before the courts—and with great energy and marked success—legislative rates, as something that railroad men do not like; but he has also, on this occasion that he is opposed to legislative rate-making, and that he believes that rates can be fixed with justice to the railways and benefit to the public, "only by commissions having expert knowledge of transportation affairs."

Attention has repeatedly been called to the fact that the board of railway commissioners for Canada have utterly failed to fulfill the purposes for which they were created, and the Dominion Government has promised a reorganization of that body, with a view to placing it in a position to do effective work. It is therefore necessary at this time to place before them, for consideration, the views of men like those whose remarks we have quoted, who have had great experience in transportation matters—in order to counteract the opinions expressed by Dr. Mills. In view of past experience, the government will continue to appoint inexperienced men to the board of railway commissioners. The interests of the public and the railways demand the selection of experts for this important work, and if the government were to do this, the people in this respect the result will inevitably be that incalculable injury will be done to the transportation interests of the Dominion.

Many duties devolve upon the board of railway commissioners, which should be left to the local authorities. Here, and it is necessary that they should be relieved of all such work, so as to permit them to give their undivided attention to the more important transportation matters awaiting solution.

The government's doubt in earnest in their expressed intention of making a change which will result in improving the work of the board of railway commissioners, and it is hoped that they will appreciate the inability of inexperienced men to cope with the situation, and adopt the policy advocated by Messrs. Hadley and Perkins. J. H. Duthie.

### A STRIKING ACHIEVEMENT.

#### The Manufacturers' Life Shows a Record of Remarkable Progress.

The statements published in these columns a couple of days ago by the Manufacturers' Life Insurance Company calls for more than passing notice, considering the vast importance of life insurance to-day. Fifty million dollars of insurance secured before the twentieth birthday, calling for a net premium income of \$2,000,000.00, constitutes a record unequalled in Canadian life insurance. The assets of the company amount to \$9,459,230.69, invested in securities of the highest standard under the supervision of the directors chosen from the first financiers of Canada. Advantage was taken of the abnormal chances for investment during 1907, with the result that the permanent investments made during the year average over 6 1/2 per cent. interest, while the rate earned on the mean letter assets entire averaged 5.31 per cent., bringing the total income up to \$2,432,114.15.

As evidences the careful selection of risks, the death claims were, as always with the Manufacturers' Life, well within the actuarial expectation, the total payments to policyholders reaching over \$700,000.00. Despite the fact that applications were received for over \$10,000,000.00 of new insurance, the expense ratio compared to premium income was still further decreased from the low level of 1906 by 25 per cent., particularly praiseworthy achievement.

The results throughout are such as should give the very highest satisfaction to the policyholders, who may well congratulate themselves on forming part of a company winning such success in the face of an antagonistic still greater results in the future.

### TO COMBAT VACCINATION.

BROCKVILLE, Feb. 18.—(Special.)—An organization has been brought into life among the citizens of Brockville to combat compulsory vaccination, which was inaugurated during the smallpox epidemic, and has not yet been repealed by the town council.

The society has a large membership and will prosecute its aims and objects vigorously.

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### YORK LOAN JUDGMENTS IN FOUR OF THE CLASSES

Referee Kappel's Decisions in Classes 3, 6, 9 and 11—\$639,000 Involved.

George Kappel, official referee in the liquidation of the York County Loan & Savings Co., gave judgment yesterday in regard to the claims of four classes of creditors. These claims totalled \$634,168.

His judgment is as follows: "Class 3.—This is what is known as the class C certificates, which contain the provision that the shares shall be a first charge upon the securities of the company. On behalf of this class, preference is claimed. This preference is disallowed, and these certificates rank with the general body of shareholders."

"Class 6.—This class is known as the class of conversion at the time the winding-up order was made. The conversion was not effected. The holders were entitled to rank as creditors or as preference shareholders. This claim is disallowed, and these shareholders rank as ordinary shareholders."

"Class 9.—This is the class known as the class of arrears. Claims 1 and 2, on behalf of these shareholders, were held to be valid. The claim of the main class, comprising 787 shareholders, holding claims to the value of \$2,652.15, that they were entitled to rank for the full amount paid in by them without regard to lapses of arrears. This claim is disallowed, and these shareholders will rank with the general body of shareholders claiming no preference or priority."

"Class 11.—This class is known as the advanced shareholders. There were two main contentions made: (1) That these shareholders were to be deducted the amount of their loans from the amount paid in on their shares; (2) that all payments made by these shareholders in and after the date of the loan must be credited on the loan. The result is as follows: (a) There is no right of set-off as well as shares issued since then. Any advance made on shares issued prior to Sept. 10, 1903. These advances are to be credited to the shareholders payable to the shareholders. (b) All payments, however, made on shares on and after the date of the loan, must be credited on the loan. (c) A right of set-off exists on all loans made on shares issued on and after Sept. 10, 1903, being the date of the loan, as against the tabular value of the shares, as provided under a mistake or misapprehension. (d) The other questions involving lapses and arrears are all disposed of in favor of the shareholders. As these shares were all suspended from the date of the loan, they are not affected by the bylaws as to lapses and arrears for failure to meet their obligations."

"Class 11 involves \$250,000, on which \$102,000 had been paid. Nearly all of the shares issued since then, were issued before Sept. 10, 1903, so that few will benefit by the set-off allowed on the schedule of loans. If the company yields less than 70 per cent. dividend, these holdings will be practically wiped out. In some cases the shareholders may have to call on the shareholders for adverse balances."

"Four of the thirteen classes of creditors still remain to be reduced. It is expected that the whole work will be completed in a couple of weeks. Mr. Kappel will give judgment in regard to the Nova Scotia creditors on Wednesday, Feb. 25.

In the course of classifying the claims, they have been reduced to \$4,000,000, as was at first expected, they will be nearer to \$350,000.

### AT OSGOODE HALL

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR TO-DAY.

Chambers.  
Cartwright, master at 11 a.m.  
Single Court.  
The Hon. Mr. Justice Clute at 11 a.m.  
Cases set down for hearing:  
1. Re Hughson Estate.  
2. Baker v. Hoover.  
3. Re Frouth case (Henderson Roller Bearing Co.).  
4. Re McKay Estate.  
5. Little v. Royal College.  
6. Re Feeney Estate.  
7. Re Wilkin Estate.  
8. Muir v. Kelly.

Divisional Court.  
Peremptory list for 11 a.m.:  
Davidson v. Manning.  
Ellis v. Pigeon River.  
Nettelton v. Prescott.  
Gibson v. McKay.  
Roberts v. Port Arthur.  
Saveroux v. Tourangeau.

