

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL  
AND LADY MINTO THE GUESTS OF LONDONVice-Regal Party Arrived in the City at Noon and Was  
Given a Hearty Reception.

Thousands Crowded the Station and Lined the Streets.

WELCOME OF SCHOOL CHILDREN

Visit of Lord and Lady Minto to  
Collegiate Institute the Occasion  
of a Demonstration.

This city today has the honor of entertaining His Excellency the Right Hon. the Earl of Minto, Lady Minto, and the members of the vice-regal party, which is now in the course of a tour of Western Ontario. It is several years since it was London's pleasure to have as a guest a governor-general of Canada. Lord and Lady

the fullness of their spring beauty, trees thick with new leaves, and lawns in magnificent condition. The city never looked prettier; it truly seemed as if nature was assisting the reception committee and the citizens in giving pleasure to the city's guests. Their visit, indeed, only one feature of the visit of Lord and Lady Minto and Lady Ellen that is to be regretted—its brevity. The citizens of London would have been better pleased to have them stay longer, to become better acquainted, and in other that they might see more of a city that all who live in it are fair to look upon with proud and partial eyes, but as that is impossible, it is hoped by all that such time as is spent here may bring to the vice-regal party much pleasure and an assurance of hearty welcome.

## THE ARRIVAL IN LONDON

Tremendous Crowd Waited at Station to Greet Vice-Regal Party.  
The train, having on board the Gov-



THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF MINTO, GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF CANADA.

Minto have never been here before. This being their first visit, the mayor, the city council and citizens have been desirous of making it a notably pleasant one, and with this end in view the civic authorities have carefully prepared for the visit. The arrangements for it have been made with the thought always uppermost of making it enjoyable for the visitors, while making it possible also for the greatest number to see and meet the Governor-General and his beautiful and charming wife. The coming of their excellencies has been awaited with the keenest interest. Citizens whose places of business and residences were upon the streets traversed by the party after the arrival here, decorated them with bunting and the national colors, flags floated from every flagpole, and the appearance of the whole city indicated the pleasurable interest that Londoners have taken in this first visit to their city of King Edward's representative in Canada.

Governor-General and Lady Minto, reached the city depot of the Grand Trunk at 5 minutes to 1 o'clock, and it was met by a crowd of several hundred people. All the space in the vicinity of the station was crowded with citizens, anxious to get a view of the city's distinguished visitors, and when Lord and Lady Minto alighted from the Governor-General's private car, they were greeted with hearty cheers. The National Anthem was played by the Seventh Band. The guard of honor was already drawn up under the command of Captain McCrimmon, Lieut. Bentley and McLean, and the guard consisted of about 70 of the men chosen from the various companies in the regiment. The band was under the leadership of Bandmaster Hiscott, and it was full strength. The drum-major had on his heavily braided uniform, and with their big bushes the organization presented a fine appearance.

## RECEPTION AT THE STATION.

Assembled at the station to meet their excellencies were the mayor,

the general reception committee, Cooper, Greenleaf, Graham, Becher, Matthews, Forristal and Saunders, the Bishop of Huron, Dean Innes, Archdeacon Davis, Canon Dann, Canon Smith, Canon Richardson (St. John's), Rev. G. B. Sage, Principal Waller, of Huron College, Sir John Carling. Immediately after the vice-regal party stepped to the platform, accompanied by Mayor Maude and Capt. Graham, Mrs. Beck, on behalf of the city, presented Lady Minto and Lady Ellen Elliott, her daughter, who is accompanying the party on the western trip, with bouquets of beautiful roses. Those handed to Lady Minto being American Beauties, and those for Lady Ellen being cream roses. Both presentations were gratefully acknowledged. The introductions to Lord and Lady Minto were made by Mayor Beck, and occupied but a very few minutes. This part of the proceedings ended, Mayor Beck read the address of welcome on behalf of the corporation. The address was nicely engrossed, and inclosed in a cover made of a silk Union Jack. The address was as follows:

## ADDRESS OF WELCOME.

"To His Excellency the Right Hon. Sir Gilbert John Elliott, Earl of Minto and Viscount Melgund of Melgund, County of Forfar, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom, Baron Minto of Minto, County of Roxburgh, in the Peerage of Great Britain, Baronet of Nova Scotia, Knight Grand Cross of our Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, etc., Governor-General of Canada:

"May it please your Excellency: We, his majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the members of the municipal council, desire, on behalf of the citizens and corporation of London, to offer you a respectful and cordial welcome, and to assure you that we highly appreciate the honor you have shown us in visiting our city. It is also a sincere pleasure that we, at the same time, are permitted to extend a hearty greeting to her Excellency Lady Minto, whose zealous efforts to aid the sick and suffering of Canada will be ever gratefully remembered.

"The warm, personal interest which your excellency has taken in everything calculated to stimulate and encourage the progress of our country, merits our special recognition. We trust that your excellency's visit will be productive of pleasure to yourself and Lady Minto, and we firmly believe will strengthen the ties of the British dominions beyond the seas to the great motherland.

"On behalf of the Municipal Corporation of the City of London, Ontario, Canada, 12th May, 1908."

## LORD MINTO'S REPLY.

In acknowledging the address, Lord Minto said: "Mr. Mayor and Citizens—I thank you sincerely for the cordial address you have extended to us, and for the flattering terms in which you have alluded to my services in Canada. I can only say that we have endeavored to do our best to follow in the footsteps of those who have preceded us, and if we have done anything to further the welfare of the Dominion it will be the greatest source

Frank Cooper, Mayor.  
HIS WORSHIP MAYOR BECK.

of pleasure to us. I might say that I have long looked forward to our visit to London, but we regret that the time at our disposal is so very short, and that we will have to make all our visits in a few hours. I know that London is the center of a rich agricultural section, and that it is one of the most thriving manufacturing centers. I can only say that I hope a prosperous future in the city. I again thank you most heartily."

## ADDRESS OF CLERGY.

The Bishop of Huron was then introduced to Lord Minto, and as the head of the Church of England in this diocese he presented the Governor-General with an address on behalf of the clergy. The address was in booklet form, bound in morocco leather, with an interlarding of satin. It contained six pages, the reading matter being typewritten, with a neat border. The address was as follows:

"To His Excellency the Right Hon. Sir Gilbert John Elliott, Earl of Minto and Viscount Melgund of Melgund, County of Forfar, in the Peerage of the United Kingdom, Baron Minto of Minto, County of Roxburgh, in the Peerage of Great Britain, Baronet of Nova Scotia, G. C. M. G., D. L., J. P., LL.D., Governor-General of Canada; and to her Excellency Lady Minto: "May it please your excellencies: "We, the bishop and clergy of the Church of England, in the Diocese of Huron, desire permission to approach your excellencies, that we may join most heartily in the welcome so cheerfully accorded to you by the citizens of London. According to the unvaried traditions of our most ancient church, we would declare our every hearty loyalty and unswerving devotion to the throne of this great empire and the monarch that rules over us. It is our

earnest resolve both by teaching and example to bring up our people in sincere attachment to the person of the King and in unfeigned regard for our civil and political institutions.

"With great gratification that your excellencies have been graciously pleased to visit our cathedral city, with thankful recognition and due appreciation of your many efforts for the prosperity of our Dominion, we venture to express the hope that your visit amongst us will not be without pleasure to yourselves, as it will undoubtedly be of great profit and advantage to our city.

"That God's guidance and richest blessings may ever abide with your excellencies is the prayer of your humble and devoted servants."

The address was signed by the Bishop of the diocese, Dean Innes, and Archdeacon Davis. In replying to it, Lord Minto thanked the clergy for the honor done him in presenting him with an address, on behalf of the clergy, and he again assured the bishop and the others under his charge that he very deeply appreciated the kindness, and the expressions of loyalty towards the King.

Lord Minto inspected the guard of honor, and with the other members of the party entered carriages and proceeded to the Collegiate Institute via Richmond street and Dufferin avenue.

## PROCESSION FROM THE STATION.

The procession was preceded by a

ALD. BECHER,  
Chairman of Military Sub-Committee.

mounted escort of cavalry, under the command of John Garvey. The first carriage in the procession was occupied by Lord and Lady Minto, Mayor Beck and Captain Graham, and as it started up Richmond street the occupants were greeted with hearty cheers. The second carriage contained Lady Ellen Elliott, Mrs. Beck, Major Maude and Col. Peters, the O. C. of London, and as it was an aide-de-camp to the Governor-General, in the other carriages were the aldermen, city officials and some of the clergy.

When the party had on their staff at the depot, Lieut.-Col. Smith, former commanding officer of the Seventh Regiment, and Lieut.-Col. J. W. Little, the present head of the corps. A force of policemen, which was mostly engaged in keeping the crowd back from the party during the presentation of the addresses, was in charge of Chief Williams and Major Adams.

## AT THE COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE

Thousands of People Gathered There—  
School Children Massed.

The crowds along the line of procession were not very large; nevertheless there was considerable interest evinced. When the Collegiate Institute was reached it was found that it was there that the greatest number of people had congregated. Two "Welcome" signs spread from tree to tree, and the other outside decorations consisted of the school colors, old gold and blue, and flags. On the school lawns the public school children were gathered, and a lane in the human mass of the holiday-seekers was made up the walk.

