

CAUGHT ON BRIDGE BY EXPRESS ST. THOMAS WOMAN CUT TO BITS

Wanders on to Structure While Mentally Unbalanced and Is Run Down and Instantly Killed by a Michigan Central Flyer.

[Special to The Advertiser.] St. Thomas, April 14.—Mrs. Mapson, a boarding-house keeper, was instantly killed this morning about 6:15 through being struck by a fast M. C. express on the bridge, west of the station. It is not known just how she appeared to be there, but the woman had been suffering greatly from mental depression of late, due to financial trouble, and it is supposed that she wandered on the bridge when in this condition.

The train was travelling rapidly at the time of the accident, and the body was cut to pieces, death being instantaneous. The dead woman had kept a boarding-house in the west end of the city for thirteen years, having formerly kept a hotel at Belmont. She leaves no family, but has relatives at Aylmer and Belmont. She was 65 years of age, and carried a life insurance policy for \$500.



JUSTICE MIDDLETON,
Recently Appointed to the Ontario
High Court.

DRAYMEN WAR ON ALD. TANCOCK

Chairman of Board of Works Orders All of Them to Keep the Stand Clean.

IT MAY BE MOVED ON

Deputation Will Tonight Wait on No. 3 Committee to Ascertain Who Is Running the City of London.

The draymen are again agitated. It will be remembered that the question of the removal of the dray-stand from York street caused many a heated debate last year, and it was thought the matter was settled for a few years at least.

This morning Ald. Tancock, chairman of the board of works, ordered the men to provide themselves with brooms, and keep the street clean, or they would be sent somewhere else. This, of course, riled the draymen, and they are now after the scalp of the chairman of No. 2 committee.

Look Out for War. Tonight they will muster full force at the meeting, and will ask some pointed questions.

For instance, they will want information as to who runs the city. Mayor Beattie and others have been interviewed on the subject, and their support has been solicited against Ald. Tancock.

The latter, however, will give an account of himself on the question, and will insist that unless the draymen keep the street as it should be kept, they will have to be moved on.

C. P. R. IS CONSTRUCTING NEW SIDINGS IN DISTRICT

No Word as Yet Regarding Improvements in London.

Superintendent McNeill, of the C. P. R., stated to The Advertiser today that the spring construction work has commenced on the road, and that a number of sidings will be built here in London and Windsor to facilitate the ever-increasing traffic. A new siding is being constructed at Hyde Park.

ASQUITH AND IRISH HAVE ARRANGEMENT

Redmonites Will Support Government's Plan to First Dispose of Budget.

[Associated Press Cable.] London, April 14.—Premier Asquith's resolution, to be proposed next Monday, allocating the time for the consideration of the budget, provides that all stages of the legislation must be completed by the end of the month. The fate of the Government depends upon the attitude of the Irish members. The fact that the Premier has decided to dispose of the budget measures before a decision by the Lords on the veto resolutions will have assumed a final form, indicates that a deal has been effected between the cabinet and the Redmonites, and that the latter have determined to support the budget.

POLICE ARE AFTER THE LOCAL WHEELMEN

A Number Will Appear in Court Charged With Riding on Walks.

A number of wheelmen who have been riding on the sidewalks lately will appear in the police court shortly. Police Court Clerk Moule has a big batch of informations laid, and the summonses will be issued at once. Many complaints have been made regarding close calls that pedestrians have had of being run down by reckless riders, and Magistrate Love states that he intends making an example of all who come before him. He has it in mind to raise the fine from \$1 to \$2, believing this may be a more effective way of preventing the breaking of the bylaw.

ALASKAN GOLD. Seattle, April 14.—The first estimate received here of the spring gold clean-up in the neighborhood of Fairbanks, Alaska, is \$9,000,000.

DR. M'CUCCLOCH EXPLAINS PLANS LONDON HEALTH ASSOCIATION

How it Proposes to Combat the White Plague in This City—Says Incurables Are Well Provided for at Victoria Hospital.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

An interesting item in a recent issue of your paper calls attention to the sad plight of a woman suffering from incurable consumption. It is a good sign of the times that a disease which has been so long neglected should arouse so much sympathy from the citizens of London at the present time. Unfortunately your item contains some inaccurate statements which convey a false impression to interested readers. In correction of these let me state that in the Victoria Hospital the advanced consumptive patients have comfortable, clean and well-aired private and semi-private rooms, with abundant opportunity to move around in a large sun room, well supplied with fresh air. No cottage erected especially for this class of patients could afford any better accommodation, or any more successful means of treatment than that now afforded by the Victoria Hospital.

The scheme of the London Health Association for the treatment of tuberculosis is a comprehensive and complete one, modeled after that found most satisfactory in cities of England, Scotland and Germany, where the death rate of this disease has been reduced by about one-half.

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A DOLLAR A YEAR AS SALARY FOR LONDON PUBLICITY AGENT

Ald. Richter Would Have No Objection to This Scheme, But Draws the Line on the Manufacturers' Committee Paying Any More Money for This Purpose.

The manufacturers' committee will endeavor to solve the problem of employing a publicity agent and paying his expenses and salary out of \$500 a year, at a meeting to be held on Friday afternoon.

It will be remembered that the finance committee allowed the committee \$500 for this work, and that is the amount the council will in all probability adhere to.

Ald. Fitzgerald, however, wants more money, and will insist on the appointment of a publicity agent. The man he has in mind, of course, is Mr. T. G. Boles, late secretary of the Citizens' Municipal League, on whose ticket Ald. Fitzgerald and the other members of the committee were elected.

Ald. Richter opposed.

Ald. Richter will oppose the increase, but will have no objection, perhaps, to the appointment of Mr. Boles. He will insist that the salary be \$1 a year.

"If they appoint a publicity agent, say at \$1 a year nominal salary," he said, "I do not suppose there could be much objection. We have to keep the tax rate down, and if they are going to run the expenditure away up, we will have to put a stop to it."

The committee are going to have an interesting fight over the question in any event, and it will remain to be seen who will win out.

IRISH BENEVOLENT'S ANNUAL ELECTIONS

Ex-Mayor Samuel Stevely Was Named President to Succeed Mr. E. J. Ryan.

ALL WERE UNANIMOUS

Some Nice Things Said of Mr. J. M. Hickey and Mr. Harry Buttery, Who Were Absent.

At the annual meeting of the Irish Benevolent Society, held last night in the board of trade rooms, ex-Mayor Samuel Stevely was elected president of the society for the coming year. He was proposed by Mr. Philip Pocock, and Mr. Stephen Grant, and the election was made unanimous.

Mr. Ed J. Ryan presided, and on the election of Mr. Stevely he called the latter to the chair. Mr. Ryan congratulated him on his election, and wished him good luck in the coming year. He thought the society had made a good move in changing the date of the annual meeting to the 14th of April, and instanced the great success of last year's gathering as an example.

Mr. Stevely was invested with the regalia, and briefly thanked the members for electing him.

The full roster of officers was elected as follows:

Honorary President—P. E. Boyle. President—Ex-Mayor S. Stevely. Vice-President—Dr. Claude Brown.

Second Vice-President—Harry E. Buttery. Third Vice-President—John P. Forristal.

Treasurer—P. E. Boyle. Secretary—Ed J. Ryan. Auditors—R. Arkell and Chas. Harper.

Physicians—Drs. John D. Wilson, W. M. Shobotham, J. S. Niven, C. S. Moore, P. J. Mullan, A. V. Becher and Mayor Guest (St. Thomas).

Executive Committee—Messrs. Patrick Mulhally, Denis Mason, A. B. Greer, W. Brophy, M. P. McDonagh, Philip Continued on Page Eight.

NORTH ENDERS WANT WESTERN UNIVERSITY

Do Not Relish the Report That It Is To Be Taken Away.

Quite a number of north end residents are very strongly opposed to the idea of moving the Western University away and placing it in the south end. They claim that if the university is removed that it will seriously interfere with the students of Huron College, who at the present time are taking certain branches of their literary course there.

STEAMERS ARRIVED. New York, April 13.—Arrived: Oceanic, from Southampton; Celtic, Naples, Liverpool.—Arrived: Dominion, Portland; Lake Champlain, St. John. St. John.—Arrived: Pomeranian, London. Bremen.—Arrived: Kaiser Wilhelm II., New York. Antwerp.—Arrived: Kronland, New York.

Teneriffe.—Called: Argentina, New York. Gibraltar.—Passed: Romanic, New York. Boston.—Arrived: Hesperian, Glasgow. Fishguard.—Called: Campania, New York.

JOHN PRODGER WAS REMOVED MISS FRANK UNABLE TO APPEAR

Mr. P. H. Bartlett Appeared for the Prisoner—Suspect Appears Tired, as If He Does Not Sleep at Night—Brothers Were With Him in Court This Morning.

John Prodger appeared before Magistrate Love at the police court this morning, charged with shooting Miss Elizabeth Frank, but as Miss Frank was not well enough to appear, the case was adjourned for a week. Prodger was represented by Mr. P. H. Bartlett, who, it is understood, is acting for him temporarily.

Prodger looks well, but appears tired, as if he had not slept much during the night. Two of his brothers were in the courtroom, and he made arrangements with them to secure some fresh clothes. The detectives have been working steadily on the case, but state that there is nothing new yet.

WATER PIPE IS THROUGH SEWER

Engineer Claims, However, That There Will Be No Evil Effects From This Fact.

CASE ON KING STREET

Agreement Was Reached by City Engineer Graydon and Engineer Moore of Waterworks Dept.

The big 20-inch water main, now being laid on Wellington street, will pass through the big sewer on King street, thus making the sewer smaller, and according to some people, affecting its value.

There seems to be little or no foundation for the statement that the city will suffer in any way from the change.

It is quite true that the water main will pass through the big sewer, but will reduce the top space somewhat, but the difference will be made up in changes to be made in the construction of the sewer.

Agreement Reached. City Engineer Graydon and Mr. John M. Moore, engineer of the waterworks, have had repeated consultations, and the whole system is being laid according to a plan.

"We have talked the matter over with Mr. Graydon, and we have evolved a plan to keep the sewer capacity the same, and not injure in any way the present system," said Mr. John M. Moore. "We laid the pipe on the grade most suitable to efficient service, and I think that there is absolutely no foundation for the worry line some people are doing over the prospect. We have made every arrangement to enlarge the sides of the sewer, and make it of equal capacity as the present sewer."

Pipe Tested. "I have also heard that the statement is made that the pipe has not been tested, but that is a mistake. Every inch of pipe we are laying has been thoroughly tested, and has passed the guarantee given. There is no need to worry, and no reason whatever for sensationalizing the matter."

"The sewer will be widened, and made of about the same capacity as before," said City Engineer Graydon. "I have worked out a plan with Mr. Moore, and there is no reason for any worry. The sewer will be well cared for, and there will be no poor condition of the sewer after this work, and it is satisfactory."

THE CITY LEAGUE IS MAD

Ask Hughey Jennings to Defer Bringing of Team to London Till Tangle Is Straightened Out.

A healthy row over the possession of Tecumseh Park on the day that the Detroit Tigers visit London, has developed and as a result the members of the Moore Gibson reception committee may ask Manager Jennings and President Navin, of the Detroit club, to postpone the trip indefinitely.

It is alleged that after having promised the reception committee that he would, if possible, bring the team to London this year, Manager Jennings met Mr. F. C. Buzzell, of this city, and repeated his declaration that he would bring the champions along for a game at the earliest opportunity.

Thereupon, it is said, Mr. Buzzell obtained an option on Tecumseh Park, the only place where a game could be held, and as a result Mr. J. Reid, the owner of the park, stipulated in his lease to the City League that the gate is under the control of Mr. Buzzell on the date of the Tigers' visit, no matter when it occurs.

Now that the Gibson reception committee has discovered what has transpired an effort has been made to have Mr. Reid cancel the option given to Mr. Buzzell, and a letter has been sent to President Frank Navin and to Mr. Jennings explaining the matter.

"We have told the Detroit officials that we do not want the money for ourselves, and that we are willing to turn the receipts over to charity," a member of the committee told The Advertiser, "but we have not as yet received an answer, as Mr. Jennings arrived in Detroit with the team from the south but a few days ago. We do not intend to let Mr. Buzzell jump in ahead of us, and we have asked Mr. Jennings to keep the team away unless the matter is satisfactorily straightened out."

Out of the City. Both Mr. Buzzell and Mr. Reid were out of the city this afternoon, and the other side of the question has yet to be heard.

A number of London fans doubt whether Jennings promised Londoners as a whole that he would bring the team here, or if he simply pledged himself to the members of the reception committee, the only men whom he spoke with personally on the evening of the reception last fall.

BANK OF ENGLAND STATEMENT.

London, April 14.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes:

Total reserve increased £259,000; circulation decreased £276,000; bullion increased £582,552; other securities decreased £2,459,000; other deposits decreased £2,811,000; public deposits decreased £16,000; notes reserve increased £963,000; Government securities increased £1,459,000.

The proportion of the bank's reserve to liability this week is 43.95 per cent; last week it was 39.55 per cent.

WEATHER NOTES. A marked depression covers the West and Northwest States. Elsewhere the pressure is generally high.

The weather has been very fine here, except in the Western Provinces, where rain has occurred in many localities, more especially in Manitoba.

BOLD ATTEMPT WAS MADE TO STEAL VALUABLE DOGS

Police Are Trying to Find Out Name of Gentleman Who Impersonated the Dog-Catcher.