Court of Appeal.  
Peremptory list for 11 a.m.:  
1. Young v. Anderson (continued).  
2. Rossiter v. Toronto Railway Co.  
3. Cardno v. Cooper.  
4. Thompson v. Standard Mutual Fire Insurance Co.  
5. Thompson v. Equity Fire Insurance Co.

Toronto Winter Assize.  
Peremptory list for 1 a.m.:  
1. Moore v. Coburn Manly Co.  
2. Burns v. James Bay Railway.  
3. Harrison v. Home.  
4. Underhill v. Garside.  
5. O'Leary v. C.P.R. Co.

Toronto Non-Jury Sittings.  
Peremptory list for 10.30 a.m.:  
1. Davidson v. Mineral Range.  
2. Young v. Canada Mines.  
3. Toronto v. Ward.  
4. Gates v. Seagram.  
5. Palne v. Bain.  
6. Gibson v. Smith.

Action Dismissed.  
Upon consent an order was obtained from Master-in-Chambers Cartwright dismissing the action brought by the Bay Dredging Co. against George E. Worthington and the Ontario Rubber Company.

Must Attend for Examination.  
Upon application of John S. Book and John H. Boulter of Brampton to Master-in-Chambers Cartwright an order was made directing W. D. Sharpe, Brampton, respondent in certain quo warranto proceedings, together with his witnesses, to attend at their own expense for cross-examination on their affidavits filed.

Exchanged Lands.  
Andrew Murray William Woods has issued a writ against Mary E. Henry of the Province of Alberta claiming specific performance of a certain agreement between the parties as to the exchange of certain lands in the Township of Etobicoke for lands in the Province of Ontario.

Supplied the Material.  
The Excelsior Construction & Paving Co. of Toronto are being sued by Sand & Gravel Co. of Toronto for the value of materials supplied the construction company.

Railway Companies at Law.  
The C. P. R. Co. have instituted proceedings against the Grand Valley Railway Company of Brantford to recover \$304.70, being the value of a quantity of iron delivered at Drumbo to the Grand Valley Railway Co.

Bills of Exchange.  
To recover \$559.73 balance due on certain bills of exchange, the R. Laidlaw Lumber Co. have begun an action against Thomas Ruston and Pascal Pigeon, carrying on business under the name of Ruston & Pigeon.

Trouble Over Ann St. Property.  
The appeal from the divisional court judgment in the action of Foster v. Anderson is now being heard by the court of appeal. The action was brought by G. B. Foster of Toronto against Mrs. Rosina W. Anderson of Austin, Texas, to enforce the specific performance of an agreement for the sale by Mrs. Anderson of the property 22 Ann-street, at \$9000. Mrs. Anderson claimed that she had signed the agreement under a mistake or misapprehension and that Dr. Foster had not done all that he was required to do under the agreement. Judge Ritchie, who tried the action, refused specific performance on the ground that time being the essence of the contract Foster had not lived up to the terms. The divisional court reversed that judgment and directed specific performance. Mrs. Anderson is now appealing. The case is not concluded.

Indian is Not Liable.  
In the case of Amos Woodruff, an Indian on the Six Nations Reserve, near Brantford, against whom an order to pay \$1 a month towards the support of his wife was made by the local magistrate, the divisional court has given judgment setting aside the order on the ground that an Indian is not amenable to the same law regarding non-support as the white man, being a ward of the nation.

Town Must Pay for Church.  
Judgment has been handed out by Mr. Justice Teetzel in favor of the Wesleyan Methodist Church at Welland against the town. It appears that on Aug. 6, 1906, the employees of the corporation, while mending Muir-st., which the church stands, broke a natural gas main with a heavy steam roller. The gas ignited and the church was burned. The judge finds the corporation guilty of negligence and leaves the amount of the claim to be settled by a reference to the local master at Welland. The amount claimed was \$15,000.

Overdue Note.  
George J. Foy, Limited, has begun an action against J. J. Doran of the Town of Sudbury, to recover \$219 on an overdue promissory note.

Colonist Excursions.  
Commencing Feb. 25th, and continuing daily until April 25th, one-way second-class colonist tickets will be issued by the Great Trunk Railway System to the following points at \$46.05: Vancouver, B. C.; Seattle, Wash.; Spokane, Wash.; Portland, Ore. The fare to Los Angeles, Cal., San Francisco, Cal., will be \$48.00, and Mexico City will be \$53.50. For further information and tickets apply at city office, northwest corner King and Yonge-streets.

Will Speak in Berlin.  
Jas. L. Hughes has been approached by the newly formed "Canada Club" in Berlin to deliver the inaugural address some evening next week. He will comply.

All But One Saved.  
POTTSVILLE, Pa., Feb. 18.—All but one of the twenty-eight miners who were entombed in the Mid-Valley Colliery were rescued alive early this morning. One had been killed.

### THE T. EATON CO. LIMITED.

### THREE DAY MEAT SALE



Our buyer has been on the "warpath" looking for good material for another big three-day rush—the result will be seen below—Thursday, Friday and Saturday. We expect a rush. Deliveries will be closed at 7.30 and 11 a.m. and 2.30 p.m. each day. Help us serve all quickly by ordering early. Send or bring your orders.

### 1000 Quarters Choice Young Beef. 20 Tons Pea-meal Bacon.

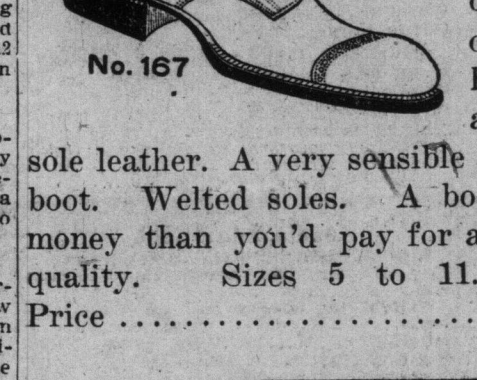
Every Cut, From Head to Tail, at Special Prices

Roasts	Bacon
Porterhouse Roast, lb. .... 15c	Bacon, cured especially for this sale, every pound guaranteed:
Sirloin Roast, centre cut, lb. .... 14c	1000 lbs. Smoked Hams, half or whole ham, lb. .... 14c
Sirloin Roast, lb. .... 12 1-2c	5000 lbs. Peamealed Side Bacon, no bone, fat or lean, lb. .... 15c
Wing Roast, lb. .... 13c	1000 lbs. Smoked Rolls, per lb. .... 11 1-2c
Rump Roast, lb. .... 10c	500 Cottage Hams, peamealed, no bone, lb. .... 15c
Round Roast, lb. .... 11c	1000 Pickled Shoulder Pork, per lb. .... 8 1-2c
Rib Roast, first 5 ribs, lb. 12 1-2c	500 Sweet Pickled Sides of Young Pork, lb. .... 12 1-2c
Rib Roast, blade cut, lb. .... 10c	300 pails of Pure Kettle Rendered Lard, 20 lbs. net, each ... \$2.65
Thick Rib Roast, lb. .... 9c	
Best Shoulder Roast, lb. .... 8c	
Chuck Roast, lb. .... 7c	