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ALD. WYATT,  
Chairman of Sub-Committee on Decorations.

"God Save the King." Principal Radcliffe extended his welcome. His words were not superfluous, but brief and to the point. He said: "We are delighted to have the honor of the presence of your excellencies, and cordially extend to you a hearty welcome. We trust that you will carry away with you the assurance of our veneration and loyalty to the British crown. We are proud of the maple leaf, and I can assure your excellencies that the patriotism of this institution rests upon a sound basis. We honor Lord Minto as the governor-general of what we consider the most important dependency of Great Britain and as the representative of his majesty. We have all been awaiting with expectancy to hear Lord Minto address us, and I shall now ask him to do so." Hearty applause greeted the words of the principal, and smilingly, the Governor-General arose to acknowledge the homage paid to him.

## LORD MINTO'S ADDRESS.

He said: "I assure you I am heartily pleased to make a visit to this city and this institution, and I cannot sufficiently thank you for the manner in which you have received Lady Minto and myself. We appreciate the signs of loyalty.

"Everybody is loyal in Canada, and the way you sang 'God Save the King' and received us is indeed proof of your patriotism. We thank you very much. Lady Minto particularly wishes to ask for a holiday for yourself, old gold and blue, and flags. On the school lawns the public school children were gathered, and a lane in the human mass of the holiday-seekers was made up the walk.

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ARGUMENTS OF THE COUNSEL  
WILL BE HEARD NEXT WEEK

## Fighting in Nigeria.

London, May 12.—The officer commanding the British forces in Northern Nigeria cables the colonial office from Lumperu, under date of May 6, that Capt. Mundy and 30 men, with a Maxim gun, were attacked by natives on Feb. 11 southeast of Gajuba. In subsequent fighting Capt. Mundy was slightly wounded, two of his men were killed and three wounded. The enemy lost 90.

## Reopening of the Gamey-Stratton Investigation.

## A WORLD REPORTER ON STAND

Says He Saw Sullivan and Stratton  
Conversing About Feb. 1—Govt.  
Books To Be Examined.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Ont., May 12.—At the resumption of the royal commission this morning there was a short consultation between the lawyers in regard to the date upon which the argument will commence. It was finally decided that the rest of this week will be occupied with the taking of the remainder of the evidence, and that the argument will begin on Thursday of the following week to conclude by the Saturday. Mr. Ritchie, counsel for the solicitor of the Ontario Bank, in which it was stated that the bank objected to permitting an outsider to examine the accounts of their customers. It was agreed that Mr. John MacKay, accountant, should examine the books and vouchers in the treasury and crown lands department.

Mr. Johnston, who presented and filed the report of Dr. Chamberlain, in regard to the look-up at Little Current, dated July 7, 1902, the report which had been asked for by the counsel for the prosecution.

Charles Cavers, a reporter of the Toronto World, and the first witness, discredited Mr. Stratton's statement that he had not conversed with Frank Sullivan on the 8th of September up to the 10th of March, the day upon which the Legislature met. Witness said that on a certain occasion between the 10th of January and the 10th of February, he was walking with Frank Sullivan in a corridor of the Parliament buildings when they met Mr. Stratton. Sullivan turned back and had a short conversation with Mr. Stratton. He could not hear the conversation, as the two were standing some little distance away.

W. H. Hurst, barrister of the Soo, testified that he had spoken at three of Mr. Gamey's meetings during the last campaign, and at all these meetings Gamey announced himself a straight Conservative, and said nothing to indicate that he would give the government independent support. Gamey scored the government for its mining policy and pulpwood concessions.

Samuel King, Sturgeon Falls, and A. A. Riley, of Little Current, also gave similar evidence. Mr. Ritchie produced Mr. Blake's letter to Mr. Foy, beginning, "My dear Foy." It was dated Dec. 27, and therefore Mr. Stratton could not have had it in mind when writing to Gamey in October, the court then adjourned till tomorrow. Other evidence will then be heard. The court will sit on Thursday, but it is hoped to hear argument on Friday and Saturday. If not, an adjournment will be made till the following Tuesday.

THE LAST HONORS  
AT THE CAPITAL

Short and Simple Service Over  
the Remains of the Hon.  
Mr. Mills.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Ont., May 12.—The funeral of the late Hon. Justice Mills took place at 8 o'clock last night. A short service was held at the family residence, Concession street, after which the body was taken to the Union depot and sent west on the C. P. R. to Toronto, whence it was to be taken to London by G. T. R., and thence to Ridgeway by Michigan Central.

The service at the house was short and simple. Rev. A. A. Cameron, pastor of the First Baptist Church, gave a brief address, and a quartet from the church choir sang a few simple Gospel songs, which were favorites of Mr. Mills in his life. Mr. Cameron paid a tribute to the worth and exemplary character of the deceased, which were model in patriotism and exalted aims for the welfare of his country.

The honorary pallbearers were Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Chief Justice Sir Elgar Taschereau, Mr. Justice Sedgewick, Hon. Charles Fitzpatrick, Hon. William Patterson and Sheriff Sweetland. Nearly all the members of the government, judges of the supreme court and leading members of both sides in the House of Commons were in carriages.

## 'Oil Boat Explodes.

New York, May 12.—There was an explosion on a boat of the Standard Oil Company, which was lying at Long Island City yesterday. The explosion was followed by fire. The boat was towed out into the stream and the flames were extinguished. John Quinn, an employee of the Oil Company, is missing and is supposed to have been killed.

UNIT PRINCIPLE FOLLOWED  
IN THE REDISTRIBUTION

Readjustment of Ontario Seats  
Under Discussion.

## MIDDLESEX LOSES A MEMBER

Algoma Gains Two and Kent, Brant  
and Toronto One Each—No  
Changes in Quebec.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Ont., May 12.—Mr. Hyman's Redistribution Committee is making good progress. The Liberal members submit the following as a basis for the redistribution in Ontario:

Constituencies to have one member—Glengarry, Prescott, Stormont, Russell, Dundas, Carleton (except Ottawa), Grenville, Frontenac, Kingston, Lennox and Addington, Prince Edward, Durham, Victoria, Peel, Halton, Dufferin, Wentworth (except Hamilton), Norfolk, Haldimand, Lincoln, Welland, London, Nipissing, Haliburton and Muskoka, Parry Sound, Thunder Bay.

Constituencies to have two members—Ottawa, Lanark, Leeds, Renfrew, Hastings, Northumberland, Peterborough, Ontario, Wellington, Bruce, Perth, Waterloo, Hamilton, Brant, Oxford, Elgin, Lambton, Kent, Essex, Algoma.

Constituencies to have three members—Simcoe, York, Grey, Huron, Middlesex (except London), Toronto to have five members.

The above rearrangement may be summarized thus: 26 constituencies returning one member—26; 29 constituencies returning two members—40; 5 constituencies returning three members—15; Toronto returning five members—5; total, 86.

This will mean that the following counties will lose members: Lennox, Norfolk, Middlesex, Bruce, Durham, Victoria, Leeds and Grenville. The electoral districts of both Welland and Cardwell will be wiped out. All counties under that unit and up to a unit and a half are entitled to one member. Counties over a unit and a half and up to two units and a half are to be given two members. Counties over two and a half units will be accorded three members. The total representation of Ontario will be 86 members. Under the redistribution

two members must be given to New Ontario, and the addition of the suburban population to Toronto will mean another member. Mr. Hyman is holding the six which the Province must lose by its failure to increase in the necessary proportion of population, this makes nine. It is hoped to hear argument on Friday and Saturday. If not, an adjournment will be made till the following Tuesday.

## THE CHANGES INEVITABLE.

Five members—Toronto.

Four members—Middlesex, including London.

Three members—Simcoe, York, Grey, Algoma, Wentworth (including Hamilton), Huron, Carleton (including Ottawa), Leeds and Grenville, Durham and Northumberland.

Two members—Essex, Kent, Elgin, Lambton, Bruce, Wellington, Perth, Lanark, Renfrew, Frontenac (including Kingston), Hastings, Peterboro, Waterloo, Oxford, Huron, Grey.

One member—Norfolk, Haldimand, Welland, Lincoln, Muskoka, Parry Sound, Peel, Dufferin, Halton, Nipissing, Prescott, Glengarry, Stormont, Renfrew, Dundas, Lennox and Addington, Prince Edward, Victoria.

## RIDINGS THAT DISAPPEAR.

The ridings of Bothwell, Brockville, Cardwell and West Ontario disappear. Dufferin takes the place of Cardwell, and Lennox and Addington are united. Muskoka and Parry Sound become separate constituencies. Algoma gains two new members, and Kent, Toronto and Brant one each. On the other hand, the ridings of Norfolk, Middlesex, Bruce, Wellington, Hastings, Durham (with Northumberland), lose one each.

With respect to the other provinces, there will be no changes of counties in Quebec, but all the parochial and township alterations made at the last gerrymander are remedied and original county limits are re-established.

In Nova Scotia, Victoria will be merged in Cape Breton, and Pictou is to lose a member. In Prince Edward island representation will be in accordance with county limits. In New Brunswick, Albert will be merged into Kings. The western constituencies have apparently not yet been drawn up.