An unknown man made a daring attempt yesterday afternoon to steal two valuable imported English coach dogs from the home of P. C. Wallace Walker on Henry street.

Early in the afternoon, the stranger came to the house, and told Mrs. Walker, who answered the door, that he was Weaver, and that as Blackstock's assistant, he had come to take away the two dogs.

Mrs. Walker told him to go to the police station, and see about the matter.

The man tried to bluster and frighten her into giving up the dogs, but she resolutely refused, and finally the fellow went away.

P. C. Walker mentioned the matter to Blackstock and Weaver, and they both denied absolutely that they had been anywhere near the Walker home yesterday. The police are trying to locate the would-be thief.

CHARGE FRONTAGE TAX FOR PAVEMENT REPAIRS

City Council Will Shortly Consider the Advisability of the Scheme.

Should all repairs to roadways and improvements be paid for by frontage tax? This is a question that the present council will take up, and a recommendation will probably be made on this subject.

Some of the aldermen point out that pavements are paid for by the property-owners, and not by the city. They want to know whether the principle cannot be carried further, and every property-owner compelled to pay by frontage tax for the road in front of his land.

By this method he can save money in that he would not have to pay for a broken road, a gravel road, or any other kind of road, and have it laid according to his own ideas.

Incidentally, this would relieve the city of considerable expenditure each year for patching and the like. This question will be taken up shortly, and some sort of a recommendation will be made.

THIS MAN WORKED FOR ADAM HOPE

Firm Has Long Been Out of Existence in London.

Mr. Walter McBride and Miss McBride, of Nelson, B. C., are in the city after an absence of many years.

Mr. McBride was employed many years ago with Adam Hope & Co., Carling street, and was then a flycatcher. Later he heard the call of the west, and has been in that country for many years. He has been very successful in that line, and is now in the present time conducting a large hardware store in Nelson. He is enthusiastic, of course, over the west country, and predicts a great future for it.

Mr. McBride notes many changes in London, and still considers a very warm spot in his heart for this city.

AEROPLANE TURNS TURTLE

German Military Engineers Dumped Into a Lake, But Are Rescued.

[Associated Press.] Plan, Germany, April 14. Major Von Parvess's new aeroplane, the largest yet constructed, and which carried this month underwent successful preliminary trials here, was caught in a violent and gusty wind today while flying over Lake Plan, turned turtle, and fell into the water. Engineers Blochmann and Hoff escaped uninjured. They dropped with the machine, but succeeded in freeing themselves from the wreckage, and were picked up by a passing craft.

Major Von Parvess's invention is a monoplane, with a four-cylinder motor of 120-horsepower. It carried 150 pounds of benzine, and was expected to remain in the air three hours. The breadth of the plane was 45½ feet, and the length of machine 45 feet, and was provided with wheels for a descent on land.

DIVORCE WAS INVALID.

Windsor, Ont., April 14.—In a suit over the will of the late John Pickering, who was killed last spring, at Walkerville, County Judge McHugh today gave judgment that the widow's claim to a divorce in Michigan two years ago, but did not observe the Michigan laws relating to length of residence in Michigan, and still claiming was adjudged to be deceased's law.

NIAGARA POWER SUBSTATION SITE BOUGHT IN EAST LONDON

Building Will Be Located South of G. T. R. and East of Rectory Street at the Corner of Cabell Street and Kitchener Avenue—Lot 35 by 120 Feet.

The water commissioners have closed a deal for the purchase of a lot at the corner of Kitchener avenue and Cabell street for the erection of the East London Niagara power sub-station.

For some time the commissioners have been engaged in securing a suitable site, and have at last succeeded. The size of the lot is 35 by 120 feet. Plans for the sub-station are being prepared by City Architect Nutter, and work will be commenced at once. The station will be 30 by 30 feet, and it is expected that it will be ready for occupancy before July 1.

OFFICIALS DON'T INSULT PEOPLE

Passengers Too Ready to Feel Insulted When Asked Civil Questions.

ONE MAN CIVES HIS VIEWS

May Be a Withdrawal of the United States Officers From Canadian Territory—Delay to Passengers Would Result.

Local railroad and customs officials state that as far as they have any knowledge the charges that United States immigration officials are insulting and rude to people going through, and particularly to ladies travelling alone, are without foundation.

"Some people," said a railway official, "are ever ready to feel insulted when an official is merely doing his duty in trying to see that the laws are carried out. The official did not make the law, and he is paid to see that its provisions are carried out. If there is much more of this sort of talk unquestionably there will be a withdrawal of the United States officers from Canadian territory, and then there will be a wall from the travelling public when they are detained at the border for hours, and miss their trains, while their belongings are being examined, and information is obtained."

"Under the present system the immigration officers come as far as London in order that they may carry out their duties between the border, and save the passengers the delay that they would otherwise experience."

"They do not have to do this, but are doing it merely for the convenience of the passengers and the railroad."

"As far as insulting people is concerned, there is no reason why they should."

Necessary Questions. "They have questions to ask that are necessary, and in some cases persons going through are only too ready to answer untruthfully."

"To have the information, even if it is necessary to detain the passenger, and then comes the story of insult, when the passenger is really to blame for not giving the required information promptly, and saving any further trouble."

The matter was brought up in the Canadian House of Commons yesterday by Mr. J. E. Armstrong, of East Lambton.

ATE THIRTEEN PILLS

Little Owen Sound Babe Had a Narrow Escape.

Owen Sound, April 14.—Little Adelaide Richards' marvellous escape from death is the talk of the town. The little girl is 3 years old, and is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Richards, Tenth street. She got hold of a box of pills while playing and ate thirteen of them. The pills contained strychnine and belladonna. In a few minutes the child was attacked with convulsions, and was at her father's door when a doctor arrived. He administered antidotes, and with another doctor worked for ten hours to overcome the poison. It many hours before the girl was finally out of danger.

SUICIDE AT TORONTO.

Toronto, April 13.—Lying dead in bed, with the room filled with gas from the jet, which was turned on full, and the door and window closed, James Fisher, a man of about 30 years of age, with whom the police have had frequent dealings, was found this afternoon at 256 Richmond street west, by his roommate, Thomas Fisher. It is thought that the death of Fisher was intentional on his own part, for he had been unwell for some time, being a habitual user of drugs.

PRESIDENT HAYS BACK

Discussed Many Matters With G. T. R. Board of Management.

[G. T. R. Dispatch.] Montreal, Que., April 14.—Mr. C. M. Hays, president of the Grand Trunk Railway System, returned from a visit to England today. He stated that this was largely in the nature of a holiday, and he had no public announcements to make in connection with railway matters. It is understood, however, that Mr. Hays discussed with the board of management in London a variety of matters connected with the development of the company's business.

SPOTTED THE COMET.

Ottawa, April 13.—Observer R. M. Motherwell, of the Dominion observatory, located Haley's comet through a telescope at 4:20 o'clock this morning. The comet is still a very small object and will not be visible to the naked eye for a week or more. Reports to the contrary notwithstanding, its official position is given as 1 hour and 25 minutes above the sun and 10 degrees north.

10 DAYS' Millinery Sale

1,000 Trimmed Hats

New Braids, New Flowers, New Trimmings

THE WRIGHT HAT

THE ONTARIO LOAN AND DEBENTURE CO.

the court, which found the man guilty.

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No Advertisement Accepted Less Than Fifteen Words. When no insertion, or two cents per word if set type. When no insertion, or two cents per word if set type. When no insertion, or two cents per word if set type.

Births, Marriages, Deaths.

BIRTHS.
SCREATON—To Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Scraton, on April 9, a daughter, Gertrude Isabel.
GREENWAY—Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Greenway announce the birth of their son Jack, March 30, 1910.

DEATHS.
PARKINS—At Buffalo, on April 12, 1910, Jennie Beane, youngest daughter of the late Luke and Margaret Quinn Parkins.
Funeral from the parlors of Smith, Sons & Clarke, on Saturday, April 16, at 2:30; service at 2 o'clock.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES

GRAND MONDAY—SEATS TODAY
FAVERSHAM
HEROD—200 PEOPLE
PRICES—50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00

THE MASTER PIANIST,

MARK HAMBURG

Auditorium, Tuesday, April 19, at 8:15. Society musical event of the season. Seats now on sale. Matinee's 10c, 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00.

Life of Moses

Moving pictures, Auditorium, Friday, 4:15 and evening, Saturday, 2:30, 4 and 6 o'clock. Prices: Children, 5c; adults, 10c; reserved seats at Matinee's, 15c, 35c.

TONIGHT

Elizabeth Campbell, contralto; George Fox, violinist; Marietta La Del, reader and entertainer.

English Patriotic Concert

Anniversary St. George's Day, APRIL 25, CITY HALL.

Good talent, good music. The proceeds to fund set in new Tubercular Hospital. Tickets, 25c each.

MRS. ALICE HENDERSON, TEACHER of Scotch and Irish dancing, 571 Adelaide street. Concert talent furnished.

Ocean Travel

The ideal trip is a voyage by Salt Water. Take a trip to the Old Country and enjoy the sights of the Old World, either via the Atlantic or the Pacific. We can advise you the best way to go. Agent for the Allan, C. P., Canadian Northern, White Star, Cunard, Dominion, Anchor, American, Donaldson and other lines.

F. B. CLARKE

416 Richmond Street, Next Bank of Commerce.

ILLUSTRATED LECTURE BY MR. HUYETTE, Buffalo, N.Y.—Subject, "Smokeless Furnaces." Normal School, Friday evening, April 15. Admission free. Auspices Canadian Association Stationary Engineers.

TONY CORTESE, ORIGINAL LONDON Harpers, Music furnished for all occasions. 161 Maple, Phone 1570.

THIRD APRIL DANCE, PALACE Academy, Monday evening, 18th. Special musical program. Limited guests only. Private dancing lessons any hour. Classes as usual. Phone Dayton & McCormick.

SIMCOE ROLLER RINK—HAND TO NIGHT. Skating, April 15. Variety, 11 o'clock Saturday night.

MUSIC FURNISHED FOR PARTIES, balls, banquets, Phone 1265. Tony Vita's Italian Harpers, 123 Queen's avenue.

LEARN TO DANCE—R. B. MILLARD, 345 Princess avenue. Special attention to waltz and two-step. Instruction. Low rates. Lessons any hour.

WANTED.

HORSES WANTED AT THE PRASER House, Saturday, April 15. Variety. Delivery, wagon and express horse. Bring along the good ones and I will pay the long price.

WANTED BY NEAT WRITER—COPYING or writing of any kind in spare time; willing to keep a set of books. Apply Box 64, Advertiser.

WANTED—FAMILY WASHING TO take home; good dry or ironed; experienced laundress. Box 74, Advertiser.

WANTED—MEDIUM-SIZED MODERN house, central; give particulars and lowest cash price. Box 73, Advertiser.

WANTED—PARTY TO SHARE CAR of household goods, going to Vancouver. Apply 60 Dundas street.

WANTED—COPYING, CORRESPONDENCE or writing of any kind to do at home. Apply Box 63, Advertiser.

TWO THOROUGHLY RELIABLE young men going on a prospecting trip to Gogwanda would like to be grubstaked. Apply Box 60, Advertiser office.

SMALL MODERN HOUSE WANTED TO rent by May 1, central; no children; state rent. P. O. Box 32, 31st.

ONTARIO LAND GRANTS, LOCATED and unlocated, purchased for cash. D. M. Robertson, Canada Life Building, Toronto.

W. LEFF & CO., 555 BATHURST, BUY iron, rags, rubbers, metals, bottles, paper. Phone 2782.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST IN NORTH END—SMALL GOLD locket, initials "M. J. S." Reward, 75c. Waterloo street.

AGENTS WANTED.

SALESMAN—\$5 PER WEEK SELLING newly-patented egg-beater; sample and terms, 50c; money refunded if unsatisfactory. Collecting Manufacturing Company, Collingwood, Ont.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

CAPABLE DOMESTICS ARRIVING from the old country about April 15—Cook, housemaid, nurses, generalists, etc. For first choice apply now. The Guild, 71 Drummond street, Montreal.

MEETINGS

LONDON HEALTH ASSOCIATION. Annual meeting—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the London Health Association will be held in the Board of Trade rooms on Monday, the 13th day of April, 1910, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, in conformity with the charter of incorporation in that behalf H. E. Gates, secretary-treasurer.

REGULAR COMMUNICATION KING Solomon Lodge, A. F. and M. Masonic Temple, this (Thursday) evening, 7:30. Visitors welcome. W. Wilson, W. M.; William Nichols, secretary.

COURT ECLIPSE, CANADIAN ORDER of Foresters. will hold a special reception on Friday night, April 15, at 8 p.m., when the trophy won by the court will be handed over and the members of the court will be present. W. Logan, recording secretary.

MALE HELP WANTED.

BREAD BAKERS WANTED. JOHNSTON BROS., 262 Ottawa avenue. 531st.

BOY WANTED TO DRIVE WAGON on Saturdays. Harry Ranahan, Richmond street.

ASSISTANT BOOKKEEPER, FAMILIAR with ledger work, neat, plain handwriting, M. Masoret & Co., Wholesale grocers.

GOOD CARPENTER PAINTER FOR A few months, at one or two places, Kenzie, Leamington, Ont. 53a.

SMART BOY WANTED TO LEARN lithography. Southern Printing and Litho. Company. 53c.

PAINTERS WANTED AT ONCE—MUST be competent. George Howe & Son, 488 Bathurst street. 53c.

WANTED AT ONCE—SHAPER AND hand saw. Apply the Globe Carriage Company, City. 52a.