### Beef For Boiling

Brisket Boil, lb. .... 5c
Flank Boil, lb. .... 5c
Shoulder Boil, lb. .... 6c
Best Rib Boil, lb. .... 7c
Neck Boil, lb. .... 4c

### The Boot for Men Who Want Quality



A big lot of this English boot has just reached us. It has just arrived in time to supply men's mid-winter demand for strong weather proof boots. They're made of tan willow calf in the calf blucher lace style. Have half bellows tongue and thick English oak tan sole leather. A very sensible yet stylish and comfortable boot. Weltsed soles. A boot that means to you less money than you'd pay for any American boot of equal quality. Sizes 5 to 11. Try a pair Thursday. Price ..... \$4.00

### 3 Days' Collar Button Sale

An annual event that gives men price reason for laying in a whole year's supply.

READ THE FIRST-DAY OFFERS

set ..... 12c	With solid mother-of-pearl backs, set ..... 19c
2nd—1500 Gold-Filled Collar Buttons, solid and lever tops, round flat celluloid backs. These at 3 for ..... 10c	3rd—Cuff Links have got in line with the collar button outfit, and you're offered guaranteed gold-filled cuff links in raised and engraved designs, dumb-bell style, for a pair ... 17c

With pearl backs and gold-filled rims.

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### TO REDUCE MORTGAGE.

St. Alban's Cathedral to Be Relieved of \$30,000 by May 31.

An effort will be put forth to reduce the mortgage of \$30,000 on St. Alban's Cathedral by the end of May. The Cathedral Chapter met yesterday and decided to separate the church and school properties. As a consequence the mortgages will come under distinct heads. This was done so that the church property might be more readily be freed from debt.

One-fifth of the amount against this property has already been promised and the balance will be subscribed by the various interests in the Toronto Diocese by the end of May.

### Was Well-Known Jeweler.

PETROLEA, Feb. 18.—Mr. Eastler, some years ago a prominent watchmaker and jeweler for years in Sarnia and well known all over the country, died this morning.

### THE TRADERS BANK OF CANADA

### One Bank Account For Two Persons

A Joint Deposit Account is a double convenience. It may be opened in the names of two persons (husband and wife or any two members of a family), who may deposit and withdraw money over their individual names.

In case of death, the entire account becomes the property of the survivor.

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Many of our readers already know from experience of our remarkable success in the line of Ladies' Ordered Tailoring, &c., &c., and these we are sure of seeing again this season.

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KIDNAPPED HUSBAND.

Toronto Man Involved in a Sensational Case.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Feb. 18.—(Special.)—That his mother-in-law, Mrs. Emma Laycock, and his brother-in-law, Ernest Laycock of Toronto, it is alleged, kidnaped and held him a prisoner for two months aboard their private yacht Scout, while they alienated the affections of his wife, is the charge of Ernest P. Baker, who has sued each of them for \$10,000 damages.

CUT DOCKMEN'S WAGES.

Shipping Federation Combines Against Longshoremen.

MONTREAL, Feb. 18.—(Special.)—The shipping federation, taking in the ports of Montreal and Quebec, have taken the bull by the horns and will combine against the longshoremen during the coming season.

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EARLY MORNING FIRE.

About \$10,000 Damage Done in Bay St. Building.

Fire which broke out at 4:45 yesterday morning damaged the premises near the corner of Bay and Wellington-streets, known as the Cooper building, to the extent of \$10,000.

AMASSADOR LOST.

Couldn't Find His Way Out of Parliament Buildings.

OTTAWA, Feb. 18.—(Special.)—Ambassador Bryce has a habit of losing himself. When in Toronto he had to be piloted out of the mazes of the Union Station. In Ottawa yesterday the ambassador became hopelessly lost while looking for the governor-general's office in the eastern building. He was recognized by a clerk, who piloted him to his destination. A soldier was standing at Earl Grey's door.

"This is Mr. Bryce," said the clerk. "He desires to see his excellency." "Who is Mr. Bryce?" asked the soldier.

The British ambassador to the United States, said the clerk, and the soldier almost collapsed, but managed to rise to the attitude of respectful salute.

THE SAVOY

Yonge and Adelaide. HIGH-CLASS CHOCOLATES AND BON BONS See our Valentine Novelties HOT COFFEE AND COCOA ALL THE TIME Light Lunch for Business People Every Day 11 to 2.

THE WEATHER

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE, Toronto, Feb. 18.—(8 p.m.)—The depression moved last night now centred in Illinois, indicating strong winds and snow for Ontario and Quebec, and heavy rain for the Maritime Provinces. Fine, cold weather prevails throughout the western provinces.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Dawson, 8 below; Adlin, 18-24; Fort Simpson, 24-46; Victoria, 42-46; Edmonton, 2-22; Calgary, 4 below-4; Prince Albert, 4 below-14; Regina, 2 below-9; Winnipeg, 4 below-12; Port Arthur, 6-18; Parry Sound, 14 below-28; Toronto, 6-23; Ottawa, 4 below-20; Montreal, zero-10; Quebec, 2-12; St. John, 20-28; Halifax, 22-40.

Probabilities. Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Strong winds and snow, east to north, with snow. Ottawa and Upper St. Lawrence—Strong winds and snow, gradually shifting to north, with snow.

The BAROMETRE. Time. Ther. Bar. Wind. 9 a.m. 28.5 1004.0 2 S.W. 11 a.m. 28.5 1004.0 2 S.W. 1 p.m. 28.5 1004.0 2 S.W. 3 p.m. 28.5 1004.0 2 S.W. 5 p.m. 28.5 1004.0 2 S.W. 8 p.m. 28.5 1004.0 2 S.W.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS. Feb. 18. At From Devonian... Boston... Liverpool... Calcutta... Caderic... New York... Mendoza... Genoa... New York

TO-DAY IN TORONTO. Feb. 18. Royal Templars of Temperance, Zion... Ontario Fall Fairs Board, City Hall... Cowan-avenue Presbyterian Church, burning of mortgage, 3 p.m.

FUNERAL DESIGNS made up on shortest notice Moderate prices T. EATON CO. LIMITED

DEATHS. PLETT—At 45 Concord-avenue, on Tuesday, Feb. 18, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry R. Plett, a son.

