

Sporting World.

The Champion English Racquet Player Gets a \$10,000 Stake.

McLaurin Wins the Canadian Checker Championship.

Baseball Player Fatally Hurt - F. O. Meyers of Kingston, Ont. Breaks a World's Cycling Record.

LAOROSSE.

BECOMING A COLLEGE GAME. Lacrosse is becoming popular among collegians, and it is expected that a new intercollegiate league will soon be formed to put this branch of sport on an equal footing with other pastimes. Columbia is getting candidates together for a team. Harvard, Cornell, Stevens, Johns Hopkins, Lehigh and the colleges of the city of New York already have teams. Yale and Pennsylvania are also organizing teams.

McLaurin Becomes Champion By Default.

The championship checker contest between James Dykes, of Windsor, Ont., and James McLaurin, of Toronto, was decided on Saturday in McLaurin's favor. The match was awarded to McLaurin because he was one of those interested in the contest are disappointed. It was decided in signing the agreement that the games should commence at 2 p.m. each day. On Saturday Dykes did not put in an appearance at the hall at that time. McLaurin waited for some time, and then claimed the match by default. D. H. Bedford, who was acting as referee, decided that McLaurin should be awarded the championship.

A number of checker enthusiasts stated after the match had been decided that it was a very unsatisfactory way to settle the matter, and that they would prefer that the match had been completed. Dykes was interviewed after the match had been decided, and he was very despondent over the result. He said that McLaurin had the match won, and should have played the games out. He would have been satisfied to surrender the championship to McLaurin if he had played all the games, as he had held it for eighteen years, and he was willing to allow McLaurin to be his successor. He was deeply affected by the outcome, and almost wept when he realized that he no longer was champion of Canada. He said that he was immediately going to Montreal to play a man from Nova Scotia, and if he won, would then challenge McLaurin to a match for a big side bet, and would at once post a forfeit. The Windsor club is not satisfied with the outcome, and McLaurin is off with it.

RACQUET. WON \$10,000.

Peter Latham, the champion racquet player of England, beat George Standing at the Racquet and Tennis Club in New York on Saturday by a score of 4 games to 3, and thus won the match and the stake of \$10,000.

THE TURF.

RACING IN ENGLAND. London, Nov. 28.—At Saturday's racing of the Manchester November meeting Mr. J. B. Leigh's 3-year-old bay colt Manxman, ridden by Ted Sloane, won the Farewell weight handicap plate of 4 sovereigns. Sloane, riding Mr. D. Cooper's 2-year-old chestnut colt Le Javelot, finished first for the Syndicate plate of 100 sovereigns.

Marther IV, with Ted Sloane up, won the Saturday welter handicap plate of 100 sovereigns.

The November handicap was won by Sir H. Farquhar's 3-year-old filly Asteria, and the Lordard-Beresford stable's 5-year-old chestnut horse Keenan, ridden by Sloane, was second. This race is of 1,500 sovereigns, for 3-year-olds and upwards.

Mr. Alexander's brown colt Ravelaw Castle, ridden by Ted Sloane, won the final plate.

WHEEL.

MYERS IS ROAD KING.

Kingston, Ont., Nov. 28.—F. O. Meyers, the Canadian road racing champion, has broken a world's record. On Friday he covered 50 miles, from Belleville to Kingston in 2:07 hours, at a 24-mile per hour clip. His record was held by L. C. Wahl, Colonial Springs, Cal., at 2:15 hours. Meyers' record reads: Fifty miles in 2:07 hours; 100 miles in 4:15 hours.

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WET WEATHER.

The dangers of exposure to cold and damp vividly portrayed by one who has experienced them.

Mr. John Conboy, 250 Sidney Street, St. John, N.B., talked to our reporter about his experience with kidney trouble, and his recent remarkable cure by Doan's Kidney Pills. Mr. Conboy's statement reads as follows:—

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5:22 hours; 200 miles in 12:29 hours. This season he has covered 11,200 miles; average time per century, 9 hours; 9,000 miles within three months, and 1,200 miles within eight days.

SPOKES.

Terry Hale, the champion long distance bicycle rider of the world, arrived in New York yesterday on the Cunard liner Etruria, and will be one of the starters in the six-day bicycle race to begin at the Madison Square Garden on Dec. 6. Hale won the six-day contest at Madison Square Garden last year.

Carbonate of lime rubbed on the tire is said to prevent side slip without injuring the tire.

A Rochester man is said to have received \$45,000 for a patent on a chainless bicycle of entirely new design.

J. A. S. Heath, of Philadelphia, has sent 2,500 applications for membership to the L. A. W. since last spring.

Wales threatens to send another phenomenon over here next spring. This rider is "Teddy" James, whose friends say he is every whit as fast as Jimmy Michael.

Regarding the world's championship meet of the International Cyclists' Association being held at Toronto in 1899, Mr. Orr expresses himself as confident that the C. W. A. can obtain the privilege of holding the meet.

A statistician has computed that there are 10,000,000 wheels in use in the world and he says that if they were placed in one procession, with thirty passing a minute, it would take nearly a year, day and night, in passing a wheel.

FOOTBALL.

SPICED HIS EAR.

Joseph Price, one of the members of the St. Thomas football team, met with an accident during the last game at Atlantic Park, while running with the ball, he tripped and fell, and another running after him stepped on his ear. The wound inflicted was sewed up by a physician, four stitches being required.

BASEBALL.

A PLAYER FATALLY HURT.

Samuel B. McKee, of Washington township, Indiana, county, Pennsylvania, died on Saturday from the result of injuries received a week previous in a baseball game at Port Huron. He ran from first to second base and collided with the baseman. The above report comes from Pittsburgh. Some football enthusiasts should propound the query as to whether baseball is not a brutal game.

FLYS.

The Texas League salary limit for 1898 will be \$800.

Pitcher Lewis, of the Boston club, is going to follow in Billy Sunday's steps and become an evangelist.

Tony Mullane, Fred Pfeffer and Bob Clark, all ex-players, will be found among the applicants for a place on the league umpire staff.

Arlie Latham has not been reserved by Mansfield, and is trying to get back into either the National League or one of the class A leagues as a first baseman, which position he played right up to the handle last season.

It is expected that at the next meeting of the National League, Dr. George H. Brown, of Port Huron, will be elected president, and Mr. Cal Davis, of Hamilton, secretary-treasurer. Charles Cushman, the old Toronto manager, is mentioned as a possibility on N. E. Young's staff of National League umpires. Cushman was one of the best umpires in the Western League this year.