BOY WANTED TO DRIVE GROCERY wagon. Apply J. A. Tucker, Egerton street. 52a.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN TO SERVE behind counter and for delivery. Apply J. A. Anderson, Market House. 52a.

YOUNG MAN TO LEARN SHOP business. Casselman Bros., 171 Dundas street. 52c.

WANTED—BENCH AND FLOOR molders. Apply immediately, Cockshutt & Co., Brantford. 52c.

WANTED—CARRIAGE BLACKSMITH. Apply Campbell's Carriage Factory. 52c.

STRONG BOY TO CUT UP AND PACK soap; steady job. Apply the London Soap Company. 52c.

RINGMAKERS WANTED AT ONCE. E. H. Albert, Richmond street. 51c.

PRESSMAN WANTED, APPLY HENRY & Colerick, printers, Park avenue. 51c.

GOOD JOB PRINTER WANTED AT once. Apply London Advertiser. 181st.

FEMALE HELP WANTED

WIDOWER WISHES COMPETENT housekeeper; country home, no farm work; no objection to one child. Address Box 65, Advertiser.

SMART YOUNG GIRL, AS NURSE, MAID. Apply Mrs. J. E. Smallman, Elmwood avenue, South London. 53c.

WANTED—ASSISTANT STOREROOM girl; also a girl to help generally upstairs. Apply Tecumseh House. 53c.

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST in housework; sleep home if preferred. Apply before 8 p.m., 438 Adelaide street. 53c.

WANTED—GOOD PLAIN COOK, ALSO woman to wash and iron. Apply Mrs. C. H. Hunt, Worley road. 51c-ywt.

COOK WANTED IMMEDIATELY. Apply Miss Harris, 481 Ridout street. 52c.

WANTED—TWO EXPERIENCED MILK LINERY salesladies. Apply R. J. Young & Co., London. 52a.

DINING-ROOM GIRL WANTED. Apply J. McLeod's Restaurant, 12 Market Square. 52c.

CAPABLE MAID FOR GENERAL housework; family of three. Apply 531 Nelson street. 521st.

GIRLS WANTED, APPLY D. S. PER- RIN & Co., Limited. 121st.

WANTED—MAID FOR GENERAL work; good wages. Apply 46 Ridout street. 52c.

WANTED—DINING-ROOM GIRL AND Stewardess, Victoria Hospital. 521st.

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LONDON, THURSDAY, APRIL 14.

COMBINES AND HIGH PRICES.

One object of Hon. Mr. King's bill relating to combines, which is now before the Commons, is to ascertain to what extent mergers or trusts are responsible for the increased cost of living during the last twenty years, and by means of publicity, or that failing, the imposition of penalties, put a stop to abuse of the power which combination gives.

It is not proposed to legislate upon trusts and mergers as such, but to place some form of restraint upon them, and protect the consumer against illegitimate business methods made possible through the absence or restriction of competition.

As explained by Mr. King, the bill applies in principle the remedy that has worked so successfully in settling disputes between employers and employees. Machinery is provided for investigation by a board of commissioners, of which a high court judge will be chairman, of any complaint where a prima facie case of undue enhancement of prices has been made out. The full publicity which will be given the facts brought out, is expected to be sufficient in itself to redress any wrong disclosed. Should the unfair practices be persisted in, the bill provides for the infliction of severe penalties on the offenders until prices are brought to a reasonable basis.

The complaint and the concern complained against will each be allowed the privilege of choosing one of the investigators, and these two will select a chairman, who must be a high court judge, in the event of their failing to agree, the Government will choose the chairman. The board, in conducting the investigation, will have all the powers of a court of law, with the right to summon witnesses, the Government defraying all expenses. Every opportunity will be given for wide publicity of the commission's report. Where it is found that prices are unduly enhanced, an interval will be allowed, during which the combine may reduce prices to a basis which the board considers reasonable, but if this is not done, and the combine fails to satisfy public opinion, a heavy fine may be imposed for each day's delay in lowering prices, and in addition the offenders may be deprived of tariff protection.

THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE.

A very striking illustration of Canada's recent progress was given by Hon. Chas. Murphy, secretary of state, in a speech at Brockville the other day. In describing the work of his department he mentioned that in 1896 not one person was naturalized in Canada, while last year the number of people who became citizens by naturalization numbered 25,000, of whom 9,000 came from the United States.

The importance of the office of secretary of state is not generally realized. It is one of the busiest of governmental departments. As its head, Mr. Murphy exercises control over the departments of external affairs, public printing and stationery, and the civil service commission. All official correspondence within the Dominion is in his charge. He is the medium of communication between the Dominion Government and the governments of the provinces. The department also administers the Dominion elections, companies, naturalization, (Canada temperance, boards of trade and trade union acts). The Secretary of State is also registrar-general whose duties include the recording of commissions, grants, railway mortgages, to secure bonds, releases of mortgages, surrender to the crown, etc. In this branch are important historic documents, some dating back nearly 250 years. The library of official reference books for the use of the various departments, which was established six years ago, and now contains 30,000 volumes of books and pamphlets, is also in charge of the Secretary of State, whose staff of officials prepare and record the commissions and grants under the great seal, except Northwest land grants, and also the commissions of Dominion officers.

Since the Liberals came into power the business of the department has greatly increased, but it is now being run at an annual profit. In 1896 the expenditure of the department was about \$1,000 in excess of the receipts; now, although the expenditure for salaries, contingencies, etc., has greatly increased, there is a balance on the right side of \$70,000. In the same period the number of letters written in the department has increased 100 per cent, exclusive of the thousands from the minister's office direct. In addition,

there has in the thirteen years been an increase of 500 per cent in the number of returns proposed for Parliament.

MR. MONK'S POSITION.

A demonstration in honor of Mr. Monk upon his return to Montreal from a southern health resort was proposed by young French-Canadian Conservatives, but it is said they have been dissuaded by older heads in the party. Such an occasion would be exceedingly embarrassing to Mr. Borden. It would be interpreted as a challenge and defiance. The Toronto News is perfectly logical when it says that Mr. Monk cannot consistently remain in the position of French-Canadian leader of the party; and the denaturalization of the Opposition would be complete if the French-Canadian Conservatives were to make Mr. Monk's cause their own.

Mr. Monk is opposed to any expenditure for naval purposes. How can Mr. Borden consistently attack the Government upon the naval question, or even claim that the Opposition has an alternative policy, while he retains as his Quebec lieutenant a man whose views are diametrically opposed to his own? In Ontario such newspapers as the Toronto Mail and Empire cry that the Government's design is anti-British, anti-imperial, and separatist. Mr. Monk's attitude is that of the Quebec Nationalists, who denounce the Government's scheme as an encroachment on Canadian autonomy. The Opposition will be compromised in this manner, so long as Mr. Monk retains his present post. If he cannot see it, Mr. Borden must open his eyes.

Resolutions will not help Mr. Borden unless he helps himself. The pulp forces of the city will be weakened by the loss of Mr. Vining and Mr. Shields.

Australia has just elected its fourth government in four years. This is an average of one a year. In Canada governments only die of old age.

Quebec will follow Ontario's lead by prohibiting the exportation of pulpwood cut on crown lands. This is conservation with a big C.

Mrs. Willoughby Cummings, who will explain the Government's annuity scheme in the city tonight, was in Toronto journalism for years, and is a clever writer and speaker. Her subject tonight appeals to women as much as to men.

Judge Doherty, a newcomer, assumed the leadership of the Ottawa Opposition in the absence of Mr. Borden, Mr. Foster and Mr. Monk, but in the presence of Dr. Spruille, George Taylor, Richard Blain, Sam Hughes and other aspiring but apparently expiring "renewals." If they will not take this hint, there will be little use in upsetting the proverbial ton of brick on them.

"Meantime the Ottawa Opposition members should take a lesson from Lord Randolph's Churchill's fourth party, a small parliamentary group which, by persistent combination and effective co-operation, drove the Gladstone Government out of power in short order."—Toronto News.

An unfortunate illustration. The four members of the fourth party were insurgents, in rebellion against the regular Conservative leader. Further, the Ottawa Opposition hasn't a Churchill, a Balfour, a Gort, or a Drummond-Wolfe in its ranks.

SCHOLARLY.

Minister—So you are going to school now, are you, Bobby?
Bobby—Yes, yes, sir.
Minister—Spell kitten for me.
Bobby—Oh, I'm further advanced than that. Try me on cat.

SUCCESS WITH AN AUTO.

"A man ought to be a good mechanic in order to get satisfactory results from an automobile."
"Yes," answered Mr. Chuggins, "but it's still better to be a good financier."

A BIBLE NAME.

The late Bishop Gallier was once asked to baptize a negro baby boy.
"Name this child," he said, addressing Mrs. Jackson, the mother of the black mite.
"Halld!"
"That's a strange name, Mrs. Jackson," remarked the bishop, looking astonished.
"Scripture name," rejoined the happy mother, with a confident grin.
"I never saw it in the Bible."
"Why, bishop, didn't you start 'n dar kiddin' a ole niggar niggah laik is?" Yuh says dat name whenever yuh says de Lawd's prayer—Halld be thy name!"

RIPENED LATE.

The father of Booth Tarkington, the novelist, as just published his first novel. He is 79 years old. It's a late start, but see what the English novelist Mr. Morgan has done, though he began novel writing almost as late as did the Italian man.

THERE'S A REASON.

He had a red and weary eye.
And coughs a shrill and racking cough.
And would you know the reason why?
Because he t-k h-s f-n-l-s off.

HELD UP UNCLE SAM.

We have been obliged to accept the so-called intermediate tariff of Canada upon a much smaller number of articles than that to which it is applied in the lately-concluded agreement with France, which is extended automatically to some dozen other countries in Europe.
That is to say, while we have given the Canadians the benefit of our lowest tariff on all articles specified in the law, we have been obliged to accept from them much more onerous concessions than have been made to nearly all the commercial countries of Europe. Nevertheless, we think the president did well to make a commercial agreement with Canada on the best terms he could get; first, because it is right, and second, because he could do nothing else.
The plain truth is that the public opinion of this country would not endure a

tariff war at this time with a country which is our largest market and buys from us far more than it sells to us. It begins to be understood in the United States that the great mass of our people suffer far more than the Canadians from obstructions to trade between the two countries, and that the difference between us would be increased by greater obstruction.
The Canadians understand this far better than we do, and undoubtedly took advantage of it to hold us up in the agreement.

SOUND SENSE.
[Woodstock Review.]
Conditions are constantly developing in every party with which healthy-minded people have no right to be satisfied. The fact that such conditions are tolerated without protest is not a wholesome sign, even from the party viewpoint, but the reverse.

EMBARRASSING.
[Boston Courier.]
Stubb—I notice your wife doesn't wear her 500-button gown to church now.
Penn—No, it was too embarrassing. Every time a button turned up on the collection plate, the person glanced at her.

NOT SPORT BUT BUSINESS.
[Toronto News.]
Those so-called race meetings, which run from weeks to months, have little to do with the encouragement of horse breeding, and are simply gambling agencies. All these should be suppressed. So also should all the hand-book accessories to racing. Nor can there be any justification for a meeting running beyond seven or eight days.

MRS. PARTINGTON'S RIVAL.
[Boston Transcript.]
Mr. Blinks (in art museum)—I didn't know you were such an admirer of curios, Mrs. Blunderby.
Mrs. Blunderby—Oh, yes, indeed; I just delight in iniquities.

A SOUND POLITICAL MAXIM.
[Winnipeg Free Press.]
It was Abraham Lincoln, a fairly successful practical politician, who declared: "What is inherently right is politically safe."

FOR THE FRONT ROW.
[Ridgeway Dominion.]
Borden is all right as leader of the Opposition, but we hope the news is true that the political antiquaries who sit him in the House will be led to go to the rear, and that the bright and vigorous young men who entered the House more recently will be advanced to the front row.

WITH US AGAIN.
[Scranton Tribune-Republican.]
Now does the little house fly begin to buzz around?
Distributing disease germs?
Wherever they may be found?
The awful little nuisance?
About everywhere appearing?
Ticking our noses?
And likewise our ears?
'Tis time to open battle.
And keep it up, without rest.
Against these most pestiferous
And active little pests.
So bring along the poison,
The screen, and let us try.
To regulate the house fly cause,
That rapidly-moving foe.

THE JEWISH PEOPLE.
It is extraordinary how few Jews there really are in this country, considering their great influence and insistence. Herbert Samuel is the only Jewish member of the ministry. There are only four Jewish privy councillors, and only four Jewish peers. Eight Jews sit on the London county council, between twenty and thirty are members of the House of Commons. Jewish journalism has many Jews among its members, and American journalism more. The newspapers in Paris are largely influenced by Jews; in Berlin their influence is greater still, and in Vienna it is predominant. Finance is entirely controlled by Jews, and hence it may be said that wars are in their hands and the fate of nations in their hands. Only 100,000 Jews in the whole world, and fewer than 20,000 in London. Truly an amazing people.

CANDID ADVICE.

[Ottawa Citizen.]
What is needed is a general house-cleaning and reorganization. Whatever stands in the way of unity and harmony should be removed, discipline must be established, and a united front presented. The Opposition is not doing, and has not for some time been doing, its best work; it has been missing opportunities and failing to achieve results. This is largely due to dissensions within its own ranks, which have a most distracting effect. Reorganization is imperative, and the sooner reorganization takes place the better.