BIRTHS. FORD—On Monday, Feb. 17, 1908, the beloved wife of A. Ford, in her 40th year, at her residence, 19 Lennox-avenue, at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Internment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

It is possible Mr. Frohman may call in the Toronto district, or Henry James Foreman, the latter one of the most brilliant Esperantoists in America, to collaborate with the translation of the new language.

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NEW LANGUAGE TRIUMPHS A COMEDY IN ESPERANTO

Chas. Frohman Will Make a Big Production That All the World May Enjoy.

The New York Herald prints the following London cable: "Mr. Charles Frohman will have The Morals of Marcus translated into Esperanto and announces that he expects to present it next August. Doro in the international language version of that comedy in Berlin next August. This will be the first play to have the distinction of translation and presentation in Esperanto.

It will be a fine combination of an American actress, an English play and a Russian plot. For Esperanto, you must know, was invented and is a little Warsaw play, one-man-made language. For Esperanto, you must know, was invented and is a little Warsaw play, one-man-made language.

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TOO SLENDER TO SUPPORT FOR SEAT IN COUNCIL

So Some Aldermen Think, Who Would Make Qualification Clauses More Explicit.

Whether or not the proceedings to rescind members of the city council will prove successful, there is considerable comment going on in civic circles regarding the slender basis upon which certain controllers claim property qualification.

It is nothing but a farce," is the way Ald. Chisholm expresses it. The remarks of Ald. Sanderson are even more emphatic. Referring to the very slight excess of the assessed value of one controller's holdings over the circumstance thereon, he commented that it was absurd that entry into the council should be made possible of such a basis.

A rumor that, at the next meeting of the city council motion to rescind the reduction bylaw will be submitted, could not be confirmed last night. Several of the aldermen who voted against the bylaw were spoken to, but said that they were not aware of any such movement.

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PRISON: AID WORKERS GIVE ENCOURAGEMENT

Reports and Addresses at Last Night's Annual Meeting Show Progress Made.

Thanks were expressed to the Ontario Government by Hamilton Cassels, president of the Prisoners' Aid Association, at the annual meeting held last night for financial aid during the year just completed. It was noted with satisfaction that the members of the judiciary had, in several instances, called the attention of grand juries to defects in the prison accommodation in certain districts, and the methods of dealing with prisoners which were crying out for reform.

The report was voiced that by reason of this the authorities responsible for existing conditions might be the sooner stirred up to take effective action.

In rendering aid to men and boys upon their discharge, the association had been of great service. Employment had been more difficult to secure than in former years, as a consequence of the general prosperity of the country and the various projects of the public works department. The evening schools at the Central Prison and Mercer Reformatory have been attended with fair success, and a great show of appreciation has come from the unfortunates who had the privilege of attending the classes.

The interest taken in the spiritual welfare of the inmates of the reformatory, Central Prison and the jail had been keenly felt after he left for Cadillac. He has given attention to this work.

Dr. Bruce Smith declared that the reforms advocated by the association were nearer than ever before. The British House of Commons had lately passed an act that would be suitable to Canadian conditions, and Hon. J. G. Macdonald, minister of justice, who had been handed a copy, was now giving the matter his careful attention.

Rev. Dr. Chambers, governor of the jail, suggested that a home should be provided for released prisoners, rather than allowing them to return to their former haunts.

In her report of the Bellamy Memorial Home for Girls, Mrs. M. E. Higgins, superintendent, reported that yearling inmates admitted during the year all but eight had been found homes, situated in hospitals or other institutions.

The treasurer's report showed the total receipts to be \$110,434, with a balance on hand of \$37,096.

All the officers of the association were re-elected.

MINING APPLICATIONS. Subject of Enquiry in Public Accounts Committee.

OTTAWA, Feb. 18.—The payment by P. C. Caldwell of \$115 for mining rights in the Lechbridge district was under review in the public accounts committee to-day. H. H. Rowat, head of the mining branch of the department of the interior, was examined in regard to the regulations. The regulation in force in 1896 provided that only 200 acres of land could be taken up by a prospector.

The only check of identification to prevent a party getting more than 200 acres was to write the applicant if a suspicion arose.

Caldwell first applied on behalf of himself and seven others, male and female. The application was dated at Ottawa, but was on a London, England, heading. The date was March 20, 1907, and it was said that they were in Ottawa on March 29, an application for 200 acres was made.

According to reports going the rounds, Augie Moran will be seen handling the indicator in the Eastern League circuit next season. Last season Moran officiated in the Tri-State League.

If Pete Cassidy can show Manager Stullings black and white that he is a free agent, there is little doubt that Cassidy will cover the initial bag for the Saints next season. Cassidy is anxious to play in Newark, and if he can present his certificate of freedom to Stallings the matter of his signing a contract is only a question of pen and ink. If Cassidy is secured it will probably mean that Bud Sharpe will be disposed of. While Stallings likes Cassidy, he said a few days ago that Sharpe was a mighty good first baseman, and that he also liked his style of play.—Buffalo News.

Alluring offerings from the California outlaw league have caused George Mortimer, first baseman of the New York Americans, to ask for an increase in salary before signing a contract for next season.

The advance guard of the New York Americans started Monday from New York to Hot Springs. The squad included Billy Hogg and Jack Chesbro, pitchers; Jack Klewin, catcher, and Billy Keeler, outfielder.

It is now a certainty that Abstein will cover first base next season for Providence, as a deal has been recorded with Pittsburgh to the Greys. Manager Fred Clarke of the Pirates has also disposed of Maggett to Rochester.

It reports from St. Louis are correct. President Hedges of the St. Louis Americans secured Rube Waddell from Connie Mack for a comparatively small amount. The price paid for the player is said to be \$300.

President Charley Morton of the Ohio and Pennsylvania League is being deluged with applications from men who want jobs as umpires. He says there are over one hundred names on the list. Bill Smith, the old-time Newark catcher, is among the applicants.

Pianos to Rent. Pianos rented on very reasonable terms. Six months' rent allowed in case of purchase. Heintzman & Co., 115-117 West King-street, Toronto.

Note.—The next Olympiad would likely prove a success, even without Jim Sullivan's sporting goods boosters.

Where the finest biscuit, cake, hot-breads, crusts or puddings are required Royal is indispensable.

Royal Baking Powder Absolutely Pure

Not only for rich or fine food or for special times or service. Royal is equally valuable in the preparation of plain, substantial, every-day foods, for all occasions. It makes the food more tasty, nutritious and wholesome.

THE MYSTERY CLEARED. GALT WANTS 800 H. P.