## The Daily Buffalo Tragedy.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 12.—Herman M. Blasdel, of North Collins, 63 years old, a former assemblyman after whom the town of Blasdel, N. Y., is named, and his wife were so badly burned in a fire which destroyed their home early Sunday that both of them are dead. An adopted son was the only other occupant of the house at the time the explosion occurred, and was slightly burned by escaping gas becoming ignited.



LADY MINTO.

Fortunately the weather was perfect; it could not have been more delightful. Lady Minto has, it is well-known here, taken an especial interest in this city, particularly its streets, lawns and gardens. She saw them today in

aidmen, a number of the clergy of the Church of England in the diocese. City Clerk Edwards and City Treasurer Pope. In the company were Mayor Beck, Mrs. Beck, Ald. Judd, Campbell, Stevenson, Wyatt, Gerry (chairman of





176 and 178 Dundas St., London,  
Tuesday, May 12, 1903.

## Wednesday's Big Hose Sale.

20c and 25c Hose, 2 Pairs for 25c.

250 pairs Ladies' Fine Black Cotton Hose, full size, full fashioned, spliced heel and toe, seamless, fast black, regular 20c and 25c, Wednesday... 2 Pair for 25c

Men's 25c Cashmere Socks,  
Wednesday, 15c.

5 dozen fine and heavy Cashmere  
Socks, full sizes, ribbed top,  
spliced heels, and seamless,  
regular 25c, Wednesday... 15c

Men's 25c Cotton Socks,  
Wednesday, 15c.

7 dozen Men's Fine Cotton Socks,  
plain black and balbriggan feet,  
all fast colors, and seamless,  
regular 25c, Wednesday... 15c

Beautiful 10c and 15c Flowers, Wednesday,  
2 for 5c.

Hundreds of beautiful Flowers, violets, roses, wreaths and many  
others, our entire stock up to 15c, on Wednesday, 2 for... 5c

Wrist Bags, Wednesday, 19c.

56 Chatelaine Bags and Wrist  
Bags, chain or hook hanger,  
fine, all leather, good clasps,  
regular 25c and 40c, Wednes-  
day... 19c

Candy Department.

44 pounds Brazilian Almonds,  
worth 40c lb, Wednesday, 15c  
54 pounds Mint Humbugs, worth  
10c and 15c, Wednesday, 15c  
Pepsin Gum, 15 slabs... 5c

Choice Ribbons for Half Their Value.

Duchess Satin Ribbon, Taffeta Ribbons, Fancy Ribbons—150 pieces  
of above line, all latest shades, 4 1/2 and 5 inches in width, regu-  
lar 25c and 35c, Wednesday... 15c

Try our 40c Tea in black and  
mixed, Wednesday... 25c

We are selling 25c Books, good  
reading, Wednesday... 10c

## GRAND OFFERS IN OUR BASEMENT.

Screen Doors, Complete, Wednesday, 75c.

46 Screen Doors, all sizes hinges, good strong wire screen, a perfect  
door; Wednesday, each... 75c

13-inch Window Screens, Wed-  
nesday... 15c

15-inch Window Screens, Wed-  
nesday... 19c

26-inch Window Screens, Wed-  
nesday... 25c

Dinner Sets.

100-piece, in blue and green pat-  
terns, regular \$12.50, Wednes-  
day... \$8.00

Our Stock of Oil Stoves Is Now Complete.

We Quote Three Specials for Wednesday.

Single Burner, regular 65c,  
Wednesday... 50c

Double Burner, regular \$1.25,  
Wednesday... 98c

3-burner, round metal stand, glass bowl, Wednesday... \$1.50

ICE CREAM FREEZERS AND REFRIGERATORS ALL REDUCED

6-Ball Croquet Sets,  
Wednesday, \$1.00.

WOODS' FAIR

## THE BOMB MYSTERY

Excitement Caused by Arrest of Two  
Italians.

New York, May 12.—Detectives took  
two Italians, said to be truck drivers,  
to police headquarters early yesterday.  
The detectives are among those as-  
signed by Inspector McCluskey to work  
on the dynamite bomb mystery at the  
Cunard Line pier, and their appear-  
ance with prisoners gave rise to the  
supposition that an arrest had been  
made in that case. Inspector Mc-  
Cluskey denied this, and said that the  
two Italians had been arrested in con-  
nection with another case.

## CLEVELAND'S REPLY

He Has No Desire to Be Presidential  
Candidate.

Athens, Ga., May 12.—In reply to a  
letter from E. F. Holder, Jr., editor of  
the Athens Banner, which contained  
the result of a poll of the business men  
of Athens, showing a strong sentiment  
for the nomination of Mr. Cleveland,  
and this question, "Are you now con-  
sidering, or would you consider, mak-  
ing the race for the Presidency  
next year on the Democratic ticket?"  
ex-President Cleveland writes as fol-  
lows:

"Princeton, N. J., May 6, 1903.  
"E. F. Holder, Junr.  
"Dear Sir—I thank you for your  
letter of the 4th inst., and for the edi-  
torial clipping from your paper which  
accompanied it. I cannot fail to be  
gratified by the kindly expressions  
which frequently come to me in these  
days from all parts of our country,  
and I desire to thank you for your  
exceedingly friendly expressions at  
this time. In answer to the question  
with which you conclude your letter,  
I can say no more than to assure you  
that at no time since the close of my  
last administration have I been desir-  
ous of carrying the Democratic banner

for the fourth time in a Presidential  
contest. Yours very truly,  
"GROVER CLEVELAND."

## Arnprior Boniface Dead.

Arnprior, Ont., May 12.—Archibald  
McPhee, a well-known proprietor of the  
McPhee House, died at his home  
here last night, after a few days' ill-  
ness from pneumonia.

## It Is Not Insipid or Flat.

MALT BREAKFAST FOOD  
Is the Most Delicate, Delicious  
and Nutritious of Cereal  
Foods.

One trial of Malt Breakfast Food  
will make it your first and permanent  
morning dish, and you will relish it  
as fully as the tens of thousands who  
are now using it. Malt Breakfast  
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Repentance is the heart's sorrow.—  
Shakespeare.

MOTHER GRAVES' Worm Extermina-  
tor has no equal for destroying worms in  
children and adults. See that you get the  
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What is probably the biggest locomotive  
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Do you not know that the  
kidneys must be kept in  
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## WESTERN POINTS OF THE PROVINCE

Interesting Figures From the  
Assessors Rolls.

## APRIL OIL YIELD IN BOTHWELL

Good Run Made by Flouring Mill in  
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## BRANT.

William Jessop, of Summit, N. J., has  
been appointed secretary of the Brant  
Y. M. C. A. His duties will commence  
about June.

The death occurred on Thursday of  
Frederick Stevenson Woods at his resi-  
dence, con. 2, Brantford Township, De-  
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a resident of the county for over half a  
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The Brant County Teachers' Institute  
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stitute on May 29 and 30.

## BRUCE.

The Bishop of Huron has appointed  
Rev. Arthur Sherrill, of Port Arthur,  
the newly-formed parish of Carleton and  
Pinkerton.

Chesley has a population of 1,781, and a  
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Warton's total assessment for 1903 is  
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pox outbreak has become worse.

Some 42 head of cattle were shipped  
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Walker & Sons the past week. The ani-  
mals averaged 1,500 pounds, and brought  
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## HURON.

Mr. Henry Thompson has sold his 150-  
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Mr. A. S. Curry, of Seaford, has been  
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The next shooting match between Allis

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Allis Craig Banner: Three loads of fur-  
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belonging to Dr. McRae, of West Wil-  
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the village on Tuesday, en route to Lon-  
don, where Mr. McRae will in future  
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The 48-acre farm belonging to Duncan  
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Mrs. Malcolm Munroe, one of the pion-  
ers, West Middlesex, and of late years  
an esteemed citizen of Glencoe, passed  
away after a lengthy illness the other  
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CREPE DE CHENE—Silk and wool, soft and clinging for summer gowns; very silky, bright finish; 46 inches  
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TAMISE—Silk and wool; Priestley's make; very light plain weave, with beautiful silky finish; silk warp; 45  
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PARIS WIRE CLOTH—A heavy open twine effect; very hard finish and firm weave; very popular and new.  
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NAVY BLUE LUSTERS JUST IN—Light and dark shades. Very special values at prices unheard of before for  
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## Newest and Most Becoming Veilings.

You'll find everything that's new, up-to-date and most becoming in Veilings in  
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Pretty Black Veilings, in plain, spot and fancy nets, at, per yard... 25c  
Two-toned effects in black and white and black, plain and spotted. Per yard, 25c, 40c and... 45c  
A special in black, white, black and white, white and black, navy and brown, selling at, per yard, only... 25c

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## MILITIA ORDERS

the Purchasing o  
Discharges.

Ottawa, Ont., May 12.—Militia orders  
issued yesterday forbid permission to  
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nent corps unless they are up to full  
strength. After the holding the annual  
camps permission to purchase dis-  
charge will be considered and applica-  
tions forwarded.

Any person having knowledge of the  
present address of A. F. Fosbery, late  
Canadian Scout, will please com-  
municate the same to the Adjutant-  
General at militia headquarters, Ot-  
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## LIKE A MIRACLE

Nelson Lefor Vouches for the Marvelous  
Cure of Mrs. Thos. Hughes—Dodd's  
Kidney Pills Again.