CLARA DALLAS' MOTHER

NOW IN MONTREAL

Is Suffering Because She Cannot Get Back Her Baby.

Hamilton, April 14.—Inquiries about Clara Alice Dallas, the child actress, whose case has been attracting much interest, shows that she had been singing in Montreal picture houses, before her guardian, Mrs. Polly Grier, of this city, died with her, when the little girl's father started court proceedings to get his daughter. It was through this that her identity was established when she was taken off the stage of a London theatre, going under the name of Ruth Slinger.
Mrs. Dallas, the child's mother, in an interview at Montreal, said: "Is it not unreasonable that a mother should want her child? The facts, what she came out later on, but meanwhile, I am suffering because I cannot get my baby. She has been taught by this woman to disregard her mother, but the time must come when I shall have her all to myself. More than that I prefer not to say at the present moment."

THE ALBERTA PROBE

Two Important Witnesses Fail to Put in an Appearance.

Edmonton, Alta., April 13.—A genuine surprise, in striking of the nature of a bomb, was exploded here this morning, when the royal commission, which is investigating the contract of the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway, reconvened, announcement being made by Mr. W. L. Walsh, counsel for the commission, that neither President Clarke, of the company, nor solicitor D. Minty, of Winnipeg, would appear at the session of the commission in Winnipeg. This announcement caused a great surprise, as Mr. Robson had assured the commission previously that his client, Clarke, would attend the session of the commission today to give all the evidence desired. Mr. R. B. Bennett gave it as his opinion that Mr.

Minty had offered to give evidence before a commission in Winnipeg, knowing that it would not have the power to enforce answers outside of this province.
James McKinnon, of the Canada West Construction Company, was subpoenaed this morning, but failed to appear.
Dr. Waddell, chief engineer of the Alberta and Great Waterways, was called, and was hazy about office matters; and papers; he also could not explain the exact connection between the Alberta and Great Waterways and the Canada West Construction Company.

The royal commission adjourned until Thursday, to give counsel time to reconstruct their case.

THINKS ESKIMOS CAME FROM JAPAN

Rev. E. J. Peck's Interesting Address on Missionary Work in the Far North.

WORK IN HONAN, CHINA

No Easy Task, Said Rev. Principal Waller at Woman's Auxiliary Meeting Last Night.

A rare treat was last night's session of the Huron Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary in Bishop Cronyn Hall, when an interesting map talk was given by Rev. Principal Waller, of Huron College, on the new Diocese of Honan, China, under the control of the Canadian Anglican Church.

The speaker opened with a geographical description of the Province of Honan. It is 465 miles from north to south, and 420 miles from east to west. This province contains a population equal to that of England and Wales, only 10,000,000 less than that of Japan, and eighteen times that of Ontario, although it is only one-third the size. It is the most densely populated country in the world.
The evil of infanticide is one of the greatest difficulties which the missionaries have to contend with. Orphanages and foundling homes have been established to counteract this evil.

Social Problems.
There are, unfortunately, fifteen denominational bodies working in China, and the task of the missionary is no easy one. Three years must be spent by the missionary in learning the language before he can begin effective work.
Principal Waller's closing words were: "Is my Christianity worth propagating? This is the solemn question each Christian should ask himself."
Perhaps the most pleasing feature of the evening was the lecture by the Rev. E. J. Peck on his work among the Eskimos north of the Arctic zone.

The lecture was splendidly illustrated by flashlight views, taken from actual work among the Eskimos, which served to bring the scene of Rev. Mr. Peck's labors directly before the audience. The hall was crowded, and the interest was taken in each of the views shown.
The Eskimos.
In opening Rev. Mr. Peck expressed his belief that the Eskimos came originally from Japan, resembling the Japanese greatly in their physique, religion and race characteristics.
The views illustrated the dress of the Eskimos, their home life, the structure of their houses, an Eskimo village, harpooning whales, and various other phases of their life.
The Rev. Mr. Peck then read and read the treasurer's report, which showed a balance on hand from 1908, \$1,029.35; receipts for 1909, \$4,425.81; total, \$5,454.16. Disbursements, \$4,454.16; balance in bank, \$1,107.75; balance, cash, \$5.42; total, \$5,463.16; cash-offering, \$608.04.

Afternoon Session.
At the afternoon session the question of appeals was left over. These appeals included China, the Northwest, Japan, and for increased missionary efforts along all lines.
An excellent paper was given by Controller Ainey, of Montreal, strongly in favor of the measure.
Ottawa, April 13.—Controller Joseph Ainey, of Montreal, was the principal witness before the eight-hour bill committee today. He supported the measure and said the workmen would favor it if wages were not reduced. The relations between the building trades and their employees in Montreal had for some time not been the best. There had been constant strife, and, as they had not achieved the end they sought with their employers, they could not ask the city to put the 8-hour proviso in its contracts. The Federal Government might set an example.
Mr. W. Watkins, of the United Mine Workers, Springfield, favored the bill as bettering the conditions of the miners.

LIMIT DEATH PENALTY

Czar Nicholas Instructs Government To Drop Exceptional Measures.

[Associated Press.]

St. Petersburg, April 14.—Premier Stolypin, in a speech in the Duma last night, announced that the Emperor had personally ordered that the death penalty and administrative measures for the preservation of order should be limited as strictly as possible.

The exceptional measures that it was found necessary to enforce during the revolutionary days have now been relaxed in nearly all parts of the empire.
The Premier referred to the recent attack made by robbers on the treasury at Kizliar, in Circassia, when seventeen men were killed, including several of the military guards, and said that such occurrences as this showed that the iron hand still was necessary in some parts of the country, and would be applied rigorously to protect the citizens from bombs and brandage.

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TWO MEN KILLED IN AUTO CRASH

Detroit, April 13.—Two men were killed and one was seriously injured in an automobile accident at the outer belt line railroad crossing, Gratiot avenue, between French Line road and Connor's Creek, at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The men killed were Geo. Smith, 26 years old, Baldwin and Keith avenues, and John Foster, 20 years old, 1917 Jefferson avenue. The injured man is Christopher Peters, 36 Joseph Campau avenue, who sustained a fractured leg.

A NEW LESSEE FOR STRATFORD THEATRE

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Stratford, April 13.—Theatre Albert has been leased by Mr. Brandenberger to the Griffin Amusement Company, of Toronto and Elmira, N.Y., for a term of ten years. The Griffin Amusement Company have leased a circuit of theatres, and will conduct a big-class house, putting on the best class of plays, with vaudeville and moving pictures filling in the time between dates of such plays. Mr. Brandenberger has other financial interests outside the theatre, to which he will now devote the whole of his time.

MILLS OPEN EARLY.

Ottawa, Ont., April 13.—The lumber mills at the Chaudiere here are already opening for the season. The Sheppard & Morse concern started operations yesterday. This is more than two weeks ahead of last year.

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—Mrs. BESSIE BILLY, Dovedale, Sask., Canada.

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If you belong to that countless army of women who suffer from some form of female ills, don't hesitate to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs. For thirty years this famous remedy has been the standard for all forms of female ills, and has cured thousands of women who have been troubled with such ailments as displacements, fibroid tumors, ulceration, irregularities, backache, and nervous prostration.

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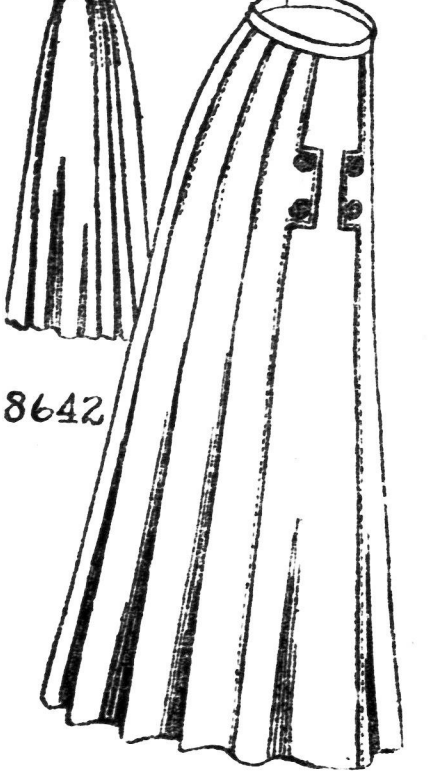
BY FRANK H. SHAW.

Author of "A Daughter of the Storm," "First at the Pole," etc. (Copyright in U. S. America. All Rights Reserved.)

"Yes, yes, I am sure you will, my dear Lady Marion. You will be asked, amongst other things, if your father had any great virtues, if he had confided in you to any extent. But, of course, you know that he had no undue worries. He did not speak to you his money affairs in as prosperous a condition as ever they have been. So that is one thing the less to trouble about. By the way, I saw Mr. Scroggs this evening. He begged me to assure you of his earnest sympathy. He would have attended here in person to assure you how deeply he sympathized with you in this moment of sorrow, but he felt that—that you would remember your father's refusal to grant him entry doubly strongly at this time, and so—he stayed away."

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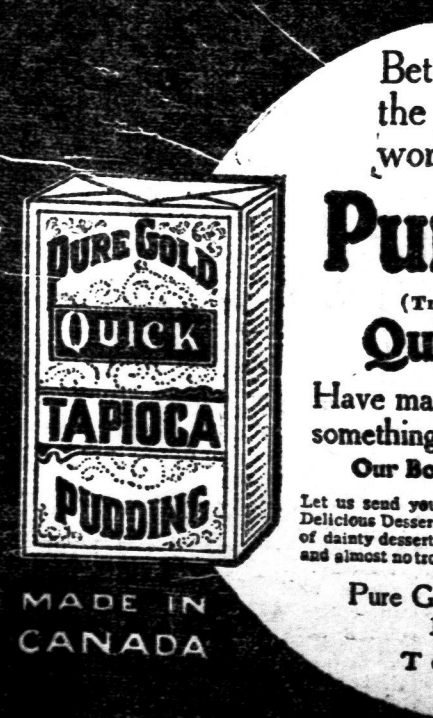
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CAUTION—Be careful to inclose above illustration and send size of pattern wanted. When the pattern is sent measure you need only mark it 22, 24, or whatever it may be. When in waist measure, 22, 24, 26, or whatever it may be. If a skirt, give waist and length measure. When misses' or child's pattern, write only the figure representing the age. It is not necessary to write "inches" or "years." Patterns cannot reach you in less than one week from the date of order. The price of each pattern is 10c in cash or in postage stamps.



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below the fourth rib in the left side, penetrated a thin coating of lung, passed through the heart, and was found embedded under the covering skin of the heart.

The coroner examined the little leaden thing he held curiously. He passed it on to the jury, who in their turn subjected it to a close scrutiny. "You will see, gentlemen," he said, "that our professional friend has reason to believe that the bullet was fired from no ordinary pistol. Even now, it retains its elliptical shape perfectly. A bullet fired from an old-fashioned pistol with an elliptical bore. Now, Dr. Gibbs, you are a medical man. What is your opinion of the cause of Lord Greatheart's death—the actual cause?"

"I think that he died as a result of a pistol shot fired at a short range, by a man taller than himself. The general direction of the bullet was slightly downward, and taking it for granted that a man fired from the normal position, that man being taller than his lordship, the bullet would take such a course as that actually taken by the bullet now in the hands of the jury."

"Very good. I may have some more questions to put to you later. Call Police Constable Jones."

"If you see Mr. Scroggs," she said, "you will be good enough to give him my dear love, and to say I felt his sympathy to be all about me. And now, Mr. Munster, if there is nothing more—this has been a trying day—and—"

"Yes, yes, my lady." The lawyer started suddenly, and his face was almost furtive as he looked at her. Then the official calm overspread his features; he rose, smoothed his voice to murmur words of sympathy and was gone.

"I've never quite trusted Mr. Munster," said Marion to herself as she slipped to her feet and went upstairs. "I think I trust him less than ever now. I wonder what there is about him that I don't like."

CHAPTER XVII.
A Missing Pistol.
"Now, Dr. Gibbs, I must ask you a few questions. You were called in immediately the murder—let us say death—was made known. And you found—"

"The voice of the coroner was mildly inquisitive. In the big upper room at Bull and Mouth were gathered a strange medley of people—the twelve countrymen who had been picked to form a jury, Dr. Gibbs, Police Constable Malachi Jones, Marion Seymour, Mr. Munster and a host of others. There was a man who bore Scotland Yard stamped all over him, there were reporters from the local papers; even a great London daily had its representative there, for already the world was rife with strange rumors.

"I found the deceased nobleman lying shot through the heart," said Gibbs, with a plying glance at Marion. "Life was extinct, and had probably been extinct for considerably over an hour."

"Yes, and what is your opinion as regards the cause of death?"

"A pistol shot fired at close quarters. Constable Jones drew my attention to the fact that the clothing was stained in the neighborhood of the wound. For further researches brought to light this, he opened his hand, and something heavy dropped on to the table. The coroner picked it up and held it between his thumb and forefinger and he continued his examination.

"You feel confident that it was a pistol shot?"

"Quite confident. A gunshot wound would be markedly different. I think the weapon which caused the wound was an old-fashioned, muzzle-loading pistol of large calibre, and of a peculiarly shaped bore. Instead of being round the bore was elliptical. I have never seen such a weapon, but I feel convinced that I am right."

ANTI-GAMBLING BILL MAY YET GO THROUGH

Some Possibilities of a Compromise Being Arranged Between Promoter and Tracks.