Why Anderson Ended His Life at Cobalt. Niagara Power Question There Brought to Conclusion.

DETROIT, Feb. 18.—A Grand Rapids despatch says: "The mystery of the death of R. F. Anderson, the man who shot and killed himself in Cobalt, Ont., Saturday afternoon, has been cleared up. Anderson was the township treasurer of a Mis-saukee County township, who absconded twenty months ago, \$190,000 short in his accounts. He was also postmaster at Jennings at the time of his flight.

"My husband kissed me good-by and said he was going to Cadillac to meet a traveling man," says the man's wife, who lives in this city. "That was the last I heard of him till I got a telegram from Cobalt Saturday night that he was dead."

The widow has a babe born two months after Anderson disappeared. Anderson took with him, or had previously squandered, \$900 of township money, and \$1000 he had in trust for a woman living in Jennings. All trace of him was lost after he left for Cadillac. His bondsmen made up the loss to the township.

George Shambrook. George H. Shambrook, proprietor of the Princess Hotel, for thirty-seven years mayor of Toronto, died at his sister's home, 11 Bain-avenue, yesterday, after a lingering illness. He served his apprenticeship at McLeisler's printing office, 140 Adelaide-st., on Melville-st. He was a charter member of the Printing Pressmen's Union, No. 10, and at one time was a delegate to the international convention at Philadelphia. He also held prominent offices in the union and was well favorably known. He was an Anglican in religion, and a staunch Conservative in politics. Deceased is survived by a widow.

Divorce Recommended. Senate May Grant One to Albert Walker.

OTTAWA, Feb. 18.—(Special.)—Senator G. W. Ross' proposal to appoint under secretaries was further discussed this afternoon, and the resolution withdrawn at the request of Sir Richard Cartwright, who said action could hardly be taken at once.

Senator Kinchhoff, chairman of the divorce committee, has recommended the granting of divorce to Albert Walker of York County, Ontario.

WORLD'S GREATEST. Lake Traffic Thru Detroit and Soo Rivers.

DETROIT, Feb. 18.—The Detroit River is the greatest water thoroughfare in the world. Statistics gathered by the government in 1907 show that during 1907, 23,771 vessels passed thru it, with a tonnage of 48,258,328, as compared with 24,977 vessels of 46,072,668 tons in 1906. The merchandise traffic of 1907 thru the Detroit River amounted to 67,592,504 net tons, compared with 60,578,155 net tons for 1906.

The Sault Ste. Marie Canal is the next greatest thoroughfare in the world







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We must all use laxatives

-we who eat rich foods and exercise too little. The best way to take them is a Cascaret at a time-when you need it.

You know when you need Cascarets. You feel a certain dullness, a depression-perhaps the approach of a headache.

You say, "I must take something tonight." But why do you waste the day?

It is easy to keep at your best at all times, if you'll do it. The way is to carry a box of Cascarets with you. Take one just as soon as you need it.

Then the clouds rise at once.

The need for Cascarets is a natural need. Don't think that you are drugging yourself. We must get a laxative some way. If we don't get it through exercise, and through proper food, we must get it otherwise.

Cascarets are the next best way.

Ask your Doctor about it. He will tell you that the day of the violent purgative is past. The day of pills, salts, castor oil and cathartics. This is the day of the gentle in medicine, the natural, the pleasant. Cascarets act just as certain foods act-just as exercise acts-on the bowels.

Cascarets are candy tablets. They are sold by all druggists, but never in bulk. Be sure to get the genuine, with CCC on every tablet. The price is 50 cents, 25 cents and 10 Cents per Box.

FOOLED THE CONSTABLE.

Ventriloquist Reynard Gave Exhibition of His Powers.

According to a story told by Carroll Kelley, who vouched for by Sheriff Robert W. Chanler, a zealous, but unsophisticated constable in Dutchess County had an experience with a speeding automobile last week that he for some days could not well understand, says an Albany, N.Y., paper.

Mr. Kelley is the manager of the New York Central restaurant in Poughkeepsie, has to do with the dining car service on the road, is a former sheriff of Hamilton County, Ohio, is interested in theatricals, has an extensive acquaintance with the folk who tread the boards, and loves a good joke.

For several days in the past fortnight, Mr. and Mrs. Kelley entertained at their home on Corlies-avenue, the noted ventriloquist, Ed. F. Reynard, who is appearing this week at the "Theatre, and the letter's wife, Reynard and Kelley were out on a road some distance from Poughkeepsie, speeding along at a moderate rate when they observed standing in the middle of the road ahead the figure of a man, with a shot gun to his shoulder.

"A constable," said Kelley, "this is where we have to shine." "I don't know why we should," Reynard replied, "we have not violated any speed regulations. I would call it a hold-up." Reynard was somewhat surprised.

"Why not try some of your fine work on him?" queried the former sheriff from Ohio. "What's the use of being a ventriloquist if you can't make practical use of the accomplishment?"

Reynard brought the machine to a standstill a few feet from the constable, who with an officiousness that was amusing, introduced himself as the constable of this here town, at the same time stating that the machine had been running at a rate of fifty miles an hour.

Reynard looked hard at him for a minute, then, from a pond a hundred feet back on the road, seemingly came a faint light. "What's that?" demanded Kelley, with apparent excitement, and clutching Reynard by the arm. "What must help her," he added, making desperate efforts to get out of the machine. The cries and wails of distress continued.

A woman, possibly young and pretty, was drowning. That was the only inference that could be gathered from the constable and the gurgling with which each wail was concluded.

The constable "dit." In his excitement, which was genuine, he dropped his gun in the roadway and ran back to the pond, forgetting that he was about to transact official business with the constable.

Returning to Poughkeepsie, Mr. Kelley met at the depot Sheriff Chanler, to whom he told the story. Several days later, the constable called at the sheriff's office. He related the story of the young woman who had been justly for help, and he was perplexed to know whether she had been drowned or not.

Kidney Trouble Cured

When you have been... to wet and cold weather, your muscles and bones begin to ache, your head feels full and heavy, your back aches, and you feel a general languor. It is a sure sign of Grippe and you need a good medicine that will give relief quickly.

A lady sufferer writes: "I have suffered from these distressing ailments, colds and kidney trouble, for years. This winter I made the discovery that a very simple thing called Tar-oil-Grippe and colds in general, and in most cases that kidney trouble and backache in the winter time is due to a cold and a little thought if I could keep myself from having a severe cold I would be able to pass this winter without the dreaded backache and kidney trouble. I have succeeded and now give this simple mixture to all sufferers. It is as follows:

One ounce Tar-oil. One ounce Compound Syrup of White Pine. One ounce glycerine. One ounce Fluid Extract of Licorice.