Morley, Grey County, Ont., May 11.—  
So marvelous is the cure of Mrs. Thos.  
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ment of Nelson Lefor, of "I can  
vouch for its truth." Mrs. Hughes  
says:

"I had pains up my spinal column,  
in my head, in my eyes, across my  
back, through my left side, and occa-  
sionally through my right side. I  
would for three nights at a time never  
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"I have taken four boxes of  
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Thanks to Dodd's Kidney Pills."

While fishing at Scarborough, Eng-  
land, a young angler, aged 8 1/2 years,  
caught a cod weighing 19 1/2 pounds.  
After the fish took the bait it pulled  
the boy off his feet in an unsuccessful  
effort during the struggle.

THOMAS SABIN,



## BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS.

## DIED.

**DIAMOND**—At the principal's residence, Ontario Institute for the Blind, Brantford, on May 11, 1902, Alfred Hutchinson Diamond, in the 76th year of his age.

Funeral from the Ontario Station to St. James' Cemetery, Toronto, on arrival of the C. P. R. train, due at 4:30 p.m., on Monday, May 12, at 12 noon, before leaving for Toronto. Friends will please accept this intimation.

**LOUGHNANE**—At Toronto on Saturday, May 9, 1902, John J. Loughnane, of this city, in his 30th year.

Interment at Toronto.

**DENNER**—In this city, on Monday, May 11, 1902, Theresa, widow of the late Adam Denner, in her 64th year.

Funeral from her late residence, 218 South street, on Wednesday, May 13, at 3 p.m.; service at 2:30. Funeral private.

## AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

## GRAND—Tomorrow Night

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at the New St. James' Presbyterian Church, Thursday evening, May 14, by choir of church, under Mr. E. W. Goethe, organist, assisted by Miss Lottie Scott, St. Thomas, soprano; Mr. Arthur Garthwaite, bass. Admission, 10 cents and upwards.

**THIS EVENING, 8 O'CLOCK—MEMORIAL**

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**CYRIL DWIGHT EDWARDS**, THE distinguished English baritone—Grand evening concert, under auspices of London Old Boys' Association, Grand Opera House, Friday evening, May 15, kindly assisted by the following eminent artists: Miss Eva Robyn, soprano; Frank S. Welleman, pianist; Paul Hahn, 1st. Tickets, 50c, 50c and 50c. Plan open Wednesday morning. Tickets to be had from London Old Boys' Association or leading music stores.

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**MEETINGS.**

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**LOST—KEY ATTACHED TO CHAIN;**

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## Strikes and the State.

The longshoremen's strike has been settled, thanks largely to the good offices of the Minister of Labor. While he did not bring about an immediate settlement during his visit to Montreal, he laid the basis for the present agreement. Before he undertook to offer his services to both parties to the dispute, he was criticised for not interfering by members of the Opposition, who declared the Bureau of Labor was useless if it could do nothing in such an emergency. The Toronto Telegram takes a different tack, and accuses Mr. Mulock of being responsible in some measure for the prevalence of labor troubles in the country. It argues that labor unions are encouraged to strike by the conviction that the labor department will come to their aid in every dispute. This is grossly unfair to Mr. Mulock and the labor bureau. His department has been of great service in collecting and disseminating information of value to employers and workmen and has been the means of settling a large number of strikes. It has removed and not created difficulties between capital and labor. The relation of the state to industrial disputes is one of the greatest problems of the age. The tendency is toward increasing interference by the state, and the body of labor legislation must continually expand. It looks as if governments will have to lay a heavier hand on both capital and labor, as both become more powerful and highly organized, and the struggle reaches proportions which menace society as a whole. There is no question today which demands higher statesmanship, and there is no public man in this country who has studied it so conscientiously as Mr. Mulock, or who has attempted to deal with it in a more practical way.

## Pass the Assessment Law.

The Ontario Government evidently intends to make an effort to pass the assessment bill this session. The special committee will receive deputations representing several of the tax-paying interests—merchants, manufacturers, railways, express companies and municipal franchise corporations. There is not the slightest doubt that the great majority of manufacturers and merchants favor the substitution of the business tax for the personality tax. The retail merchants especially should welcome the change. No class of taxpayers know better than they do the absurdities and inequalities of the present system. The merchant who can pay cash for his goods is taxed for the full value of his stock, if the assessor does his duty. The merchant who is being carried by the bank and does business entirely on credit pays no taxes at all. This exemption of debts from assessment opens the door to all sorts of inconsistencies. The greatest and wealthiest departmental store in Canada enjoys a fractional assessment, because it is claimed that a large portion of the money used in the business belongs to the head of the firm, who is retired from active connection with it, and should be reckoned as a debt, to be deducted from the value of the stock for the purposes of taxation. Under the proposed new assessment act merchants and manufacturers will pay according to the rental value of their premises. This tax at least has the merit of simplicity and cannot be eluded. It has worked well in Winnipeg, Montreal and Brandon.

It may be taken for granted that the corporations operating street railways, light, power and gas works and telephone and telegraph systems will oppose the new law, which assesses their franchises for the first time; but the legislature should stick to its guns and settle the basis of taxation for these companies once for all. The railway and express companies will be expected to enter a protest also. The former will be required to pay on their real estate and the latter on their income, as if they were private property owners. This is the principle adopted by many of the States of the Union. The house tax will occasion some rumbling, but it falls only on the comparatively well-to-do. In effect it is precisely the same as if it were levied direct on realty. In the latter case the tenant would pay it in increased rent. Under the proposed system he will pay it to the assessor instead of the landlord.

It is to be hoped the Legislature will be influenced by selfish protests to pass this question for another year. The antagonistic views of those who discuss the matter, but it should be remembered that all parties interested are given a full and fair hearing before the Ontario Assessment Commission, and nothing new can be said.

With all due respect to the committee, we venture to express the opinion that as a body it is not so well qualified to deal with the subject as was the assessment commission, which was composed of experts.

## Judge Teetzel.

Mr. James V. Teetzel, K. C., the head of the well-known law firm of Teetzel, Harrison & Lewis, of Hamilton, has been appointed a judge of the Common Pleas Division of the High Court of Justice. Mr. Teetzel had a distinguished career as a student; to that he has added the experience of nearly 20 years of practice, a portion of the time in partnership with the late J. B. Osler, K. C., whose name was a household word in Canada.

## Housing the Working Classes.

The British Government will appoint a commission to investigate the problem of municipal trading. English and Scotch cities have gone in for municipal ownership and control to an extent not approached in any other country; and the rapid growth of this collectivist process has alarmed conservative people. A series of articles in the London Times, strongly hostile to municipal socialism, attracted much attention and created a sentiment which determined the Government to institute an inquiry. The statistics appear to furnish an unanswerable argument in favor of municipal control of public utilities, such as electric light, tramways and gas, but a number of municipalities are traveling beyond these to undertakings which, it is claimed, are in no sense natural monopolies, but properly belong to private enterprise. The housing problem is one which the great cities, especially the boroughs of London, are resolutely facing, regardless of the agitation to restrict their activities. The King has taken a personal interest in the work, and the Prince of Wales is now identifying himself with the movement. The other day the Prince laid the foundation of a block of workingmen's dwellings which the borough of Westminster is erecting. The Westminster City Council is the first of the metropolitan boroughs to avail itself of the new law which confers enlarged powers on the municipalities. Formerly they could only erect houses in unsanitary areas, but now they may build wherever they deem advisable. The Westminster buildings will cover three blocks and will accommodate 1,600 persons in 24 tenements. Rents will range from three shillings for a single room to twelve shillings per week for a self-contained four-room tenement. The inmates will be assured an abundance of fresh air and light; they will have hot water supplies, baths and other conveniences not usually enjoyed by the British workman. The building will be reserved exclusively for the working classes. The cost is about £25,000. It is calculated that rentals will yield the corporation a return of 2½ per cent on the outlay, so that there will be no increase in the rates. This is a sample of what the British municipalities are doing for the working classes. There is a grand opportunity for philanthropists, who will be content with 3 or 4 per cent on their money, to redeem the slums of the great cities.

## Mr. Baer's Kindness.

[Boston Traveler.]  
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## The Destruction of the Scorchers.

[Black and White.]  
 It has been suggested that a force of motor police should be started to deal with the furious driving of automobiles. The motor came down like the vehement gale.  
 The glimmer he trembled, his cheek it grew pale;  
 The wagoner crouched very low in his wain.  
 Well he knew what that terror would leave in its train.

At starting the gigman looked fresh as new paint.  
 When the motor had passed he lay mangled and faint;  
 The wagoner felt every nerve of him twitch.  
 As he dropped, very limp, in the lap of a ditch!

Like a field that is fruitful and flowery and green,  
 Was that fair Surrey track ere the motor was seen;  
 Like a field that is scorched by the death-dealing blast  
 Was that fair Surrey track when the motor had passed!

Then a magnate of Surrey, who sat on a bench,  
 Exclaimed: "Fore a pestilence why should we blench?  
 This hurricane speed, I've determined shall cease.  
 We will call in the aid of the motor police!"

Thus the plague it was stayed, and in uniform pride,  
 Like a god in his car did the constable ride;  
 With motor wheels pulsing, and lightning-shod wheels,  
 He terrorized scorchers on automobiles!