Ottawa, April 14.—There is some possibility of the Miller bill against race track gambling being revised this session. It is understood that Mr. Miller has submitted a proposal to the suggested compromise by way of limit tracks to points inside or within three miles of cities of a population of not less than 15,000, and have the meeting confined to six days twice a year. With such restrictions he is willing to permit of betting with book-makers.

Whether the racing men will agree to this is questionable. To begin with, it would put the Fort Erie track out of business in the qualification of population. Some definite understanding may be arrived at during the present session, unless, however, there is a slight probability of anything being done this session. The Government is not disposed to grant any more time to the question if it cannot be disposed of in short order.

NO CONVENTION UNTIL NEXT YEAR

The Conservatives Postpone That Gathering Until 1911.

Ottawa, April 13.—The Conservative caucus this morning decided to postpone the proposed Dominion convention, which was to have been held this year in June, no definite date was set, but the convention is not likely to be held before 1911.

TWO BOYS POISONED BY BLACK HANDERS

Pittsburg, April 14.—Two sons of Philip Badali, a wealthy Italian, of Wilkesburg, were found dead in bed early today. The boys, one 18 and the other 16 years old, were victims of poison, according to the coroner's office, either administered by some one or taken by mistake for medicine.

Philip Badali learned of the death of his two boys he fell in a faint, declaring wildly that the deaths were due to his enemies, to whom he had refused to pay money. Two years ago Badali's summer home was burned. Four months later the incendiary blaze which guarded the Badali home day and night.

Letters have been received by the family demanding money for the past six months.

CANED THE HOAXERS

Dreadnought's Officers Get Revenge For Frank Played on Them.

London, April 14.—According to the Daily Express, which first printed the story of the hoax played on the officers of H. M. S. Dreadnought by a party of young people, some of whom fancied themselves as Abyssinian princes, and pretended to fall from the warship with all the honors due their supposed rank, the hoaxers have been punished by lynch law.

When it was ascertained that the officers could not be punished legally, the Dreadnought's officers determined to discover the identity of the hoaxers. They succeeded in this, and sent what purported to be an official letter, directed to them to come to London. One thus summoned to Admiral Mackay's house in London to apologize was curtly dismissed after a long wait in the hall.

When others were received elsewhere by young officers, who thrashed them with their canes. They took their punishment stoically.

Another, who was sick in bed, was sent to the hospital for punishment. The hoaxers took part in the hoax is exempted.

SHOT BY WIFE'S FRIEND.

Toronto, April 13.—J. D. Woodward, a real estate dealer, of Kenilworth avenue, was found guilty in the county criminal court this morning on the charge of shooting Frank Imber, a painter, 19 Duvernay avenue, and was sentenced to 12 months in the Central Prison. The shooting took place on the night of March 7, Woodward, who admitted he had intoxicated at the time, went to Imber's house, and, drawing a revolver, fired at Imber, the shot entering the latter's mouth, and making a dangerous wound. Imber's wife was one of the witnesses examined, and admitted having been friendly with Woodward, and having drunk whiskey with him several times.

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statement of a speaker at the Royal Astronomical Society, in Toronto, that it was Venus, and not Halley's comet, that he knew very well and he watched her disappear yesterday with the dawn of daybreak.

He remembers very well seeing Donatelli for about three months. He thinks it appeared in the year 1858, when he was serving before the mast on a New York sailing ship around Cape Hope, the star being overhead and the full moon appearing in the sky. Excitement among seafaring men was very intense at that time, as it was expected the ex-Donatelli comet would destroy the earth, and there was more Bible reading among seamen on the ocean than was ever known before or since.

The remarkable phenomenon seen by Captain Wright yesterday morning was seen by several other citizens, who were watching, and the Astronomical Society to explain what the tail of light that he saw sweeping the sky was if not Halley's comet.

IRISH FLIRTING WITH THE UNIONISTS

London, April 14.—Yesterday's Cork Constitution, the leading Unionist organ, says: "Some days ago information was received from the Irish Unionists to ascertain what they might expect from the Unionists in case of their defeating the Government and supporting the Conservatives at the general election."

A SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICE

Anglican Church to Establish Permanent Commission at Toronto. Toronto, April 14.—The Sunday school commission of the Church of England in Canada will open an office in the Confederation Life Buildings, during the next week. This was confirmed at the half-yearly meeting of the commission, held at the school of the day today. Rev. R. A. Hiltz, of Toronto, was appointed general secretary. Rev. Dr. Gifford, of Montreal, presided over the commission's deliberations. A teacher's training course, recommended by the executive committee, was adopted, also a reading course. The treasurer's report showed a balance in the bank of \$2,243.62.

TO CURB WALL STREET

Plan to Do Away With the Corner and Shearing of the Poor Lamb. Albany, N. Y., April 14.—Claiming that the investigating committee appointed by Governor Hughes to examine into the methods of the New York Stock Exchange, had such limited powers that it could not do justice to the situation, the Assembly today urged the assembly's means committee today to resort to legislation, providing for the appointment of a legislative committee to investigate the situation and report to the legislature next year. "Those who depend upon the board of governors of the New York Stock Exchange to reform the organization," he said, "are raising false hopes within themselves."

Some of the reforms which Mr. Toombs declares should be enacted into law are these:

In the case of a corner, exchange governors should be compelled to fix a settlement price in order to save innocent purchasers from injury or ruin.

Members of the stock exchange should be compelled to have their books audited four times a year by certified public accountants and the results of these examinations made public in an effective way.

Brokers should be penalized by law for reporting a sale on an order by a customer when the sale is not actually made, and the trading on stock exchanges should be done on the basis of a reasonably small sum.

The hypocritical, leaning and other uses of customers' securities held by brokers should be rigidly restricted.

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A deserter from the French artillery was acquitted by the court martial which tried him at Le Mans for the curious reason that he had deserted to serve his country in Morocco.

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EBEC OBJECTS TO AN INCORPORATION

Charitable Association Seeks a Federal Charter and French Province Protests.

(Special to The Advertiser.)

Quebec, April 13.—The question of a federal charter for the Quebec Charitable Association came up on the agenda of the morning session of the private bills committee of the Senate, objection was taken by Mr. Bensky, on behalf of the Quebec Association, to a bill incorporating the Association de Notre Dame des Missions with power to educate children in the work of charity. He stated that a similar application in the Christian Brethren had been used by Parliament on the ground that education was assigned to the provinces by the B. N. A. act. He stated that no objection had been made to this bill in the Commons, but he had not come to the attention of the Quebec Government. Mr. Martin, M. P., said the bill was his name in the Commons, and he saw the society for a very worthy purpose, which had some educational institutions in Manitoba, and was now building a hospital in Regina. Its principal work was hospital and charity work. Education was the smallest part of its activities, being confined chiefly to the orphans of whom they had charge. He was not prepared to argue a question of provincial rights, but suggested that the committee defer until the solicitor of the bills is on hand. Senator Cloran opposed the bill on the grounds of provincial rights, stating that both education and charity are subjects assigned to the provinces. The law clerk, being appealed to, gave the opinion that the Dominion Parliament was the only body which could grant the incorporation, and that provincial rights would not be interfered with, because, though incorporated with capacity to educate, power to carry on education was not given, and the society would be subject to the educational act. It was decided to defer action until another meeting.

AYS SPECULATORS ROBBED INDIANS

Ottawa, April 13.—In the Commons this evening the member for Selkirk charged that the Indians of St. Peter's reservation in Manitoba, had been robbed of their land by speculators, who, he declared, had been guilty of a "land grab" in order to get a surrender of patents from the tribe. He also accused the superintendent of Indian affairs, Frank Pedley, with not taking proper steps to prevent this. He said that the Indians of St. Peter's had got only a third of the value of their lands.

ABORITES AGAIN GET COMMONWEALTH

Melbourne, Australia, April 13.—The Commonwealth general election today resulted in the complete defeat of Alfred Deakin's fusionist Government by the Labor party, which gained 18 seats.

Mr. Deakin became premier last fall by defeating the Labor Government on a vote in the House. He was premier for several years previous to his first defeat by the Laborites.

SHORTAGE IN BROOMS.
Chicago, April 13.—Unless the broom crop of the country is subjected to a plan of conservation, there will be a further shortage, and the price of ordinary house brooms will go still higher. According to statements made at the sessions of the National Association of broom-makers of America last night, it was said that the crop this year would fall far behind that of last year.

W. R. Wilson, of New York, was elected president, and W. L. Martin, secretary, of the association.

PASTY FOOD

Too Commonly Used.

The use of pasty cereals is not advisable. A physician says: "Pasty cereals are very indigestible, and a bad thing for the stomach, causing a depressed feeling and quite a train of disorders, particularly of the intestines and nerves."

"Cereals, such as wheat and oats, can be cooked long enough and well enough to fit them for human use, but the ordinary way of cooking leaves them in a pasty condition."

A gentleman from Evansville, Ind., says:

"My physician prohibited the use of oats and wheat, for I was in a bad condition physically, with pronounced dyspepsia."

"He said the heavy paste was indigestible, but that Grape-Nuts, being a thoroughly cooked food, and cooked in such a manner as to change the starch into a peculiar sugar, could be easily digested."

"I have become very fond indeed of Grape-Nuts, and all the uncomfortable feelings have disappeared. I have gained nearly twelve pounds in weight, and have none of the distressed, full feeling after my meals that I had formerly. Grape-Nuts food has done the work."

Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in packages. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

THIRTEENTH CENSUS FOR UNCLE SAMUEL

Seventy Thousand Interrogators Will Take It and 90,000,000 Is the Estimate.

Washington, April 14.—Next Friday morning about 70,000 interrogators, men and women, will start taking the thirteenth census of the United States.

About 90,000,000 persons is the estimated population and the Government already has employed and will then put to work a body of enumerators considerably greater than the standing army.

The law provides that the enumeration shall begin April 15, but it is not so peremptory about the beginning as about the closing time.

The enumerators will cover all of the 48 states and 2 territories of the Union proper and also Hawaii and Porto Rico, Alaska, the Philippine Islands and Guam will not be included, as special arrangements are made for numbering the people of those dependencies.

Director Durand is counting upon a roll of not fewer than 90,000,000 names. This estimate is based upon the calculations of his experts, and makes an allowance for an increase according to the tendencies shown in the last three previous censuses. Between 1870 and 1880 the increase in the population was 30 per cent; between 1880 and 1890, 25 per cent; between 1890 and 1900, 21 per cent.

If the decrease should continue at the same rate there should be a falling off this year of the rate of gain to 17 per cent. The immigration figures for the past decade have been greater, however, than for any of the previous 10-year periods. Making allowances for this, the augmentation from outside it is calculated that the increase for the past 10 years will be about 15 per cent and as, in round numbers, the figures for 1900 was 76,000,000, it is now calculated that there will have been an addition of about 14,000,000 persons.

The mere getting of the information will cost the Government the sum of \$5,500,000. Of this amount \$4,500,000 will be paid to enumerators, and the remaining million to supervisors. With a few exceptions the enumerators will be paid on the basis of the work done. In the country the remuneration will be from 20 to 40 cents for each farm reported, while the pay for names will range from 2 to 4 cents. The districts will average 1,300 names, 1,000 in the country and 1,600 in the cities.

TWENTY-SIX YEARS FOR BLACKHANDER

New Haven, Conn., April 14.—Vincenzo Bedella, 26 years old, who was charged with conspiracy in the Black Hand proceedings in this city, in connection with which four of the ring-leaders are serving long terms in the state prison, was sentenced in the superior court here this afternoon by Judge Wheeler, to 26 years in Wethersfield.

Sabina and Tasso, the ring-leaders, were sentenced recently to 23 years. Bedella was brought here from Sing Sing, where he had been serving time.

KILLED A JAILER.

Meridian, Miss., April 13.—Tom O'Neill, a negro, who shot and killed Jailer Temple here today, was shot and killed by officers in a fight in the basement of the jail.

NEW YORK BANK TAX.

New York, April 13.—The Times today says: "The part played by the Canadian banks in obtaining in New York the New York State law fixing the tax on operations in this state by foreign banks is explained by J. H. Heben, manager of the New York city agency of the bank of Montreal. The old law imposed a tax of one per cent on the business done by foreign banks, and in 1900 this was changed, by making the tax 5 per cent of the net profits. Mr. Heben was active in obtaining this modification of the law. Mr. Heben said only \$5,000 or \$6,000 was paid by half a dozen banks, in varying amounts, to employ attorneys who drew up a bill and worked for its passage. The banks doing the largest business contributed a larger sum than did the smaller banks. The change in the law, Mr. Heben said, was practically imperative if the Canadian banks were to continue to make direct loans in this market during periods when call money was loaned at low rates. When these loans were being made as low as 1 per cent, the banks, Mr. Heben said, could not possibly afford to pay a tax of one-half of one per cent. This amount, he said, to turn half the banks' profits over to the state."

TORONTO SEATS.

Toronto, April 13.—The News tonight says that a group of Toronto Liberals have a plan for the recasting of the political boundaries, giving the city eight seats, of which it is expected the Liberals can win four. The plan is as follows:

North—Toronto—Two members, boundaries unchanged.

Centre Toronto—Two members, southern boundary to be produced from Queen street to the Bay, cutting out

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TORONTO'S BUILDING BOOM.

Toronto, April 13.—The erection of dwelling houses in Toronto continues to increase at a remarkable rate. The city architect during the twelve days of April issued permits for the construction of 101 dwellings, including two apartment houses. The building permits from April 1 to April 12 totalled in value \$629,500. They included the new St. Paul's Church on Bloor street east, \$265,000, and the Dovercourt Presbyterian Sunday school \$20,000.