You can procure these ingredients at any drug store at small cost and by adding three ounces of boiled water you have the preparation complete as it cured me. The dose is a dessertspoonful every two or three hours.

AT SEA IN OPEN BOAT.

Frightful Sufferings of Survivors of a Wrecked Ship.

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 18.-A dispatch from Neah Bay says: The crew of the little six ton sloop Teekla, lying at anchor here, were started last night by a feeble hail from a steel lifeboat drawing up slowly in the light breeze. In the boat were the forms of four men, three living and one dead, survivors of the Emily Reed, wrecked off the coast of Oregon, 200 miles from Neah Bay.

The dead man was the ship's cook. He had drunk sea water, became delirious and succumbed. The three living survivors were in frightful condition. Their tongues were swollen from thirst so that at first they could scarcely articulate. They had had no food since last Sunday night or any water since they left the wreck of the Reed Friday morning.

Would Entail Expense. BRISTOL, Feb. 18.-Lord Wintercoke, chairman of the Imperial Tobacco Co., at the annual meeting of the company to-day, made reference to the recent indictment in the United States of the American Tobacco Co. He said that both the British and the American companies had been joined in the indictment by the American court, the directors of the Imperial company had been advised illegally that they had done nothing contrary to the laws of the United States.

In spite of this, however, the chairman said the indictment would entail considerable expense to the English company.

Fatal Fires. JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Feb. 18.-Mrs. Edward Lutzenburg was burned to death and her son Joseph probably fatally injured in a fire which broke out in a house at the corner of Town of Barnesboro, near here. The fire destroyed two stores, two dwelling houses and the Globe Hotel.

At York, Pa., Mrs. Isaac Harrington was suffocated while trying to save her grandchild from a burning house. The infant also died.

Terrorists on the Run. ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 18.-The appointment of General Von Boeckman to the governor of Finland has produced a great degree of excitement among the revolutionists and terrorists, who, in the past have found Finland a convenient base of operations.

Lincoln Bank Denies. NEW YORK, Feb. 18.-The Lincoln National Bank gave out a statement to-day, vigorously denying published statements that it had paid forged pay cheques of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Co., amounting to \$180,000. The bank says it has received every assurance from the officers of the railroad that every cheque passing thru the bank was a bona fide one.

Big Strike. LONDON, Feb. 18.-The shipbuilding strike along the Tyne, which already has lasted a month, is likely to be greatly extended, first by a lockout, which comes into effect at the end of the present week, and second, by a strike of the allied trade engineers, who have voted by an overwhelming majority against a reduction of wages.

Priests Killed by Car. DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 18.-Rev. Father Andrew Salmon was instantly killed and Father Murphy fatally injured at South Bend, Ind., when their cutter was struck by an electric car. They were caught between a snow drift and a sand bank.

A Good Example. The employees of The Lowndes Company, limited, makers of Twentieth Century Brand clothes, have started a weekly subscription, the proceeds to be equally divided between the Christian and Jewish missions to assist in providing free dinner for the unemployed of the city.

Must Die. ALBANY, Feb. 18.-The court of appeals decreed that Chester Gillette of Portland must die in the electric chair for the murder of Grace Brown in July, 1906.

Coal for the South. PITTSBURG, Pa., Feb. 18.-Over 5,000,000 bushels of coal will be shipped from this city to-day and to-morrow to southern markets. The shipments at this time are made possible by high river stages.

GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC CLASH WITH M'BRIDE

Premier of Coast Province Wants Every Fourth Lot at Prince Rupert Without String on It.

MONTREAL, Feb. 18.-[Special.]—The following is said on excellent authority to be the result of William Wainwright's visit to the Province of British Columbia. It appears that the coast province claims that in the case where the Indians cease to use the reservation they in consequence cease to be wards of the federal government, the lands in this case reverting to the province.

At Prince Rupert the local government asks for every fourth lot. The Grand Trunk Pacific, however, agrees to your demand, but want to build a model city. We wish to have the handling of all the property, reserving to the province from time to time the proceeds of sales. To this counter proposition it appears that Premier McBride refuses to agree, and hence the hitch.

It is also stated that the tie-up will cause some delay in the granting of the hundred acre tract from Prince Rupert, eastward, for which tenders have been in since the sixth of January.

TACK THRU CHILD'S TONGUE. Humane Investigator Story of Cruelty.

UHRRICHVILLE, Ohio, Feb. 18.-Humane Officer Jackson to-day swore out a warrant in New Philadelphia for Miss Clara Stirling, 24 years old, a teacher at the County Children's Home. Jackson declares Miss Stirling took thru the tongue of 8-year-old Simpson Fowler, an inmate of the home.

The affair was made public by R. W. Chapman, the janitor, who declares he saw the occurrence. The humane officer investigated and says the child was punished with the tack since October, 1895. He was Miss Stirling is a niece of Superintendent Nugent of the home.

DR. J. SLOANE, FRENZIED FINANCIER, A CANADIAN

Attempted Suicide and Morphine Poisoning Accident in Windsor District—Unseated Trustees.

WINDSOR, Feb. 18.-[Special.]—Dr. J. Byron Sloane, who is under arrest at Los Angeles for alleged fraud in connection with a mining scheme, and will be brought back to Detroit, was raised in Mersea Township, and 17 years ago ran a creamery in Leaning, Mich. He later spoke with Detroit and Chicago people out of \$300,000.

George Burling, sr., attempted suicide by shooting himself in the head. He was despondent over depleted finances and illness. The doctors say he will not likely recover. A warrant proceedings have been taken to unseat three village trustees of Harrow. The relator is Frank Slingard, who alleges the trustees entered in a contract for lighting the village.

L. N. Castanier, a veteran clerk of the customs department, took an overdose of morphine while in a local hotel this afternoon, and is not expected to recover. It is alleged he was addicted to the use of the drug, and had no suicidal intentions.

A LAWLESS TRIO. Twice Break Into Man's House and Assault Him.

William Howard, Eastern-avenue, was arrested by County Constable Robt. Burns, charged with breaking into the house of George Brown, 135 Reid-avenue, Saturday night.

Mr. Howard, who alleges the encounter was amusing himself with a photograph. Two men burst in his door and one of them announced that he had a year and was arrested here on a charge of vagrancy. He was given a month in jail to await the arrival of the inspecting officer. The period of confinement does not expire until Feb. 23, and the local police magistrate and the governor of the jail refused to liberate the prisoner. Mr. Devin had to go away without his man.