ATHLETICS.

At New York, on Saturday night, Larry Becker, of Bayonne, N. J., and Jack Delaney, fought 15 rounds to a draw. Becker did most of the beating, and many thought he should have had the decision, but Delaney was strong in the last round, and showed good staying powers, which gained him a draw.

CURLING.

THE WALKER CUP.

The Messrs. Walker, of Walkerville, will offer a silver cup, to be competed for by the curling clubs of Ontario. Wm. Robbins, secretary for the Walkers, has consulted the members of the Windsor club as to the conditions of the cup should be made and what the inscription should be. He offered a number of suggestions, and the club will take action in the near future.

CUT HIS CORN AND DIED.

Man Poisoned by a Knife Used to Sharpen a Pencil.

Yonkers, N. Y., Nov. 28.—John Renahan, a well-known insurance agent in this city, is dead in St. Joseph's Hospital, of blood poisoning, which resulted from having cut a corn on his foot two weeks ago with the blade of a knife which he had used to sharpen an indelible lead pencil.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The Finnegan Fortune Company has disbanded.

Sam Hanna, a well-known farmer, of Griswold, Man., was found dead in a well upon his farm north of that place.

Heads of the large Trans-Atlantic steamship lines are considering the best method of organization for the purpose of getting an appropriation in the next session of congress to deepen the ship channel of New York harbor to 35 feet.

Trainer Eddie White, who for some time has been head trainer of the Henrich horses, was married the other evening at Hamilton to an estimable young lady, Miss Mary Johnstone, though a young man, he has been thirteen years in Mr. Hendrie's employ.

The Detroit Chamber of Commerce Building will be sold next Wednesday under the hammer, in default of payment of a first mortgage of \$400,000 and interest held by the New York Life Insurance Company. The structure is thirteen stories high, appraised by experts to be worth \$800,000.

Mr. George Munroe has purchased from Edward Orange, administrator of the estate of George McIntyre, deceased, 100 acres, being the north half of lot 21, in the 14th concession of Metcalf, for \$3,000.

The trustees and quarterly boards of the St. Thomas Central Methodist Church have unanimously decided to extend a call to the pastorate to Rev. W. Walwin, of Lucknow. The evangelists, Rev. Messrs. Hunter and Crossley spoke in the highest terms of Mr. Walwin.

Yeoman's Weather Strips stop that crack.

In Cupid's Realm.

Marriage of a Hamilton Couple Aged 80 and 62.

A Centenarian Couple Celebrate the 88th Anniversary of Their Wedding.

It Pays to Advertise - Wedding at Janesville, Wis., Due to a Newspaper Publication.

Hamilton Times: Cupid got in a fine shot in this city this (Saturday) morning, sending his pretty little arrows to the hearts of an aged and estimable couple.

Rev. Mr. MacWilliams, at his residence, on Victoria avenue north, at 11 o'clock, married Mr. Francis Anderson, a wealthy widower of St. Marys, who is 80 years of age, to the groom, and Mrs. Lottridge, widow of the late Mr. Lewis Lottridge, a beautiful young person, at least, to see those two happy old folks promising to support each other to the end of life's journey.

ONLY TWELVE HOURS' COURTSHIP.

A press dispatch says the couple were married after a courtship of less than twelve hours. Mr. Anderson is reported to be worth \$30,000, came down to Hamilton to spend Thanksgiving with his family, and for the first time on Friday afternoon. Mrs. Lottridge's first husband is deceased less than a year, and the widower buried his wife about eleven months since.

LOVE IS EVER YOUNG.

Elkton, Mich., Nov. 28.—Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hilcy, aged respectively 106 and 107, have just celebrated their 88th wedding anniversary. The husband is quite hale and hearty, but the wife is poorly, having lost her sight. The love and sympathy between the aged couple are as strong as on the wedding day.

MARRIED FOR HALF A CENTURY.

St. Marys, Nov. 28.—Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Wood celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their residence in the township of Thunders Bay. Most of the estimable couple's sons are in attendance with their families, as follows: W. B. Wood and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Wood and family, T. L. Wood and family, J. D. Wood and family. The other members of the family will participate in the happy reunion.

Mrs. P. J. Caspel, St. Marys, at whose house the celebration took place; J. W. Wood, St. Marys; Mrs. F. J. Davis, Cainsville; Mrs. T. Patterson, Nissour, and Mrs. P. T. Hall, Winchelsea. The reunion was a thoroughly enjoyable affair. The children and their respective parents, with their carriages and carriages, were present as souvenirs of the notable occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood, sen., were married in Aberdeen, Scotland, just half a century ago Thanksgiving Day. A wide circle of friends will extend congratulations to the happy pair.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE.

Janesville, Wis., Nov. 28.—Levi Loshbough, a wealthy farmer of Belvidere, Ill., and Mrs. Mary Frances Stoops, of Minneapolis, Minn., were married by Justice M. P. Richardson. An advertisement in a matrimonial paper of Minneapolis had secured for them 300 acres of land at Belvidere, while the bride owns a row of flats in Minneapolis. The ceremony was performed at the railroad hotel, the parties meeting here by appointment.

Casualties.

Farmer Stricken Down While Feeding the Cattle.

A Lady Drowned at Smith's Falls—Two Duck Hunters Lost Their Lives—Killed by a Snow-Slide.

Walkerton, Nov. 28.—Patrick O'Brien arose the other morning, ate a hearty breakfast, and went out to feed the cattle and do the chores around the barn. While doing this he was seized with heart disease and dropped dead.

Nelson, B. C., Nov. 28.—Jos. McGibbon, a miner, employed on the Red Fox, was killed by a snowslide Saturday night. McGibbon was on his way from his cabin to the Red Fox tunnel, when he was caught by a small slide and was carried to the bottom of the lowest basin.

Florence, Ont., Nov. 28.—Mrs. Jos. Tully lost her life Saturday at Smith's Falls, seven miles from here. Mr. Henry Tully, in company with his sister-in-law, started to cross the river on a raft, which had been used for two years for carrying lumber. The high water the current was too swift, for safety, and Mr. Tully, when about half-way over, determined to return, when, in so doing, one of the posts in the raft gave way, and Mrs. Tully was thrown into the water. Mr. Tully plunged into the water after her, and made a desperate fight to save her, but the water was too cold and he barely escaped with his life. The body was found a quarter of a mile down the stream. Deceased was 32 years of age, and leaves two girls, 5 and 8 years old, respectively.