O, the men in the motors are loud in their wail,  
 For they know that the courts are no temples of bail;  
 And the gigmen and carters can fare no more,  
 All thanks to those excellent motor police!

## Few in the Field.

[Life.]  
 "I wonder how it is that men succeed who mind only their own business."  
 "Because there is so little competition."

## The Newest Shamrock.

[Philadelphia Enquirer.]  
 There seems to be no doubt that the

new Shamrock is faster than either of the other yachts bearing the same name. That is admitted. What is more, the Shamrock has been sailing with the interior furnishings which she will need to strengthen her when crossing the Atlantic, furnishings and braces which will be discarded when she enters the contest. In her racing trim, therefore, she ought to be much faster.

## Bunch of Aphorisms.

[Philadelphia Record.]  
 Beware of the deadbeat. He usually comes to life.  
 The average reputation is too brittle for rough usage.

Money talks, but that doesn't prevent banks from having tellers.  
 The reversible cuff realizes that one good turn deserves another.

You can generally tell a married man. He is such a good listener.  
 When a fellow begins to talk about affluence you can generally see his finish.

Imitation is the sincerest form of flattery and often succeeds where originality fails.  
 Many a man has acquired a reputation for generosity by spending borrowed money.

When a tramp steals a cake of soap he is a thief by instinct rather than from necessity.  
 Somehow or other the people who live the most placid lives are those who carry accident insurance.

The strong-minded woman wants all the privileges enjoyed by men, but she balks when it comes to tipping a waiter.

## Had to Keep Up.

[New York Times.]  
 Remus—I don't like this wolf's milk for a cent, do you, Romulus?

Romulus—No, I don't, but it's the best we can do; I can't endure condensed milk, and there isn't any milk on this route, and you know I've got to keep up my strength in some way. I've got to find Rome before long.

## Some Family History.

[Chicago Tribune.]  
 She had fifteen million dollars. Placed in bonds, and shares, and rents; He had fifteen million dollars. So they merged their sentiments.

Now they've raised a son who's valued At exactly thirty cents.

## Easy to Identify.

[Scottish American.]  
 Donald Mastirk, a drunken carrier, having gone a-missing, his son Colin went to Glasgow to inquire about him. Two days before Colin's arrival a dead body had been found floating in the Clyde, and the constable in charge of the mortuary inquired of Colin if there were any special marks by which he could identify his father. "Hooh, ay," said Colin, when he understood the meaning of the question: "he'll hev one lug deader nor taither."—Scottish American.

## YOUNG PEOPLE TOLD OF OPPORTUNITIES FOR WORK

## The Canadian Northwest Offers Great Scope for Missionary Effort—Field in China.

Last evening's meeting of the Young People's Societies of the Presbytery of London, which was in convention at St. Andrew's Church yesterday, was fairly well attended. Two very excellent addresses were given, one on foreign missions and one on home missions.

The programme of the afternoon session, as given in last evening's paper, was changed somewhat. The address of welcome was given by Rev. Dr. Johnston. The paper of Miss Moberly was not given, but Miss Maggie McColl's paper was very interesting, alluring religion and patriotism. Besides the address by Rev. Mr. Shearer on "Experiences in the West," Rev. Mr. Fitzpatrick told of the educational work in the lumber camps. The reports showed that 23 societies with a membership of 1,233 and contributions of \$2,125.50, as compared with last year's 34 societies reporting a membership of 1,266 and contributions for all purposes amounting to \$1,840.

## OFFICERS ELECTED.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Honorary president, moderator of presbytery, president, Rev. R. C. McDermid; of Synod, first vice-president, Rev. Hector McKay, of London Junction; second vice-president, Mr. Thos. H. Nichol, Wilton Grove; recording secretary, Miss M. A. Wilson, Wilton Grove; corresponding secretary, Miss



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## The Heart of a Boy.

[Griff Alexander, in Pittsburg Dispatch.]  
 Long, long ago, when our hearts were aglow

With spirits that youthfulness brings,  
 We lived in a country we no more can know.

Though we travel on memory's wings;  
 For the world that we knew is no longer a fact.

We've forgotten its grief and its joy,  
 'Tis to us a closed book, but the record will be found in the heart of a boy.

Long, long ago we were happy, and so  
 Backward journeys we'd willingly start.  
 One's mind, not the world, changes oft as years go.

For the world is as young as one's  
 One faintly remembers (how strange it all seems)

All one's youthful misfortunes and play—  
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were beginning to see things in a different way.

The speaker referred to the natural wealth of the Northwest and gave ingenious illustrations of the extent of the products of the Territories. And this new country, he said, was but beginning to be opened up. Now was the time for responsibility for every branch of the church in Canada. If the opportunity God was forcing upon us was not grasped there would be cause to lament. All the nationalities of Europe

were going into the Northwest, and foreigners were going into whole districts.

That meant a great deal to Canada, for these men who had now no idea of Canadian sentiment, were going to control much of the country and would largely influence the legislation of the whole Dominion.

The speaker then went on to show how missionary work was of national importance, and appealed for its encouragement by the people of older Canada.

## MR. E. S. WILLARD APPEARS IN HIS PLAY "THE CARDINAL"

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The audience which crowded the Grand last night to greet the distinguished English actor, E. S. Willard, must have realized that it was a red-letter night in London's theatrical calendar. In fact, the presentation by Mr. Willard of Louis Parker's drama, "The Cardinal," was distinctly an event in the best sense of the word. For one thing, it marked Mr. Willard's return after an interval of some ten years, and at that only to bid us farewell, intending, as he does, to make a protracted sojourn in England. These facts, coupled to his world-wide reputation, doubtless drew many to last night's performance, but the real source of the large and enthusiastic audience was undoubtedly the ascendancy which Mr. Willard holds in the mind of the average playgoer. This is probably true even of that section of last night's audience which saw him for the first time, as Mr. Willard has long held an unique position before the public. In his profession he stands apart. What ever role he touches he lends to it a peculiar value, and about his reading of a part there is that indefinable quality which, for want of a better term, we have labeled artistic. Culture, intellectuality, above all the intangible something we call charm, are his to a degree which has placed him on a plane shared by few.

"The Cardinal," as a play, is not notably strong, and the main situation, the sacredness of the Roman Catholic confession, is not new. But it would indeed be a poor creation to which Mr. Willard could not give distinction. It is a clean play of an unclean time, which probably accounts to some extent for the liberties the author has taken with history. As Giovanna de Medici, Prince of the Church, Mr. Willard has wide scope for his powers. Holding the confession of the murderer, for whose crime a beloved young brother is to die, and on the verge of social and ecclesiastical ruin, he depicts in turn pride, hate, love, ambition, craft. Possessing a superb stage presence and a voice of unusual beauty, his declamatory scenes will not readily be forgotten by last night's audience.

The period and setting of the drama, Rome of the sixteenth century, lends itself readily to elaborate costuming and beautiful stage pictures which have been fully taken advantage of. Mr. Willard's support, headed by Maude Fealy, is fair. Mr. Bassett Roe's rendition of the role of Strozzi, the Florentine outlaw, being the most commendable. It is, very largely, a one-part play. The superb figure of the cardinal towers commandingly above all the other figures in the drama. Miss Fealy had not much opportunity, but in that which she had, she showed emotional power, sweet womanliness and sympathetic appreciation of what was required of her role.

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## THE TRANSVAAL LOAN

The Aggregate Subscriptions Are Enormous.

London, May 12.—Subscriptions to the Transvaal loan closed at 11 o'clock Saturday morning. The success of the loan was unprecedented, both as regards the aggregate subscribed and the number of applications. It is said that the individual subscriptions for £50 and under were alone sufficient to cover the loan. Estimates of the aggregate subscribed range from \$6,000,000 to \$7,500,000,000. Rothschild and Co. applied for \$450,000,000, Parnell & Co. for \$250,000,000, the Credit Bank for \$150,000,000, the Dresdener Bank for \$125,000,000. The amount of money tied up makes the money market very stiff, but early allotments and the return of checks are expected to relieve the market.

## THE KISCHENOFF RIOTS

Official Figures of Killed in Anti-Jew Troubles.

St. Petersburg, May 12.—The Minister of the Interior has circulated a long, official account of the recent anti-Semitic outbreak at Kischonoff (capital of Bessarabia). He says 45 persons were killed, and 424 were injured, and that 700 houses and 600 shops were looted. The minister attributes the rioting to religious ill-will and reports of ritual murders, leading to a clamor for an attack on the Jews, and says the immediate cause of the outbreak was the ill-treatment of a Christian woman by a Jew. The Interior Minister, on the direct instruction of the Czar, has notified the governors that they will be held personally responsible for their failure to take proper measures to prevent similar acts of violence.

I find nonsense singularly refreshing. —Talleyrand.



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## Modifications of Rules To Be Mr. Taylor's Bill Discussed by the House.

## PRIVATE MEMBERS' BILLS AIDED IS APPROVED BY THE PREMIER

House of Commons Adjourns Out of Where the Government Funds Are Respected—Complaints Against David Mills. Magistrate Young.

Ottawa, May 11.—In the House of Commons today a number of private measures were introduced. Mr. Brock's bill "to make further provision for the prevention of cruelty to animals," was allowed to go over, on the understanding that an effort will be made to embody his wishes in an amendment to the criminal code, and if this be not found practicable an opportunity will be afforded to discuss the subject again at a later date.