Factory Fire in Pittsburgh. PITTSBURG, Feb. 18.-An explosion of turpentine on the fourth floor of the Capital trunk and bag factory, 1019 1/2 Victoria street, to-day, started a fire which caused a loss of \$80,000.

The trunk factory was completely destroyed and an adjoining residence tumbled into the flames, and five other residences and the factory of the Eagle Trunk Co. were damaged.

One employee was slightly burned and 40 others had narrow escapes from a second and more violent explosion.

Empire Club. On Thursday the guest will be Rev. J. J. McDonald, and next day will be "Why the Business Men and Churches are Getting Closer Together."

ROYAL TEMPLARS MEET MEMBERSHIP INCREASES

But There's a Need for More Funds—Toronto Aldermen Commended.

The grand council of Ontario of the Royal Templars of Temperance began its twenty-sixth annual session in Zion Congregational Church yesterday.

Devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. W. P. Fletcher of Drayton, after which the council assembled under the presidency of W. J. Armstrong of Toronto Junction, grand councillor of the order.

In his report, Mr. Armstrong referred to the three-fifths clause as unfair, and expressed the hope that the committee on temperance and prohibition would bring in a strong recommendation urging the legislature to amend the law in this respect.

"Toronto is a city of temperance," he said, "and it is a sample of what can be accomplished," the report continued, "by having true temperance men on the council board. Thirty-four licenses have been cut off, and that means that many traps closed. Much of the credit is due to our Do-Right committee, Bro. James Hales, and other members of our order, who are on the council. It is always well to have good and true men in all our councils, and this can only be done by temperance people supporting them in preference to others."

The grand secretary's report, presented by W. M. McMillan of Hamilton, showed a membership in the order of 684, an increase of one year of 177. There are 111 councils.

The general fund showed a net deficit of \$1233. In regard to finances the report said: "The problem and the excess of the present revenue are absolutely necessary if we are to work for the order as to be carried on."

During the past year \$405 was paid in sick and funeral benefit claims and the department shows a surplus of \$2964. Of this surplus, \$482 represents \$600 of Toronto bonds at 3-1/2 per cent, \$300 a loan to the general fund and \$1083 cash in bank.

OHIO FOR BRYAN. COLUMBUS, Ohio, Feb. 18.-The Democratic state convention met and adopted resolutions endorsing William J. Bryan for the nomination for president.

Arrest Insurance Broker. PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 18.-On a warrant charging him with the forgery of a \$20,000 cheque on a Quaker Town National Bank, Lewis S. Cox, aged 63, an insurance broker, was arrested here to-day after a struggle with two detectives.

Other arrests are expected.

Wireless Station Burned. PARIS, Feb. 18.-The wireless telegraph station which was erected recently along the Eiffel Tower was burned to-day.

The tower itself was not damaged. This station was built with the idea of long distance communication between Paris and other points, including New York.

Believes in Shipbuilding. Extract from the letter of a prominent manufacturer to The World.

"We are very much pleased, indeed, that you are advocating the encouragement of the shipbuilding industry in Canada.

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DR. WOODS' NORWAY PINE SYRUP

Contains all the wonderful lung-healing virtues of the Norway pine tree and cures Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis and all Throat and Lung Troubles.

Do Not Accept Dangerous Substitutes

There is nothing "just as good" as Dr. Wood's. Put up in a yellow wrapper; three pine trees the trade mark; the price is 25 cents.

COLD SETTLED ON THE LUNGS

Mrs. Irwin Bennett, Parrsboro, N.S., writes: "I feel it my duty to write a few words in praise of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. I took a bad cold, which settled on my lungs, and made it almost impossible to breathe at times. I coughed constantly and could not sleep at nights. A friend told me how Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup had helped her, so I procured some, and before I had taken one bottle my cough was gone and I could lie down and sleep at night."

DOZEN MEN ESCAPE DEATH. Were Caught in Tunnel—Out Just in Time.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., Feb. 18.-An ice jam in the Lehigh River near Nesquehoning, almost resulted in the drowning of a dozen workmen who were driving a tunnel to drain the water from the mines of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Co.

The jam formed near the mouth of the tunnel and the river overflowing, washed large pieces of ice into the tunnel and filled it to a depth of five feet before the rockmen were aware of their danger. They were able to wade out with great difficulty and shortly after their escape the tunnel was completely filled.

ORDER FOR NEW ELECTION. Outcome of Action to Unseat Councilors.

CHATHAM, Feb. 18.-[Special.]—On an agreement being filed by the parties concerned, Judge Bell to-day made an order for a new election in Raleigh, which the whole township council of that place resigning in a body. The date for the by-election will be set by Sheriff Gemmill.

This order is the outcome of the action brought against Letson, Andrew Pardo and James Wellwood, recently elected councilors of Raleigh, by Jeremiah Shreve, a colored candidate, who was defeated in the recent elections. Shreve-claimed that there were corrupt practices, irregularities, etc., and the only evidence taken at the trial was that of Clerk Robinson of the Township of Raleigh.

His disclosures showed that certificates were indiscriminately issued to agents of the several parties concerned, and that a number of parties voted who had no legal right to do so. Judge Bell ordered that the respondents should pay the full costs of the proceedings. O. L. Lewis, K.C., appeared for Letson, Jeremiah Shreve, and J. G. Kerr appeared for the respondents, Pardo and Wellwood.

Speaker Joe's Boom. WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.-Speaker Cannon's presidential boom received marked impetus in the house of representatives to-day when Mr. Bewell, his colleague from Illinois, brought the subject to the fore as the climax of a half hour's speech. His remarks were based on the fact that to-day was the third anniversary of Mr. Cannon's first speech in the house.

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Keen disappointment was felt on all sides when the speaker made no reply. He stepped from the rostrum, and Mr. Bewell spoke with enthusiasm, and when he closed with the remark that within the next few months "the plain people of the country would join in conferring upon him the nation's final honor," the speaker was accorded a great demonstration.

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Ashpode's First White Child. PETERBORO, Feb. 18.-[Special.]—The death occurred on Feb. 13 of Pertine Maitland Cameron, who had the distinction of being the first white child born in Ashpode Township, Peterborough County. He was born near Rice Lake on Oct. 11, 1821.

Sold Milk in Dirty Can. ALEX ARNOLD, a milkman, 325 Howland-avenue, was fined \$5 and costs in the afternoon police court yesterday for delivering milk in a dirty can. Arnold's defence was that he had bought the can in the morning and had no time to clean it.

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MARKETS ARE INACTIVE FLUCTUATIONS NARROW

Mo. P. and Others Make New Low Levels on N. Y. Market -Toronto Exchange Tame.