HUNTERS DROWNED.

Kingston, Ont., Nov. 28.—On Wednesday, George Cole, postmaster, Big Island, and Wm. Morden, went out duck-shooting in Bag Bay, stating that they would return the same day, when they failed to return. Searching parties went out, but failed to find any trace of them or their boat, until Saturday, when their hats and a pair of oars were found floating in the bay. Cole was a married man with two children. Morden was a young man and unmarried.

Toronto, Nov. 28.—Mrs. Hern, 43 years of age, committed suicide at the house of Deputy Reeve Stubbard, in Eglinton, five miles north of Toronto, Saturday. She was discovered by a Miss Brady, who, on rising, at 7 o'clock, left Mrs. Hern in bed. At 8 o'clock she returned to find her hanging from a beam by a strap around her neck. Mrs. Hern, who was separated from her husband, leaves one child.

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A Furious Gale.

Strews the Coast of England with Many Wrecks.

A Score of Bodies Washed Ashore and Many Vessels Believed to Have Gone Down with All on Board—All the Coast Towns Suffer.

London, Nov. 28.—A heavy north-west gale with terrific hail squalls has done much damage at Holyhead and near Liverpool. Many yachts and small craft have been sunk at their moorings, and some buildings have been injured.

The gale, which swept the English coasts yesterday, doing much damage at Holyhead and other places, raged all night long and had not abated in fury this morning, when it amounted to almost a cyclone in many places, and was accompanied by snow and hail.

A long list of fatalities, wrecks, and damage to property has already been received. All the coast towns have suffered, and a score of bodies have been washed ashore. Falling walls and flying debris have added to the loss of life and property.

Vessels are reported ashore on every part of the coast, and many ships are known to have foundered with the probable loss of all hands. There is much wreckage about the Goodwin Sands.

At Lowestoft, Yarmouth, and elsewhere the sea is high, and the waves are breaking over the sea walls and the esplanades and doing other serious damage. The sea wall at Scarborough has been washed away, and the passengers and mail services across the channel have been for the most part suspended.

COMING LEGAL CHANGES.

Report That Mr. Justice Robertson is Going Off the Bench.

Toronto, Nov. 28.—It is said that Chief Justice Sir Thomas Wardlaw Taylor, formerly master-in-ordinary of the high court of justice at Toronto, and now chief justice of Manitoba, has decided to retire on account of ill-health, and will be succeeded by Mr. Thomas Hodgins, Q.C., the present master-in-ordinary of the high court in Ontario. It is also reported that Mr. Justice Robertson is about to resign his office, and will be replaced by Mr. D. C. O'Brien.

A MYSTERY SOLVED.

Remains of a Missing Woman Discovered - Checked to Death by Her Husband.

Chicago, Nov. 28.—The mystery surrounding the disappearance of Mrs. Pauline Merry from her home at No. 50 Hope street, was solved yesterday afternoon by the confession of Thomas Hickey, a notorious criminal, who had been in the city for some time.

Hickey told a revolting story of how Christopher Merry choked and beat his wife a week ago last Friday. Then he buried her beneath a few inches of loose dirt by the roadside.

The horrible story told by Hickey was extorted from him after hours of questioning, appropriating on a part of police to an uninhabited portion of the city, where Mrs. Merry's body was buried beneath a few inches of loose dirt by the roadside.

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TWINS AND HALF-HOLIDAYS.

[Arroostook (Me.) Times.]

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London, Monday, Nov. 29, 1907.

Tomorrow's Opening of the Ontario Legislature.

Tomorrow, the last session of the eighth Legislature of Ontario will be opened by Sir Oliver Mowat, Lieutenant-Governor of the Province. The opening promises to be unusually interesting. Never before, we believe, has a Governor-General and his wife graced the opening of the Legislature of the Province, but on this occasion both Lord and Lady Aberdeen have promised to be present, tarrying as they are, for the time being, at Government House.

The session is opened at an earlier date than usual, because of important business that must be settled. In addition to the ordinary review of the management of public institutions and natural resources of the Province, the members will be called upon to discuss the timber question. In the Province, there are two views on the best means to preserve the interests of the people, under the new condition of affairs brought about by the increase in the United States duty on lumber. The Opposition leaders have tried to be on both sides, according to the locality in which they found themselves. But when they meet the House, and are brought face to face with the question, their object will be exposed. The whole subject will be discussed in the light of facts and of the legal obligations of the Province, and no doubt a policy will be formulated, under the guidance of the Administration, that will be for the welfare of the people as a whole. The report of the Forestry Commission, which will be laid before the Legislature, will aid the members in reaching a just judgment. There is a widespread desire that, while the Provincial institutions should continue to be maintained out of receipts from our lumber and minerals, which are the heritage of the whole people, everything should be done that can be done to secure for the future the maintenance of an ample supply of timber. The Government took action in this direction years ago. Its policy has been directed to preserve from fire the standing timber, to reafforest vacant lands whenever practicable, and to encourage the planting of trees in the older settled portions of the Province. But if further steps are shown by the Forestry Commissioners to be necessary, we may be sure they will be taken. It is probable that some changes may be made in the educational legislation of the Province, with the object of still further improving the school system, but no radical measures are needed or contemplated.

It will be satisfactory to the friends of economic government in the Province to know that the finances are in a highly satisfactory condition. The receipts for the past year have considerably exceeded the expenditures, and there is a substantial surplus in the treasury. On the stump, the Opposition have been making reckless accusations against the Government. There are many reasons for believing that Mr. Whitney and his lieutenants would have been far more careful if they had not believed that the general election would take place before another session was held. Face to face with the Legislature, it will be shown on how little foundation their attacks have been built.

A Province so well governed as Ontario has been may well be congratulated on its present standing and its future prospects. Premier Hardy and his colleagues ought to be able in the ensuing session to give overwhelming proof that they are faithful servants and deserve further consideration at the hands of the people.

At a convention in Windsor on Saturday, Mr. W. J. McKee, the present M. P. P., was selected as Liberal nominee for North Essex at the ensuing general election. The name of Mr. R. F. Sutherland was the only other seriously entertained by the convention, but Mr. McKee got a substantial majority of the votes, and Mr. Sutherland moved that his nomination be made unanimous. Mr. McKee has proved a good representative.

Canada's Dairy Exports.