A brief discussion occurred over the bill proposed by Mr. Demers, of St. John and Iberville, to "indemnify those who suffer damages in consequences of fires caused by railways." The bill to amend the General Inspection Act was read a second time and referred to a special committee. It is a measure for securing greater efficiency in the inspection of hides. Mr. Smith (Wentworth) moved the first reading of his bill to "amend the Trades Marks Act, 1901." Mr. Smith desires to provide that articles shall be inspected and the appraisals made by the Government inspector at the place where the appraisals are packed, instead of at shipping ports or other central points. As matters stand now the grower or packer himself marks the grade on the barrel, together with his private brand. Afterwards, if the grading, he himself adds an indication that it is incorrect.

Mr. Fielding thought this would be going much further than was desirable, and would deprive the grower or packer of the advantage of building up a reputation for his private brand. At his suggestion the bill was laid over until the return of the Minister of Agriculture.

## TARIFF AMENDMENT.

Mr. Peterson will move on Wednesday next: "That it is expedient to amend the Customs Act, chapter 32, revised statutes, and to provide as follows: (1) That the expression 'duty' shall include 'surtax'; (2) that change be made in the composition of the board of customs, and an assistant commissioner of customs be appointed; (3) that the board be given for the employment of temporary officers of customs; (4) to better define the powers of the board of customs; (5) that further particulars be given in invoices, and that invoices be made out in the currency in which the goods are actually purchased; (6) to define the duty upon unenumerated articles made of more than one material; (7) to extend the time for the submission of claims for refund, in default of which the claimant may be relieved from the payment of duty upon damaged goods, abandoned in certain cases; (8) that the basis of all allowances for damage in polished steel and other articles be changed; (9) to authorize the granting of relief from the payment of duty on goods destroyed or damaged while in the custody of customs; (10) that further provision be made for the value for duty purposes of medicinal and other preparations and respect of the duties on sugars, molasses, wines, spirits and alcoholic liquors; (11) to authorize collectors of customs to require further proof in respect of invoices; (12) to vest in officers the power to administer oaths; (13) to confer further powers on the governors-in-council respecting special customs services and overtime of officers, and also respecting the reduction of customs on imported goods."

Sir William Mulock said, in answer to Mr. Clark, that there are three medical officers to inspect immigrants entering Canada. When necessary, these officers inspect immigrants whose destination is the United States. As to the Trans-Canada Railway, Mr. Wilnot was informed that no contracts have been entered into for the construction of any portion of the line. Plans for two short sections, one ten miles west of Nelson and the other twenty miles from Nelson east, have been filed with the Government.

Copies of correspondence and reports respecting the purchase in Canada by the Canadian Government of supplies for the Imperial Government during the African war, are to be brought down. Mr. Fielding, in regard to those papers, explained that in the investigation that in the first stage of transactions an order in Canada was passed pledging the credit of the Government of Canada. This created a moral thought not legal obligation, and was accepted by the banks as a basis of credit. About the fifth of the purchases were made from this credit. Shortly afterwards the money needed was sent out by the Imperial Government, whereupon the Government of Canada, as a Government, ceased to be interested. The charges against Mr. Young being largely of a personal character, would seem that the papers relating to the matter should not be made public.

REVEALS AS COUNCILORS. In moving the second reading of his bill to amend the County Councils Act, Mr. Taylor explained that the object of the measure was to permit county councils and villages and at every towns. It provided also that in the election of a warden the representative largest equalized assessment would have two votes in the case of a tie. Every question in which the expenditure of money was involved to an extent of \$5,000 for any purpose other than current expenses, the result should be determined by a majority of the members, as at present.

Mr. Gross (Welland) said that so far as his riding was concerned, there was no dissatisfaction with the present law, but he had no objection to the bill if other counties favored it. Dr. Barr (Dufferin) said that the present bill had not worked well, as it had prevented the best men from entering the township councils. The thing to be guarded against in any change, however, was the fact that larger municipalities might not get justice from the villages and smaller municipalities. Mr. Richard (West Durham) expressed the opinion that the old system was too cumbersome and the one at present in force a good one.

Dr. Whiloughby (East Northumberland) was also of opinion that there should be a change from the present system.

Hon. Mr. Dryden said that the statement of previous speakers, to the effect that people took less interest in the proceedings of the county councils today, were easily explainable by the fact that county councils no longer have such important questions and large expenditures to deal with as they once had. That fact was one of the reasons for the presentation of the bill now on the statute books. The most important work now done by the councils was the equalization of the assessment, and even that was done in some counties by special assessors. Mr. Dryden said he had no objection to the bill going to the Municipal Committee.

The Premier, who followed, said that he liked the bill very much, and he had no doubt that his own County of Middlesex would adopt it if it passed. It could certainly do no harm, and even if it indicated a partial change of view on the part of the Government, it was not offensive or objectionable on that account. It was well to encourage the better class of citizens to enter the county councils, as these bodies were the high schools for imparting an advanced municipal education. The Government had no objection to the bill going to the Municipal Committee, and was quite prepared to let public opinion have its own way, so long as the public interests were not interfered with.

Mr. Whitney protested against the Government's policy. It had been admitted last session that the Province was dissatisfied with the present county council legislation, yet the Government had asked the Opposition to let the matter go till after the election. Mr. Whitney said he had conversed with many people all over Ontario, and nowhere save in the chamber had he heard one word in defense of the present system.

The bill was given its second reading, and was referred to the Municipal Committee.

TO AMEND ASSESSMENT ACT. Mr. Preston (Bramford) said that his bill to amend the assessment act provided that the grounds attached to schools and not owned or leased by the municipality for a term of not less than five years, shall be liable to a local improvement tax, and also that towns should have the right to appoint persons other than councilors, as members of the Special Committee dealing with the Premier's municipal taxation measure.

A second bill by Mr. Preston to amend the voters' list act, was allowed to stand over. It empowers the county judge to make voters' lists as they may be altered through appeals to the court of revision or to the county judge.

Mr. Whitney's bill to amend the statute law, was given a second reading. It provides that all agreements entered into by the Queen Victoria Niagara Falls Park commissioners with any parties must be ratified by the Legislature.

Second readings were also given to Mr. St. John's bill to amend the municipal act; Mr. Poy's to amend the assessment act; and Mr. Pettipiece's to permit municipalities to use voting machines.

The House adjourned at 5:30. THE FOLLOWING NOTICES OF MOTION HAVE BEEN GIVEN:

Mr. Ross—Bill entitled an act to provide for the construction of works of improvement along the bank of the upper Niagara River; bill entitled an act to amend the act for the improvement of public highways; bill amending the act respecting circuits and traveling shows; bill to amend the municipal act.

Mr. Stratton—Bill respecting municipal workhouse.

Dr. Barr will ask: "What is the cost to the Province of the smallpox epidemic during the year 1902?" He will also apply for an order of the House for a return of all papers and correspondence containing the smallpox epidemic during the year 1902, also concerning vaccination and anti-vaccination during the said year.

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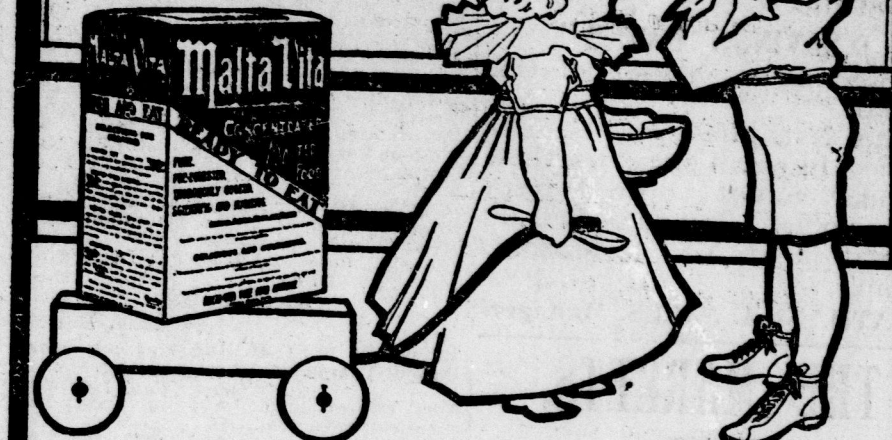
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Bethel pressed a sisterly kiss upon Lucy's cheek, and by the time she returned with the darling baby, Bethel had donned her spotless nightdress, and lay with arms outstretched, ready to receive the treasure; and the little one, with a sleepy coo, like a dove disturbed, nestled close to the weary heart, and comforted it as only a child can. Bethel had been very prosperous of late, and her prosperity bore good fruit at Lufston, where her mother lived, for her, quite a luxurious life, shared by an old dear friend, who had been her life and was herself cheered by a good and comfortable home and living. Bethel had stolen a day now and then to enliven her mother with her pleasant presence, but her coming and going were unknown to the villagers, who entertained a lively curiosity concerning the girl who had dropped out of their sight so silently in her sorrow. The old lady had grown to be quite a power in her way, and sat now in a grand cap and gown, wrapped in a real Paisley shawl, in an invalid's chair, and dispensed cosy tea-parties and innocent gossip among the villagers. She had a house quite handsomely furnished, and kept it all for her use, and the sign of respectability to the humble folk about her. She had grown stronger with care and good living. The knowledge of her happiness and comfort was sweet balm to Bethel's bruised heart, for the old mother was very dear to her.