THE PAPER STRIKE.

Glens Falls, N. Y., April 12.—The International Paper Company today announced that at least 1,000 men are now working in the three mills at Fort Edward, Corinth and South Glens Falls, and that it is confident of winning against its striking employees. Several of the latter, it is said, have returned to work, and more have signified their intention of doing so.

ROLLING MILL MERGER.

Montreal, April 14.—A formal offer of \$300 per share has been made for the stock of the Montreal Rolling Mills capital stock, of which amounts to slightly over \$1,000,000. It is not stated who the proposed purchasers are, but there has been a rumor for some time back of an amalgamation with the Hamilton Steel Company.

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most of the South Toronto riding. West Toronto—Two members, taking in that part of South Toronto between the Bay and the river, including the portion of South Toronto between Queen street and the Bay, cutting out

The candidates would be: North, H. M. Mowat, K. C., and W. H. Shaw; Centre, T. C. Robinette, K. C., and Hartley Dewar, K. C.

None are given for the east and west, which are considered hopelessly Conservative. The expectations are to win both seats in North and Centre Toronto, and leave the four seats in East and West Toronto to the Conservatives.

HOTELMAN FINED.

Owen Sound, April 12.—Fred Ulland was fined \$40 and costs in the police court, because Inspector Beckett found whiskey in the bar of the Paterson House, of which he is lessee.

HORNERITE IN TROUBLE.

Belleville, April 12.—S. E. Ward, an alleged Hornerite preacher, who belongs to Cashel Township, is in jail here charged with an unmentionable crime. The crown authorities are

TRAVELERS' GUIDE

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.
SARNIA TUNNEL TO SUSPENSION BRIDGE AND TORONTO.

Arrive from the east—2:45 a.m. 10:50 a.m. *11:12 a.m. *11:28 a.m. 6:30 p.m. *8:00 p.m. 10:10 p.m.
Arrive from the west—12:00 a.m. *3:30 a.m. *11:30 a.m. 1:40 p.m. *4:10 p.m. 6:30 p.m.

Depart for the east—12:14 a.m. *3:45 a.m. 7:30 a.m. 9:00 a.m. *11:40 a.m. 2:05 p.m. *4:25 p.m. *6:45 p.m.
Depart for the west—2:35 a.m. 7:40 a.m. *11:43 a.m. 1:40 p.m. *3:15 p.m.

LONDON AND WINDSOR.
Arrive—10:25 a.m. *4:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 11:05 p.m.
Depart—6:35 a.m. *11:35 a.m. 2:05 p.m. *8:10 p.m.

STRATFORD BRANCH.
Arrive—2:35 a.m. 11:15 a.m. 1:30 p.m. 6:45 p.m. 11:25 p.m.
Depart—6:00 a.m. 10:25 a.m. 2:45 p.m. 4:55 p.m.

LONDON, HURON AND BRUCE.
Arrive—10:00 a.m. 6:10 p.m.
Depart—8:30 a.m. 4:50 p.m.
Trains market run daily. Those not marked daily, except Sunday.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
Arrive from the east—11:25 a.m. 6:30 p.m. 12:02 p.m. *10:52 p.m.
Arrive from the west—4:45 a.m. 12:30 p.m. *5:35 p.m.

Depart for the east—4:45 a.m. *7:40 a.m. *12:45 p.m. *5:42 p.m.
Depart for the west—11:25 a.m. *7:40 p.m. *11:00 p.m.

*Daily, except Sunday.
PERE MARQUETTE RAILWAY.
Depart—5:35 a.m. 12:00 a.m. 9:40 a.m. 2:30 p.m. *4:45 p.m. *12:20 p.m. 1:50 p.m. 4:40 p.m.

*To St. Thomas only. (To Walkerville Trains not started to and from Port Stanley. From Walkerville.)
MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY.
Arrive—5:55 a.m. 11:10 a.m. 5:10 p.m. 9:35 p.m.
Depart—7:20 a.m. 2:30 p.m. 6:35 p.m. 10:25 p.m.

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President Stevely Gave Splendid
Dinner to Officers and the
Members at the
Tecumseh.

PRESENTATIONS MADE

Good Work of E. J. Ryan and Dr.
Shoebottom Was Remembered in
a Handsome Manner—An Even-
ing of Wit and Song.

For good fellowship, enthusiasm, wit
and jollity it is difficult to excel an
Irish Benevolent Society banquet, and
that tendered by President S. Stevely
last night in the Tecumseh House to
the officers and members of the so-
ciety proved to be one of the most en-
joyable ever given. Over fifty mem-
bers attended. There was plenty of
wit, many good songs, and scores of
good stories, for the entertainment of
those present. The Irishman in war,
in music, in business, in fact, in every
vocation in life, was shown to be a
leader of men, and his virtues were
extolled by every speaker.

The dinner itself was in the very
best style of Mr. George H. O'Neill, and
left nothing to be desired.

The Toast List.
President S. Stevely presided, and
introduced the first toast to the King.
Mr. Denis Mason responded to this,
and paid a stirring tribute to the
greatest of sovereigns, King Edward
VII. He considered it an honor of
marked degree to be called upon to
speak on behalf of the King, and de-
clared him to be the greatest living
monarch. He regretted to say that
newspaper reports stated that the
health of the King was not satisfac-
tory, but he hoped that these were ex-
aggerated, and that his majesty would
long be spared to preside over the
destinies of the nation. Mr. Mason
eloquently referred to the many at-
tributes of King Edward, his broad
mindedness, his business ability, his
diplomacy, and his many other virtues,
and declared it to be an honor to serve
such a King, and respond to such a
toast.

Two Presentations.
A very pleasant incident took place
at this juncture, when Past President
Ed. J. Ryan was presented with a past
president's jewel. Mr. Stevely referred
in glowing terms of the enthusiasm of
Mr. Ryan, and declared that he was
one of the best presidents the society
ever had.

Dr. Wilson made the presentation
speech, and congratulated Mr. Ryan
upon the honor conferred upon him,
one that any man ought to feel proud
to receive. He then presented Mr. Ryan
with his best efforts to the society.
Mr. Ryan thanked the society for the
gift, and expressed the hope that he
would long be spared to do his
share towards making the society suc-
cessful. He made many witty allusions
to the members of the I. B. S., and
closed by again thanking them for the
honor done him.

Mr. Phil Pocock then presented Dr.
W. M. Shoebottom, the retiring secre-
tary, with a handsome gold-headed
umbrella as a testimonial of his ser-
vices during the year. Mr. Pocock paid
tribute to the fine work done by Dr.
Shoebottom during his term of office.

Dr. Shoebottom responded briefly,
and thanked the society for their gift,
and the members for their assistance
during his secretaryship.

"Dear Old Ireland."
"Dear Old Ireland" was next hon-
ored, and Dr. John D. Wilson made a
fine speech on this topic. He referred
to the morality, the educational equip-
ment, and the bravery of the men of
Erin, and showed the large place they
have held in history.

Dr. Claude Brown, the first vice-
president, took charge of the toast list,
and expressed his thanks for the dis-
tinguished honor done him. He was
pleased to see so many of the old
guard present, and hoped that they
would continue to lend their assistance.
They need have no fear for the society,
as the young men would do their duty
by it. Dr. Brown referred to the
charitable work of the society, and
thought this should never be lost sight
of.

Toast to Canada.
Mr. John Stevely responded to the
toast "Canada." He is always at home
on this subject and delivered a fine
address on the possibilities of this
country.

The toast to "The City of London,"
and the County of Middlesex, brought
responses from Mr. A. T. McMahon,
Mr. Philip Pocock, Ald. J. H. Saunders,
and Mr. Frank Glass. Mr. Pocock
came out strongly for public owner-
ship of utilities, and gave a most op-
timistic view of Niagara power. He
declared that the business of the
city would always be well managed if
the citizens saw to it that good men
were elected.

The Society.
Past President Stephen Grant paid
his tribute to the society in respond-
ing to the toast "Irish Benevolent
Society," and reviewed its history and
the work it had done.

"The Learned Professions" was
ably handled by Mr. M. P. McDonough
and Dr. Mugan.

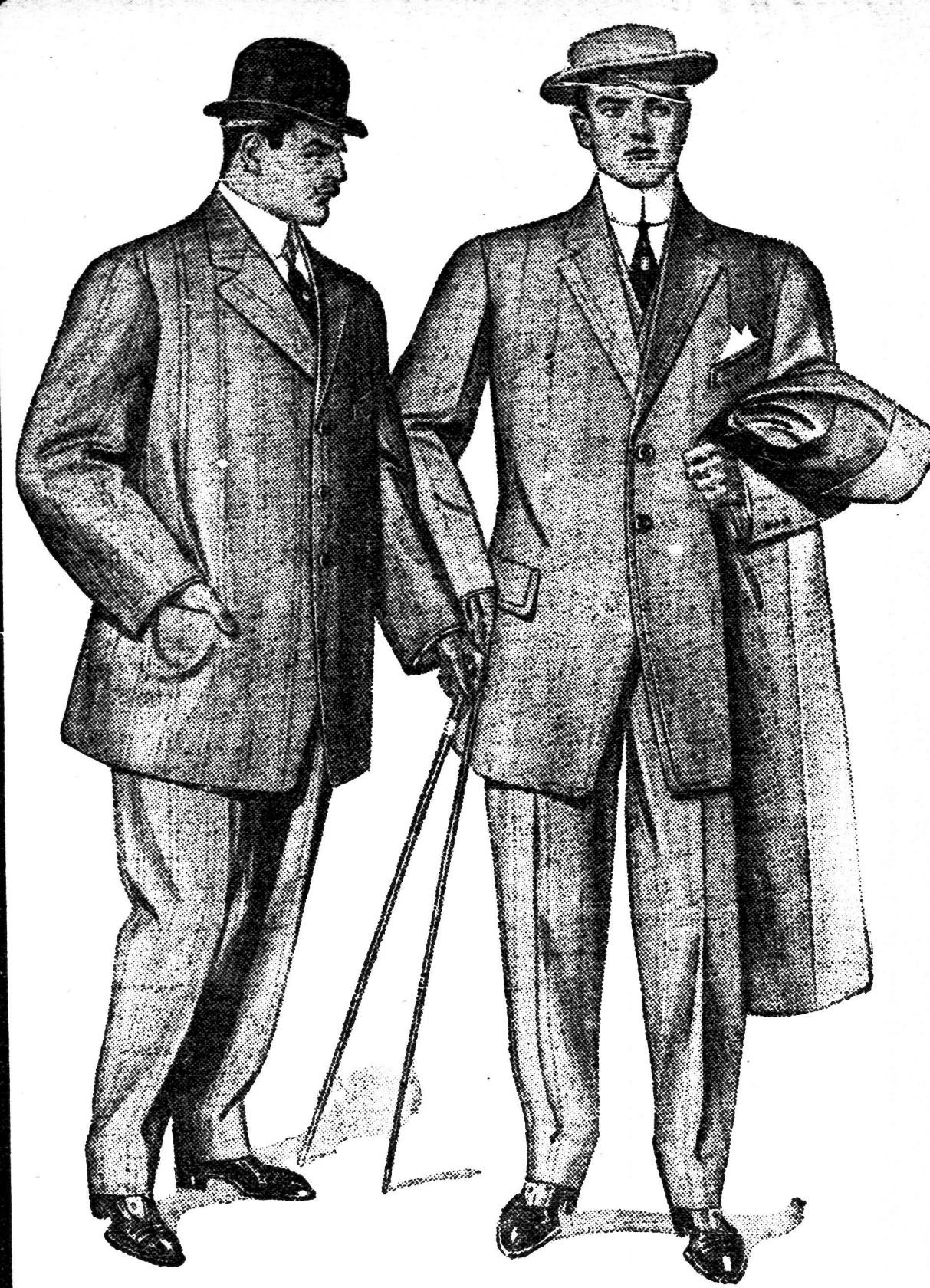
Mr. A. T. McMahon introduced the
toast to the "Newly-Elected Officers,"
declaring while so doing, that the so-
ciety was never better officered than
this year. President S. Stevely, Vice-
Presidents Dr. Claude Brown, John P.
Forristal and Secretary Ed. J. Carty re-
sponded briefly, and promised to make
this a record year in the society.

Tribute to Bishop Fallon.
Mr. Stevely spoke in glowing terms
of Bishop Fallon. During his trip to
California he met scores of friends of
the bishop, and all spoke of his abili-
ties. He was certain that the bishop
would add much to the citizenship of
London, and that he would soon be as
well beloved as in his former home.
He regretted the absence of Mr. John
Forristal and Mr. Jeremiah Collins,
two enthusiastic members of the so-
ciety, who had been here quite
ill for some time.

Mr. John Loughlin suggested that
telegrams be sent to Mr. Harry E.
Buttery, the second vice-president, and
to Mr. James M. Hickey, wishing them
the society's compliments.

President Stevely suggested also
that a telegram be sent to Judge
Mabee on his elevation to the court of
appeals. Judge Mabee was a former
member of the society, and the mem-
bers were gratified at his promotion.

The meeting decided that the tele-
grams be sent, and the secretary wired
the society's compliments to these
gentlemen. A letter of sympathy will



also be sent to Mr. John Forristal in
his illness.

"The Press" was responded to by
Mr. J. H. Fowler and Mr. D. Cushing.