The cheese export trade of Canada shows a remarkable expansion in the year just ending. From Montreal, the first time in the history of the Dominion, the transatlantic shipments of cheese have exceeded the two million boxes mark, the quantity this year being 2,102,985 boxes, as against 1,726,225 in 1906. Butter exports were also enormously increased. In 1906, 157,231 packages were shipped from Montreal; this year, the shipments are 220,252 packages. The producers have obtained \$16,500,000 for these two products of the dairy. While the exports of cheese may not continue to increase in the same ratio in the future as during the past year, there is a great market for good Canadian butter yet awaiting development in Great Britain. Our shipments of butter can be increased many fold by careful making and marketing. Co-operation all along the line to send only the best will pay.

Harper's Magazine for December appears as a "Christmas number," with a special cover, differing in many respects from the famous old cover of the magazine. "Lew" Wallace affords a poem, "The Woe of Malkatoot," which F. Du Mond illustrates; Richard Harding Davis and Caton Woodville describe Queen Victoria's jubilee; Ernest Ingersoll has an article, "A Bird's Egg," with colored plates; Owen Wister has a short story, "Destiny at Dryden"; Charles Dudley Warner tells of "An Act of Charity," and George Willis Cooke tells of George William Curtis. These are some of the features of the magazine; the table of contents is unusually long.

Men and Things.

Value of First Impressions. It is true of the United States in particular that the liveliest and most accurate sketches of its people and institutions have been drawn by foreigners. The good citizens of the republic resent these portraits when they are not flattering, and challenge the correctness of impressions formed on the wing. The explanation is plain. Sit down and try to write your impressions of your own city or province, and see if your pen will flow. Then, if you have ever been abroad, see how easy it is to record your observations there. To a discerning traveller, the foreign parts everything is clothed with novelty, and he judges it by the standard of his own country. Naturally, first impressions are the most vivid, for novelty soon wears off. A noted French raconteur, who was "writing up" the States, said he dared not stay there more than two months, or his ideas would evaporate. Talking of first impressions to Mr. Cy Warman the other day, he said that he had jotted down some "skits" on Canada and its people when first he crossed the border, but residence

here had so familiarized him that he could scarcely remember what the peculiarities were that he had noted. "When I was in old London," said Mr. Warman, "I mentioned some of my impressions of the city to Robert Barr (Luka Sharp). Such things never occurred to me," said Barr. "Why don't you write them?" I neglected it at the time, and when I reached America I tried in vain to recollect what had struck my fancy in old London."

A Literary "Style." "How shall I acquire a literary style?" is a question some budding writers is always asking. Don't try. First learn to spell, and if you are, with malice aforethought, determined to write, say what you want to in your most natural manner. There is no recipe for a style. The ingredients for fine writing of every description are the same, but you must compound and flavor them yourself. The style where style comes in, it is an essence of your own individuality, and if it isn't innate you cannot distill it from books. It may be developed by study, but not created, and habits of early composition are necessary to its growth. In saying this we are not inviting contributions, excepting live news. Experience has made us hard-hearted. Young writers, however promising, are invariably too hard and badly need the blue pencil. They would do well to heed the advice of the old Scotch school teacher: "Read over your compositions, and whenever you meet with a passage which you think is particularly fine, strike it out."

The New Minister.

Public Opinion on the Selection of Hon. David Mills

the Position of Minister of Canada.

[Montreal Star.] Senator David Mills, the new Minister of Justice, is probably the truest representative of the old fighting Liberal party of Ontario that the Premier has yet invited into the Privy Council room.

[Halifax N. S. Chronicle.] Hon. David Mills, the new Minister of Justice, is an able jurist, a profound scholar and a broad-minded man in every respect. He has been professor of constitutional law at Toronto University for some years, and his appointment as Minister of Justice will be a very popular one in Ontario.

[Toronto Globe.] In the new Minister of Justice we have a man not only familiar with the complicated legal machinery of the Dominion, but capable of seeing through and beyond it to ultimate purposes and ideals. In his strength, energy and vigor there is assurance of a long career of public service.

[Catholic Record, London.] We may express our satisfaction that at the first favorable opportunity which has presented itself since the Ministry was formed, Mr. Mills has been selected to fill a position for which he is eminently qualified as the portfolio of Justice. The parliamentary record of Mr. Mills has been a brilliant one.

[Brantford Examiner.] No high position in the great council of a nation ever came to a fitter incumbent, or in a more deserved way, than the Ministry of Justice has come to Senator Mills. He is a man of great natural ability, of exceptional capacity for work, of unselfishness of attitude, of generous disposition, and of catholic sympathies. The tributes paid to him on the occasion of his appointment as Minister of Justice have become a unanimous concert; there has not been a single dissentient from the general chorus of appreciation.

[Sarnia Observer.] Canada has confidence in David Mills as an upright politician, a wise counsellor and a capable and experienced administrator. He will make a worthy successor of the veteran statesman whose place he has been selected to fill.

[Montreal Gazette.] He will be an addition to the strength of the better element in the government. He will do all that one man may keep it in the path marked out by its members—election pledges; and for this, Conservatives, as well as Liberals, may be satisfied with his somewhat delayed recognition.

[Guelph Mercury.] Hon. David Mills, the new Minister of Justice, is one of the veteran Liberal leaders of Canada, a man profoundly versed in constitutional history and law, an administrator of experience and uprightness, and a citizen who is always on the side of right. He will do honor, we believe, to the high office to which he has been called.

[Toronto Mail and Empire.] Mr. Mills is a strong constitutional authority, a voracious reader, and a close thinker. In his hands the work of the Justice Department ought to be done well.

[Canadian Freeman, Kingston.] Hon. David Mills, one of the brightest of Canadian politicians and statesmen, has taken the chair of Minister of Justice in the Laurier Government. In the Mackenzie Government of twenty years ago Mr. Mills held the position of Minister of the Interior, therefore he is familiar with Cabinet procedure and no novice at the work. During his many years as a parliamentarian he has proved himself a valuable man in the Federal Parliament, and one whose advice is eagerly sought before legislation of importance is finally enacted.

[Toronto Telegram.] He will certainly be a notable addition to the membership of the Senate, and since he has a judicial temper and great ability, he may prove to be an excellent Minister of Justice.