Poor Bethel! her life just now was beset with temptation which it was at times hard to resist, for she was one to whom excitement, since her sorrow, seemed absolute life. She studied clock and worked hard in the time when Dan should need it. Yet there were so many weary years to be passed before she could hope to see his dear face, and, as to what befell her, she dared not think, for lately a great temptation had come upon her. Lord Lufston was now her very shadow, giving everyone cause to point at him as a man in his dotage giving way to a morbid passion of love, which, to use a trite and true saying, is like the measles, which proves the more severe the older one takes them.

Bethel permitted his attentions, hardly knowing why she did so, for she still cherished her revengeful sense of injury. She longed to triumph over him, to find him at her mercy, saying she had led him on hoping he might in the end hang himself. While he, poor fool, lived on in blessed unconsciousness of her real feelings towards him, and finding that in the world's estimation she was chaste as snow, gave up all hope of winning her save by marriage, and even then he feared "his fate too much to put it to the test."

He was not without vanity. Few of us are, thank God! For it would be uncomfortable indeed for us if we saw ourselves as others see us. He was an old man, rich and titled; but still old. He knew that only under great pressure would such a passionate, intense nature as hers bend herself to feed an old man's fancy. Still, such was the spell of her beauty upon him that he could not tear the hope of winning her out of his heart, which he had taken deep root. He sensibly shrank from lessening his dignity by taking a low-born wife, one, too, who had begged about in his own country, and who was a story. So he put off the evil day of reckoning, fearing to face so

unpleasant a situation. Bethel read all that passed in his heart concerning her with deep scorn, yet helped on the climax that was threatening. Let him fight out the battle alone, she would not interest herself in him till she knew it was worth while. It was sweet to feel her old enemy beneath her feet, to make or mar his happiness, to know that one of her bitter, scornful jests had power to give him keenest torture, and a smile or pleasant word to lift him to a madness of delight.

Then came the thought—what should she do in case he asked her to marry him? It would be a real triumph to queen it over the county where she had suffered so much humiliation. Then he was so old, he would surely never live long enough to spoil her plans for Dan. Then what wealth, what power, would be hers. How she should comfort the aged, and the poor, who had been good to her as a half-sister, unlovable child.

Then, again, what gain to her darling baby? Of course, no one need know that she was her mother's daughter. Oh, mother, can't thou deny thy child? Though she came to thee in sin and sorrow, yet is she pure, sweet, and God-given. Would you teach those baby lips to breathe a lie at their first speech? Think how the blood will congeal about thy heart when these baby lips shall say to thee, "I am your mother." Then she would allow the matter to drop out of her mind and devote herself for days to hard study, never leaving anyone or going out of the house save to her duties.

It was after one of these moods of hers that Lord Lufston waited for her on leaving the theater and persuaded her to allow him to accompany her home, as it was his last night in London for some time and he wished to know if she had any commission for him at Lufston.

Bethel thanked him, and said she had not, but struck by his look of disappointment, paused with one foot on the step of her brougham and asked him carelessly if she could put him down anywhere on her way to Fulham. Bethel caught at her suggestion, and after handing her in, eagerly followed. Bethel's lip curled with disgust at his too-pronounced tenderness of manner and she shrank back into her carriage, the carriage, shutting her eyes wearily.

"You are tired, tonight, my queen," Bethel opened her fine eyes, contemptuously saying: "Since when have I accepted you as my subject, my lord?"

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**FASTEST MILE AT WOODBINE WORKED BY FARMER'S FOX**

Davis' Horse Went the Mile in 1:40—Lux Casta Won Crotona.

**THE TURF.****FASTEST MILE OF YEAR.**

Toronto, May 11.—Another King's plateer loomed into view at the Woodbine today as a contestant for his majesty's guineas. It was Farmer's Fox, the 4-year-old bay gelding, by Farthing, owned by Robert Davis. The track was fast, weather fair, and every condition was favorable for a good trial of speed. Farmer's Fox worked, by himself, with 125 pounds—six more than he will carry on race day. His trial was made over the regular plate course and he galloped the mile from the top of the string in 1:40 flat, the best work of the year. The Sandwich Lady Essex made a lot of her gallop. She is a much improved mare from last year, and worked the mile in 1:52. Mr. Cook's Marston Moor ran in 1:50 with the handy time. This will deprive Seagram of a rider, as Jockey Blake will have the mount on Marston Moor. Wm. Jenkins will here tomorrow, with a string of twelve. Larry Daly has been engaged by John McGill to ride Miscreant in the plate race. Sam Good and Mr. Meyers will ship from St. Louis on Friday. They have 25 horses between them.

**THE CROTONA HANDICAP.**

New York, N. Y., May 11.—Lux Casta, with Odom up, won the Crotona handicap at Morris Park today. She was favorite, and after lying third to well into the stretch, Odom sent her to the front and won by a neck, with Royal second and Olympian, an added starter, third. Mexican, who was favorite, and after lying third to well into the stretch, Odom sent her to the front and won by a neck, with Royal second and Olympian, an added starter, third. Mexican, who was favorite, and after lying third to well into the stretch, Odom sent her to the front and won by a neck, with Royal second and Olympian, an added starter, third.

First race, 6½ furlongs of Withers handicap, 125 (Bullman), 9 to 10 and 1 to 4; 1. Ink, 88 (Haxax), 7 to 10 and 1 to 5; 2. Orloff, 105 (Burns), 8 to 5 and 2 to 5; 3. Time, 1:20. Second race, 1¼ furlongs, Eclipse course—Leonidas, 115 (Burns), 7 to 5 and 1 to 2; 1. Toledo, 119 (Waterbury), 5 to 2 and even; 2. Yellow Hammer, 112 (Fulham), 12 to 1 and 5 to 3; 3. Time, 1:13.

Third race, the Eclipse course—Reliable, 98 (Gannon), 9 to 10 and 1 to 4; 1. St. Jude, 95 (Boisen), 7 to 1 and 5 to 2; 2. Nine Spot, 33 (Cafferty), 8 to 1 and 3 to 1; 3. Time, 1:14.

Fourth race, the Crotona handicap, last 6 furlongs of the Withers mile—Lux Casta, 115 (Odom), 9 to 5 and 4 to 5; 1. Royal, 118 (O'Neill), 15 to 1 and 6 to 1; 2. Olympian, 116 (Gannon), 7 to 1 and 5 to 2; 3. Time, 1:14.

Fifth race, last 7 furlongs of the Withers mile—Tint, 105 (Burns), 4 to 5 and 1 to 4; 1. Futurita, 101 (Gannon), 8 to 5 and 1 to 3; 2. Torchlight, 116 (Brennan), 4 to 1 and 12 to 1; 3. Time, 1:21.

Sixth race, Withers mile—Mexican, 110 (Burns), 5 to 2 and 4 to 5; 1. Zoroaster, 105 (Fuller), 8 to 1 and 3 to 1; 2. River Pirate, 108 (Kest), 8 to 5 and 5 to 2; 3. Time, 1:38.

**A HANDICAP AT LOUISVILLE.**

Louisville, Ky., May 11.—Silk Cord won the free handicap for three-year-olds and upwards at one mile, which was the feature event on today's card. Jockey Reiff won his first race of the meeting today on Rainland. Weather clear, track fast.

First race, 4 furlongs—Sara Rose, 3 to 1; 1. Gold Piro, 4 to 1; 2. Morning Star, 3 to 1; 3. Time, 1:48.

Second race, selling, 7 furlongs—Little Duchess II, 4 to 1; 1. Lou Woods, 8 to 1; 2. Tom Kingsley, 3 to 1; 3. Time, 1:30.

Third race, handicap, mile—Silk Cord, 5 to 1; 1. Wood Lake, 6 to 1; 2. Jiminez, 3 to 1; 3. Time, 1:41.

Fourth race, selling, 4½ furlongs—Rankin, 2 to 1; 1. Hendon, 8 to 1; 2. Prince Rupert, 30 to 1; 3. Time, 1:55.

Fifth race, 5 furlongs—Bensonhurst, even; 1. Talpa, 20 to 1; 2. Two Licks, 5 to 1; 3. Time, 1:30.

Sixth race, selling, 1-16 miles—Cogswell, 3 to 1; 1. Almless, 7 to 1; 2. Adelaide, 4 to 1; 3. Time, 1:48.

**JOCKEY COBURN HURT.**

Chicago, May 11.—The feature race of the fourth day, in which Jockey Coburn fell from his mount, Abe Frank, and was dragged 30 feet. His back was badly bruised. The race was won by Beau Ormonde, the favorite, very easily, Gregor K. being second, two lengths back, and C. B. Campbell, third. Tressilian, at 60 to 1, took the second race. Weather clear; track fast.

First race, 6 furlongs—Au Revoir, 10 to 1; 1. Uranium, 15 to 1; 2. Dan McKenna, 9 to 2; 3. Time, 1:11 3-5.

Second race, 4½ furlongs—Tressilian, 60 to 1; 1. Shaitan, 9 to 2; 2. Ellie, 12 to 5; 3. Time, 1:55.