A hearty vote of thanks was ten-
dered President Stevely for his hospi-
tality, and to Mr. Geo. H. O'Neill for
the entertainment. During the even-
ing songs were given in the fashion by
Mr. Tom Ranahan, Mike McKeough,
Clyde Nopper and Tom Morkin. Mr.
Will Ashplant acted as accompanist in
a capable manner.

Those Present.
Ex-Mayor S. Stevely, B. C. McCann,
Harry Merritt, Martin O'Sullivan, W.
P. Regan, Patrick P. Boyle, Ed. Shea,
Thos. Morkin, Ed. J. Ryan, M. P. Mc-
Donough, Chas. Harper, John Bates,
Wm. Brophy, H. C. McBride, P. Mul-
hall, P. Marshall, Chas. H. McGuire,
Wm. Smith, Clem. Garvey, Denis
Mason, Maurice Perival, Water Com-
missioner Adam McMahon, John P.
Forristal, Joe Ranahan, A. B. Greer,
Dr. Mugan, S. Frank Glass, Dr. John
D. Wilson, Jerry McDonald, R. Arkell,
Water Commissioner Philip Pocock,
Angus Elliott, John Stevely, Geo. H.
O'Neill, Dr. Claude Brown, Stephen
Grant, Daniel Cushing, John Loughlin,
Roy Nopper, Dr. Shoebottom and Mr.
J. McMurdie.

DR. McCULLOCH EXPLAINS

Continued From Page One.

Briefly outlined the plan is as fol-
lows:

1. Registration by physicians of all
cases of tuberculosis. This does not
mean placing on any publicity, or
any official interference with private
cases; but as tuberculosis is caused by
a germ, just as are typhoid fever, scar-
let fever and diphtheria, it means the
protection of all the citizens who im-
prove a dispensary where patients un-
able to pay a private doctor may have
free advice and treatment.

2. A dispensary where patients un-
able to pay a private doctor may have
free advice and treatment.

3. A visiting nurse, who will visit
such homes as cannot afford a private
nurse, and who will see that no needy
sick person suffers for want of proper
attention and proper food.

4. The sanatorium at Byron for the
treatment of early and hopeful cases.
5. A wing in the Victoria Hospital
for the treatment of advanced, and
acute cases of tuberculosis, and give
promise of improvement will be moved to
the sanatorium.

Thus all cases in all stages are well
provided for.

It is to be hoped that now the people
of London are actively interested on
behalf of these unfortunate, that the
city council will be induced to pass a
compulsory registration bylaw, such as
is now in force in Hamilton and most
of the cities of the old world and the
United States. Yours sincerely,
E. A. McCULLOCH, B. A., M. B.
London, April 14.

STUCK ON THE BAR

Pacific Coast Line in Trouble Off Cal-
ifornia Coast.

Eureka, Cal., April 14.—Leaking bad-
ly and with the fires under her boilers
apparently extinguished by the inrush
of water, the steamer Santa Clara of
the North Pacific line, bound from
Portland to San Francisco, with 81
passengers and 21 sailors, is lying
helpless a mile of Label Bluff, about
four miles south of Humboldt Bay.

The tug Ranger sent in response to
a wireless call, stood by all last night
with a line to the crippled steamer.

According to the wireless message the
Santa Clara struck heavily in crossing
the bar when leaving Eureka yester-
day, and it is believed several seams
opened after she got to sea.

Just before darkness an attempt
was made to transfer the passengers.
One man fell overboard. A tremendous
sea was running and the small boats
were unable to go from the Santa
Clara to the Ranger. The Eureka life-
saving crew was unable to cross the
bar. Another attempt was made early
today to reach the ship.

**ROBERT BLAZARD IS
AGAIN IN TROUBLE**

Committed at Strathroy for Vag-
rancy to a Month in Jail.

Robert Blazard is once more in Lon-
don. On Tuesday he was sentenced to
a month in jail by Police Magistrate
Noble, Strathroy, and was last even-
ing brought down to serve his term.

The charge was one of vagrancy.
It will be remembered that Blazard
was up before P. M. Love on Feb. 25
on a charge of vagrancy, and at that
time excited a great deal of pity on ac-
count of his advanced age and appar-
ently neglected condition.

Since that time his path has been a
most complex one, and not by any
means a bed of roses. On Feb. 25 he
was remanded for a week in the Lon-
don police court.

On March 3 he was sent to the Aged
People's Home, but it appears that he
was possessed of a bad temper, and
as a pastime undertook to pound his
fellow-inmates. As this is not just the
line of conduct prescribed there, and
fearing bodily injury to some of the
aged inmates, he was sent back to the
city jail.

In Trouble Again.
He told the authorities that he had
friends in Brantford and he was ac-
cordingly released, and a ticket pro-
vided for him to the Telephone City
by the city.

Now he has turned up in Strathroy,
and was captured by the police of that
town and sentenced as above. It ap-
pears that he must have walked all
the way from Brantford to Strathroy,
as he had no money when he left
London.

His bad temper and churlish nature
will him a very unpleasant visitor at
the jail.

**MRS. CUMMINGS WILL
EXPLAIN THE CIRCULAR**

Address of Particular Interest to
Women in Normal School

Tonight.

An interesting lecture is announced
to take place at the Normal School
tonight. The annuities scheme passed
by Parliament a couple of years ago is
a very vital subject, but is very im-
perfectly understood by the Canadian
public. Tonight Mrs. Willoughby Cum-
mings, of Toronto, will explain this
subject and discuss it in all its bear-
ings. She has been appointed to bring
before the women of Canada the ad-
vantages of the annuities scheme, as
it applies particularly to them.

Mrs. Cummings' long association
with the National Council of Women
peculiarly fits her for the duty with
which she has been intrusted, and dur-
ing the next year contemplates visiting
at least all the Canadian cities. Her
programme from now until June will
keep her engaged in Ontario, following
which she will spend three months in
the Maritime Provinces, and then go
west.

Two characteristics that Mrs. Cum-
mings finds particularly difficult in her
work are: First, the optimistic spirit
that prevents us looking forward to the
rainy day and providing therefor, and
the second is that we are so busy we
never think of growing old. However,
the presence of 26 poorhouses in Ont-
ario is direct evidence of the fact
that we do grow old.

The meeting at the Normal School
tonight is open to both men and wo-
men, and a large attendance is looked
for.

BANK RECOVERS.
New York, April 14.—Judgment by
default for \$17,849 against the United
States Banking Company, a Mexican con-
cern, which suspended payment two
months ago, was entered today in favor
of the Bank of Montreal. The suit was
based on a draft to have been made by
the defendants on Jan. 18.

**MISSIONS MEETING
AT INGERSOLL**

Ingessoll, April 14.—A union mission-
ary meeting was held in St. James'
school room last night. The room was
filled to overflowing. Mrs. Stanford,
of Munnam, India, gave a most inter-
esting address in the interest of hospital
work for women. Several young girls
were dressed in the costumes of the
women of India, which added much to
the interest of the address.

Mr. Frank Kiborn was agreeably
surprised yesterday at noon when two
of his brother (Widow) called and
presented him with a gold-headed um-
brella. Mr. Kiborn left last night for
Toronto. Mr. H. Foster takes posses-
sion this morning.

In the police court yesterday Mr. J.
Jones was let off, there being no evi-
dence against him. Mr. Jones was up
a week ago charged with being drunk
while on the Indian list. He was re-
manded for a week.

Inspector Bell, of Springfield, was in
town yesterday.

Mr. T. A. King, of Woodstock, was
in town yesterday on business.

**GRAHAM BROS.' NEW
STORE OPENING**

Richmond Street Addition To Be
Opened on Saturday Next.

The new store, facing Richmond
street, and immediately in the rear, and
opened in connection with Graham
Bros.' present Dundas street premises,
will be opened for business Saturday
next, April 16. This large addition
now makes this store one of the large-
est men's outfitting business houses in
Canada. The space in every depart-
ment will be richly increased. Clothing
now one of their principal lines, will
have its present large space on the
second floor, also a large display space
on west side ground floor, immedi-
ately on entering the Dundas street en-
trance. In that department will be
shown principally the celebrated Fashion
(Craft ready-to-wear clothes in all
qualities, also leading lines of cloth-
ing from all the other prominent cloth-
ing manufacturers. In hats and caps,
that large department will be displayed
in about one hundred feet of wall
plate-glass cases, starting across the
south wall at the Richmond street en-
trance, and continuing up the west
side. In that department you will
always find the latest styles and
colors, from the leading English and
American makers, namely Christy's,
Battersby's, King English hats, Mal-
lory's and Stetson's American hats.

The east side from Dundas to Rich-
mond street entrances will be filled
with the collar, neckwear, glove and
shirt departments. In collars you will
be able to buy at all times the leading
styles from the English and American
makers. In neckwear Graham Bros.
always lead. It's brimming over with
all the new colors for spring. Shirts
is a very prominent department. They
have every size—for a small boy or
large man—from all the best Cana-
dian and English makers. Shirts made
to your measure also a large but-
ton-down shirt department. In the cen-
tre of the store they will keep the under-
wear, socks and suspenders. At all
times you will find underwear in all
sizes, weights and qualities. Socks in
endless colors, in cotton, linen, silk or
cashmere. Suspenders in French, Eng-
lish, Canadian and American makes
are always on hand. Visit this new,
enlarged store when passing and see
the changes. Remember, entrances by
either Dundas or Richmond streets.

Graham Bros., London's leading men's
outfitters.

Only One "BROMO QUININE," that is
Laxative Bromo Quinine
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days

on every
67¢ bottle, 25c

**Correct Clothing
For Men**

The coloring and designs of the fabrics used in making

Sovereign Brand Clothing

are always matters of deep concern with us. While quality is, of course,
the first essential, we never undervalue the importance of attractive and
tasteful materials.

Our purchasing facilities are unlimited, and those who purchase
here have the valuable advantage of selection from the choicest styles
produced by the foremost cloth manufacturers in the world.

Sovereign Brand Clothing

of this spring is a positive inspiration in these respects. In all our long
experience we have never shown goods more tasteful or beautiful in
color blending, or of equal attraction in pattern and general effect.
This applies throughout the entire price range, from suits at

\$12 to Those at \$25

We shall be much pleased to have you see the garments them-
selves, and are confident that our judgment will be confirmed.

OAK HALL**OPPOSITION OPPOSES
FARMERS' INTERESTS**

Raise Objection to Government
Bill in Connection With Can-
adian Company Lands.

Ottawa, April 14.—In the Commons
yesterday, Hon. Mr. Graham moved a
resolution authorizing the minister of
trade and commerce to apportion the
bounty given for oil development be-
tween the producers of crude petrol-
eum and the farmers whose land may
be damaged by operations in develop-
ing oil. The minister of railways
opposed the cases of farmers in Kent
County, whose lands had been dam-
aged by oil operations seeking wells.

Major Currie was opposed to the
resolution. The rights of the owners
of the Canada Company land were be-
ing looked after by the Ontario Gov-
ernment, and he did not see why the
rights of the owners of the minerals in
these lands to the petroleum bounty
should be prejudiced.

Mr. McCoig (West Kent) expressed
surprise that mention of the Ontario
Government should be found opposing the
resolution. The rights of the owners
of the Canada Company land were be-
ing looked after by the Ontario Gov-
ernment, and he did not see why the
rights of the owners of the minerals in
these lands to the petroleum bounty
should be prejudiced.

Mr. Henderson wished something could
be done to prevent the Canada Com-
pany from going on these lands for minerals.
Hon. John Flaggart argued that the
Government could not discriminate in the
distribution of the petroleum bounty be-
tween one producer and another.

Mr. Wilcox took exception to the resolu-
tion on the ground that payment of a
portion of the bounty was permissive
and dependent upon the will of the Gov-
ernment, and that it would affect only
a few farmers.

Major Sharpe brought definite resolu-
tions should be laid down governing the
payment of the bounty, and feared that
political influence would be exerted. He
asked whether the Government proposed
to be necessary if the test case to be
raised by the Ontario Government
went in favor of the farmers.

Mr. Clarke (South Essex) warmly
approved of the resolution. The matter
was one which affected a large number
of people. In the County of Essex
there were a great many farms whose
titles reserved the oil and gas privileges
for the Canada Company.

The resolution was passed, and a
bill based thereon introduced and read
a first time.

IRISH BENEVOLENT'S

(Continued from Page One.)

Pocock, Harry Merritt, E. J. Ryan, R.
Noble, Dr. Shoebottom, W. McPhillips,
Dr. Niven, T. Wilson, Dr. Mugan, John
Stevely, John D. Wilson, John Loughlin,
John Forristal, William Fulton, Dr.
John D. Wilson, J. Labatt, A. T. Mc-
Mahon, Capt. Wilson, S. Frank Glass,
R. McDonald.

Mr. Hickey Remembered.
In proposing Dr. Claude Brown for
the first vice-presidency, Mr. John
Stevely referred to the late Mr. Hickey,
gentleman next in line, Mr. James M.
Hickey, had removed to Toronto, much
to the regret of all, and it would be
necessary to name a successor. In Dr.
John P. Forristal was proposed for
third vice-president by Denis
Mason and B. C. McCann, while Mr.

Philip Pocock, and Mr. Stephen Grant
nominated Mr. E. J. Carty for the sec-
ondaryship.

All elections were unanimous.

Mr. Boyle Honored.

Mr. P. F. Boyle was again elected
honorary president, as well as treasur-
er. For 23 years he has held these of-
fices, and Dr. John D. Wilson paid a
glowing tribute to him. He had taken
a keen interest in the society all these
years, and was today one of its most
efficient members.