[St. Thomas Journal.] He is admired by Liberals generally for his qualities, not only as a statesman, but as a citizen. He assumes his present portfolio as one conversant with the duties devolving upon the Minister of the Crown, as he filled, in a highly satisfactory manner, the office of Minister of the Interior under the Mackenzie Administration. With his

knowledge of public affairs, and in view of the fact that his public life has been an honorable and incorrupt one, it is safe to assume that he will fill, with every satisfaction to the public, the office to which he has now been called.

[La Patrie, Montreal.] Le nouveau Ministre de la Justice a toujours été connu comme un travailleur infatigable, comme un avocat de haute valeur, comme une autorité en matière constitutionnelle, son choix est donc tout-à-fait heureux et sa nomination est la consécration de son long et persévérant état de service.

[Vancouver, B. C. World.] Much regret was expressed when Mr. James Clancy defeated Mr. Mills by the majority of 50. His subsequent elevation to the Senate paved the way for the deserved honors now conferred upon him. Mr. Mills will lead in the upper chamber, and will prove to be a tower of strength to the Administration, which is weak in that body.

[Ottawa Tribune.] Mr. Mills is a politician, but not a politician only. He is a statesman, full to overflowing with the requisite qualifications. He is a publicist of the highest attainments.

[Winnipeg Free Press.] He has been a long time in the public eye, and the public have never seen him in anything but a good way. He is able; he is honest; and he has a mind of his own. He is sufficiently disciplined as a party man to work with his colleagues, and he knows better than most that it is necessary to do this under our system of party government, but he is a man of opinion, and has the courage to uphold them.

[Ottawa Citizen.] The new Minister of Justice enters upon the discharge of his duties with the best wishes of his political opponents as well as of political friends. This is due to the natural amiability and undoubted integrity of the man, who possesses in addition a high degree of capacity. His studious habits, mastery of principles and attainments in the law, as well as his wide reading and general culture, will make the administration of the department perfectly safe and satisfactory.

THE MAJOR'S COMPANION.

[Shipping.] A correspondent sends us the following amusing story, as recently enacted upon an Australian liner: A shy Australian major, after a high day, the first evening very late with his friends in the saloon, suddenly returned to them, saying "Good night," and requested an interview with the purser. He was very white. "There is a lady," he said, "in my cabin, No. 42, 'Bub-bah' exclaimed the purser. "Here's a list; your companion is Capt. Higginson." "Nothing will induce me to go into that cabin again," said the major. "Well, I'll go," rejoined the other. He returned with great celebrity, and with a face as white as the major's. "Upon my word, you are a night owl, and you are somewhere else for the night, and see about it in the morning." With the earliest dawn they sought the steward, and demanded an explanation. "It's all a mistake, gentlemen," he said. "It's Capt. Higginson all right; here's his luggage." "We must have this explained," said the purser. "This portmanteau is unlocked; let us see what is in it." It contained a lady's wearing apparel. "By Jingo!" cried the steward, "that's what comes of taking names as don't belong to us. She said she was Capt. Higginson, and she did say it was only in the Salvation Army!"

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Saturday and Monday Specials in

Millinery, Mantles and Furs.

The loveliest things you ever saw! That's the verdict of all the ladies regarding our Millinery, Mantles, Furs, etc., in our ever-pleasant showrooms on the second floor. Those Cloaks and Jackets are creating a furore. It couldn't be otherwise. Look at these prices.

Capes and Jackets.

Ladies' Fur-lined Capes, regular \$25, now \$18 50
Ladies' Fur-lined Capes, regular \$32 50, for 28 00
Ladies' Fur-lined Capes, regular \$50, now 40 00
Ladies' Fur-lined Capes, regular \$10, for 8 50
Ladies' All Over Cloak, in broad-cloth, fur-lined (equivalent), regular \$72, for 60 00
Ladies' Fur Capes, in black Coney, regular \$18, now 15 00
Ladies' Fur Capes, in wood seal, regular \$18, for 15 00
Ladies' Fur Capes, in Greenland, regular \$18, for 15 00
Ladies' Fur Capes, in regular \$20, for 27 00
Ladies' Grey Lamb Capes, regular \$35, for 30 00
Ladies' Grey Lamb Capes, regular \$60, for 50 00
Ladies' Black Astrakhan Coats, regular \$18, now 15 00
Ladies' Black Astrakhan Coats, regular \$28, now 23 00
Ladies' Cloth Coats, in heavy, meltons, etc., all colors, all sizes, newest styles, ranging in price from \$2 up to 25 00
See them.

Dress Goods.

Black Cheviot, all wool, 42-inch; regular 40c. for 25c
Figured Satin Cloth, all wool; regular 50c. for 35c
Silk-finish Henrietta, all wool, 46-inch (special); regular 75c. for 65c
84-inch Hair Cord, regular \$5c. going at 50c
Lovely range of Silk Mohairs—Mohair Crepons, Wool Crepons, etc., selling at greatly reduced prices.
Heavy Tweed Suits, regular \$50, for 25c
Heavy Cheviot Suits, regular \$75, for 50c
Heavy All-wool Cheviot, 42-inch, all colors; regular 40c. for 25c
Heavy Boucle, in blue, green, red, purple, with black mixture; regular 60c and 60c, for 35c

Millinery.

Ladies' Fine Felt Fedoras, regular \$1 25, for 45c
At \$1 25—We have special value in trimmed hats for children. See them.
See our range of Ladies' Velvet Covered Hats (and you'll buy), at \$3 00
Wings, Tips and Feathers in ample profusion.

Clothing and Furnishings.

This Department Leads the City for Bargains.

Sixteen Men's Suits, in all-wool Tweeds, plain and fancy; also Black and Blue Serges; considered good value by the trade at \$8. Saturday and Monday \$6 50
27 Boys' Two-piece Suits, in fine all-wool Tweeds, plain and fancy, well and strongly made; regular \$3, \$3 25 and \$3 50, for 2 19
Men's Heavy Frieze Ulsters, in gray, black and claret; a special lot bought at a rate on the dollar, selling at half-price. 5 00
Ulsters, with storm collars, extra long and heavy; regular \$10, \$10 50, \$7 and \$7 50, selling at \$4, \$4 50 and 7 00
A very special line of Men's Scotch Underwear, selling at 50c, 60c, 70c, 80c and 1 00
Try us for Bras, Shirts, Caps, Gloves and Neckwear. Special bargains for Saturday and Monday in these lines.

Staples.