World Office, Feb. 18. Tuesday Evening, Feb. 18. The Toronto Stock Exchange, from a speculative standpoint, was about as tame to-day as it could possibly be. Very few brokers had any orders on hand for the speculative shares, and the attendance at the exchange was consequently light. There was an attempt to make something out of the new electrical movement to bolster up Toronto Railway, but this was primarily from Montreal. The annual statement of the Nova Scotia Steel Company brought no new demand for these shares. Speculation in the market was sentimentally influenced by Wall-street, and this lent no encouragement to those out of the market to go long of securities. In the only active issues there is enough short interest to keep prices intact, and until liquidation ensues the deadwood cannot be broken except by a covering movement. In the investment department there was some small buying, but prices even here were sentimentally influenced by the apathy in other securities.

Wall Street Pointers. The average price realized for New York City bonds 41-2s was 104.22.

London market was generally heavy, and foreign bourses were lower on uncertainty of Balkan situation.

Chicago packers claim that normal forces are now at work.

Steel earnings for January were about the same as in December. Improvement should begin to show in March.

Rogers, Brown & Co. say that pig iron market at Pittsburgh shows improvement during past week.

Furnaces are resuming in Pennsylvania.

The regular quarterly dividend of 11.4 per cent. has been declared on Sloss-Sheffield common.

At next Saturday is Washington's Birthday a legal holiday bank statement will be published on Friday at noon, instead of Saturday.

ALBANY.—The assembly this afternoon killed the Coney Island five-cent fare bill by recommending by a party vote to the railroad committee.

Joseph says: General rally following the success of the city bond issue is assured. Specialties: Union Pacific is very cheap. Average Steels. Buy L. & N. for turns.

LONDON.—It is understood that arrangements are in progress for the underwriting of a new Canadian loan. It will be for \$2,000,000 and bear 3 1/2 per cent. interest. Part of the proceeds will be required for the redemption of 4 per cent. Dominion bonds due in April.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—The metal markets showed further weakness. The downward tendency continued in copper with another reduction of 1-4 in all grades and the early production of 12,000 copper, made some time ago, looks very bright. Tin fell nearly 1c in bid. Very spot and nearby deliveries, although the market price was still unchanged.

Rallying tendency of Monday afternoon seem likely to meet with opposition on moderate extension to-day. Evidence of indications of further specific liquidation, and those courageous enough to buy on the heaviness yesterday should not neglect small profits.

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An attempt to diagnose to-day's local stock market would be exceedingly difficult. The only thing that could be said about it is that speculation has become absolutely stagnant. The public is becoming an unknown quantity in the dealings, and without this, room traders are finding it difficult to scalp eighths, and this without providing commissions. The apparently good annual statement of the Nova Scotia Steel Company had no reflection on the market for these shares. The movement in Toronto Railway, which, by the way, was more that of quotations than transactions, might be interpreted as an attempt to make something out of the latest announcement in the Electrical Development Company. The whole market, outside of the investment department, spells, if anything, lack of confidence. What will be the outcome? Brokers who are not committed to clients talk for distinctly lower prices for speculative shares.

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The Provincial Railway. The report of the Temiskaming & Northern Ontario Railroad will be laid before the legislature shortly. It will show earnings of \$208,107.73 during the past year, as compared with \$191,598.27 the year before; an increase of \$16,509.46.

Lane to be Closed. Judge Winchester has given judgment at the city's request in favor of the closing of the lane running east from Ontario-street, about midway between Winchester and Prospect-streets, and refusing compensation to J. H. Horswell, who alone opposed the change.

Good Roads for Huron. The County of Huron has notified the Ontario department of public works that its council will hold a special meeting to consider the advisability of participating in the good roads grant by assuming and improving county roads.

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MARKETS ARE STILL WEAK FOR THE GRAIN OPTIONS

Wheat Futures Make New Low Levels at Chicago and Liverpool.

At Chicago, May wheat closed 1/4c lower than yesterday.

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Winnipeg Wheat Market

Following are the closing quotations on Winnipeg grain futures today.

Wheat—Feb. 1968 bid, May 1968 bid, Oct.—Feb. 56c bid, May 60c.

Toronto Sugar Market. St. Lawrence sugars are quoted as follows.

New York Sugar Market. Sugar—Raw, steady; fair refining, 3 1/2c.

Chicago Markets. Marshall, Spader & Co. (J. G. Beatty), King Edward Hotel, reported the following.

Wheat—Open. High. Low. Close. May 1968 92 92 91 91 1/2.

Chicago Cattle Market. Marshall, Spader & Co. wired to J. G. Beatty at the close.

There were no feeders or stockers offered. Milk and springers sold at \$30 to \$30 1/2.

Sheep and Lambs. Sheep sold at \$4 to \$4 1/2; lambs at \$5.50 to \$6.

Hogs. Mr. Harris reports the hog market weak at unchanged quotations.

Representative Sales. Maybee, Wilson & Hall sold 13 butchers, 102 lbs. each.

ARE DIVIDENDS WITH ELDO? Brokers Claim That Many Companies Should Make Returns.

James A. McIlwain, mining broker, writes as follows: A great deal of credit should be given to the new directors of the New Temiskaming Mining Company.

Liverpool Grain and Produce. LIVERPOOL, Feb. 18.—Closing—Wheat—Spring wheat, 100s, 100s, 100s.

New York Grain and Produce. NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Flour—Receipts, 24,228; exports, 2151; sales, 2800.

FARM PRODUCE WHOLESALE. The prices quoted below are for first quality, lower grades are bought at correspondingly lower quotations.

Hay, car lots, ton, bales, \$10.00 to \$11.00. Potatoes, car lots, 9.50 to 10.00.

Wool. Hides and Tallow. Prices revised daily by E. T. Carter & Co., 8 Front Street East.

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TEMISKAMING FIRMER OTHER ISSUES DULL

Good Buying of Foster Reported at New York—Investors Picking Up Standard Shares.

World Office, Tuesday Evening, Feb. 18. The market for Cobalt securities showed little change to-day.

Standard Stock and Mining Exchange. Cobalt Stocks—Asked. Bid. Amalgamated 5 1/2 5 1/2.

Toronto Stock Exchange Unlisted Securities. Green-Meehan Mining Co., Sell. Buy. Peterson Lake 1 1/2 1 1/2.

Atlantic City's Spring Season. The spring season at Atlantic City opens on Feb. 22.

Three Years and Twenty Laeas. Three years and twenty laeas was the portion meted out by the magistrates to Joseph Tanko.

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Scheme for Refinancing the Electrical Development Company is Suggestive of Ideas.

To say that the announcement of the proposed new financing of the Electrical Development Company created a furor in Toronto financial circles would be stating what is not a fact.

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