Short speeches were made by the
newly-elected officers, in which they
thanked the members for their kind-
ness.

Mr. P. F. Boyle, the treasurer, sub-
mitted his annual financial statement.
The receipts during the year were
\$458 56, and the expenses \$275 51, leav-
ing a balance of \$183 05 in the treas-
ury. The assets of the society had a net
value of \$1,870 05, and there were no
liabilities.

Society Deferred Action.

Dr. John D. Wilson brought up the
question of the care of dying tubercu-
losis patients, and stated that no pro-
vision had been made for that class
of cases. Mr. Hickey, who was in his
opinion that provision had been made
for them.

Dr. McCullough will be present at
the next meeting of the society, and

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

POTATOES ARE PLENTIFUL NOW

Drop in Price Took Place on the Local Market This Morning.

BUTTER LITTLE EASIER

Live Hogs Are Coming In in Large Quantities, But the Price Remains High.

The country appears to be flooded with potatoes, and everybody seems to be well stocked with this article. Over on "potato row" this morning quite a drop in price was noticeable. Some sold at 20c a bushel, the majority at 17c, and one good lot at 16c. A further decline in price is looked for.

Butter has eased up a little and is now coming in a little more freely. There was a good many sellers in the market, and the price of creamery butter was 20c, while choice dairy brought in the neighborhood of 18c, with rolls and cracks sold at 16c.

Dressed Hogs. Recent observation failed to detect any change in the price of dressed hogs, but the farmers are bringing them in much larger quantities, and prices appear to be on the verge of a slump. This morning the price was 12c to 13c.

Live Hogs. Live hogs were offered, the price ranging from 8c to 10c. Three loads of straw sold at \$1 a ton. Several loads of oats sold at \$1.25 to \$1.35 per bushel, but no other variety of grain was offered.

Other quotations are:

Grain by Hundredweight.

Barley, per cwt. 1.25 to 1.35

Rye, per cwt. 1.15 to 1.25

Oats, per cwt. 1.00 to 1.10

Wheat, per cwt. 1.40 to 1.50

Flour, per cwt. 1.20 to 1.30

Beans, per bushel. 1.00 to 1.10

Hay, per ton. 11.00 to 12.00

Straw, per ton. 1.00 to 1.20

Butter, per lb. 20c to 22c

Eggs, per dozen. 18c to 20c

Chickens, per lb. 10c to 12c

Ducks, per lb. 10c to 12c

Geese, per lb. 10c to 12c

Young turkeys, per lb. 10c to 12c

Old turkeys, per lb. 10c to 12c

Young geese, per lb. 10c to 12c

Old geese, per lb. 10c to 12c

Young ducks, per lb. 10c to 12c

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Young pigs, per lb. 10c to 12c

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Young ferrets, per lb. 10c to 12c

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Young chinchillas, per lb. 10c to 12c

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Young hamsters, per lb. 10c to 12c

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Young mice, per lb. 10c to 12c

Old mice, per lb. 10c to 12c

Young rats, per lb. 10c to 12c

Old rats, per lb. 10c to 12c

TORONTO, April 14.—The grain market continues featureless, with little change in prices. Practically nothing is being done in export way, and there is practically no local business. Quota wheat—No. 2 mixed winter, 10c; No. 1 northern, 11c; No. 2 northern, 12c; No. 3 northern, 13c; No. 4 northern, 14c; No. 5 northern, 15c; No. 6 northern, 16c; No. 7 northern, 17c; No. 8 northern, 18c; No. 9 northern, 19c; No. 10 northern, 20c; No. 11 northern, 21c; No. 12 northern, 22c; No. 13 northern, 23c; No. 14 northern, 24c; No. 15 northern, 25c; No. 16 northern, 26c; No. 17 northern, 27c; No. 18 northern, 28c; No. 19 northern, 29c; No. 20 northern, 30c; No. 21 northern, 31c; No. 22 northern, 32c; No. 23 northern, 33c; No. 24 northern, 34c; No. 25 northern, 35c; No. 26 northern, 36c; No. 27 northern, 37c; No. 28 northern, 38c; No. 29 northern, 39c; No. 30 northern, 40c; No. 31 northern, 41c; No. 32 northern, 42c; No. 33 northern, 43c; No. 34 northern, 44c; No. 35 northern, 45c; No. 36 northern, 46c; No. 37 northern, 47c; No. 38 northern, 48c; No. 39 northern, 49c; No. 40 northern, 50c; No. 41 northern, 51c; No. 42 northern, 52c; No. 43 northern, 53c; No. 44 northern, 54c; No. 45 northern, 55c; 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LONDON AND DISTRICT

Terrible Thought.
Hamilton Spectator: Should our local corps decide to sidetrack London on the 24th, what a chance it will miss of seeing what real city regiments look like!

O. E. Visit.
Edward A. McDonald, Provincial Prior of London District, Knights Templar, went to Leamington yesterday to pay his official visit to the Provincial of Knights Templar of that place.

Transfer of License.
The following applications for transfer of license have been received at the provincial secretary's office, Toronto: From Jos. P. St. Jean, Pembroke, to Arthur St. Jean, Pembroke; from R. H. McLean, Rodney, to E. L. Nicholls, Simcoe; from Lewis W. Pickle, to Peter Doersam, Wellesley.

Late Miss Green.
Hamilton Times: Mrs. J. Morris, 134 Hughson street north, has just returned from London, where she accompanied the remains of her sister, Miss Jane Green, who was laid to rest in St. John's Cemetery on Saturday afternoon. The funeral services were conducted by Canon Dyson Hague, assisted by Ven. Archdeacon Richardson. The pall-bearers included her two nephews, W. R. Green and J. Green, barrister, of St. Thomas.

London's Shelter.
Hamilton Spectator: Controller Bailey and Relief Officer McMenemy returned last evening from London, where they inspected the children's shelter there. They will inspect the Toronto shelter before reporting to the board of control. The city of London has made an annual grant of \$750 to the shelter, but it is understood the donation will be stopped this year. Mr. McMenemy speaks in the highest terms of the London hospital, which, he says, is the cleanest and best-equipped he has seen in many moons.

MANY PEOPLE ARE GOING TO THE WEST

Party of Eighty-Five From This City Left This Week.
During the first three days of this week 85 Londoners have been ticketed to the Northwest by the C. P. R. and G. T. R. This week's figures are not as large as last week, however. The majority appear to be striking for Winnipeg, and points in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, while a few go right through to the west. The

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Amusement
Pictures at Auditorium.
The moving pictures of the Life of Moses, which will be run in the Auditorium this week, comprise a series of moving pictures lasting an hour and a half. These pictures are said to be exceptionally fine. They were arranged by Rev. Madison C. Peters, D. D., of New York City.

Faversham's "Herod."
William Faversham will present "Herod" at the Grand Opera, April 18. The seat sale opened this morning, and from the steady line-up a very large house will greet this great actor.

"Sham."
Miss Henrietta Crossman attracted a fair audience at the Grand Opera House Wednesday night, when she appeared in her latest vehicle "Sham," a new comedy by Geraldine Boomer and Elmer Harris.

The Liberal Minstrels.
The Grand Opera House will be crowded tonight, when the first presentation of the Liberal Minstrels will be given.
The boys have prepared a programme worthy of the best professionals, and it is certain to prove pleasing.
There are features without number, and it will be impossible to enumerate them.
On Friday evening the performance will be repeated, and already there is a great demand for seats.

Eggs—actly, Yes!
Mr. L. Blackwell, of 570 Hill street, writes: "Seeing the egg production articles in The Advertiser of April 8 and 9, I may say I have nine Rosecomb Rhode Island Reds which laid 195 eggs in the month of March. I think this is an easy winner."



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BUTCHERS' STALLS RENTS INCREASED

Tenants Put in an Objection But No. 3 Committee Made a Compromise Boost.

THE ESTIMATES REDUCED

Ald. Richter Asked To Be Assisted in Keeping Down the Tax Rate, and He Was Accommodated.

The rents for the Covent Garden market stalls were raised from \$2.50, \$4, and \$8, according to location, to \$3, \$5 and \$10, at a meeting of No. 3 committee last night. Incidentally, the estimates were cut \$1,505, chiefly off the fire department.

A large deputation from the butchers were present when the question of rents came up. Messrs. Anderson, G. F. Morris, Geo. Jackson, Thompson and Leam addressed the committee on their own behalf, while Mr. E. T. Esery, for all the butchers, made their case quite plain. They objected to the increased rental, saying that they were bearing all they possibly could. Mr. Jackson pointed out that he had expended \$750 in improvements, and he hardly thought it fair to raise the rent so soon.

Mr. Morris declared that he paid \$624 a year rental now, and the increase would mean \$300 more to him.

Mr. E. T. Esery was of the opinion that the market house was paying all that it should be reasonably asked. Compared with other places of business in the neighborhood, the rentals were high enough. Several of the butchers threatened to leave if the rents were increased.

A Compromise.
After the deputation withdrew, Mayor Beattie asked if the intermediate schedule of rents, \$2 for the blind stalls, \$5 for the lower stalls, and \$10 for the upper stalls would meet the case. It was proposed some time ago to raise the rents to \$4, \$6 and \$12, but the majority favored the intermediate scale, and it was accepted. It is expected that the increases will amount to \$660 a year.

The item in the estimates of \$10,000 for a fire engine for the East End was laid over. Ald. Richter informed the committee that it had been out of the first draft of estimates, and Ald. Jeffries then moved that it be left out until such a time as proper mains had been laid in the eastern section of the city. The estimates of No. 3 committee were pared \$1,505. Ald. Richter asked the committee to give him half the \$3,100 needed to bring the city rate down to 24 mills, and he would get the rest from the board of works.

Another half-mill would be taken from the water commissioners, and the rate would then be 23 1/2 mills. The committee succeeded in getting the sum asked for. They cut down the horse keep account, \$100; the grant for two new horses, \$285; covers, \$125; fuel, \$50; building account, \$100. The street lighting account was cut down \$200 also.

The estimates as revised were sent to the finance committee.

Communications.
Smallman and Ingram asked for permission to erect an electric sign. Granted.

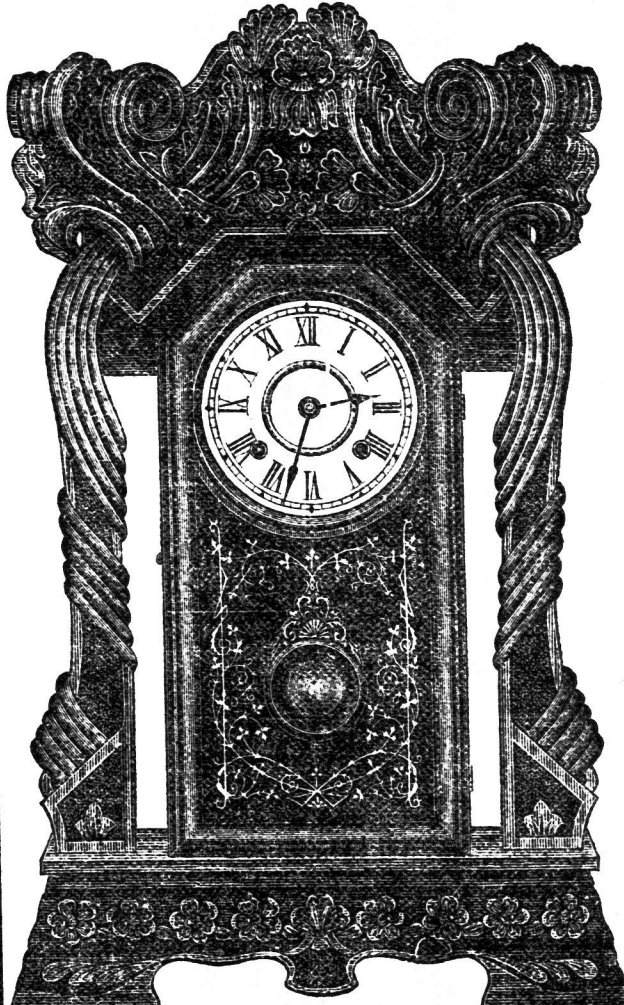
Mrs. Jenner asked for a refund of \$2 dog tax, which she must pay in the county. Granted.

Fire Chief Aitken will visit a couple of cities for ideas on an aerial truck.

The request of Lawson & Jones for connection with the fire department for their sprinkler system was granted. Marley & Weekes offered a sign, "Welcome to London," for \$7, but the communication was filed.

The account of Noble & Rich for the wheels.

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\$138 for plumbing at No. 4 and No. 5 fire halls was ordered to be paid.

A. W. Beaton's request for a position as a water cart driver was sent to City Engineer Graydon.

Those present were Ald. Ashplant (chairman), Ald. Fitzgerald, Ald. Jeffries, Mayor Beattie, Fire Chief Aitken, Inspector McCallum, Market Clerk Maker and Secretary Baker.

KILLED HIS TEAM

Driver Near Simcoe Has Remarkable Escape From Death.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Simcoe, Ont., April 14.—George Fick had a miraculous escape from death early yesterday morning. He was driving a team across the track at a cut near here and did not notice the approach of the Port Rowan train until it was right on top of him.

The horses were killed and the wagon smashed, but in some remarkable way Fick was thrown clear of the wheels.

CAUGHT BY SHARK.
Valdiz, Cal., April 13.—Letters received here from Cristobal, Panama, stated that on March 31 Samuel Barnes, a marine on the United States cruiser Tacoma, fell overboard, and was carried under by a shark. The body was not recovered.

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