A housekeeper's joy is her table linen. We have just received an extra lot of Table Linen. Some specials for Saturday and Monday.
60-inch Unbleached Table Linen; regular 20c; Saturday and Monday 25c
67-inch Bleached Satin-finish Table Damask; regular 70c; Saturday and Monday 50c
33-inch Shaker Flannels; regular 8c, for 6c
33-inch Heavy Twill; worth 10c, for 8c
Fine All-wool Flannels, plain or twill, 27-inch; regular 25c; Saturday and Monday 20c
Heavy Wool Blankets; regular \$2. Saturday and Monday \$2 25

Boots and Shoes.

Don't stumble along in uncomfortable shoes when you can wear the easy-fitting, handsome shoes we have in our special list for Saturday and Monday.
60 pairs Ladies' Chocolate Skating Bala; regular \$1 65, for \$1 25
150 pairs Ladies' Dong, Buttoned Boots, manufactured by McPherson & Co.; regular price \$2.50; for \$1 50
Ladies' Leggings and Spats at 25c, 35c, 50c, 60c, 75c, \$1 and \$1 40
Children's and Misses' Leggings, in all sizes, cheap.

Basement.

Pure Groceries. Special List for Saturday and Monday.

Also, our Cook's Delight Baking Powder, in one-pound tins net, for 10c, equal to any other at 20c
One dozen Dessert Knives and Forks, regular \$1 25, to clear at 90c. A snap for the first that comes.
One dozen Dinner Knives and Forks, regular \$1 50, slightly soiled, to clear at \$1 00
One dozen Dessert Spoons, tinned or etched; regular 50c a dozen, Saturday and Monday, per doz. 40c
Handsome Vase Parlor Lamps, worth \$3, for \$1 65. A very pretty Lamp, decorated shade, worth \$2 25, for \$1 40
We have just opened out a large consignment of Ornamental and Fancy Vases. A very nice 6-inch Vase for 50c, 8-inch Vase for 10c, 10-inch Vase for 15c. Also some very handsome patterns in Bread and Butter Plates, with Tea Plates to match.
One pound of our Imperial Bland Tea, black or mixed, and 6 pounds of standard Granulated Sugar for 50c
Glass Vases, regular 5c, Saturday and Monday, 2 for 5c; regular 10c, Saturday and Monday, 2 for 15c; regular 15c, Saturday and Monday, 2 for 20c; regular 20c, Saturday and Monday, 2 for 25c; regular 25c, Saturday and Monday, 2 for 30c; regular 30c, Saturday and Monday, 2 for 35c; regular 35c, Saturday and Monday, 2 for 40c; regular 40c, Saturday and Monday, 2 for 45c; regular 45c, Saturday and Monday, 2 for 50c; regular 50c, Saturday and Monday, 2 for 55c; regular 55c, Saturday and Monday, 2 for 60c; regular 60c, Saturday and Monday, 2 for 65c; regular 65c, Saturday and Monday, 2 for 70c; regular 70c, Saturday and Monday, 2 for 75c; regular 75c, Saturday and Monday, 2 for 80c; regular 80c, Saturday and Monday, 2 for 85c; regular 85c, Saturday and Monday, 2 for 90c; regular 90c, Saturday and Monday, 2 for 95c; regular 95c, Saturday and Monday, 2 for 1 00; regular 1 00, Saturday and Monday, 2 for 1 05; regular 1 05, Saturday and Monday, 2 for 1 10; regular 1 10, Saturday and Monday, 2 for 1 15; 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M. E. RYAN, Manager.
London, Nov. 13, 1907.

Late Afternoon Markets.

Toronto Stock Market.

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Against the Street Railway Company
Settled for \$700 and Costs.

The board of arbitrators, chosen to assess and apportion the amount of damages sustained to Thomas Horsman, tenant, and Jerry McDonald, owner of the Riverside Hotel, as a result of the erection of the street railway bridge on Dundas street, and the crossing of the street grade on the west side of the bridge, completed their labors on Saturday, when an agreement was made between the parties. By agreement with the village, the company assumed all responsibility of any disability that might arise from the construction of the bridge. The company proffered \$500 in settlement of both parties' claims. Mr. Horsman wanted \$250 of this, and as Mr. McDonald claimed that he could not repair the damage short of \$1,000, he refused to accept. His offer to take \$500 was accepted, and the company paid to Mr. Horsman \$200 more, together with the costs of the arbitration, amounting to about \$150. J. M. McEvoy, for Mr. Horsman; Thomas Purdon, for Mr. McDonald; E. R. Cameron, for London West, and I. F. Hellmuth, for the street car company.

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Toronto, Nov. 28-11 p.m.—The pressure is decidedly high over the eastern and western portions of the continent, and a shallow trough of comparatively low pressure stretches from the Gulf of Mexico to the lower lake region. The weather has been fine today in all portions of Canada. Minimum and maximum temperatures: Esquimaux, 28-32; Kamloops, 2 below-6; Calgary, 15 below-2; Qu'Appelle, 15 below-20; Winnipeg, 15 below-2; Port Arthur, 8 below-10; Parry Sound, 22-34; Toronto, 20-28; Ottawa, 12-34; Montreal, 14-20; Quebec, 8-20; Halifax, 29-33.

Probabilities.—Toronto, Nov. 29-1 a.m.—Lower lakes: Generally unsettled, with some sleet or rain in most places. Local temperatures.—The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the observatory on Saturday were 35 and 21.5 above; on Sunday, 35 and 12 above.

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—Washington Star.

A local Budget.

—At the First Methodist Church last evening Mr. Albert Brown rendered a bass solo very acceptably.

—Many friends of Mr. Robt. McGurdy, Adelaide street, are pleased to see him around again, after two weeks' illness.

—The result of the investigation into the recent C. P. R. wreck at Galt is that an engineer of the company in this city has been dismissed.

—The G. T. R. bridge gird placed in one of the new steel spans on the railway bridge of the London branch of the G. T. R. at St. Mary's the other day.

—Mr. Thomas Clark, auctioneer, has sold for John McLeod, lot 7, con. 5, London township, 60 head of cows, steers and heifers, and 72 pigs. The cows averaged 42 3/4 lbs each.

—Last Monday night thieves picked the lock and stole four turkeys and some chickens from Mr. McDonald, on con. 3, London township. He has strong suspicions who the parties are.

The hospital trust has received a bequest of \$1,000 through Mr. Thomas Kent, executor of the estate of the late Mrs. Kent. It is to be applied to increased accommodation at the city hospital.

—The Walkerville Herald, speaking of the anniversary concert of the Methodist Church, says of a former London lady: "Miss George Calver enraptured her listeners with her inimitable declamations."