Third race, 1-16 miles—Bonnie Lassak, 10 to 5; 1. Frank M., 3 to 1; 2. Mi Reina, 5 to 1; 3. Time, 1:47 1-5.

Fourth race, handicap, 7 furlongs—

Beau Ormonde, even; 1. Gregor K., 9 to 2; 2. C. B. Campbell, 6 to 1; 3. Time, 1:27.

Fifth race, 6½ furlongs—Tayon, 9 to 10; 1. Full Back, 5 to 1; 2. Silver Fizz, 13 to 5; 3. Time, 1:20 3-5.

Sixth race, mile and 70 yards—Flying Torpedo, 5 to 2; 1. Scotch Maid, even; 2. Alma Girl, 10 to 1; 3. Time, 1:44 5-8.

**THE ST. LOUIS MEET.**

St. Louis, Mo., May 11.—An upset occurred in the second race at the Fair Grounds today when Imboden and Brick Fowler, at the head of the field, the heavily backed favorite, Track fast.

First race, 1-16 miles, selling—King's Bet, 25 to 1; 1. Immortal, 7 to 1; 2. Dr. Carrick, 8 to 1; 3. Time, 1:53.

Second race, ¾ furlongs—Imboden, 10 to 1; 1. Brick Fowler, 10 to 1; 2. Kilo, 40 to 5; 3. Time, 1:56.

Third race, 5½ furlongs—Detest, 12 to 1; 1. Fiste, 6 to 1; 2. Dolly Gray, 5 to 2; 3. Time, 1:09.

Fourth race, mile and 70 yards—Jack Demure, 1 to 1; 1. Port Royal, 2 to 1; 2. Chappaque, 4 to 1; 3. Time, 1:45.

Fifth race, 6½ furlongs—Hilee, 1 to 1; 1. Howling Dervish, 6 to 1; 2. Lynch, 10 to 1; 3. Time, 1:21.

Sixth race, 1-16 miles—Milas, 4 to 1; 1. Dr. Clark, 5 to 1; 2. Hallucination, 12 to 1; 3. Time, 1:52.

**BASEBALL.****Advertiser Score Cards.**

The Advertiser has prepared a large number of score cards for the benefit of its baseball friends. These can be had on application to the business office. When a game has been played, fill in a complete summary on a card and send or bring it to this office. The Advertiser's sporting columns are open to every team in the city, both for challenges and scores of games.

**CITY LEAGUE STANDING.**

| Team                    | Won | Lost | P. C. |
|-------------------------|-----|------|-------|
| McClarys                | 2   | 0    | 1.000 |
| St. Johns               | 1   | 0    | 1.000 |
| Eclipse course—Leonidas | 1   | 0    | 1.000 |
| Anchors                 | 0   | 1    | .000  |
| Carletons               | 0   | 1    | .000  |
| Londons                 | 0   | 1    | .000  |

**BIG LEAGUE STANDING.**

| Team         | Won | Lost | P. C. |
|--------------|-----|------|-------|
| New York     | 13  | 4    | .765  |
| Pittsburgh   | 14  | 4    | .835  |
| Chicago      | 14  | 8    | .635  |
| Brooklyn     | 10  | 9    | .525  |
| Boston       | 9   | 9    | .500  |
| Cleveland    | 6   | 16   | .273  |
| Philadelphia | 5   | 15   | .250  |

**In the American—**

| Team       | Won | Lost | P. C. |
|------------|-----|------|-------|
| Chicago    | 11  | 5    | .687  |
| Athletics  | 6   | 6    | .500  |
| Boston     | 6   | 6    | .500  |
| New York   | 8   | 8    | .500  |
| St. Louis  | 7   | 7    | .487  |
| Cleveland  | 5   | 8    | .385  |
| Washington | 5   | 10   | .333  |

**In the Eastern—**

| Team         | Won | Lost | P. C. |
|--------------|-----|------|-------|
| Jersey City  | 1   | 1    | .500  |
| Baltimore    | 3   | 3    | .500  |
| Philadelphia | 3   | 3    | .500  |
| Newark       | 5   | 5    | .500  |
| Providence   | 4   | 6    | .400  |
| Toronto      | 3   | 5    | .375  |
| Worcester    | 2   | 7    | .222  |

**NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES.**

At Pittsburgh—R. H. E. Pittsburgh 000001000-1 5 0 Cincinnati 000000002-2 5 4 Batteries—Lamm and Smith; Suthoff and Peitz. Umpire, Emslie. Attendance, 3,540.

At New York—New York 100071000-9 12 2 Brooklyn 000000000-1 3 3 Batteries—McGinnity and Bresnahan; Glevin and Epper. Umpire, O'Day. Attendance, 4,325.

**GAMES IN THE AMERICAN.**

At Detroit—R. H. E. Detroit 102011300-3 15 0 Buffalo 000000000-0 2 5 Batteries—Tamm and O'Connor; Mullin and McAllister. Umpire, O'Loughlin. Attendance, 4,483.

At Cleveland—Cleveland 020011101-6 12 5 Boston 100002002-6 8 0 Batteries—Bernhardt and Bemis; Hughes, Dineen and Criger. Umpire, Connor. Attendance, 2,739.

At St. Louis—St. Louis 100100000-2 5 0 Washington 000000000-0 4 0 Batteries—Sudhoff and Kahoe; Towns and Drill. Umpire, Sheridan. Attendance, 1,200.

At Chicago—Chicago 00101000000-2 10 3 Philadelphia 000000000-0 5 4 Batteries—White and Sullivan; Waddell and Schreckengost. Umpires, Carruthers and Hassett. Attendance, 2,400.

**THE EASTERN LEAGUE.**

At Toronto—Toronto 305000200-3 7 4 Rochester 000000012-3 7 4 Batteries—Kissinger and Toft; Leonard, Hope and Evers. Umpire, Shannon. Attendance, 1,100.

At Jersey City—Jersey City 202013400-12 11 1 Providence 110100000-3 9 4 Batteries—Phanniller and McManus; Conn and Farmer. Umpire, Brown. Attendance, 1,000.

At Buffalo—Buffalo 102112000-7 9 1 Baltimore 000000000-0 6 4 Batteries—McGee and Shaw; Gettling and Robinson. Umpire, Kelly. Attendance, 1,281.

At Newark—Newark 00000001100002-4 6 3 Worcester 00000000200001-3 10 9 Batteries—Morality and Shea; McFall and Steelman. Umpires, Swartwood and Latham. Attendance, 800.

**EXHIBITION GAMES.**

At Manchester—Manchester (New England), 3; Boston (National), 8.

**GAME NOTED.**

The Rockets have entered a protest in connection with their game with McClarys on Saturday. The official steps have been taken, and the team state that the umpire's decision counted against them. The executive will deal with the matter soon.

**JUNIORS BEAT WHOLESALERS.**

The Rocket Wholesale League team were defeated by the Juniors, of the Junior League, on the former's diamond on Saturday by a score of 11 to 10.

**SOMERVILLE'S TEAM WON.**

Somerville's Baseball Club defeated Reid Bros. team in an interesting game played on Saturday at Springfield. The score was 17 to 4.

**SOME TORONTO LET GO.**

Toronto, Ont., May 11.—Manager Gardner, of the Toronto Club, has released four players as follows: Pitcher Mason, Pitcher Miller, Pitcher Pearson, Catcher Ryan. Pitcher Nicol

will be kept for a while and may later be turned over to the Rochester Club. Mr. Gardner has secured two new pitchers, viz., Hardy, from the Chicago National team, and Maurice Wolfe, from the Columbia American Association Club. Both are left-handed.

**LACROSSE.**

CORNELL DEFEATED. New York, May 11.—Cornell's lacrosse team was defeated today at Southfield by Columbia's team in a game for the inter-university championship by a score of 5 to 1.

**YACHTING.**

GOOD WINDWORK. Gourock, Scotland, May 11.—The Shamrock III's windward work today was little short of marvelous, and even more so was the manner in which she carried way while going about. She stayed on the weather bow of the old boat and practically kept pace with her opponent with light winds and through smooth water. Yachtsmen are surprised at Mr. Fife's persistent avoidance of a formal racing trial, although Sir Thomas Lipton is anxious that the races go to the set course and the challenger has shown form adequate to secure a victory with any reasonable handicap. It is believed Mr. Fife is not willing to give an opportunity of showing all that the Shamrock III is capable of between marks.

**GOLF.**

COMING TO AMERICA. Boston, Mass., May 11.—A team of golf players from the Oxford and Cambridge Golfing Society will come to the United States in August to make a tour of American links.

**FOOTBALL.**

WINGHAM WON. Listowel, Ont., May 11.—Wingham defeated Listowel in a game of W. F. A. junior series here today by a score of 1 to 0.

**CRICKET.**

FIRST GAME OF THE SEASON. An interesting cricket match was played on the Normal School grounds, when the South London Cricket Club defeated the Beaver Cricket Club by 102 to 55 runs. Umpire, Mr. A. McQueen.

For the S. L. C. C. the fielding of Yarker and MacLaren was good, while Judd and Whetter did the best work at bat. G. Thompson's bowling was excellent, and Woods and Duncan also did the best batting.

**LACROSSISTS ARE MEETING**