—The executive committee of the National Council of Women will meet at Government House, Toronto, on Wednesday, Dec. 8, at 11 o'clock, under the presidency of the Countess of Aberdeen. Mrs. Boomer and Mrs. Tilly, of London, will attend.

—Revs. Hunter and Crossley, who are in St. Thomas, will remain there all this week, commencing services in Milton on Dec. 5. Mr. D. Heard, the Scottish evangelist, who has been associated with the evangelists in their work, is spending the week with them.

—A Montreal dispatch says: The flag on the G. T. R. general offices is flying at half-mast out of respect to Mrs. Hays, mother of the general manager of the railway company, who died at St. Louis rather unexpectedly on Wednesday from pneumonia. Mr. Hays lost his father only a few weeks ago.

—James Collins, Frank and Lawrence Sharp, James Dwyer, James Carney and John Boyle were before Justice Lacey on Saturday on a charge of striking Thomas Draper, of Center street, with a stone, cutting him severely. This occurred on Halloween's eve. The case was dismissed.

—The Stratford Herald says: Mr. Hopkirk, late of the postoffice department here, made a valuable contribution of over 30 volumes before removing to London, and they were placed in the library just a few hours previous to the fire. They simply increased the size of the public library's fund.

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—A large company is assured for the annual banquet of St. Andrew's Society at the City Hotel tomorrow night. First-class vocal and instrumental mental, has been arranged to diversify the programme. St. Andrew's banquet has an enviable reputation for good food. The speakers tomorrow evening are sure to sustain the record. Supper will begin at 8:30 p.m.

—At the Conservative Club concert on Saturday evening, addresses were made by Thos. Beattie, M.P., Mr. I. F. Hellmuth, President Gray and others. The concert included instrumentalists by Mr. George Watt; songs, by Mr. Sandy Drennan, Mr. Chas. Simpson and Mr. Herbert Matthews; club choruses and recitations by Mr. C. Perry. Mr. H. R. McDonald was unavoidably absent. Mr. Harry Clucas played the accompaniment.

EAST MIDDLESEX FARMERS' INSTITUTES.
East Middlesex farmers' institutes will be held at Thorncliffe Jan. 7 and at Harrieston Jan. 11, after tea and evening. Among the outside delegates who will address the meetings are D. Z. Gibson, B.S.A., Willowgrove, Ont., and W. C. Shearer, of Brighton, Ont. Among local men Thomas Baty will speak at Thorncliffe and J. D. Thompson at Harrieston.

"BLEAK HOUSE."
The dramatic version of Dickens' "Bleak House" was acted by rather bleak houses on Saturday afternoon and evening at the Grand. Considering the ordinary merit of the production, it was too much to ask it for the best seats in London, while the company have been playing the small Western Ontario theatre for nearly a week.

The theatre-going public of London have a right to complain of this. They are beginning to resent it by refusing to patronize performances of high prices and cheap quality.

SUCCESSFUL CANADIAN INVENTORS.
The following list of patents, recently granted to inventors residing in Canada is reported by The London Advertiser by P. J. Edmunds, international patent solicitor, London, Ont.: Canada patents: Wm. H. Orr, Beaconsfield, Man., horseshoe; Wm. Corry and G. Limerick, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., car coupler; A. Merrier, Waterloo, Ont., interchangeable gear for motor engines; P. M. Bewtwinbrier, Ancaster, Ont., land roller; J. E. Kennedy, Montreal, Que., shoe; T. A. Lindray and H. F. Rankin, Ottawa, Ont., self-adjusting reclining chair; North American Chemical Company, Goderich, Ont., salt (trade mark); Chas. H. Masters and C. Morse, B. B. Ottawa, Ont., the Canadian Annual Digest (book copyright); United States patents: R. W. Clarke, Victoria, B.C., trolley; I. Prechette, Montreal, Que., hand-lasting tool; F. S. Mead, Montreal, Que., valve gear for gas engines; J. Tolhurst, Burlington, Canada, gate valve.

Lady Aberdeen.
Visit of Her Excellency to London on Wednesday.

Official Announcement of the Ceremonies Attending It.

The following information regarding the visit of Lady Aberdeen to London on Wednesday is supplied the hospital fair management.

In a telegram received by Mrs. Boomer this (Monday) morning, Lady Aberdeen expresses herself as very gratified by all the plans made to welcome her when she comes to open the hospital fair on Wednesday next, adding that Major Denison, lately quartered in London, will be with her, and will act as A. D. C. in attendance.

Her excellency and party will arrive at the C. P. R. station at 11:25 a.m. Mrs. Labatt will, in her own carriage, convey Lady Aberdeen to the hall, followed by Mrs. English, first past president of the Local Council of Women; Mrs. Tully, as a member of the executive of the National Council (for Dominion King's Daughters), and Mrs. Yarles, as acting president of the hospital fair. Dr. Roome, and perhaps some other medical men who may accompany him to the station, will welcome Dr. Worcester, and bring him to the city hall for the opening of the fair and to lunch. The ladies hope that a large number of the city doctors and the hospital trust will honor them and help their cause by their personal presence on the occasion, in token of their sympathy with this effort on behalf of a provision for the sick children of London. At 3 p.m. her excellency will proceed to the rooms of the Art Club to inspect the beautiful exhibition of decorated china. Her excellency has always taken a particular interest in the art and other educational societies affiliated to the National Council; therefore it is a very fortunate coincidence that the Art Club of London, in affiliation with its Local Council, should be holding its annual exhibition at this special moment.

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Wm. Spice, a Farmer, Struck by a Pottersburg Trolley Car.

On Dundas Street Near the City Limits—The Man Killed, the Rig Smashed to Atoms and the Horse Uninjured—First Trolley Victim.

The first fatality on the London Electric Street Railway in the city limits happened about 6:15 on Saturday, on Dundas street east, a few feet inside the city limits, when William Spice, a farmer, 64 years of age, and residing on the town line between Nisour and London, near Thorncliffe, was almost instantly killed.

Just how the lamentable affair happened will probably not be known until after the inquest, at 12 o'clock today.

The facts, as they could be learned, are these: Mr. Spice came to the city on Saturday for the purpose of inspecting and purchasing a feed cutter. Towards evening he drove towards home, and paid a visit to his son Daniel at 480 Charlotte street, to see his daughter-in-law, who is ill. He left his son's place about 4 o'clock, and turned east on Dundas street.

On the other side of Eva street the horse and its driver turned towards the north side of the road to avoid a mud hole. It is supposed, and attempted to cross the track, the same time an approaching trolley car, No. 54, in charge of Motorman David Break and Conductor James Fitzgerald, was backing towards Pottersburg. The collision must have been a fearful one, as the slender vehicle and its occupant were crushed beneath the fair ground. The rig was literally smashed to atoms, and Mr. Spice sustained several cuts on the head, any one of which would have caused death. There were only three passengers in the car at the time—two men and one woman. The unfortunate victim never spoke after being extricated from the debris and carried into the house of Mr. William Ferguson.

The horse was uninjured. Dr. Moore was the first to arrive, then Dr. James MacArthur, and later Coroner Dr. Ferguson. A conveyance was sent for, but the body lay in the harness awaiting removal to Ferguson's morgue.

The deceased came to Middlesex at an early age, and had resided there all his life. His wife died four years ago. He leaves three sons and a daughter—William, an invalid son, at home on the farm; Daniel, who is employed at the chemical works, and Sarah and James, in the Northwest Territories.

This is the second fatality since the advent of the street cars in the Forest City. Some years ago William Philpew, a painter, was killed on Richmond street opposite Carling street, by a horse car. A man was also killed in London West by a trolley car before the system was introduced into the city.

Since the opening of the Pottersburg line the cars have been backed to the station from the fair grounds, where a "Y" is now being put in, which, it is expected, will be finished today. The place where the accident occurred is a dark spot, and the road is in bad shape.

In City Church Circles.

Rev. Canon Dann on Emotional Preaching.

Sunday School Anniversary of the Dundas Center Methodist Church.

Rev. Wm. McDonagh Denounces Dancing—"Pilgrim's Progress" at the Auditorium.

No Emotional Preaching.
Rev. Canon Dann preached a powerful sermon at St. Paul's Cathedral last night. People, he said, need not attend St. Paul's Cathedral in the expectation of having their emotions touched by the preacher. The sermons were presentations of the Gospel, designed to instill Christian truth and doctrine, and not to influence the emotions. The cathedral was a place of worship, not a place of preaching. Canon Dann dwelt on the beauty and significance of the Church of England service.

Dancing Denounced.
Rev. Wm. McDonagh, formerly of London West, preached in the Askin Street Methodist Church yesterday. In the course of his sermon he said that dancing was one of the most contemptible of sins; that it was brutish animalism.

Stereoscopic Views at the Auditorium.
Nearly 400 men were at the meeting in the Auditorium yesterday afternoon, when Rev. Robert Johnston presented stereoscopic views of Bunyan's "Pilgrim's Progress." In the series of views the pilgrim was taken as far as the wicket gate, and from that point in his journey Mr. Johnston will continue with the views next Sunday afternoon. The service was an enjoyable one. Mr. Large assisted in the music, and the orchestra was present as usual.

Interesting Anniversary of the Dundas Street Methodist Sunday School.
Special services were held at the Dundas Street Methodist Church yesterday morning, afternoon and evening, to celebrate the 50th anniversary of its splendid Sunday school. Rev. J. H. Hazlewood, of Paris, delivered able sermons at regular church services, and an interesting address to the Sunday school in the afternoon. Rev. E. B. Lancelley, the pastor, and Mr. D. A. McDermid, the superintendent, also addressed the Sunday school. A most successful year has just been closed. The membership numbers nearly 800, and the average attendance about 600, and the contributions of the school have amounted to \$800, of which \$200 goes to missions and \$500 towards the erection of a building for the primary class. This evening the anniversary entertainment will be held at the church, and an excellent programme will be furnished by 175 scholars.

Colborne Street Church Anniversary.
Rev. Dr. J. S. Ross, of Brantford, conducted the anniversary services at the Colborne Street Methodist Church yesterday morning and evening, and on each occasion there was a large congregation present. Mr. Ross is an eloquent speaker, and a warm personal friend of many members of the church, having been one of the first pastors when service was held in the little brick building on Pall Mall street. Reference was made to the financial success of the church during the past year. The Ladies' Aid have paid off \$335 interest, and also purchased a parsonage lot for \$400. The collections at both services yesterday amounted to \$337, lacking but \$113 to wipe off the debt of the trustee board.

Indian Missions.
Ven. Archdeacon Phair, superintendent of the Indian mission work in Rupert's Land, preached yesterday morning at St. James' Church, South London, and in the evening at St. George's Church, and on each occasion spoke of the important and growing work among the red men of the Northwest. Referring to the Indian hospital established a year and a half ago, he said 1,100 Indians had received outside treatment from the institution. A fund of \$2,000 is badly needed to continue the work.

Notes.
Bishop Baldwin, of this city, consecrated St. George's Church, Sarnia, at yesterday morning's service.

The day of intercession for foreign mission in the Anglican Church is today, or any day of the first week of Advent.

The Sunday school anniversary of the High Street Mission was held yesterday afternoon. Rev. Richard Hobbs and Mr. W. H. Liddlecott gave interesting addresses.

Rev. Mr. Ritchie, who goes to Bolivia shortly as a special missionary, occupied the pulpit of the Talbot Street Baptist Church in the morning, and addressed the Adelaide Street Baptist congregation in the evening.

Rev. W. J. Clarke yesterday afternoon addressed the Thanksgiving open meeting at Wesley Hall of the First Methodist Sunday school, and Miss Inez Smith sang. A large number of visitors were present and much enjoyed the session.

Dr. Wood-Allen was announced to address a temperance meeting in the Askin Street Church yesterday afternoon, but owing to illness was unable to fill the engagement. Mrs. May Thornley spoke in her place. A collection was taken up in aid of the plebiscite funds.

The superintendent of the Colborne Street Methodist Sabbath school on Saturday received from Mr. Thomas Kent a check for \$50, which is a portion of the bequest of the late Isabella Kent, of which Mr. Kent is executor. The money is for the purchase of a library, or otherwise used for the benefit of the school.

Rev. J. W. Pedley, of the First Congregational Church, preached last night on "Belief." He was, he said, almost daily meeting people who claimed that it did not much matter what a man believed if he was sincere, and did what he thought right. Sincere men had aided in the work of the inquisition. It was of vital importance that the fundamental points of one's belief should be correct. A right belief of the character of God, the judge of all, and a right appreciation of the teachings of Christ must affect life's conduct.

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